

GRADE 6 - TEST 1 - SEMESTER 1

A. WRITTEN TEST (45 minutes; 8 points)

I. LISTENING (2 points)

Task 1. Listen to Minh and Lam talking about their teachers. Fill in each gap with NO MORE THAN A WORD. You will listen TWICE.

1. Mrs. Mai teaches_____.
2. Mrs. Mai has a lot of new_____.
3. Mrs. Mai wears glasses and she has_____ black hair.
4. Mr. Kien is_____and helpful.

Task 2. Listen to Mira talking about her neighborhood. Tick T (True) or F (False). You will listen TWICE.

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1.	Mira's father works in Nha Trang city.		
2.	Nha Trang has beautiful parks.		
3.	Mira likes the seafood in Nha Trang.		
4.	Mira likes the busy streets in Nha Trang.		

II. READING (2 points)

Task 1. Read the description of Jim's bedroom. Circle the best answer A, B or C to each of the questions.

Jim's favorite room in his house is his bedroom. It is a great place for study and sleep. It is a bit small. It has a bookshelf, a desk and two chairs.

There is a nice lamp on the desk. There is an air-conditioner above the wardrobe. There are three pictures on the wall. **They** are next to a big clock. The room has two windows and a door leading to the balcony. Jim likes his bedroom very much because it is quieter and brighter than other rooms in the house. However, in the future, he wants a bigger room with a TV in it.

1. What is on the desk?
 - A. Some books.
 - B. A picture.
 - C. A lamp.
2. What does the word '**they**' in *line 4* mean?
 - A. The windows.
 - B. The walls.
 - C. The pictures.
3. Why does Jim like his bedroom?
 - A. Because it is quiet and bright.
 - B. Because it is big.
 - C. Because it is exciting.
4. What does Jim want in his room?
 - A. An air-conditioner.
 - B. A television.
 - C. A picture.

Task 2. Circle the correct option to complete each blank.

Dak Lak province is in the Central Highland of Viet Nam. It is popular for its (1)___ landscape. Tourists to Dalak can visit Buon Me Thuot city. The city gets the name "the capital of coffee" (2)___ it has the best coffee in Viet Nam. Another exciting place is Ban Don (Don Village). The village is famous for its long tradition of taming wild elephants. Tourist can (3)___ in exciting activities in Dak Lak. They can go canoeing along Serepok river and visit the waterfall. They (4)_also ride a horse through the wild elephants in Yok Don National Park.

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| 1 | A. amazing | B. boring | C. sunny |
| 2 | A. but | B. so | C. because |
| 3 | A. take | B. join | C. do |
| 4 | A. must | B. can | C. shall |

III. WRITING (2 points)

Task 1. Rearrange the sentences. You cannot change the words.

Here is an example:

0. There/ library/ many/ the/ books/ are/ in/.

Answer: 0. There are many books in the library.

1. to/ book/ Mike/ This/ belongs/.

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2. bigger/ An/ is/ bear/ than/ elephant/a/.

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3. easily/ learns/ Kien/ quickly/ things/ and/.

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4. should/ the door/ You/ before/ knock/ entering/.

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Task 2. Write an email to Nick and tell him about how you often celebrate Tet. (40-60 words). You can use the following ideas as cues.

- What do you do at Tet?
- What should children do? What shouldn't they do?
- What do you like best about Tet?

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IV. LANGUAGE FOCUS (2 points)

Task 1. Choose the word with a different way of pronunciation in the underlined part. Circle A, B or C.

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| 1. A. <u>sm</u> art | B. <u>cl</u> ass | C. <u>f</u> an |
| 2. A. <u>u</u> niform | B. <u>r</u> unning | C. <u>f</u> unny |
| 3. A. <u>l</u> amps | B. <u>r</u> ooms | C. <u>s</u> inks |
| 4. A. <u>c</u> lean | B. <u>c</u> onvenient | C. <u>e</u> xciting |

Task 2. Fill each blank with the present simple or present continuous form of the verb in brackets.

1. Kien _____ (play) chess with Mai at the moment.
2. Mai _____ (cycle) to school every day.
3. they _____ (do) their homework now?
4. Ms. Mai _____ (not teach) Literature. She teaches Science.

Task 3. Choose the best option to complete each sentence. Circle A, B or C.

1. My dad _____ to work late.
A. never goes B. goes never C. don't go
2. My mother needs to buy _____ fruits.
A. a B. any C. some
3. This is my _____ bedroom.
A. brother's B. brother C. brothers
4. How about _____ to the department store this weekend?
A. to go B. going C. go
5. Mira is short with long brown _____.
A. nose B. hair C. cheeks
6. Tracy is _____. She likes meeting new people.
A. shy B. confident C. hard-working
7. This street is _____ than that street.
A. noisy B. more noisy C. noisier
8. You _____ go alone at late night. It's dangerous.
A. must B. musn't C. can

B. SPEAKING TEST (2 points, approximately 3-5 minutes/ one pair of students)

* Notes: Teacher doesn't need to ask all questions in task 1.

Task 1. Now let's talk about a natural wonder of Viet Nam. Are you ready?

1. Can you name a natural wonder of Viet Nam?
2. Where is it?
3. What is special about it?
4. Do you want to visit it? Why/ Why not?

Task 2. Look at the following pair of cards. On one card there is some information and on the other card there are clues for five questions. You should use the clues to make questions and ask your friend. Your friend will answer the questions based on the information he/ she has. You will have 30 seconds to prepare.

SET A	
<i>Your answers</i>	<i>Your questions</i>
<p><i>Quang's favorite trip</i> <i>Location: Con Dao Islands</i> <i>Must bring: backpack, sleeping bag, sun cream</i> <i>Activity: swimming, sunbathing, building sandcastles</i> <i>Food: seafood, spaghetti, Coca-cola</i> <i>Best time: March to September</i></p>	<p><i>Marie's favorite trip</i> <i>Where?</i> <i>What/ bring?</i> <i>What/ do?</i> <i>What/ eat?</i> <i>What/ best time/ visit?</i></p>

SET B	
<i>Your answers</i>	<i>Your questions</i>
<p><i>Marie's favorite trip</i> <i>Location: Fansipan Mountain</i> <i>Must bring: compass, warm coat, walking boots</i> <i>Activity: Hiking, camping, taking photos of flowers</i> <i>Food: Sandwiches, apples, water</i> <i>Best time: February to April</i></p>	<p><i>Quang's favorite trip</i> <i>Where?</i> <i>What/bring?</i> <i>What/do?</i> <i>What/eat?</i> <i>What/ best time/ visit?</i></p>