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# Mid-term Test (Semester 2)

**Time: 45 minutes**

## A. WRITTEN TEST (45 minutes; 8 points)

### I. LISTENING (2 points)

**Task 1. Listen to the conversation between Kien and Peter. Tick (✓) T (True) or F (False) for each sentence. You will listen TWICE.**

| | | T | F |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Peter won a gold medal for swimming on the school's sports day. | | |
| 2. | Peter plays table tennis seven days a week. | | |
| 3. | Kien plays chess with his dad at weekends. | | |
| 4. | Kien swims very well. | | |

**Task 2. Listen to a TV guide. Fill in each gap with A WORD AND/ OR A NUMBER. You will listen TWICE.**

| Cartoon | Time | Description |
|---|---|---|
| Courage the Cowardly dog | 8 p.m. | - A (1)_____dog protects his owner. |
| Tom and Jerry show | (2) _____ | - A cat and a mouse chase each other. |
| Finding Dory | (3) _____ | - A fish finds her (4) _____ again. |



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## II. READING (2 points)

**Task 1. Read the passage. Circle the best answer A, B or C to each of the questions.**

Tran Hieu Ngan is a Taekwondo athlete. She participated in the 2000 Sydney Summer Olympics where she won a silver medal. It was the only medal won by a Vietnamese during those Olympic games and the first of Vietnam's four Olympic medals.

Tran Hieu Ngan was born in 1974, in a small fishing town in Tuy Hoa, Phu Yen. She wasthe fourth child in a family with eight children. She took up taekwondo when she was 14 and won her first national championship in 1994. She also won an Asian tournament in 1998. At the Olympics in 2000, when Ngan won the silver medal, everyonewas so happy and proud of her.

After her success in Sydney, Ngan decided to leave the ring. Now, she coaches young athletes at a training centre in Ho Chi Minh City. Tran Hieu Ngan is a shining example of her never-ending practice and constant efforts.

1. What is the best title for the passage?
   A. A sportswoman who makes history
   B. Popular sports in Olympic Games
   C. Doing taekwondo is great!
2. How many Olympic medals did Vietnam win before the year 2000?
   A. None
   B. One
   C. Four
3. When did Tran Hieu Ngan take up taekwondo?
   A. In 1974
   B. In 1988
   C. In 1998
4. What is Hieu Ngan's job at the moment?
   A. A taekwondo athlete
   B. A company manager
   C. A sport coach



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**Task 2. Read the text below and tick (✓) the correct landmarks.**

**City Landmarks**

**The Eiffel Tower in Paris, France**
This famous tower was built in the 19th century. The tower is made of metal. It has three floors. Visitors can climb 704 steps to its top to view the whole Paris. They can also use the lifts to the second floor and then climb!

**The Tokyo Skytree in Tokyo, Japan**
The Tokyo Skytree is a symbol of Japan's excellence in television broadcasting. It was builtin 2012 and is the tallest tower in the world. It has a large shopping center and an aquarium at its base. Visitors can go to the observation decks to see the whole Tokyo.

**The One Pillar Pagoda (Chùa Một Cột) in Ha Noi, Viet Nam**
The One Pillar Pagoda looks like a lotus flower growing from the water. It was built in the 11th century. It is small in size but rich in culture. Visitors come to the Pagoda to pray for health and luck.

| Which landmark... | Eiffel Tower | Tokyo Skytree | One Pillar Pagoda |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. is older than the other two landmarks? | | | |
| 2. has lifts to the second floor? | | | |
| 3. is used in broadcasting industry? | | | |
| 4 has the shape of a flower? | | | |

## III. WRITING (2 points)

**Task 1. For each question, complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use the word in brackets. DON'T change the word. Write NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS.**

**Here is an example:**

0. The bookshop is opposite the library.
_____ a bookshop opposite the library. (THERE)
Answer: 0. **There is**

1. These are her shoes.

→ These shoes_____. (ARE)

2. My city is not as big as your city.


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→ Your city is_____. (MINE)

3. I enjoy sports, so I spend a lot of time outdoors.

→ I spend a lot of time outdoors_____sports. (BECAUSE)

4. You mustn't use the lift when there is fire.

→_____the lift when there is fire. (USE)

**Task 2. Who is your favourite sportsperson? Write a description of him/her (40-60 words).**

**You can use the following questions as cues.**

- What's his/her name?
- What sport does he/she play?
- Why is he/she famous?
- Why do you like him/her?
- etc.

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## IV. LANGUAGE FOCUS (2 points)

**Task 1. Choose the word with a different way of pronunciation in the underlined part. Circle A, B or C.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | A. sm**ar**t | B. **ar**t | C. **a**ctive |
| 2. | A. b**oa**t | B. p**o**stcard | C. t**o**wer |
| 3. | A. **th**eatre | B. ra**th**er | C. **th**rough |
| 4. | A. ba**th**room | B. fa**th**er | C. whe**th**er |

**Task 2. Match the words/ phrases with the correct definitions.**

| Words/ phrases | Definitions |
|---|---|
| 1. comedy | A. a small shop which sells goods in a public place |
| 2. viewer | B. special glasses to protect the eyes from wind, water, chemicals, etc. |
| 3. educational programme | C. a person who wins the first place in a competition |
| 4. champion | D. a film/ show which makes people laugh |
| 5. goggles | E. a person who watches TV |
| 6. stall | F. a programme which teaches Maths, English, etc. |

**Task 3. Choose the best option to complete each sentence. Circle A, B or C.**

1. I was at Jame's party yesterday but I_____you there.
   A. don't see B. not saw C. didn't see
2. _____ you play badminton with Minh last Sunday?
   A. Did B. Do C. Does
3. _____ beautiful flowers!
   A. How B. What C. Which
4. Ha Noi is a big city._____not easy to find your way there.
   A. It B. It's C. Its
5. Oh no, these are my pencils._____are over there!
   A. You B. Your C. Yours
6. Kate: How_____do you play computer games?
   Nick: Two or three times a week.
   A. often B. many C. long


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## B. SPEAKING TEST (2 points, approximately 3-5 minutes/ one pair of students)

** Notes: Teacher doesn't need to ask all questions in task 1.*

**Task 1. Now let's talk about your favourite TV programme. Are you ready?**

1. Which TV programme do you like best?
2. What is it about?
3. How often do you watch it?
4. Why do you like to watch it?

**Task 2. Each of you will now receive a card. On the card there is a picture and clues for five questions. You should use the words to make questions and ask your friend. Your friend will answer the questions based on the picture he/she has.**

**Card A**

*Use the words given below to make questions. Ask your friend about his/her picture and listen to the answers.*

1. Where/landmark?
2. What shape/it/have?
3. it/old or modern/city?
4. you/like/visit that city?
5. What/you/see and do/there?



*Now, your friend will ask you questions about your picture. Answer his/her questions.*

**Card B**

*Use the words given below to make questions. Ask your friend about his/her picture and listen to the answers.*

1. What/landmark?
2. What shape/it/have?
3. it/old or modern/city?
4. you/like/ isit that city?
5. What/you/see and do/there?



*Now, your friend will ask you questions about your picture. Answer his/her questions.*



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