

UNIT 8 – PART 2

VII. Choose the word or phrase among A, B, C, or D that best fits the blank space in the following passage.

Maple Tree

Trees have (1) a meaningful role in the (2) development of Canada and continue to be of commercial, environmental and aesthetic importance to all Canadians. Maples contribute valuable wood products, keep the maple sugar (3) alive and have to beautify the landscape.

Since 1965 the maple leaf (4) the most important feature of the National Flag of Canada and the Maple tree with the leaves has become the most well-known Canadian (5) and nationally and internationally. Maple leaf pins and badges are proudly (6) by Canadians abroad, and are recognised around the world. (7) the maple leaf is closely associated with Canada, the maple tree was never officially recognized (8) Canada's emblem until 1966.

1. A. taken	B. given	C. done	D. played
2. A. history	B. historical	C. historic	D. historian
3. A. industry	B. industries	C. industrial	D. industrially
4. A. was	B. have been	C. has been	D. is
5. A. sign	B. symbol	C. tree	D. leaf
6. A. wear	B. wore	C. worn	D. to be worn
7. A. Because	B. So	C. But	D. Although
8. A. of	B. with	C. as	D. for

VIII. Read the passage and then decide whether the statements are true or false

The Kiwi

The kiwi lives only in New Zealand. It is a very strange bird because it cannot fly. The kiwi is the same size as a chicken. It has no wings or tail. It does not have any feathers like other birds.

A kiwi likes a lot of trees around it. It sleeps during the day because the sunlight hurts its eyes. It can smell things with its nose. It is the only bird in the world that can smell things. The kiwi's eggs are very big.

There are only a few kiwis in New Zealand now. New Zealanders want their kiwis to live. There is a picture of a kiwi on New Zealand money. People from New Zealand are sometimes call kiwis.

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1. Kiwis live in Australia and New Zealand.
2. A kiwi has a tail but no wings.
3. It sleeps during the day because light hurts its eyes.
4. People in New Zealand do not want on the kiwis to die.
5. The kiwi is a strange New Zealand bird.

IX. Choose the item among A, B, C or D that best answer the questions about the passage.

The Hopi of Arizona

The Hopi live in the northwestern part of Arizona in the United States. With modern things all around them, the Hopi keep their traditions.

There are about 10,000 Hopi and they live in twelve villages in the desert. The weather is very hot in summer, but in winter it freezes. The wind blows hard. Farming is difficult. Corn is the Hopi's main food, but they plant vegetables, too. They raise sheep, goats, and

cattle. They also eat hamburgers, ice cream and drink soft drinks. They live in traditional stone houses, but many of them have the telephones, radios, and television. They have horses, but they have trucks too.

Kachinas are an important part of the Hopi religion. Kachinas are spirits of dead people, of rocks, plants, and animals, and of the stars. Men dress as kachinas and do religious dances. People also some make wooden kachinas. No two wooden kachinas are ever alike.

The children attend school, and they also learn the Hopi language, dances, and stories. The Hopi want a comfortable, modern life, but they don't want to lose their traditions.

1. The hopi

- A. want modern things instead of traditional ones
- B. want traditional things instead of modern ones
- C. don't want to remember their traditions
- D. want both modern and condition things

2. Winters in this part of Arizona are

- A. hot
- B. warm
- C. cool
- D. cold

3. The main Hopi food is

- A. corn
- B. hamburgers
- C. beef
- D. vegetables

4. Kachinas are

- A. men
- B. something to eat
- C. animals
- D. spirits

5. The Hopi don't want to their traditions.

- A. lose
- B. hit
- C. remember
- D. learn

6. The main idea of the passage is

- A. the Hopi raise cops and animals in the Arizona desert.
- B. kachinas are spirits of the things around the Hopi.

- C. the Hopi keep their traditions even with modern life all around them
- D. the Hopi want a comfortable, modern life

X. Make up sentences using the words and phrases given.

1. enormous/ The/ USA/ than/ is/ an/ European/ country/ more/ times/ the /size/ two/ of/ the/ Union/. /,

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2. The/ land/ USA/ is/ a/ the/ hottest/ and/ of/ both/ extreme/ It/ is/ one/ of/ places/ in/ coldest/ the/ world/. / .

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3. on/ About/ population/ half/ of/ the/ events/ Australia/ Australia's/ fantastic/ go/ to/ one/ of /Day/.

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4. half / The/ other/ of/ Australia's/ celebrate/ home/ on/ the/ the/ Australian/ population/ Day/ at/ beach/ their/ family / or/ with/ and/ friends/ .

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5. and/ they/ the/ Year / barbecues/ Award/ watch/ the/ Australian/ of/ They/ have/ on/ television/.

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XI. Use the words given and other words, complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Do not change the word given. (Use 2 - 5 words in total.)

Example: My house has a small garden.

is There **is a small garden in** my house

1. We have never been to Alaska before.

ever It's the first time we to Alaska.

2. Tom plans to open another restaurant in Manchester next month.

is Tom is restaurant in Manchester next month.

3. The last time Phong visited Tasmania was five years ago.

visited Phong five years.

4. The early train is scheduled to arrive in London at 10 o'clock.

arrives The early train at 10 o'clock.

5. It is the most beautiful waterfall I have ever seen.

such I beautiful waterfall.

XII. Use the following information to write a passage of 100 - 120 words about Canada.

- Location: Northern part of north America
- Second largest country in the world
- 10 provinces, three territories
- Area: 9,984,670km²; population: 35 million people
- Language: English, French
- One of the richest countries; among highest leaving standard countries
- Capital city: Ottawa; biggest town: Toronto
- National sport: Ice-hockey; many beautiful landmarks
- Geography: longest river: Mckenzie; tallest mountain: Mount Logan; largest lake: Bear Lake

