

Đề thi tiếng anh lớp 8 giữa kỳ 2

I. Choose the letter A, B, C or D the word that has the underlined part different from others.

1. A. <u>th</u> ermal	B. ear <u>th</u> quake	C. <u>al</u> though	D. de <u>ath</u>
2. A. cl <u>i</u> mate	B. v <u>i</u> ctim	C. ext <u>en</u> sive	D. volc <u>a</u> nic
3. A. volc <u>a</u> no	B. torn <u>a</u> do	C. histor <u>i</u> cal	D. hom <u>e</u> less
4. A. bur <u>y</u>	B. destr <u>u</u> ctive	C. d <u>u</u> mp	D. rub <u>b</u> ish
5. A. dis <u>a</u> ster	B. caus <u>e</u>	C. poi <u>s</u> on	D. sc <u>a</u> tter

II. Choose the best answer A, B, C or D to complete the following sentences

1. The last typhoon resulted _____ terrible loss of lives.

- A. in
- B. on
- C. for
- D. of

2. English is the _____ language of many countries such as the US, the UK, and Australia.

- A. international
- B. usual
- C. popular
- D. official

3. Poisonous _____ from factories can kill a lot of wildlife animals.

- A. things
- B. animals
- C. chemicals
- D. nations

4. People in the flooded area have _____ to a safer place.

- A. evacuating
- B. been evacuated
- C. evacuated
- D. evacuate

III. Put the verbs in the blanket into the correct form

1. The pollution water results in the _____ of many aquatic animals and plants. (DIE)

2. My friend and I are going to give a presentation about our _____ problems.

(ENVIRONMENT)

3. Both Chinese and English are _____ languages in Vietnam. (OFFICIAL)
4. People should become familiar with the guidelines for _____ because natural disasters can force them to leave their homes. (EVACUATE)
5. Natural disasters can be very _____. (DESTROY)

IV. Read the following passage, and answer the questions that follow

On April 30, 2018 the Pu'u 'O'o crater on Hawaii's Kilauea volcano, suddenly collapsed. It was the starting point for the volcano's months long eruption, which went on to produce 320,000 Olympic-sized swimming pools' worth of lava that transformed the landscape and ultimately destroyed 700 homes.

A volcanic eruption occurs when hot materials from the Earth's interior are thrown out of a volcano. Some eruptions are terrible explosions that throw out huge amounts of rock and volcanic ash and can kill many people. Some are quiet outflows of hot lava. Several more complex types of volcanic eruptions have been described by volcanologists. These are often named after famous volcanoes where that type of eruption has been seen. Some volcanoes may show only one type of eruption during a period of activity, while others may show a range of types in a series.

1. When did the Pu'u 'O'o crater on Hawaii's Kilauea volcano collapse?

2. How many houses did the volcanic eruption in Hawaii demolish?

3. When does a volcanic eruption occur?

4. Do all volcanoes display only one type of eruption during a period of activity?

VI. Rewrite the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning with the first one

1. Air pollution can cause breathing problems.

Breathing _____

2. Study hard or you won't pass the exam.

If _____

VII. Write full sentences using the suggested words and phrases

1. If/ I/ be/ you/ I/ buy/ that house.

2. The last/ time/ he/ speak/ his father/ be/ two months ago.
