**PART A: USE OF ENGLISH (4.5 pts)**

**I/ Choose and circle the correct item (A,B,C or D) ( 2.5 pts)**

1. A balanced diet means you eat a variety of food without _____ too much anything.
   a. to eat             b. eat             c. ate             d. eating

2. She can't swim _____.
   a. I can neither      b. Neither can I      c. I can either      d. So can I

3. Kate's mom bought a new bicycle _____ her on her last birthday.
   a. to             b. for             c. on             d. at

4. Mary has _____ time than her sister.
   a. less             b. fewer             c. a little             d. most

5. He's _____. He'd like to go swimming now.
   a. cold             b. thirsty             c. hungry             d. hot

6. Minh's teacher wanted him _____ harder.
   a. study             b. studying             c. to study             d.studies

7. Tom _____ coffee better than milk.
   a. drinks             b. likes             c. can             d. should

8. You should eat plenty _____ cereals, fruit and vegetables because these contain a lot of vitamins.
   a. on             b. at             c. in             d. of

9. She spent the _____ afternoon doing her homework.
   a. all             b. most             c. whole             d. every

10. Why are you angry _____ me ?
    a. at             b. to             c. with             d. on

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

**II/ Complete the following sentences, using the correct tense of the verbs in the parentheses (1pt)**

1. He (go) _____ to the cinema last week.
2. Hoa (send) _____ a letter tomorrow.
3. At the moment they (play) _____ chess.
4. I often (get) _____ up early at 5 o'clock everyday.

**III/ Give the correct word forms: (1pt)**

1. My sister sings very _____!               [ beautiful ]
2. My brother plays tennis very _____.        [ good ]
3. He is very _____ of his father.            [ pride ]
4. _____ is the purspose of peoples in the world.   [ happy ]

**PART B: WRITING (3pts)**

**I/ Rewrite the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence (0.5pts)**

1/ Ronaldo plays soccer very well.
→ Ronaldo is _____.
2/ Let's go to the circus.
→ Why not _____?

**II/ Rearrange the words to make complete sentences (0.5pt)**

1. his / Peter / obey / should / parents / . /
   _____.
2. taxi / a / He / careless / driver / is / . /
   _____.

**III/ Make question for the underlined words (2 pts)**

1. **Hoa** received a letter from her mother yesterday.
   _____
2. He had a car accident **last week**.
   _____
3. I left home for school **at 6.30** yesterday.
   _____

4. I go to school **on foot**.
_____

## PART C: READING COMPREHENSION (2.5pts)
**I/ Read the passage and decide whether the statements that follow are True or False: (1.0pt)**

People all over the world eat rice. Millions of people in Asia, Africa, and South America eat it every day of their lives. Some people eat almost nothing but rice.

Rice is a kind of grass. There are more than 7,000 kinds of rice. Most kinds are water plants. Farmers grow rice in many countries, even in the southern part of the Soviet Union and in eastern Australia.

No one really knows where rice came from. Some scientists think it started to grow in two places. They think that one kind of rice grew in southern Asia thousands of years ago. Someone in China wrote about it almost 5,000 years ago. Another kind probably grew in West Africa. Other scientists think rice came from India, and Indian travelers took it to other parts of the world.

People use every part of the rice plant. They make animal feed and rice oil from it. They also make baskets, brooms, rugs, sandals, and roofs for their houses. They burn dry rice plants for cooking.

1. Thousands of people in Asia, Africa, and South America eat rice every day of their lives.
2. There are more than 7,000 kinds of rice.
3. People can't make animal feed and rice oil from every part of the rice plant.
4. No one really knows where rice came from.

Answers:
1. _____     2. _____     3. _____     4. _____

**II/ Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank in the following passage: (1.5pts)**

Can dolphins talk? (1)_____ they can't talk with words, but they talk with sounds. They show their feelings (2)_____ sounds.
Dolphins travel in a group. We call a group of fish a "school". They don't study, but they travel together. Dolphins are mammals, not fish, but they swim together in a school.
Dolphins talk to the other dolphins in the school. They give (3)_____. They tell when they are happy or sad or afraid. They say "welcome" when a dolphin comes back to the school. They talk when they play. They make a few sounds above water. They make (4)_____ more sounds under water. People can not hear these sounds because they are very, very high. Scientists make tapes of the sounds and study them. Sometimes people catch a dolphin (5)_____ a large aquarium. (An aquarium is a zoo for fish). People can watch the dolphins in a show. Dolphins don't like to be away from their school in an aquarium. They are sad and (6)_____.

1. A- Maybe          B- Because          C- Lately          D- Often
2. A- on             B- at               C- over           D- with
3. A- things         B- information      C- stories        D- gifts
4. A- much           B- many             C- also           D- too
5. A- in             B- at               C- for            D- with
6. A- lone           B- lonely           C- crow           D- crowded

## THE END OF THE TEST