

UNIT 5: FESTIVALS IN VIETNAM

A. PHONETICS

1. Complete the words below the pictures with -ian or -ion then mark the stress syllable in each word.
Read the words aloud.



1. music _____



2. act _____



3. electric _____



4. direct _____



5. librar _____



6. stat _____



7. caut _____



8. physic _____



9. magic _____

2. Use the above words to complete the following sentences. Then read them aloud.

1. _____ is known as a professional person trained in library science and engage in library services.
2. I felt so tired yesterday so I went to see my _____.
3. Most people know that the _____ of acid is extremely detrimental and dangerous.
4. I couldn't follow the _____ of his thoughts.
5. I have a long wait at the _____.
6. _____ is a person who installs or repairs electrical or telephone lines.
7. _____ is a person who performs magic tricks to amuse an audience.
8. He exercised _____ in opening the door.
9. _____ is a person who composes or conducts music as a profession.

B. VOCABULARY & GRAMMAR

1. Odd one out.

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| 1. A. celebration | B. festival | C. book | D. holiday |
| 2. A. meeting | B. seeing | C. visiting | D. reunion |
| 3. A. worship | B. remember | C. celebrate | D. remind |
| 4. A. ancestor | B. father | C. mother | D. sister |
| 5. A. boiled chicken | B. spaghetti | C. spring rolls | D. sticky rice |

2. Complete the table with appropriate verbs and nouns.

Verbs	Nouns
1.	Performance
Reunite	2.
Celebrate	3.
4.	Preservation
5.	Procession
sing	6.
7.	Commemoration
8.	Worship
9.	Organization
act	10.

3. Complete the sentences with the following words.

biggest world moon cakes celebration ancestors
money made traditional reunion local

- The _____ of 1000 years of Thang Long was strongly impressive.
- Quan ho* singing has been recognized as a _____ heritage.
- In Vietnam, Tet is known as an occasion for family _____.
- The _____ people often perform a welcome dance when having visitors at the Cham Tower.
- Vietnamese people often show their respect to their _____.
- Tet is the _____ festival in Vietnam.
- Banh chung* is _____ of sticky rice, pork, green beans, and wrapped in green leaves.
- Spring roll is one of the _____ foods in Vietnam.
- At Mid-Autumn Festival, children can dance, sing and enjoy _____.
- Children often receive lucky _____ during the first days of Tet.

4. Choose the best answer A, B, C, D to complete the sentences.

- Pizza is a traditional _____ dish.
 A. Italian B. Italia C. Italis D. Italion
- Glastonbury Festival is a _____ festival in England.
 A. modern B. famous C. family D. famulus
- The Toronto International Film Festival is a film festival _____ each September in Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
 A. held B. hold C. perform D. shown
- Festival has gathered millions of people from around the world each year.
 A. attract B. held C. gathered D. collect
- Vu Lan Festival is an occasion for showing _____ to parents, ancestors.
 A. reunion B. soul C. mind D. gratitude

6. On festival days, there are many people coming to _____ land to find the belief, wishing for luck and fortune.
 A. Buddhist B. Buddhism C. Buddha D. Buddhistic
7. The Yen Tu festival is organized since the 10th lunar month and _____ for three spring months.
 A. occurred B. happened C. longed D. lasted
8. According to the M'Nong's custom, the New Rice _____ is usually held in the evening.
 A. occasion B. ceremony C. holiday D. vacation

5. Choose the best answer A, B, C, D to complete the sentences.

1. _____ a lot of troubles of the past year, people tend to forget them and hope for a better upcoming year.
 A. although B. despite C. even though D. because
2. Tet holiday is for people to visit their relatives and join festivals, _____ everybody needs to well dress.
 A. therefore B. if C. because D. when
3. Most children love Tet _____ they can also receive lucky money.
 A. moreover B. while C. because D. therefore
4. Tet is a long holiday. _____, it is the largest festival in Vietnam.
 A. therefore B. moreover C. while D. if
5. Long couldn't buy ticket. _____, he cannot return home for Tet.
 A. so B. because C. therefore D. if
6. _____ Spring comes, it's also time to celebrate many festivals.
 A. while B. when C. because D. although
7. We celebrate our traditional festival each year, _____ it's very costly.
 A. although B. despite C. in spite of D. therefore
8. I was very lucky to participate in the White Nights _____ I was in Russia.
 A. when B. if C. moreover D. therefore
9. _____ Mai has been living 10 km away from Huong Pagoda, she has never been to Huong Pagoda Festival.
 A. in spite of B. despite of C. although D. despite
10. _____ the romantic beauty of the land with mountain inside the city, Da Nang attracts a great number of tourists each year.
 A. although B. if C. thanks to D. because

6. Fill each blank with an appreciate word or phrase in the box.

a) Passage A

ancient landscapes choose
 terraced ethnic along

Many visitors (1) _____ to visit the stone plateau of Ha Giang. There are many beautiful and amazing (2) _____ with the zigzag mountainous path (3) _____ the edges of mountains, the (4) _____ mountainous town beside the market of the people in (5) _____ group in the cloud and fog. Ha Giang is also beautiful for plum and peach flowers blossom as well as the colorful (6) _____ field.

b) Passage B

destination island animals
 known of beach

Phu Quoc is newly (1)___ as the biggest tourism (2)_____ in Vietnam with the peaceful white sand (3)_____ from North to South along with the 99 mountains and hills and plentiful plants and (4)_____. Being compared to the sunshine heaven, Phu Quoc is always the perfect (5)_____ for the people who love discovering and experiencing the dreaming beauty (6)_____ the nature.

7. Connect each pair of sentences with an appropriate conjunctive adverb in the box to make compound sentences.

however therefore moreover because although when

1. The tickets are very expensive. There are many people buying the tickets.

2. Tet is the greatest festival in Vietnam. Vietnamese people love Tet.

3. Children wear their new clothes on the first days of Tet. They can also receive lucky money.

4. Children like Mid-Autumn Festival very much. They can sing, dance, and eat moon cakes.

5. She isn't a Buddhist. She eats as a vegetarian.

6. She wants to enjoy the Tomatoes Festival in Spain. She is at the age of 20.