

Test 6

PHONETICS

I. Choose one word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.(0.5 points)

1. A. young B. drought C. discount D. sound
2. A. Christmas B. character C. chemistry D. brochure

II. Choose the word which has the underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.(1 points)

1. A. coffee B. degree C. agree D. trainee
2. A. enter B. believe C. machine D. prefer
3. A. nation B. musical C. biology D. apple
4. A. compete B. geography C. television D. improve

USE OF LANGUAGE

I. Choose the best answer A, B, C or D to complete the sentences. (1,5 points)

1. What can be done to protect people from _____ disasters?
A.environment B.environmental C.environmentally D.environmentalist
2. He said he worked very hard and that was the key _____ his success.
A. to B. for C. of D. on
3. If the teacher were now here, we _____ him the difference _____ "science" and "technology".
A. would ask/ between B. would asked/ between
C. would ask/ among D. would asked/ among
4. New Zealand rescue services carried out several searches for _____.
A.movers B.helpers
C.rescuers D.survivors
- 5.The government has declared a state of _____ following the earthquake.
A.accident B.situation
C.extension D.emergency
6. Sciences and technology have enormous _____ on economic development.
A. affects B. effects C. affect D. effect

II. Give the correct tense/ form of the verbs in the brackets. (1 pts)

1. By the time we came to the cinema, the film (start)_____.
2. San Francisco (often call)_____ "The windy city".
3. By the time we arrived at the canyon, it (stop) _____snowing.
4. They get sick so often. If they exercised more, they (be) _____healthier. vegetables.

III. Give the correct form of the words in brackets to complete each sentence. (1 pts)

1. The lake will be gradually (contamination) _____with waste from households
2. Trees can't grow here because of the soil_____.(pollute)
3. Water samples collected at these villages were seriously _____ with bacteria. (contaminate)
4. Light pollution makes us _____ to see the stars in the sky. (able)

IV. Read the conversation and choose the best answer.(1.0 point)

Rubi: Hey, Alice! Nice to meet you again.

Alice: Oh, hi Rubi ! (1)_____. Is that right?

Rubi: (2)_____. I've had enough of living in the city.

Alice: It's not that bad, (3)_____.

Rubi: (4)_____.It's too noisy, and too crowded.

A. I hear about you moving to the country.

B. is it?

C. It's worse!

D. Yes, that's right

READING

I. Read the paragraph and then complete it. Using the words in the box.(1.0 point)

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I disagree (1)_____ the idea that robots will only bring benefits to people in the future.

Robots will also have some (2)_____ influences. Firstly, they will be very expensive and we will spend too much money buying and fixing them. Secondly, robots in factories will be able to do everything the workers do, so robots will make them jobless. Thirdly, robots in our homes will do all the housework (3)_____ us, so we will become lazy and inactive. (4)_____ short, robots will do many things for us, but they may not improve the quality of our lives.

II. Read the following passage then answer the questions: (1.0point)

Alaska is perhaps the most amazing state in the USA. It has coastlines facing both the Arctic Ocean and the Pacific Ocean. This state has an incredible three million lakes. That's four lakes per person living there.

Many cities in Alaska cannot be reached by road, sea, or river. The only way to get it and out is by air, on foot, or by dogsled. That's why Alaska has the busiest sea airport in the world, Lake Hood Seaplane Base. Nearly two hundred float planes take off and land on the water of this airport every day. It's really a fun scene to watch.

Alaska is called the Land of Midnight Sun because in summer, the sun does not set for nearly three months. But in winter the sun stays almost unseen.

All Alaskans take place special pride in their beautiful and unique state.

Answer the questions:

1.Where is Alaska ?

✍ _____

2.Does it has three thousand lakes ?

✍ _____

3.How do we get there?

✍ _____

4. Why is Alaska called the Land of Midnight Sun ?

✍ _____

WRITING

I. Rewrite the following sentences so that the second sentence means the same as the first one.(0.5points)

1. Scientists have invented new devices to help people live a longer life.

✎ New devices _____

2. I don't have enough time , so I can't go on holiday this summer.

✎ If _____