

## UNIT 3

## PEOPLE OF VIETNAM

### B. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

#### III. Choose the best expression in response to each sentence.

1. 'Is it true that Y Moan was the greatest pop singer of the Ede?' ' \_\_\_\_\_ ',  
a. Really?                      b. How beautiful!                      c. Come on!                      d. Exactly.
2. 'Look at this dish, Nick. It has five colours.' ' \_\_\_\_\_ ',  
a. How nice!                      b. What a shame!                      c. Sounds bad.                      d. Okay.
3. 'In some ethnic groups, women play the leading role in the family' ' \_\_\_\_\_ ',  
a. Well, of course.                      b. I don't think so.  
c. Wow, that's surprising!                      d. It's all right
4. 'After a 20 day homestay tom, I can use chopsticks, harvest rice, and cook some Vietnamese dish.' ' \_\_\_\_\_ ',  
a. Yeah, I'd like to.                      b. That's awesome!                      c. It's wrong.                      d. No problem.
5. 'The ethnic minorities are mainly concentrated in Northern Uplands and Central Highlands.' ' \_\_\_\_\_ ',  
a. Oh, I see.                      b. So far so good.                      c. How convenient!                      d. Almost certainly.
6. 'I have two tickets to a gong performance. Would you like to go?' ' \_\_\_\_\_ What time?'  
a. Sorry, I can't.                      b. Not very good.                      c. Yes, I'd like that.                      d. Never mind.
7. 'Let's go to the local open-air market' ' \_\_\_\_\_ ',  
a. Good idea.                      b. I'd love to.                      c. Not at all.                      d. Yes, of course.
8. 'Tomorrow we will go to Coc Ly market. You can buy lots of handmade items there.'  
' \_\_\_\_\_ ',  
a. What a pity!                      b. How interesting                      c. How thoughtful!                      d. Well done.

#### IV. Complete each sentence with a suitable question word.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ ethnic group has larger population, Cho Ro or Chu Ru? – ChoRo.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ groups of languages do all ethnic groups speak? – Eightgroups.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ is the biggest house in the village? – It'sthe communal house.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ arts are displayed in a museum in Da Nang city? – TheCham's.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ do the San Diu mainly live? – InQuang Ninh province.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ do the Thai hold ceremonies to worship their ancestors? – Everyyear.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ is the village chief of the Phu La? – Theoldest man.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ is it from here, to the communal house? – Justabout one kilometre.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ is "khan pieu"? – It's a shawl with colorful embroidery.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ do they cook five coloured sticky rice? – Onspecial occasions.

**V. Change each sentence into a question using the question words in brackets.**

1. The girl with a shawl on her head is a member of the Thai. (who)

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2. The Khmer have three main festivals in a year. (how many)

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3. Odu is the smallest ethnic group in Vietnam. (which)

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4. Ok Om Bok Festival is the biggest festival of Khmer people. (what)

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5. We can find terraced fields in the northern mountainous regions. (where)

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6. Bom Bo village is about 200 kilometres from Ho Chi Minh city. (how far)

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7. They built their houses on stilts to prevent flooding from tides or storms. (why)

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8. The population of the Tay ethnic group is about 1.7 million. (what)

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9. The Tay have lived in Vietnam for thousands of years. (how long)

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10. The M'ngong mainly live in Dak Lak province. (where)

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