REVIEW FIRST SEMESTER I GRADE 8

: Choose the letter A, B, C, D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions

1. Collecting coins is exciting, but it can also be relaxed.

A B C D

2. My children enjoy to learn English very much.

A B C D

3. Minh likes both the green and the blue T-shirt, so I don't have enough money to buy.

A B C D

4. She is boring with the silent surrounding because she used to live in a big city.

A B C D

5. The clothing of one group is quite differently from that of other groups.

A B C D

6. There is an cottage house in that small village.

A B C D

7. Playing team sports gives you much fun than individual sports.

A B C D

8. Why you leave the baby alone at home to go to the movies?

A B C D

9. Which festival do you like much, Huong Pagoda or Hung Temple?

A B C D

10. I went to the post office immediately since I left you.

A B C D

Ex6: ***Choose the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word in each of the following questions.***

1.This festival is held to worship the first **emperors** of the nation

A. masters B. invaders C. presidents D. Kings

2. Chu Dong Tu and Giong are both legendary saints ; **however**, they are worshipped for different things

A. nevertheless B. moreover C. therefore D. Although

3. There are many students **take part** in the competition.

A. separate B. advise C. transfer D. participate

4. This restaurant **well-known** for its traditional food.

A. famous B. rich C. understand D. remember

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Ex7: ***Choose the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

1. The doctor advised Peter to **give up** smoking.

A. stop B. continue C. finish D. consider

2.The communal house is a place where villagers **gather** for festivals and rituals.

A. meet B. assemble C. divide D. collect

3. This **old** man was given some food by the charity.

A. young C. new D. bad D. good

4. I am **starving**, I have nothing to eat

A. hungry B. full C. bad D. poor

III. READING

Ex8: **Read the following passage and choose the letter A, B, C or D that best fits the blank space in the following passage.**

My grandmother told me that our village (1) _____very poor many years ago. The villagers had to work hard in the fields all days (2)_____ they could not earn enough for their living. Their lives were very simple. Many people had to live in houses made of straw and mud. Nowadays my village has (3)_____ a lot. People live in big brick houses. In the evening, they can listen to the news on the radio or watch TV for (4)_____. All people in my village try their best to make their living (5)_____. I would like to become an agricultural engineer in the future so I can apply new technology to our farming and do more for the village

1.A.is	B. was	C. are	D. were
2.A. moreover	B. or	C. If	D. but
3.A. changed	B. changing	C. change	D. changes
4.A. entertainment	B. entertain	C. entertained	D. entertaining
5.A. good	B. more good	C. better	D. more better

Ex9: **Read the following passage and choose the letter A,B, C,D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.**

Mermaid princess

Once upon (1)_____, in an underwater kingdom, there was a mermaid princess. On her 18th birthday, the mermaid was allowed (2)_____ up to the surface. While she was enjoying the new view, she saw and rescued a handsome prince from drowning. The little mermaid(3) _____ to her kingdom but

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she still longed for the surface. Desperately, she sought out the Sea Witch who gave her a human form in exchange for her voice. She must also win the prince's love, (4)_____she would die. When the mermaid met the prince, he didn't recognize her at all. Unfortunately, the prince didn't know that she once saved him and was in love with someone else. The only way to stay alive now was to kill the prince. Not able to do such a cruel act, the mermaid returned to the sea and waited for her death. _____, thanks to her selflessness, she was returned into an immortal spirit.

1.	A. time	B. a time	C. day	D. a day
2.	A. come	B. coming	C. to come	D. to coming
3.	A. returned	B. return	C. returns	D. returning
4.	A. if	B. otherwise	C. and	D. but
5.	A. Otherwise	B. Although	C. However	D. Even

IV. WRITING

Ex10: Choose the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is correct or closest in meaning to the previous one.

1. Luke cannot play tennis as well as Jack.

A. Jack can play tennis as good as Luke

B. Jack cannot play tennis better than Luke

C. Jack can play tennis better than Luke

D. Jack plays tennis as bad as Luke

2. In Vietnam, people must drive on the right of the road.

A. We can't drive on the right of the road.

B. We can't drive on the left of the road.

C. We should drive on the right of the road.

D. We have to drive on the right of the road.

3. The black car is cheaper than the red car.

A. The red car is expensive than the black car

B. The red car is more expensive than the black car.

C. The red car is cheaper than the black car.

D. The red car is more cheap than the black car.

4. I am very interested in the Giong festival. I have never participated in the Giong festival.

A. I am very interested in the Giong festival so I have never participated in the Giong festival.

B. I am very interested in the Giong festival although I have never participated in the Giong festival.

C. I am very interested in the Giong festival ,therefore, I have never participated in the Giong festival.

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D. I am very interested in the Giong festival and I have never participated in the Giong festival.

5. Although the villagers are quite poor, they live a happy and healthy way.

A. In spite of being poor, the villagers live a happy and healthy way.

B. Despite of being poor, the villagers live a happy and healthy way.

C. In spite of poor, the villagers live a happy and healthy way.

D. Despite of poor, the villagers live a happy and healthy way.

6. You need to check the way to get there; otherwise, you will get lost.

A. If you check the way to get there , you will get lost

B. If you don't check the way to get there , you will get lost

C. If you don't check the way to get there , you won't get lost

D. You will get lost if you check the way.

7. I would like you to help me to put the chair away.

A. Do you mind helping me to put the chair away?

B. Do you mind to help me to put the chair away?

C. Do you mind helping me putting the chair away?

D. Do you mind to helping me to put the chair away?

8. Let's go home , it's too late now

A. I think we can go home.

B. I think we have to coming home.

C. I think we should go home.

D. I think we shouldn't go home.

9. Students mustn't cheat in any kinds of exams.

A. Students are allowed to cheat in any kinds of exams

B. Students can cheat in any kinds of exams

C. Students are not allowed to cheat in any kinds of exams

D. Students should cheat in any kinds of exams

10. The children were doing their homework when I got home.

A. While the children were doing their homework, I gone home.

B. While the children did their homework, I got home.

C. While the children were doing their homework, I got home.

D. While the children were doing their homework, I get home.

Ex11: Choose letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best sentence that can be made from the cues given.

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1. In the countryside/children/play/free/in the city.

A.In the countryside, children play more freely than in the city.

B. In the city, children play more freely than in the countryside.

C. In the countryside, children play more free than in the city.

D. In the countryside, children play freely than in the city.

2. I/ interested / learn/ other cultures.

A. I'm interested on learning about other cultures.

B. I'm interested in learning about other cultures.

C. I'm interested in learning to other cultures.

D. I'm interested in learn about other cultures.

3. My teacher /advised/ me / spend the summer /England

A. My teacher advised me spend the summer in England

B. My teacher advised me to spending the summer in England

C. My teacher advised me to spend the summer in England

D. My teacher advised me spending the summer in England

4. I /start/ learning /English /three years ago.

A. I started learning English three years ago.

B. I started to learning English three years ago.

C. I started learning with English three years ago.

D. I started learning an English three years ago.

5. He decided / trust /Tim /because /he /be. an honest man.

A. He decided to trust Tim because he were an honest man.

B. He decided trust Tim because he was an honest man.

C. He decided trust Tim because he was a honest man.

D. He decided to trust Tim because he was an honest man.

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