

**UNIT 4: REMEMBERING THE PAST****B. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR**

I. Complete the sentences with the words from the box.

structure   communal   occupied   monument   well-preserved  
complex   magnificent   religious   heritage   deep-rooted

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ was built to honour all the soldiers who died in war.
2. The Great Pyramids of Giza is the most \_\_\_\_\_ site we've ever visited.
3. The Karnak Temple \_\_\_\_\_ comprises a vast mix of temples, pylons, chapels, and other buildings near Luxor, Egypt.
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ house is considered as a symbol of culture, spirit and religion of the ethnic groups in Vietnam.
5. Hoi An Ancient Town was classified as a National Cultural \_\_\_\_\_ Site in 1985.
6. Angkor Wat, originally built to worship the god Vishnu, is one of the largest \_\_\_\_\_ attraction in the world.
7. Thick columns and beams were built to support the \_\_\_\_\_ of the cathedral.
8. The old mansion has turned into a hotel, and its rooms are always \_\_\_\_\_ during holidays.
9. Padua and Vicenza are prosperous, \_\_\_\_\_ cities, not overrun by tourists.
10. You cannot all at once eradicate the \_\_\_\_\_ customs and habits of any people.

**III. Choose the correct answer.**

1. The Christmas \_\_\_\_\_ of gift-giving has its roots in both pagan and Christian customs.  
a. routine                      b. habit                      c. tradition                      d. hobby
2. We celebrated our grandparents' 40th wedding \_\_\_\_\_ with a grand party.  
a. event                      b. anniversary                      c. ceremony                      d. custom
3. The tea ceremony in Japan is a \_\_\_\_\_ tradition that symbolizes harmony and respect.  
a. occupied                      b. communal                      c. modern                      d. deep-rooted
4. Harvard University was \_\_\_\_\_ in 1636, making it one of the oldest institutions in the US.  
a. founded                      b. preserved                      c. recognized                      d. observed
5. Parisian cafes offers a taste of traditional French \_\_\_\_\_ with dishes like croissants and quiche.  
a. cuisine                      b. practice                      c. kitchen                      d. fashion
6. Throughout history, people have built monuments and altars to honor and \_\_\_\_\_ their ancestors.  
a. contribute                      b. worship                      c. explore                      d. maintain
7. Despite time and wars, some artifacts from ancient Egypt are very \_\_\_\_\_, including mummies.  
a. well-prepared                      b. basic                      c. well-preserved                      d. recognizable
8. It was important for museums to preserve this part for future \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. monuments                      b. customs                      c. heritages                      d. generations
9. Olive oil, tomatoes, and basil are essential \_\_\_\_\_ in many Italian dishes.  
a. ingredients                      b. products                      c. materials                      d. structures
10. The ruins of the castle are \_\_\_\_\_ with the past glory and power of the royal family.  
a. religious                      b. disconnected                      c. associated                      d. magnificent

**IV. Complete the sentences with the verbs in the box. Use the past continuous.**

not listen    drive    visit    cook    build  
study    observe    sleep    discuss    watch

1. The tourists \_\_\_\_\_ the Buckingham Palace when it started to rain.
2. The security guard \_\_\_\_\_ the car park using CCTV at that time.
3. There was a big fire while the workers \_\_\_\_\_ the cathedral.
4. I beg your pardon – what did you say? I \_\_\_\_\_.
5. When you entered the room, we \_\_\_\_\_ the importance of keeping traditions alive.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Peter \_\_\_\_\_ on the bus when we arrived at the Colosseum?
7. While my friends \_\_\_\_\_ a documentary about ancient castles, I was playing video games.
8. The children \_\_\_\_\_ for their history test when the lights went out.
9. The host \_\_\_\_\_ some traditional Italian dishes while the guests were chatting.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ home at 7 o'clock yesterday evening?





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## V. Put the verb into the correct form, past simple or past continuous.

1. Mia \_\_\_\_\_ (see) many beautiful ancient houses when she was wandering around the old part of the city.
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ (do) a quiz about ancient civilisation all Sunday morning.
3. My grandparents \_\_\_\_\_ (not live) France when the revolution happened.
4. The first fish and chip shop \_\_\_\_\_ (not open) in Italy. It was in the UK.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Matthew \_\_\_\_\_ (work) for a multinational company at the time?
6. What \_\_\_\_\_ they \_\_\_\_\_ (serve) to their guests at the party last night?
7. He \_\_\_\_\_ (teach) for several years at the local secondary school, then \_\_\_\_\_ (go) abroad for further study.
8. The explorers \_\_\_\_\_ (find) the ancient pyramid when they \_\_\_\_\_ (walk) through the jungle.
9. I \_\_\_\_\_ (observe) the ancient artefacts while the tour guide \_\_\_\_\_ (explain) their origins.
10. The waiters \_\_\_\_\_ (serve) the customers when the fire \_\_\_\_\_ (start).