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ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEST

Class: .....

Time: 15 minutes

## I. READING

### 1. Read the following folk tale. Circle A, B or C to answer each question.

#### A Stack of Gold for Starfruit

There were two brothers living in this village. Their parents died, leaving them a fortune, but the elder brother was greedy. He claimed all the fortune and left the younger brother only a starfruit tree. Luckily, the tree gave him a lot of fruits. But when the fruits were ripe, a giant raven came and ate them every day. The younger brother begged to the raven, "Please don't eat the fruits. If you eat **them**, my family will starve." So the raven responded, "Don't worry, for each fruit I eat, I'll pay you with gold."

One day, the raven took the man to a secret island, which was full of gold. He filled a small bag. Then the raven took him home, and he became well-off. Seeing that, the elder brother wanted the gold too. He **traded** all of his fortune for the fruit tree.

The raven also took the elder brother to the island. He brought a very big sack and filled it with gold. The raven got tired on his way back; it got angry and dropped the man into the sea.

1. What did the elder brother do?

- A. shared the wealth equally with his younger brother
- B. took everything their parents left them
- C. gave the younger brother very little of what their parents left

2. What does the word “them” in the passage refer to?

- A. the brothers
- B. the fruits
- C. the raven

3. What does the word “trade” in the passage mean?

- A. exchanged
- B. changed
- C. turned

4. Why did the raven get tired?

- A. Because he had to fly to the island twice.
- B. Because the elder brother took too much gold.
- C. Because the elder brother was too heavy.

5. What could be the message of this fairy tale?

- A. You should share your wealth with the less fortunate.
- B. You should treat your family kindly.
- C. You will have to pay a dear price for greediness.

**2. Read the passage. Complete each sentence with no more than THREE words.**

The recent announcement from the Viet Nam government has claimed that Formosa – a Taiwan steel corporation based in Ha Tinh – was responsible for the mass fish deaths in central Vietnamese provinces in April and May 2016. According to this announcement, Formosa has discharged a significant amount of industrial waste, containing lots of harmful chemicals, into the ocean. This seriously polluted the water and killed the fish. The officials of the company, in a national correspondence meeting, apologized the Vietnamese people with a bow. Formosa would pay \$500 million to treat the oceanic pollution and to compensate for \_\_\_\_\_ economic losses of the region. However, according to environmentalists, it will take a long time for the ecosystem of the central Viet Nam to fully recover. In the mean time, local tourism and fishing industries have already been negatively affected. Due to the fear of polluted water and seafood, many tourists have cancelled their pre-booked tours to Ha Tinh, and fishermen haven't been able to sell their fish to customers.

1E. Formosa caused \_\_\_\_\_ fish deaths in Ha Tinh province.

2M. The polluted water had many \_\_\_\_\_ and was dumped directly into the ocean.

3M. The company promised to pay \$500 million to treat the \_\_\_\_\_ and to make up for

economic losses.

4D. \_\_\_\_\_ say that the polluted ocean will not restore its previous state very soon.

5D. The incident has made tourists cancel their \_\_\_\_\_ to Ha Tinh.

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