

## **E8 – REVIEW FOR U789**

**I. Choose the best answer A, B or C to complete the sentences below (2.0 pts)**

1. She has experienced noise pollution for a long time. Now she suffers \_\_\_\_\_ headaches and hearing loss.

2. - A: A lot of people injured after the typhoon. - B: \_\_\_\_\_ .

A. That's awful!      B. Great!      C. Thank God.

3. - Mai: I've passed my exam. Dad. - Dad: .

A. That's awful!      B. OK      C. Congratulation!

4. Air pollution, together with littering, is causing many problems in our cities today.

5. If I  you, I  doing that immediately.

A. was – will stop      B. am – would stop      C. were – would stop

6. The volcano caused damage to the local people.

7. When a typhoon happened, many houses and roads

8. The capital of The USA is

A. Canberra      B. Washington D.C.      C. New York

9. If you experience noise pollution for a long time, you can have **耳鸣** and hearing loss.

A. headaches      B. high blood pressure      C. both A and B

10. If we soon, the pollution will get much worse.

II. Read the passage and then choose the the best answer A, B, or C. (1.5 points)

I often hear or read about “natural disaster”- the eruption of Mount St Helen, a volcano in the state of Washington; Hurricane Andrew in Florida; the floods in the American Midwest; terrible earthquakes all over the world; huge fires; and so on. But I’ll never forget my first personal experience with the strangeness of nature – the “London Killer Fog” of 1952. It began on

Thursday, December 4th when a high-pressure system (warm air) covered southern England. With the freezing-cold air below, heavy fog formed. Pollution from factories, cars, and coal stoves mixed with the fog. The humidity was terribly high; there was no breeze at all. Traffic (cars, trains, and boats) stopped. People couldn't see, and some walked onto the railroad tracks or into the river. It was hard to breathe, and many people got sick. Finally on Tuesday, December 9th, the wind came and the fog went away. But after that, even more people got sick, many of them died.

**1. Which natural disaster is NOT mentioned in the text?**

A. a volcanic eruption      B. a tornado      C. a hurricane

**2. What is his unforgettable personal experience?**

A. the heavy fog in London    B. the strangeness of nature    C. a high-pressure system

**3. What did NOT happen during the time of the “London Killer Fog”?**

A. pollution      B. humidity      C. heavy rain

**4. The traffic stopped because of \_\_\_\_\_.**

A. the heavy fog      B. the windy weather      C. the humid weather

**5. How long did the “London Killer Fog” last ?**

A. for a week      B. for five days      C. for six days

**I. Rewrite the second sentence in such a way that the meaning stays the same as the first, using the words given. (1,5 pts)**

1. I can't play volleyball because I am not strong.

- If I .....

2. Stop swimming in this river, or you'll have skin rashes.

- If we.....

3. My mother bought a new bike

- A new .....

4. They provided food then cleared up the debris.

- After they .....

5. He was sick but he went to school yesterday.

- Although.....

**THE END**