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**PART II. PHONETICS (2.0 pts)**

*I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others by circling A, B, C or D. (1.0 pt)*

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. A. fath <u>o</u> m       | B. feath <u>e</u> r     | C. anth <u>e</u> m      | D. with <u>i</u> n      |
| 2. A. mortgag <u>e</u>      | B. dosag <u>e</u>       | C. massag <u>e</u>      | D. luggag <u>e</u>      |
| 3. A. wash <u>e</u> d       | B. hand <u>e</u> d      | C. laugh <u>e</u> d     | D. help <u>e</u> d      |
| 4. A. l <u>o</u> st         | B. m <u>o</u> st        | C. gh <u>o</u> st       | D. d <u>o</u> se        |
| 5. A. p <u>r</u> escription | B. p <u>r</u> eliminary | C. p <u>r</u> esumption | D. p <u>r</u> eparation |

*II. Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the others by circling A, B, C or D. (1.0 pt)*

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| 1. A. successive  | B. apprentice    | C. attendance   | D. atmosphere    |
| 2. A. assassinate | B. international | C. preferential | D. differentiate |
| 3. A. refugee     | B. ambitious     | C. understand   | D. comprehend    |
| 4. A. preference  | B. attraction    | C. advantage    | D. infinitive    |
| 5. A. mechanic    | B. terrific      | C. Arabic       | D. Pacific       |

**PART III. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR (4.5 pts)**

*I. Circle the best option A, B, C or D to complete the following sentences. (1.5 pts)*

- After the playwright rewrote the script, the story began to take \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. turn                      B. notice                      C. shape                      D. part
- Anyone who criticises the leader is simply asking for \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. pain                      B. trouble                      C. difficulty                      D. discomfort
- Sophie was feeling a bit \_\_\_\_\_ on her luck after not getting the part, so Frank bought her lunch.  
A. down                      B. under                      C. below                      D. behind
- Leo was \_\_\_\_\_ from the meeting after he began objecting loudly to other people's ideas.  
A. dejected                      B. rejected                      C. ejected                      D. injected
- \_\_\_\_\_ to the national park before, Sue was amazed to see the geyser.  
A. Being not                      B. Not having been  
C. Have not been                      D. Having not been
- Herbs \_\_\_\_\_ in soups and sauces.  
A. are used to be                      B. are often used  
C. often use                      D. get used to being
- She tries to set \_\_\_\_\_ an hour a week for practice.  
A. about                      B. down                      C. aside                      D. in
- Remember to \_\_\_\_\_ the sliced beef in a little oil for half an hour before stir-frying. The beef will be tender that way.  
A. garnish                      B. sprinkle                      C. stew                      D. marinate
- Each of the guests \_\_\_\_\_ a bunch of flowers.  
A. are given                      B. is given                      C. were given                      D. give
- To everyone's surprise, Mr Brown \_\_\_\_\_ at the Trade Union meeting.  
A. turned in                      B. turned over                      C. turned up                      D. turned round

11. Although they had only been invited for lunch, they \_\_\_\_\_ until suppertime.  
A. stayed on                      B. stayed out                      C. stayed up                      D. stayed in

12. He always did well at school \_\_\_\_\_ having his early education disrupted by illness.

A. on account of                      B. in spite of                      C. in addition to                      D. even though

13. This missile is designed so that once \_\_\_\_\_ nothing can be done to retrieve.

A. fired                      B. having fired                      C. they fired                      D. firing

14. I am never free on Tuesday evenings as I have a \_\_\_\_\_ arrangement to go to the cinema with a friend.

A. long-standing                      B. long-lived                      C. long-range                      D. long-lasting

15. "Do you think it's going to rain heavily?" - "\_\_\_\_\_"

A. I won't hope so                      B. I don't hope                      C. I don't hope so                      D. I hope not

**II. Replace the word or phrase in bold with the word with a similar meaning (A, B, C or D). (0.5 pt)**

1. If you **lose** your key to the laboratory, you should inform security immediately.

A. unlock                      B. mislead                      C. destroy                      D. mislay

2. If you are unable to **hand in** your assignment on time, it is essential that you apply for an extension.

A. propose                      B. turn                      C. submit                      D. apply

3. Students whose assignments are **copied** from another source will be severely penalised.

A. plagiarised                      B. repeated                      C. cited                      D. quoted

4. The researchers then **did** a second study with a much larger group of subjects.

A. composed                      B. conducted                      C. collaborated                      D. corrupted

5. In my view, each student should set themselves clear **goals** at the beginning of each academic year.

A. undertakings                      B. objectives                      C. supplements                      D. regulations

**IV. Think of one word which can be used appropriately in all three sentences. Number '0' is an example. (1.5 pts)**

0. After being responsible for two false starts, the athlete was disqualified from the sprint.

I couldn't understand what Grandma was saying until in her false teeth.

Making false statement to the police is an offence.

1. Try to keep your room \_\_\_\_\_ and tidy for when your friends come round.

After examining me, the doctor gave me a \_\_\_\_\_ bill of health.

You should make a \_\_\_\_\_ break and tell Joel you don't want to see him again.

2. We hope it won't be too long before we start a \_\_\_\_\_.

My dad thought that the whole thing reflected badly on the \_\_\_\_\_ name.

Our dog's got a great personality and we all treat her like a \_\_\_\_\_ member.

3. I moved to Birmingham, determined to make a \_\_\_\_\_ start.

Let's take a \_\_\_\_\_ look at the problem.

The new manager is \_\_\_\_\_ from university and doesn't have much experience, in my opinion.

4. There's a crack in the \_\_\_\_\_ of my glass.

He had started at the \_\_\_\_\_ and worked his way up to become a manager.

The police officer was determined to get to the \_\_\_\_\_ of things and asked a lot of questions.

5. The magazine is printed on low \_\_\_\_\_ paper.

What's the most important \_\_\_\_\_ you look for in someone applying for a job here?

Ask yourself whether you spend enough \_\_\_\_\_ time with your children.

**PART V. WRITING (5.5 pts)**

**I. Rewrite the following sentences without changing their meaning using the words in the brackets.**

**Do not change the words given. (2.0 pts)**

1. Driving without a seatbelt is illegal in most European countries. (**against**)

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Most websites think about user privacy when they encourage people to change their passwords regularly. (**consideration**)

\_\_\_\_\_

3. He spoke confidently and that impressed me. (**which**)

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Suddenly there was a knock at the door. (**once**)

\_\_\_\_\_

5. Karen received a medal for her services to the country. (**recognition**)

\_\_\_\_\_

**II. Finish the second sentence in such a way that is similar to the original one. (1.0 pt)**

1. Alice and Charles did not decide to move to a bigger house until after the birth of their second child.

Only when \_\_\_\_\_

2. The traffic was so bad that there was obviously no way we would get to the station on time.

The traffic was so bad that we obviously did not stand \_\_\_\_\_

3. Colin will only read your email if you mark it as urgent.

Unless \_\_\_\_\_

4. Lily said that she'd always intended to invite Phil to the party.

"It had always been my \_\_\_\_\_", said Lily.

5. I think you should take up jogging.

If I \_\_\_\_\_