

SECOND TERM TEST 2

Time allotted: 60 min.

I. Decide the word which has different sound in the part underlined

1. A. shoulder B. shout C. mountain D. mouse
2. A. charity B. character C. channel D. exchange
3. A. adventure B. national C. athlete D. landmark
4. A. awarded B. added C. designed D. polluted
5. A. invitation B. continent C. determine D. microwave

II. Put the verbs in brackets in their correct form.

1. "You have just missed the last bus."
"Never mind, I (walk) _____."
2. Look! The people over there (stand) _____. in a queue (wait) _____ for their turn to buy cinema tickets.
3. All our beautiful forests (disappear) _____ if we do nothing to preserve them.
4. Of course I (understand) _____. I only (think) _____ how I can best help you.
5. They still (work) _____. They (not finish) _____. Please come back this afternoon.
6. My grandparents often think of all the things they (do) _____ when they (be) _____ young.

III. Complete the following conversation.

- Nga: (1) enjoy your holiday?
Lan: Yes, thanks. It was wonderful.
Nga: Where (2)?
Lan: To Bana Hills, in Da Nang.
Nga: Who (3)?
Lan: My family, and some relatives.
Nga: What (4)?
Lan: It was sunny, but cool and windy every day.
Nga: (5) next summer?
Lan: Yes, if I can find the time. Would you like to go too?
Nga: I'll think about it. Thank you.

IV. Use the correct form of the words given to complete the sentences.

1. If you do not see the doctor, your condition will only get (bad) _____.
2. Practising 3Rs is of great (important) _____ to all of us.
3. Berlin is one of the most (excite) _____ cities in Europe.

4. Reading books can widen your (know) _____ of this wonderful world.
5. During his (child) _____, his family lived in Kien Giang province.
6. Linh's (shy) _____ made it hard for her to speak in public.
7. Television is one of the cheapest and most popular forms of (entertain) _____.
8. Lake Baikal in Russia is the (old) _____ and (deep) _____ lake in the world.
9. If you want to have a (health) _____ body, you should play sports.

V. Choose the correct answer A, B, C or D for each gap in the following passage. (1 p)

A studies carried out by an international organization shows that our cities are getting much (1) _____. Indeed, apart from the discomfort, noise causes stress and makes blood pressure rise. As a result, it is hard for many people (2) _____ in cities to carry on with their everyday lives.

Noise levels in the cities are built up by industry, planes and (3) _____. According to experts, even concerts have very high noise levels and can cause deafness. Therefore, organizers of concerts (4) _____: "Bring along your earplugs!"

To overcome the long-term effects of noise on your health, many doctors advise on yoga and meditation, which help bring back (5) _____ memories of quiet, peaceful times.

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| 1. A. noise | B. noisy | C. noisily | D. noisier |
| 2. A. living | B. working | C. studying | D. staying |
| 3. A. transport | B. travelling | C. traffic | D. going |
| 4. A. pronounce | B. advise | C. voice | D. speak |
| 5. A. pleasant | B. easy | C. lively | D. old |

VI. Read the text and answer the questions that follow.

How the May Day holiday began in England

Many hundred years ago there were many villages and few towns in England. The villagers liked to go into the forests and the fields when spring came. On the first Sunday of May they usually took a tree back with them and put it in the centre of the village. The children danced round it and the men and the women took part in games around it.

Since then, May Day has been a traditional day of festivities in England. Perhaps the most significant of the traditions is the Maypole, around which traditional dancers circle with ribbons. Then in 1978 the May Day bank holiday began. It is a public holiday, on the first Monday in May.

May Day is still celebrated in many villages with the crowning of the May Queen. The gentlemen of the village may also be found celebrating with Jack-in-the-Green; and the image of the Green Man can be found on the signs of pubs across the country.

1. In which season did the villagers like to go into the forests and the fields?

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2. Where did people put the tree?

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3. What did the children do round the tree?

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4. When is the May Day bank holiday celebrated in England?

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5. Where can you find the image of Green Man?

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VII. One of the four underlined parts A, B, C, and D in each sentence contains an error. Define them.

(1 p)

1. You will know many important information when you watch this TV programme.

A

B

C

D

2. I was amazing to see many strange animals in London zoo.

A

B

C

D

3. At first, everything in Ho Chi Minh City was new for me and my friends.

A

B

C

D

4. Some people play sport as amateurs because they love the game and don't

A

B

C

D

want to do money from it.

D

5. The climate here is more milder than that of Dien Bien.

A

B

C

D

VIII. Rewrite the sentences, so that their meaning stays the same, using the beginning given for each.

1. Mike isn't so interested in music as his sister is.

Mike's sister

2. Kien is 1.75 metres tall. Cuong is 1.65 metres tall.

Cuong is

3. What is the distance from the Earth to the Moon?

How

4. Despite his injury, he continued to play for the team.

Although

5. They know more about how robots work than we do.

We don't