LISTENING TEST 2

A. Listen to Trang talking. Decide if the statements are true (T) or false (F)

1. Trang has studied English for seven years.
2. She talks about how she has learnt English vocabulary and grammar.
3. She has learnt new words from reading English books.
4. She is confident about her English vocabulary now.

B. Listen again and fill in each blank with no more than TWO words



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C. LISTEN AND FILL IN THE MISSING VERBS. NO MORE THAN 3 WORDS.

I've learnt English for six years and I usually find it (1)_____ to learn its vocabulary. Here are some tips I've tried to (2)_____my vocabulary learning. Firstly, I (3)_____ time reading different kinds of English books, from short stories to novels. When I see a new word, I try to (4)_____ its meaning from the sentence. Secondly, I (5)_____a good dictionary. My mum (6)_____ me an English-English dictionary three years ago. Whenever I cannot (7)_____ the meaning of a new word, I (8)_____, check its meaning and pronunciation in the dictionary. The dictionary also (9)_____ me understand better when to use the word. Thirdly, I've (10)_____ my own vocabulary notebook. I have the habit of (11)_____ all new words into a notebook. This way I can know how many words I've learnt and can (12)_____ the words easily. Finally, I take every opportunity to (13)_____ with people in English. I try to use the words I've learnt and (14)_____ more new words from these conversations. I've (15)_____ these things regularly and now I'm quite confident about my English vocabulary.

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READING COMPREHENSION

A. Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to complete a passage about the reasons why some people find learning English difficult.

Some people find it really difficult to learn English, and here are some of the reasons. Firstly, English has one of the biggest vocabularies (1)_____ all languages. Therefore, it is very hard for English learners to remember all the words and phrases as well as use them (2) _____ in different contexts. Secondly, English grammar is complex. For example, there are twelve basic tenses in English. This (3) _____ learners confused when they have to use the tenses correctly in different sentences. (4) _____grammatical points, such as prepositions, reported speech, and the passive voice are not any less challenging. Thirdly, a lot of learners find English pronunciation very (5) _____. Words which have the same combination of letters may be (6) _____ differently. For instance, the 'ou' in 'rough' is not pronounced the same as that in 'through. Another problem is sentence stress. Stress (7) _____we put on different words may lead to the difference in meaning. In general, English vocabulary, grammar, and pronunciation may (8) learning it not an easy task.

1. A. of	B. in	C. on	D. for
2. A. correct	B. corrective	C. incorrectly	D. correctly
3. A. gets	B. gives	C. makes	D. allows
4. A. Another	B. Other	C. Others	D. The other
5. A. confuse	B. confused	C. confusing	D. confusion
6. A. written	B. pronounced	C. said	D. read
7. A. who	B. whose	C. the	D. Ø
8. A. make	B. get	C. let	D. bring

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B. Fill in each blank with a suitable word from the box to complete a passage about the differences in British English and American English

spelling	differ	these	petrol	ending	varieties	like	while

British English and American English (1) _____ in some ways. The most remarkable difference between the two (2) _____is vocabulary. British people call the place where people take their car to buy (3) _____ or oil a petrol station. However, Americans call it a gas station. The British live in flats (4) _____the Americans live in apartments. Another difference between these two varieties of English is the (5) _____. There are hundreds of minor differences of this type. Some words (6) _____humour, flavour or neighbour exist in British English while in American English these words are written without 'u' before r. Besides, verbs (7) _____in - se in British English are written with the ending -ze in American English. Some of (8) verbs are "analyse- analyze, organise - organize, and minimise - minimize."

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