

TEST YOURSELF 3

I. Choose the word that has underlined part pronounced differently from the rest.

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| 1. a. <u>transport</u> | b. <u>animat<u>ion</u></u> | c. <u>famou<u>s</u></u> | d. <u>parad<u>e</u></u> |
| 2. a. <u>contributed</u> | b. <u>hated</u> | c. <u>provided</u> | d. <u>used</u> |
| 3. a. <u>festive</u> | b. <u>reverse</u> | c. <u>record</u> | d. <u>entertain</u> |
| 4. a. <u>laws</u> | b. <u>vehicles</u> | c. <u>events</u> | d. <u>films</u> |
| 5. a. <u>license</u> | b. <u>culture</u> | c. <u>accident</u> | d. <u>celebrate</u> |

II. Choose the word that has different stress pattern.

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| 1. a. <u>cartoon</u> | b. <u>actress</u> | c. <u>among</u> | d. <u>obey</u> |
| 2. a. <u>dancer</u> | b. <u>fasten</u> | c. <u>joyful</u> | d. <u>award</u> |
| 3. a. <u>performance</u> | b. <u>animation</u> | c. <u>documentary</u> | d. <u>entertaining</u> |

4. a. embarrassing b. traditional c. superstitious d. hilarious
5. a. seasonal b. romantic c. interested d. favourite

III. Fill in each blank with a word or phrase from the box.

no cycling seasonal festival science fiction school ahead
traffic jam special effects traditional costume bad review

- When you see a “_____” sign, you must slow down and watch for children.
- I enjoy watching _____ films about aliens from space.
- The dancers in the festival wore _____.
- Look! There is a “_____” sign. You can't ride your bike here.
- The film got a really _____ in the newspaper.
- We were stuck in a _____ for over two hours yesterday afternoon.
- They use computers to create all the _____ these days.
- La Tomatina is a _____ to celebrate the tomato harvest.

IV. Choose the best answer a, b, c or d to complete the sentences.

- New Year's Eve, many people go to Times Square to watch the ball drop.
a. At b. On c. In d. By
- As far as I know, this film is _____ a true story of Oskar Schindler.
a. set in b. based on c. come out d. taken over
- You should walk across the street at the _____.
a. road sign b. traffic lights c. parking area d. zebra crossing
- Thousands of people have _____ for an annual cheese-chasing competition on Cooper's Hill.
a. gathered b. watched c. participated d. appeared
- Paris is becoming a livable city ____ there are many bike-only and pedestrian-only streets.
a. although b. because c. however d. whereas
- Although the film was _____, Jack fell asleep in the middle.
a. violent b. boring c. gripping d. frightening
- The Samba Parade is a _____ for all who have journeyed to Rio for Carnival.
a. must-see b. sight c. scene d. visual
- People don't do this to celebrate anything, they just do it _____.
a. at once b. on purpose c. by chance d. for fun
- You _____ like horror films! When did you start watching them?
a. used to b. didn't use to c. don't use to d. get used to
- 'Would you like to go to the cinema this weekend?' ‘_____’
a. I don't care. b. OK. You did it! c. Great! I can't wait. d. Sorry! I don't like.

V. Write the correct form or tense of the verbs in brackets.

1. Come out for a drink. ~ No, I _____ (miss) the film on TV if I do.
2. Every year thousands of people _____ (visit) Buñol in Spain to take part in La Tomatina.
3. When I was in England I _____ (go) to Glastonbury Festival almost every year.
4. Look! The dancers _____ (perform) traditional Spanish dances.
5. Jane _____ (not drive) a car since she had a car accident.
6. In 2017, Y Not Festival _____ (cancel) due to heavy rain.
7. _____ (you/ go) to the Rock In Rio festival tomorrow?
8. 'Let's _____ (see) a romantic comedy tonight.' 'OK. Why not?'
9. In the morning of the festival, many people tried _____ (climb) up the pole to get the ham.
10. After one hour, people stopped _____ (throw) tomatoes and tried tomato Paella.

VI. Supply the correct form of the words in brackets.

1. _____ from all around the world display their ice artwork at Snow & Ice Festival. (art)
2. He has such an _____ lifestyle – smoking, drinking, eating too much. (health)
3. The films provide great _____ value for kids. (entertain)
4. The film I saw last night was so _____ that I couldn't sleep all night. (scare)
5. Lots of students are _____ by English grammar. It really is so ____ ! (confuse)
6. Is it _____ to drive through a red traffic light? (legal)
7. Annette's _____ as Eliza Doolittle in "Pygmalion" was truly memorable. (perform)
8. People flew down streets to join in _____ activities on New Year's Eve. (celebrate)

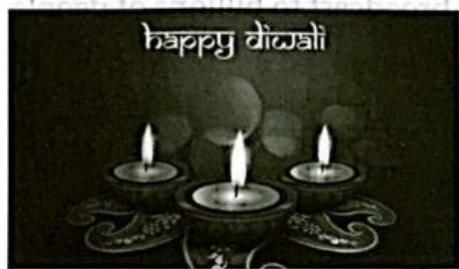
VII. There is one mistake in each sentence. Find and correct it.

1. The bands parade through the streets, play traditional samba music.
2. Buñol is the town which La Tomatina is held on the last Wednesday of August.
3. Thanksgiving is a season holiday held to give thanks to God for successful harvests.
4. Glastonbury Festival is a five-days music festival that takes place in Somerset, England.
5. Mai uses to go to school on foot, but now her father drives her to school.
6. It about 3 kilometres from my house to the nearest bus stop.
7. Despite of the good directing and good acting, the movie was very boring.
8. How much does it take you to walk to school? ~ About 15 minutes.

VIII. Match the questions to the answers.

1. Which do you prefer, Burning Man or Rock in Rio? a. I took a bus, sometimes I drove.
2. Where is Snow & Ice Festival held? b. The last weekend in June.
3. Who plays the artist in *Titanic*? c. To reduce traffic congestion and air pollution.
4. What type of film is *The Sixth Sense*? d. In Harbin, China.
5. Why should we use public transport? e. Every year, on the 15th day of the eighth lunar month.
6. How did you use to travel to work? f. I like Rock in Rio better.
7. When can I attend Glastonbury Festival? g. Thriller
8. How often is the Mid-Autumn Festival celebrated? h. Leonardo DiCaprio

IX. Choose the correct answers to complete the passage.



My name is Sageetha. I live in Mumbai, India. I am very (1) _____ because tomorrow it will be the beginning of the Diwali festival. (2) _____ Diwali is a Hindu festival. It is usually celebrated October or November. We have been getting ready for Diwali for weeks now. My mother and I made special candles, called Diya, which we will (3) _____ through Diwali. Diwali is a festival of lights, and everybody decorates with Diya, candles, oil lamps, electric lights, sparklers... (4) _____ that makes light. Every night of Diwali we have fireworks to light up the sky and make (5) _____ everybody is having a fun time.

Another part of getting ready for Diwali is cleaning. The whole home has to be clean, and then on the first day of Diwali we make Rangoli. Rangoli are special (6) _____ created on the floor or the ground outside of the house. My mother and I made wreaths of mangoes, which we will (7) _____ around the doorway. We have new clothes for Diwali. This year I got a beautiful pink and yellow (8) _____ that I can't wait to wear.

1. a. excite b. exciting c. excited d. excitement
2. 2. a. on b. in c. at d. between
3. 3. a. light b. blow c. fire d. start
4. 4. a. things b. anything c. anybody d. nothing
5. 5. a. sure b. good c. free d. way
6. 6. a. parades b. occasions c. traditions d. decorations
7. 7. a. throw b. take c. hang d. fall
8. 8. a. hanbok b. sari c. kimono d. ao dai

X. Read the passage carefully, then do the tasks.

The Academy Awards, commonly called the Oscars, are thought to be the most prestigious film awards in the world. The Academy Awards ceremony takes place late February every year to honor the best achievements in filmmaking from the previous year.

Some top categories of Academy Awards are Best Actor/Actress in a Leading Role, Best Actor/Actress in a Supporting Role, Best Picture, Best Director, Best Costume Design, Best Music, Best Visual Effects, and Best Animated Feature Film. The various category winners are awarded a copy of a golden statuette called an Oscar. The Oscar statuette is made of gold-plated bronze on a black metal base. It is 34.3cm tall and weighs almost 4kg. It depicts a knight holding a crusader's sword, standing on a reel of film with five spokes. The five spokes represent the original branches of the Academy: Actors, Writers, Directors, Producers, and Technicians.

The Academy Awards ceremony was first held on 16 May, 1929 at the Hollywood Roosevelt Hotel, but it was first broadcast on radio in 1930 and televised for the first time in 1953. It is now seen live in more than 200 countries and broadcast to billions of people on the Internet!

A. Match the words to their definitions.

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| 1. achievement | a. to show an image of somebody/something |
| 2. statuette | b. bars or rods that connect the centre of a wheel to its edge |
| 3. depict | c. a small statue |
| 4. reel | d. to broadcast something on television |
| 5. spokes | e. success gained by effort and hard work |
| 6. televise | f. a round object that you wind film, string or wire around |

B. Decide whether the following statements are true (T) or false (F).

1. The Academy Awards occur every late February.
2. The Academy Awards recognize the best achievements in filmmaking.
3. The 1st Academy Awards ceremony was held in 1929 and was broadcast on the Internet.
4. For the first time, the awards were presented in Hollywood.
5. The winners of the Academy Awards are given a statuette made of gold.
6. The Oscar statuette is a woman standing on a reel of film gripping a crusader's sword.
7. Nowadays, billions of people watch the Academy Awards each year.

XI. Complete the second sentence so that it has the same meaning as the first one.

1. They celebrate Christmas on 25th December every year.

Christmas _____

2. What is the distance between your house and the nearest supermarket?

How _____

3. It is prohibited to cross the road until the light goes green.

You must _____

4. We haven't attended a music festival for two years.

The last time _____

5. Susan went to work yesterday in spite of her sickness.

Although Susan _____

6. My favourite genre of films are romantic comedies.

I _____

7. The film wasn't as good as I thought it would be.

The film was _____

8. I get to school in half an hour.

It _____

9. Mai went to school on foot when she was in primary school.

Mai used _____

10. She found the last scene of film extremely frightening.

She was _____