

**Test 23**

**I. Complete the passage with the words given in the box. There is ONE extra word. (1,5 points)**

are    romantic    coastline    weather    with    spicy    roman

After only 50 minute flying from Ho Chi Minh City, you will set foot on the tropical paradise of Vietnam and the world: Phu Quoc Island.

The island has a roughly triangular shape with a north-south length of 50km and a west-east width of 25km. A great part of the terrain is filled (1)\_\_\_\_\_ beautiful sandy beaches, but there is a mountainous region with 99 peaks, among which the Peak of Chua Mountain is the tallest one at 603 meters. Due to Phu Quoc's location in the Gulf of Thailand, its climate is sub-equatorial with a temperate (2)\_\_\_\_\_ all year round, making trips to Phu Quoc possible any time in the year. However, the best time to travel to this island is during the dry season, from November until March, when the sky is blue and clear and the rains (3)\_\_\_\_\_ away.

Phu Quoc is most famous for its the cuisines and a natural wonderful(4)\_\_\_\_\_. The most famous food of Phu Quoc is fish sauce, which has become quite popular all over Vietnam and the world. Besides, another thing worth trying there is the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ and interesting black pepper. However, the factor that will definitely intrigue you to visit Phu Quoc is its untouched coastline featuring several heavenly beaches. They have yet to be explored to their full ability, but this fact might be actually positive as it gives the shores a (6)\_\_\_\_\_ beauty that you can find in nowhere else in the world.

**II . Read the passage and do the following tasks. (2,0 points)**

In the 1970s, skateboarding suddenly became very popular. At first, skateboarders moved slowly on flat, smooth areas. Then they began to ride quickly. This is called 'freestyle' skateboarding. Soon they were skateboarding skillfully up ramps and doing tricks in the air. This is called 'ramp' skateboarding. Then they started skateboarding and doing tricks on the street. This was 'street-style' skateboarding – a combination of freestyle and ramp. For this, the skateboarders needed protective clothing such as knee and elbow pads and helmets. This allowed them to skateboard safely.

Today skateboarding is still a very popular sport, and there are lots of competitions.

**\*Complete the answers with information from the passage. WRITE NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS.**

1. When did skateboarding become very popular?

→ Skateboarding suddenly became very popular \_\_\_\_\_.

2. What are the three styles of skateboarding?

→ They are 'freestyle', 'ramp' and \_\_\_\_\_ skateboarding.

**\*Write full answers to the questions.**

3. What was 'street-style' skateboarding?

→ \_\_\_\_\_

4. Why do 'street-style' skateboarders need protective clothing?

→ \_\_\_\_\_.

**III. Put each verb in the correct form or tense. (1,5 points)**

1. We promise we (come).....soon.
2. The video film is so interesting that I can (see).....it twice.
3. He is ashamed of (steal) ..... that money.
4. It is the first time I (meet).....him here.
5. I (lose).....my key 2 days ago.
6. The lesson ..... (start) at 9 o'clock every morning

**IV. Complete each sentence with one suitable preposition or connective given in the box. There is ONE extra word. (1,25 points)**

and    on    for    in    so    therefore
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1. I enjoy watching TV..... listening to music.
2. My birthday is ..... January 1<sup>st</sup>.
3. We have been waiting ..... twenty minutes.
4. It sometimes rains .....Autumn.
5. It was very dark,.....I turn on the lights.

**V. Use the correct form of the word given in each sentence. (0,75 point)**

1. What a ..... T- shirt ! (color)
2. ....,the Ao dai was frequently worn by both men and women. (tradition)
3. What is your .....type of clothing? (favor)

**VI. Rewrite the following sentences as directed. (2,0 points)**

1. Here's the alarm clock. I bought it yesterday.  
→ Here is the alarm clock \_\_\_\_\_
2. I suggested that we should invite Peter to the party  
→ Why don't we \_\_\_\_\_
3. People know Ha Long Bay as one of the most beautiful places in Vietnam.  
→ Ha Long Bay \_\_\_\_\_
4. I am very tired so I can't finish my work.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_ if \_\_\_\_\_
5. I would like to have an electric bike.  
→ I wish \_\_\_\_\_
6. She may go by bike. She is happy.  
→ She \_\_\_\_\_

**VII. Make meaningful sentences from the words or phrases given. (1,0 point)**

1. Passover/ be/ one/ the / important celebrations/ Jewish people  
→ .....

2. The bus which I take/ school every morning /be/ always crowd/.

→ .....

3. Even though/ it/ rain/ heavy/ go/school/ yeststerday.

→ .....

4. Lan/ be/ sick/ today / so/ can/ not/ go/ school.

→ .....

