

## UNIT 8 Lesson 2

# Traditions of Ethnic Groups in Vietnam



## LESSON SUMMARY

### Vocabulary



Word/Phrase	Meaning	Example
<b>blouse</b> (n) /blaʊs/	a shirt for a woman or girl	A <i>Tày Khao</i> woman often wears a <b>blouse</b> in white.
<b>apron</b> (n) /'eɪprən/	a piece of clothing worn to keep clothes from getting dirty when cooking	My mom always wears an <b>apron</b> when cooking.
<b>sticky rice</b> (n) /,'stɪki 'raɪs/	a type of rice grown especially in South-East Asia, which is sticky when cooked	I often have <b>sticky rice</b> for breakfast.
<b>steamed</b> (adj) /sti:md/	being cooked with hot gas from boiling water	<b>Steamed</b> food is good for health because it contains little fat.
<b>utensil</b> (n) /ju:'tensəl/	a tool that you use when you are cooking	A wok is a good <b>utensil</b> for stir-frying.
<b>corn</b> (n) /kɔ:rn/	a tall plant with yellow hard seeds that people can cook as a vegetable or make flour from	On the way back to my hometown, I can see huge fields of <b>corn</b> .

### Grammar

#### Reported speech for questions

We use **reported speech** to say or repeat questions someone asked before the time of speaking. To change the questions to reported speech, we

- use reporting verbs such as *ask*, *wonder*, etc.
- keep the question word (*who*, *what*, *where*, etc.) in a Wh- question.  
Ben asked, "What do the *H'Mông* people do for a living?"  
⇒ Ben asked **what** the *H'Mông* people did for a living.
- use *if/whether* when reporting Yes-No questions.  
Ben asked, "Does your family celebrate the New Year?"  
⇒ Ben asked **if/whether** my family celebrated the New Year.

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### Pronunciation

Pronouncing /ou/ and /aʊ/



/ou/

- cold /kəʊld/
- sold /səʊld/
- hold /həʊld/
- know /nəʊ/
- blow /bləʊ/
- shoulder /'ʃəʊldər/

/aʊ/

- cow /kaʊ/
- owl /əʊl/
- town /taʊn/
- out /aʊt/
- blouse /blaʊs/
- ground /graʊnd/

## PRACTICE



### Pronunciation

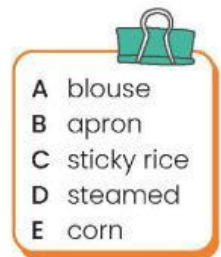
Circle the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the others.

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|-------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| 1 A <u>h</u> ow   | B <u>b</u> ow    | C <u>w</u> ow    | D <u>f</u> ow      |
| 2 A <u>d</u> own  | B <u>sh</u> ow   | C <u>l</u> ow    | D <u>s</u> now     |
| 3 A <u>h</u> ouse | B <u>ar</u> ound | C <u>s</u> ound  | D <u>sh</u> oulder |
| 4 A <u>f</u> oul  | B <u>d</u> oubt  | C <u>th</u> ough | D <u>p</u> ound    |
| 5 A <u>f</u> ound | B <u>d</u> ough  | C <u>g</u> round | D <u>c</u> ount    |

### Vocabulary

a. Match the words or phrases in the box with their definitions/descriptions.

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|---|-------|---------------|
| 1 This is a type of clothing for women only.                              | _____ | A blouse      |
| 2 You wear this to keep you clean when cooking.                           | _____ | B apron       |
| 3 You can cook and eat this type of plant as a vegetable.                 | _____ | C sticky rice |
| 4 This means being cooked with hot air from boiling water.                | _____ | D steamed     |
| 5 This type of food is very popular in some southeastern Asian countries. | _____ | E corn        |



b. Complete the sentences using the words in Exercise a.

- My sister's favorite outfit for school is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ and a pair of jeans.
- She's on a diet, so she just has \_\_\_\_\_ vegetables.
- In my hometown, people often have \_\_\_\_\_ for a quick and cheap breakfast.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is a very important type of food for humans.
- My mom likes wearing a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ when she does the cooking.

### Grammar

a. Circle ONE mistake in each sentence.

- I asked how the *Khmer* celebrate their New Year.  
A B C D
- She asked why did they held the ceremony every year.  
A B C D
- The students asked what the *Pu Péo* are famous for.  
A B C D
- She asked did the *Kinh* usually wore áo dài.  
A B C D
- He said that the embroidery on the cloth is beautiful.  
A B C D



b. Circle the best options.

- "Do you make any crafts?" Kim asked them.  
A She asked if they make any crafts.  
B She asked if they made any crafts.  
C She asked whether they make any crafts.  
D She asked whether did they make any crafts.

- 7 "When do you eat dinner at your house?" she asked Tom and Jane.
  - A She asked when she eats dinner at her house.
  - B She asked when he eats dinner at his house.
  - C She asked when they ate dinner at their house.
  - D She asked if they ate dinner at their house.
- 8 "What are your traditional clothes like, Mary?" asked Andy.
  - A He asked what her traditional clothes were like.
  - B He asked what his traditional clothes are like.
  - C He asked what were her traditional clothes like.
  - D He asked what were his traditional clothes like.
- 9 "How do you celebrate the New Year?" asked Anna.
  - A She asked how do they celebrate the New Year.
  - B She asked how did they celebrate the New Year.
  - C She asked how they celebrate the New Year.
  - D She asked how they celebrated the New Year.
- 10 "Do you have any folk tales?" asked Ben.
  - A He asked if they did have any folk tales.
  - B He asked if did they have any folk tales.
  - C He asked whether they had any folk tales.
  - D He asked whether they have any folk tales.



## Listening

a. Listen to Anna and Paul. Answer each question with NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS.

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- 1 Who did Anna interview? \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Where is her hometown? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 What are her traditional clothes like? \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 What crafts do the villagers make? \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 What was her job in the past? \_\_\_\_\_

b. Listen to Kate talking about her trip to Tả Phìn Village. Circle the best options.

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- 6 When did she visit the village?
 

A in 2009	B in 2019	C in July 2009	D in July 2019
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- 7 What was the teenage girl like?
 

A cold	B friendly	C unfriendly	D active
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- 8 What are the traditional clothing for the Red Dao men like?
 

A all red	B mostly red	C mostly black	D very colorful
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- 9 What craft do the Red Dao make?
 

A hat	B headscarf	C blouse	D jewelry
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- 10 What does a Red Dao family do to welcome a new year?
 

A They meet each other.	B They play traditional music.
C They cook traditional food.	D They play some folk games.

## Speaking

Circle the correct options.

- Do the *Chu Ru* people make crafts?  
A Yes, they are.      B No, they aren't.      C No, they didn't.      D Yes, they do.
- Do they have traditional arts and crafts?  
A Yes, they did.      B Yes, they do.      C No, they are not.      D Yes, they are expensive.
- Where did you stay when you visited their village?  
A I visited a local market.      B I went to a farm.  
C I stayed in a stilt house.      D I went to the countryside.
- Where did you travel last summer?  
A I went to Hà Giang.      B I went with my brothers.  
C I went by motorbike.      D The weather was lovely.
- What are their traditional clothing like?  
A Men wear shirts and pants.      B Women make beautiful clothes.  
C They wear traditional clothes.      D They are almost black.

## Writing

a. Put the words in the correct order to make complete sentences.

- asked / what / clothes / were / for / Tết. / John / traditional / our  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Pu Péo* / traditions / asked / boy / what / young / his / were. / They / a  
\_\_\_\_\_
- friend / me / where / country. / the / *Chăm* / My / asked / lived / in / my  
\_\_\_\_\_
- The / rice / asked / if / visitor / the / grew / and / corn / for / a / living. / *Nùng*  
\_\_\_\_\_
- cơm lam* / groups. / Her / brother / was / a / traditional / dish / among / ethnic / wondered / if  
\_\_\_\_\_

b. Rewrite the sentences using reported speech.

- "What do the *Chăm* do for a living?" my father asked.  
My father asked what \_\_\_\_\_
- "Do the *Tày* wear headscarves?" my sister asked.  
My sister asked whether \_\_\_\_\_
- "Where do ethnic people often live?" asked Steve.  
Steve asked where \_\_\_\_\_
- "What do the Vietnamese eat during Tết holiday?" asked Jack.  
Jack wondered what \_\_\_\_\_
- "Do ethnic groups in the mountains speak the same language?" Mia asked.  
Mia wondered if \_\_\_\_\_

### Answer Key



- Pronunciation \_\_\_/10 pts.
- Vocabulary \_\_\_/20 pts.
- Grammar \_\_\_/20 pts.
- Listening \_\_\_/20 pts.
- Speaking \_\_\_/10 pts.
- Writing \_\_\_/20 pts.

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Total \_\_\_ / 100 pts.