

I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

1. a. forest b. wonder c. rock d. lost
2. a. cave b. bay c. valley d. lake
3. a. boots b. scissors c. caves d. mountains
4. a. diverse b. island c. scissors d. right
5. a. beach b. chease c. change d. chemistry

II. Choose the odd one out.

1. a. desert b. forest c. plaster d. island
2. a. worse b. best c. oldest d. happiest
3. a. scissors b. painkillers c. boots d. compass
4. a. natural b. wonder c. exciting d. famous
5. a. clever b. quieter c. louder d. easier

III. Choose the best answer a, b, c or d to complete the sentence.

1. Ha Long Bay is famous _____ its scenic rock formations.
a. to b. with c. for d. by
2. Titov island in Ha Long Bay was named _____ a Russian cosmonaut, Ghermann Titov.
a. for b. with c. after d. by
3. You _____ look at other students' work. It's against the rules.
. must b. should c. shouldn't d. mustn't
4. The Sahara is the third largest _____ in the world.
a. island b. desert c. valley d. mountain
5. When hiking overnight, don't forget to bring the _____. It will keep you warm at night.
a. sleeping bag b. hiking boots c. sun cream d. painkillers
6. The Amazon River is _____ river in the world.
a. the wider b. wider than c. the widest d. widest
7. _____ is the coldest place in Vietnam?
a. Who b. What c. Which d. When
8. Peter must _____ this essay today. He's going out tomorrow.
a. finish b. finishes c. finishing d. to finish

9. Which is _____, the West Lake or the Sword Lake?
 a. large b. larger c. largest d. the largest
10. The Grand Canyon is one of the natural _____ of the world.
 a. materials b. sights c. scenery d. wonders

IV. Write the Comparative and Superlative form of the adjectives in brackets.

- That apartment block is _____ (ugly) one I've ever seen.
- It is _____ (enjoyable) to read the story than to see the film.
- Which is _____ (high), Mount Everest or K2? - Mount Everest.
- Antarctica is one of _____ (cold) places on earth.
- Buying things from plastic is _____ (bad) than buying things from recycled paper.
- At present, Son Doong Cave is _____ (famous) cave in Quang Binh province.
- This flat is nicer, but it's _____ (far) from the city center than the other one.
- The boat trip was _____ (good) experience of my life.

V. Find and correct one mistake.

- In the centre is the biggest island in the bay. _____
- Big cities are much more better than the countryside. _____
- I must to go to the bank and get some money. _____
- Fansipan is Vietnam's the highest mountain. _____
- That is the worse Joke I've ever heard in all my life. _____
- Look! There is a 'NO PARKING' sign. You must park here. _____
- This is the most quickest way to the hotel. _____
- We mustn't hurry or we'll late for class. _____

VII. Choose the correct answers to complete the passage.

The Ha Long Bay is (1) _____ in QuangNinh Province in Vietnam. The name of the bay is roughly translated to descending dragon in Vietnamese. The bay is a UNESCO World Heritage (2) _____ and is lined by over a 1600 limestone islands and islets.

Legend has it that, when the Vietnamese were protecting their territory (3) _____ invaders, they offered prayers to their gods who then sent dragons as the protectors of the place. (4) _____ the invaders were approaching via sea, the dragons spat out Jewels creating islands that lined the bay and obstructed the ships and boats of the invaders.

Ha Long Bay is one of the (5) _____ popular tourist destinations and is visited by hundreds of thousands of tourists each year. You can opt for a (6) _____ cruise, that will take you as close to a lot of these islets.

1. a. visited b. located c. followed d. discovered
2. a. Nature b. Sight c. Wonder d. Site
3. a. from b. with c. to d. by
4. a. What b. Where c. When d. Which
5. a. much b. many c. more d. most
6. a. train b. boat c. plane d. bus

X. Rewrite the sentence so that it contains the word in capitals.

1. How about playing volleyball for a change?
Shall we _____ ?
2. Do you want to go for lunch now?
Would you _____
3. Can you tell me the way to the nearest post office?
How do I _____ ?
4. The first question in the test was easier than the second one. (DIFFICULT)
The second question in the test _____
5. I expected my exam results to be better. (WORSE)
My exam results are _____
6. The bookstore is at the side of the grocery store. (NEXT)
The bookstore _____
7. Dave doesn't earn as much money as his wife. (MORE)
Dave's wife _____
8. Could you close that window, please?
Would you mind _____