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## PRACTICE TEST 09

Class:...

MARK:.....

Time allowance: 60 minutes

### PART A. PHONETICS

#### I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others (...pts.)

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|--------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------|
| 1. A. raised <u>ed</u>   | B. cough <u>ed</u>    | C. practic <u>ed</u> | D. talk <u>ed</u>      | 1..... |
| 2. A. athlet <u>ic</u> s | B. month <u>th</u>    | C. gather <u>er</u>  | D. both <u>th</u>      | 2..... |
| 3. A. invitati <u>on</u> | B. collecti <u>on</u> | C. equati <u>on</u>  | D. celebrati <u>on</u> | 3..... |
| 4. A. horrib <u>le</u>   | B. househ <u>old</u>  | C. rehears <u>e</u>  | D. h <u>ou</u> r       | 4..... |
| 5. A. throw <u>ow</u>    | B. allow <u>ow</u>    | C. flow <u>ow</u>    | D. grow <u>ow</u>      | 5..... |

### PART B. USE OF ENGLISH

#### I. Choose the option that best completes each of the following sentences (...pts.)

1. Hoa is staying \_\_\_\_\_ her uncle and aunt's house in Hanoi now.  
A. with                      B. on                      C. in                      D. at                      1. ....
2. I don't want much sugar in my coffee. Just \_\_\_\_\_, please.  
A. a few                      B. a little                      C. fewer                      D. less                      2. ....
3. How \_\_\_\_\_ do you go to see the dentist? – Once every two months.  
A. far                      B. long                      C. often                      D. many                      3. ....
4. Hurry up! We \_\_\_\_\_ for you. If you are slow, you are going to miss the train.  
A. are waiting                      B. waited                      C. wait                      D. waits                      4. ....
5. Can you see any people in the house? Yes, only \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. a little                      B. little                      C. few                      D. a few                      5. ....
6. Will you be home \_\_\_\_\_ dinner tonight?  
A. to                      B. at                      C. for                      D. on                      6. ....
7. He came into the room, \_\_\_\_\_ the light and \_\_\_\_\_ the door behind him.  
A. turned on/ closing                      B. turning on/closed                      C. turned on/ closed                      D. turning on/ closing                      7. ....
8. A lot of students in my class can sing quite \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. nice                      B. lovely                      C. sweet                      D. beautifully                      8. ....
9. This apartment is \_\_\_\_\_ for us because it's rather cheap and near the city center.  
A. easy                      B. suitable                      C. ready                      D. large                      9. ....
10. After \_\_\_\_\_ an aspirin, her headache disappeared.  
A. eating                      B. drinking                      C. taking                      D. chewing                      10. ....
11. Peter: "How about going to the movie with me on Saturday night?"  
Mary: "\_\_\_\_\_".  
A. Of course not                      B. Sure, thanks                      C. It's my pleasure                      D. That's very kind of you                      11. ....
12. Of all the schools in town, mine is \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. large                      B. larger                      C. larger than                      D. the largest                      12. ....
13. Hoa is sad because she knows \_\_\_\_\_ here.  
A. someone                      B. no one                      C. anyone                      D. everyone                      13. ....
14. My joke made the whole class \_\_\_\_\_ a lot.  
A. to laugh                      B. laughing                      C. laugh                      D. laughed                      14. ....

15. Nam: "Ba is in hospital."- Mai: "Oh really? I didn't know. I \_\_\_\_\_ and visit him."  
 A. will go                      B. am going                      C. am going to go                      D. go                      15. ....
16. When she as six, she had to stay home to \_\_\_\_\_ her younger brother.  
 A. take after                      B. look after                      C. keep in                      D. take care                      16. ....
17. It's difficult to cross this street because there is too much \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. crowd                      B. people                      C. traffic                      D. transport                      17. ....
18. You should pay more \_\_\_\_\_ in class.  
 A. part                      B. care                      C. notice                      D. attention                      18. ....
19. The shirt looked beautiful. I tried it on but it didn't \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. fit                      B. match                      C. go with                      D. suit                      19. ....
20. Tom: "I think computers are useful."- John: "\_\_\_\_\_."  
 A. I'm not agree                      B. So do I                      C. I disagree too                      D. I do either                      20. ....

**II. Use the correct form of the given word to complete each of the following sentences (...pts.)**

1. My father has a \_\_\_\_\_ computer. He often brings it with him when he's away on business. **(port)**
2. We are all \_\_\_\_\_ about going on an excursion to Cuc Phuong forest next weekend. **(excite)**
3. Some of the children \_\_\_\_\_ boys, play marbles when there is a break. **(main)**
4. My mother is a safe \_\_\_\_\_. She cycles safely. **(cycle)**
5. Did they make a \_\_\_\_\_ not go to Italy for their vacation? **(decide)**

**III. Underline word or phrase that needs correcting in each of the following sentences and provide correction (...pts.)**

1. My brother doesn't like peas and he doesn't like carrots, too.                      1. ....  
 A                      B                      C                      D
2. Let's getting some of these vegetables, shall we?                      2. ....  
 A                      B                      C                      D
3. Many people prefer watching TV than reading books.                      3. ....  
 A                      B                      C                      D
4. Staying at home all day sounds boringly to me.                      4. ....  
 A                      B                      C                      D
5. I'd like to go out and playing with my friends.                      5. ....  
 A                      B                      C                      D
6. We usually help our mother about the housework in our free time.                      6. ....  
 A                      B                      C                      D
7. There is fewer work in the evening than there is in the morning.                      7. ....  
 A                      B                      C                      D
8. Mr Quang soon got used to travel to work by bicycle.                      8. ....  
 A                      B                      C                      D
9. The doctor says you should spend a small part of your free time to play video games.                      9. ....  
 A                      B                      C                      D
10. From at seven in the morning until four in the afternoon, Tuan works in the fields with his father.                      10. ....  
 A                      B                      C                      D

## PART C. READING

### I. Read the passage below and decide which option best fits each space (...pts.)

Your headache and you sneeze and cough. Your (0) \_\_\_\_\_ is all stuffed up, and it keeps running, so you have to blow it every few minutes. You know by these (1) \_\_\_\_\_ that you have a cold, and you feel completely (2) \_\_\_\_\_. You are not sure if you will live through the day.

Everyone suffers (3) \_\_\_\_\_ the common cold at some time or other. It isn't a serious (4) \_\_\_\_\_, but over a billion dollars a year is spent on different kinds of cold medicine every year. This medicine can relieve the symptoms. That is, it can make you cough (5) \_\_\_\_\_. Make your head intense, and stop your nose (6) \_\_\_\_\_ for a while. However, it can cure your cold. So far (7) \_\_\_\_\_ no cure for the common cold and no medicine to prevent it. (8) \_\_\_\_\_ there is no cure or preventive medicine for cold, people have all kinds of ideas about (9) \_\_\_\_\_ prevent and treat cold. Some people think that if you eat a lot of onions, you won't catch cold. (10) \_\_\_\_\_ say that you should avoid getting wet and chilled or you will catch cold. However, this is apparently not so.

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|-----|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 0.  | A. nose     | B. face     | C. head      | D. mouth     | 0.....A..... |
| 1.  | A. diseases | B. fevers   | C. cures     | D. symptoms  | 1.....       |
| 2.  | A. sad      | B. hungry   | C. miserable | D. thirsty   | 2.....       |
| 3.  | A. from     | B. of       | C. with      | D. about     | 3.....       |
| 4.  | A. misery   | B. illness  | C. headache  | D. wrong     | 4.....       |
| 5.  | A. less     | B. fewer    | C. much      | D. more      | 5.....       |
| 6.  | A. walking  | B. jogging  | C. running   | D. flowing   | 6.....       |
| 7.  | A. it is    | B. there is | C. they are  | D. there are | 7.....       |
| 8.  | A. Although | B. Despite  | C. In spite  | D. But       | 8.....       |
| 9.  | A. what     | B. why      | C. where     | D. how       | 9.....       |
| 10. | A. Other's  | B. Another  | C. Others    | D. Other     | 10.....      |

### II. Fill in each blank with ONE suitable word to complete the following passage (...pts.)

Books play a very important \_\_\_\_\_(1) in our life. It's true that every family \_\_\_\_\_(2) books. We can \_\_\_\_\_(3) books everywhere. We can \_\_\_\_\_(4) many things from books. Books \_\_\_\_\_(5) us in self-education and deciding \_\_\_\_\_(6) in life.

Today there are a lot of public \_\_\_\_\_(7) in our country and all people have the right to \_\_\_\_\_(8) them.

Each year hundreds of new books for \_\_\_\_\_(9) appear in Vietnam. The books are very \_\_\_\_\_(10) and children like reading them very much.

1. _____	2. _____	3. _____	4. _____	5. _____
6. _____	7. _____	8. _____	9. _____	10. _____

### III. Read the following passage and answer the questions (...pts.)

When people talk about Nha Trang, the biggest city in Khanh Hoa Province, they often think of a tropical paradise. Nha Trang is famous for seaside resort. It has long coastline with beautiful white sandy beaches.

In the morning and afternoon, tourists can take part in various fascinating outdoor activities such as mud bathing, swimming, snorkeling or scuba diving. Snorkeling and scuba diving are both interesting sports, as swimmers may swim underwater and admire the lives at the bottom of the sea. Beside tourists can also take boat trips to the islands. One of the most enjoyable trips is the trip to Mieu Island, where Tri Nguyen Aquarium was built in 1999. This aquarium is now home to different kinds of colorful fish and even a few sharks.

In addition, tourists can spend an evening visit a fishing village, where they could get a taste of the local seafood. There are crabs, shrimps, lobsters, clams, oysters and several other kinds of fish – all are fresh and delicious.

1. According to the passage, Nha Trang is famous for \_\_\_\_\_. 1.....



A. its fresh and delicious seafood.

C. its tropical climate.

2. Tourists can take part in some outdoor activities such as \_\_\_\_\_.

A. visiting Nha Trang Pasteur Institute.

C. visiting Tri Nguyen Aquarium.

3. At Tri Nguyen Aquarium, visitors can enjoy

A. watching a few sharks only.

C. watching sharks and various kinds of colorful fish.

4. At a fishing village, tourists can

A. get a taste of the local seafood.

C. catch the fish and cook them

5. Which of the following sentences is NOT true about Nha Trang according to the passage? 5.....

A. Nha Trang is a nice seaside resort.

C. Most tourists are interested in snorkelling.

B. seaside resorts

D. the friendliness of its people.

2.....

B. eating the local seafood.

D. scuba diving

3.....

B. swimming underwater and admiring the fish.

D. feeding the fish.

4.....

B. choose crabs, shrimps.

D. enjoy fishing.

#### PART D. WRITING

I. Complete the second sentence using the word given, so that it has a similar meaning to the first one (...pts.)

1. It took Mr Hoang half an hour to walk to work yesterday.

→Mr Hoang spent.....

2. What is the price of this pair of shoes?

→How much.....?

3. Mai is the youngest of the three girls.

→Mai is.....

4. Her sister cooks well.

→Her sister is.....

5. They think that learning English is not easy.

→They think that it.....

6. I like listening to music more than watching TV.

→I prefer.....

7. Lap is the most intelligent in his class

→No one.....

8. Can you tell me the width of the West Lake?

→Can you tell me how.....?

9. Walking is the most popular activity at my school.

→Other activities are.....

10. Mr. Thanh couldn't enjoy the meal because of the stomachache.

→The stomachache prevented.....

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