

E7- UNIT 9 - PRACTICE 1

I. Find the word which has a different sound in the underlined part

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| 1. A. <u>th</u> ose | B. <u>th</u> ey | C. <u>th</u> an | D. <u>Th</u> anksgiving |
| 2. A. <u>cr</u> anberry | B. <u>l</u> antern | C. <u>g</u> ather | D. <u>a</u> pricot |
| 3. A. <u>a</u> bundant | B. <u>tr</u> avelling | C. <u>ch</u> aracter | D. <u>bi</u> ogas |
| 4. A. <u>d</u> iverse | B. <u>d</u> rive | C. <u>i</u> nvention | D. <u>c</u> rime |
| 5. A. <u>d</u> esigns | B. <u>s</u> ails | C. <u>p</u> edals | D. <u>p</u> ollutes |
| 6. A. <u>p</u> erform | B. <u>e</u> nd | C. <u>f</u> estival | D. <u>e</u> lephant |
| 7. A. <u>c</u> ake | B. <u>c</u> elebrate | C. <u>r</u> acing | D. <u>c</u> andle |
| 8. A. <u>d</u> esert | B. <u>h</u> eld | C. <u>p</u> refer | D. <u>c</u> elebrate |

II. Choose the correct option for each gap in the sentences.

- La Tomatina is a seasonal _____ to celebrate the tomato harvest.
A. celebration B. parade C. festival D. game
- _____ do you like about La Tomatina?
A. What B. Which C. When D. Why
- Do you _____ anything about music festival called Burning Man?
A. like B. know C. understand D. have
- _____ do people do at Burning Festival?
A. Why B. Which C. What D. How
- _____ often is Burning Festival held? - It's held every year.
A. Which B. When C. What D. How
- _____ does the teacher say La Tomatina sounds unusual?
A. What B. When C. Why D. How
- _____ festival do you choose? - I choose Elephant Race Festival.
A. What B. How C. Which D. When
- He thinks elephants are _____ animals.
A. fascinated B. fascinating C. fascinates D. fascinate
- It must be amazing _____ elephants racing.
A. see B. to see C. seeing D. saw
- La Tomatina is _____ in Spain, in a small town.
A. holds B. hold C. holding D. held

III. Find the opposite meaning words.

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| 1. cheap | _____ | 6. far | _____ |
| 2. difficult | _____ | 7. careful | _____ |
| 3. happy | _____ | 8. old | _____ |
| 4. good | _____ | 9. similar | _____ |
| 5. noisy | _____ | 10. interviewer | _____ |

IV. Read the passage then answer the questions below.

Vietnam's New Year is celebrated *according to* (theo) the Lunar *calendar* (lịch). It is especially known as Tet Nguyen Dan, or Tet. It begins between January twenty-first and February nineteen. The exact date *changes* (thay đổi) from year to year. Vietnamese people usually *make preparations* (chuẩn bị) for the holiday several weeks *beforehand* (trước đó). They tidy their houses, cook special food, clean and make *offerings* (đồ cúng) on the family *altars* (bàn thờ). On the New Year's Eve, people sit up to midnight to see New Year in, then they put on new clothes and give one another the greetings of the season. Tet lasts ten days. The first three days are the most important. Vietnamese people believe that how people act during those days will *influence* (ảnh hưởng) the whole year. As a result, they *make every effort* (cố gắng) to *avoid* (tránh) *arguments* (tranh cãi) and smile as much as possible.

1. What is Vietnam's New Year known as?

2. Is Tet celebrated according to the Lunar calendar?

3. When does the Lunar New Year begin?

4. What do Vietnamese people usually do to prepare for Tet?

5. Why are the first three days the most important?
