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I. Complete the sentences with suitable subordinators from the box.

although - as soon as - because - before - so that - while

1. The children are very excited _____they're going to visit a craft village this weekend.

2. We will tell Alice about the trip _____ we meet her.

3 _____ . it rained a lot, they enjoyed their holiday.

4.I bought a new pair of glasses _____ I can see better.

5. _____ I go out tonight, I will have to finish this essay.

6. Phong burnt his hand _____ he was cooking dinner.

7. Laura always gets up early every morning _____ she's not late for her work.

8. Mr. Harrison seems to have a lot of money _____ he lives in a luxurious house.

9. _____ I was waiting for the bus, I saw some foreign tourists.

10. They didn't win the game _____they played very well.

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II. Complete each of the following sentences using the correct form of a phrasal verb from the box.

close down; come back; deal with; get up; keep up with; live on; look through; pass down; set off; turn down;

1. My sister is an early bird. She _____ at 7 o'clock every day of the week.

2. We'll _____for Tay Ho village at 9 o'clock and arrive at 10 o'clock.

3. When I was a student, I_____ small allowances from my parents.

4. The government must now _____ the preservation of traditional craft villages.

5. The banks have _____ a lot of branches in villages over the last few years.

6. Many foreign tourists decided to _____ to Viet Nam for another holiday.

7. They offered her a trip to Europe but she _____ it _____ .

8. He has _____ the report and found nothing interesting.

9. Phong walks too fast and it's really hard to _____him.

10. These traditional stories have been _____ from parents to children over many generations.

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VI. Use the conjunctions at the end of each group to connect the sentences.

1. My brother likes action films. He likes romantic comedies, (and)

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2. Vinh usually stays up late to watch soccer matches. He knows it isn't good for his health, (although)

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3. I'm not interested in soap operas. They are often long and boring, (because)

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4. Lan went to bed before the game show ended. She was tired and sleepy, (so)

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5. David loves wild animals. He never watches nature programs, (but)

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6. Many craft families stopped their business. There is the economic crisis in the world. (because)

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7. At the age of over 80, the artisan is instructing the craft to his grandchildren. He wants them to preserve this ancient craft. (so that)

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8. We do not have many handicraft products that are well-known abroad. There are thousands of craft trades nationwide. (though)

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9. The workers have taken several steps to whiten the palm leaves. They sew together the leaves and the rings. (after)

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10. Viet Nam began integrating into the international economy a few decades ago. Production in craft villages developed strongly, meeting demand for domestic decoration, and construction. (when)

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VII. Read the passage and fill in each blank with the correct form of the verbs from the box.

ought	however	shaping	materials	works
imported	blow	performing	fear	representing

Marble Mountains is a group of five smaller mountains (1)_____Metal, Wood, Water, Fire and Earth. It is also a travel itinerary linking Da Nang City to the ancient town of Hoi An and Hue City. As the name suggests the Marble Mountains used to be a place providing input (2)_____ for craftsmen in the village, but the local

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government banned marble exploitation (3)_____ that the five mountains could disappear.

Most of the marble for the village now comes from northern provinces such as Ninh Binh, Thanh Hoa and Thai Nguyen. As a further step to diversify products, the marble fine arts village has (4)_____ marble from Pakistan.

As far as I know, the man who (5)_____marble craftsmanship to the region came from Thanh Hoa, and most craftsmen in the village had handed down the craft from generation to generation. There are some 3,000 handicraft workers in Non Nuoc village. (6)_____, there are only 70 skillful craftsmen who can (7)_____ souls into marble sculptures after other workers have finished (8)_____ the Products.

In the shops along the highway, you can see different marble products in all shapes and sizes, from contemporary (9)_____ to religious sculptures. And of course you will have a chance to see craftsmen (10)_____their art and turning soulless marble into sophisticated sculpture products.

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