

I. Find the word which has different stress pattern from that of the others.

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| 1. A. shuffle | B. workflow | C. offline | D. flavor |
| 2. A. annoy | B. fragile | C. frankly | D. frozen |
| 3. A. influence | B. reflection | C. fluency | D. flexible |
| 4. A. friendly | B. freezer | C. freeway | D. confront |
| 5. A. flatten | B. reflect | C. florist | D. leaflet |

II. Fill in each blank with a suitable word or phrase from the box.

materials, took note of, depend, family-oriented, democratic
extended, replacing, personal, memorize, various

- Children often _____ on their parents for help with daily tasks and learning traditional skills.
- Vietnam is a(n) _____ country, which means the citizens have the right to vote for their leaders.
- With more tourists visiting, some beach towns are _____ traditional houses with modern hotels.
- In the past, many families in Vietnam lived in close proximity, with grandparents, parents, and children all sharing an _____ home.
- After learning about the history of *ao dai*, the students _____ its elegant design and cultural significance.
- While social media use is high, some people still prefer to keep their _____ lives private.
- The artisans enjoy making traditional crafts from natural _____ like wood and seashells.
- You can see _____ forms of transportation on the roads, like bicycles, cars, and even the occasional horse-drawn carriage.
- The teachers use flashcards to help pupils _____ the vocabulary for their English exams.
- Evenings were often spent sharing stories and meals, which fosters a strong sense of _____ within Vietnamese households.

III. Circle the correct option in brackets. (Khoanh vào lựa chọn đúng trong ngoặc.)

- My cousin doesn't want (missing / to miss) the Tet celebrations this year.
- In the past, children were encouraged (to help / helping) their parents in the fields.
- Today, with busy schedules, some families are forced (rushing / to rush) their meals.
- My grandmother let me (to ride / ride) a bicycle when I was a child.
- My pen pal decided (learning / to learn) Vietnamese before moving to Hanoi.
- Many Vietnamese people still enjoy (wearing / to wear) traditional clothing on special occasions.
- I never forget (visiting / to visit) that beautiful temple, and I'll visit it again someday.
- Nowadays, some young people don't mind (to spend/ spending) time with their extended families.
- Vietnamese parents always want to make their children (respect / respecting) their elders.
- In the past, most families in Vietnam preferred (to cook / cooking) meals together at home.

IV. Choose the best option to complete each dialogue.

- Isla: "Dao, how has the way Vietnamese families live together changed?"

- Dao: " _____ "

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| A. Cost of living in the city is higher now. | B. Still, many people can't own their own homes. |
| C. Nuclear families are becoming more common. | D. There is less emphasis on respecting elders. |

2. Kelvin: "There are so many motorbikes in this old video!" - Ngan: "_____"

- A. Everyone uses bicycles for health reasons. B. Cars are popular and there's less traffic.
C. Public transportation is the cheapest way to travel.
D. Yes, motorbikes are still the main way to get around.

3. Albert: "Minh, what has changed the most about Vietnamese cuisine?"

- Minh: "_____"

- A. We still rely mostly on home-cooked meals.
B. I don't like fast food, so I won't go to the restaurant.
C. There are few options for fresh ingredients in fast food restaurants.
D. People choose banh mi for breakfast as it's healthy and convenient.

4. Michael: "Hoa, what was the typical pace of life in rural Vietnam?" - Hoa: "_____"

- A. Life was fast-paced with many deadlines to meet.
B. Our neighbors were more focused on leisure activities.
C. Life revolved around farming and a slower pace.
D. City life influenced most aspects of daily life.

5. Henry: "Nhưng, did most families have big televisions in your childhood?"

- Nhung: "_____"

- A. Yes, every house had a radio for entertainment. B. I'm sorry, but we don't have big televisions.
C. Of course, you can watch the channels you want.
D. No, most families watched movies at the cinema.

6. Joe: "Linh, how has technology changed the way you shop for groceries?" - Linh: "_____"

- A. Now we go to the market more often. B. Now I can order online and get delivery.
C. Now there are fewer shops in my neighborhood. D. Yes, most stores accept card and QR code.

V. Read the passage and choose the best answer A, B, C, or D.

Respect for ancestors is a vital element of Vietnamese culture. In the past, families lived in (1) _____ households, with grandparents, parents, and children all sharing a (2) _____. Ancestral altars were a prominent feature in every home, adorned with fresh flowers, incense, and (3) _____ of food and drink. Special ceremonies were held throughout the year to honor (4) _____ relatives. During Tet, the Vietnamese New Year, elaborate feasts were prepared to (5) _____ ancestral spirits back to the home. Families would (6) _____ around the altar, sharing stories and expressing gratitude for the blessings bestowed upon them. This (7) _____ respect for the past ensured a strong sense of family identity and continuity, with traditions passed (8) _____ from generation to generation.

1. A. extended	B. nuclear	C. communal	D. common
2. A. door	B. roof	C. attic	D. room
3. A. offers	B. offered	C. offering	D. offerings
4. A. current	B. existing	C. deceased	D. present
5. A. deny	B. refuse	C. welcome	D. reject
6. A. gather	B. grow	C. bring	D. separate
7. A. wide	B. deep	C. far	D. heavy
8. A. up	B. on	C. off	D. down