

- A. fluentlier      B. more fluentlier      C. more fluently      D. the most fluently
17. Buildings in cities are much \_\_\_\_\_ than those in the countryside.  
A. more tall      B. taler      C. more taller      D. taller
18. I used to live \_\_\_\_\_ when I was in my hometown.  
A. more happily      B. more happy      C. happier      D. happier
19. Tony works hard; \_\_\_\_\_, he gets promotion every two years.  
A. however      B. so      C. therefore      D. if
12. Lucy went to school late, \_\_\_\_\_ she got up late.  
A. and      B. for      C. but      D. or

IV. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.

1. Robert: "Would you like to have dinner with me tonight?" - Mary: "\_\_\_\_\_"  
A. Yes, I'd love to.      B. Yes, I will.      C. Never mind, thanks.      D. No, I won't.
2. Mary: "That's a very nice skirt you are wearing." - Julia: "\_\_\_\_\_."  
A. That's nice.      B. I like it.      C. That's all right.      D. I'm glad you like it.
3. Nam is having a talk with Na.  
- Nam: "How long does it take you to get to school?" - Na: "\_\_\_\_\_".  
A. At 6.30 a.m      B. Half past seven      C. About 500 meters      D. About 10 minutes.
4. Mono: "What do you usually do in your leisure time?" - Mr Long: "\_\_\_\_\_".  
A. Yes, please      B. I do DIY with my dad      C. Yes, I do      D. No, I am not

V. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

1. She asked the doctor why she has felt a bit stressful lately.  
A. tense      B. expect      C. appeal      D. thoughtful
2. When my father was young, he was keen on getting up early to do the gardening.  
A. fond of      B. bored with      C. good at      D. hate
3. We should go to the mountainous area to enjoy some fresh air at the weekend  
A. windy      B. rainy      C. unpolluted      D. dirty

VI. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

1. Before starting my leisure time activities, I always have a clean and tidy space.  
A. easy      B. easy      C. new      D. dirty
2. His bad exam results made his parents feel disappointed.  
A. bad marks      B. good grades      C. his laziness      D. his good time
3. I enjoyed raising some money for poor children.  
A. loved      B. am interested in      C. detested      D. liked

VII. Rewrite the sentences keeping the same meaning.

1. Ngoc is the most fluent English speaker in our class.  
→ No one in our \_\_\_\_\_
2. My sister likes using the Facebook because she wants to post her photos on social media.  
→ My sister wants \_\_\_\_\_
3. Lan is a quicker runner than Hoa.  
→ Lan runs \_\_\_\_\_
4. Laura likes posting her new pictures on the Facebook.  
→ Laura is keen \_\_\_\_\_
5. Son Tung loves going out to take some photos of the countryside.

- Son Tung is interested \_\_\_\_\_
6. Phong worked very hard, so he passed the entrance exam easily.  
→ Because \_\_\_\_\_
7. Tuan is hard, so he often gets good marks on exams.  
→ Because \_\_\_\_\_
8. Jane makes crafts better than her sister.  
→ Jane's sister doesn't \_\_\_\_\_
9. This board game is more interesting than that video game. (boring)  
→ That video game \_\_\_\_\_
10. Motorbikes go more slowly than cars.  
→ Cars go \_\_\_\_\_

### VIII. Complete the sentences using the given words

- My son / crazy / play / computer / games.  
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- We / not / keen / make / models / because / we / not / patient / enough.  
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- I / prefer / hang / out / friends / play / board / games.  
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- I / play / badminton / badly / Tom / .  
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- You / decorate / house / beautifully / I / do / .  
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- I / like / go / beach / I / can't / swim.  
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- The food / this / fast-food / restaurant / cheap / delicious.  
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- The / weather / cold / outside / I / wear / coat.  
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### VI. Choose the word or the phrase among A, B, C or D that best fits the blank space in the following passage

People in the U.S. do a lot of activities (1) \_\_\_\_\_. Ranging from television viewing, reading, doing any one of some handicrafts, and getting into sports and exercise, Americans love their free time.

Sharing some relaxing activities (2) \_\_\_\_\_ other cultures, people living in Germany love hanging out at the beach. Another famous German pastime is frequenting saunas and hot tubs. The British prefer gardening, swimming, (3) \_\_\_\_\_ TV, going to the theatre.

In Russia, people like to get (4) \_\_\_\_\_ to dachas in the countryside. Dachas known as cottages are typically found (5) \_\_\_\_\_ the outskirts of cities and towns in Russia. They also want to go to the swimming pools, concerts, and football matches.

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| 1. A. to relax | B. relaxing | C. relax    | D. relaxes |
| 2. A. with     | B. to       | C. for      | D. about   |
| 3. A. watch    | B. watching | C. to watch | D. watches |
| 4. A. from     | B. out      | C. up       | D. away    |
| 5. A. at       | B. on       | C. in       | D. of      |

### VII. Choose the underlined word or phrase, A, B, C or D that needs correcting.

1. He adores to go to the parties in weekends with his close friend  
A B C D



2. Anna was sick; so, she missed all of the exams last week.

A B C D

3. She can swim much more well than anyone else in my class

A B C D

4. What she is truly keen in is classical music not modern music

A B C D

5. Finding a shopping centre in a city is more easy than in the countryside

A B C D

VIII. Read the following sign and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 1: What does the sign say?

- A. Eating and drinking are allowed in the library.
- B. You can bring food but not drinks into the library.
- C. Food and drinks are not permitted in the library.
- D. Only drinks are allowed in the library.



Question 2: What does the sign say?

- A. You can smoke in this area.
- B. Smoking is allowed if others agree.
- C. Smoking is forbidden in this area.
- D. You must ask for permission to smoke.



Question 3: What does the sign say?

- A. The floor is dry and safe to walk on.
- B. You need to clean the wet floor.
- C. The floor is slippery, so walk carefully.
- D. Wet the floor before walking on it.



IX. Read the following notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 1: What does the notice say?

- A. The school is open tomorrow.
- B. Tomorrow is a holiday, so school is closed.
- C. School is closed today.
- D. There are classes tomorrow as usual.

School is closed tomorrow for a public holiday.

Question 2: What does the notice say?

- A. You can keep borrowed books for one more week.
- B. Return books next week.
- C. All borrowed books must be returned by this week's end.
- D. Borrow more books before the weekends.

Please return all borrowed books by the end of this week.

Question 3: What does the notice say?

- A. A fire will occur on Friday at 10 a.m.
- B. A fire drill will happen on Friday, and safety rules must be followed.
- C. The fire drill has been canceled.
- D. Follow safety instructions until Friday at 10 a.m.

**FIRE DRILL NOTICE:**  
A fire drill will be held on Friday at 10 a.m. Please follow safety instructions.

X. Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks

Traveling is one of the most popular hobbies today. People love to visit new places and experience different cultures. Some enjoy traveling to big cities to explore museums, restaurants, and entertainment options (1) \_\_\_\_\_. Others prefer to visit the countryside, where they can relax and enjoy nature. There are many benefits to traveling. It allows people to learn about the world and meet new people (2) \_\_\_\_\_. Traveling also gives people a chance to take a break from their daily routines and reduce stress. However, traveling can also be expensive. (3) \_\_\_\_\_. But with good planning, it is possible to travel on a budget and still have a great experience. In conclusion, traveling is a great way to broaden your horizons and (4) \_\_\_\_\_.

Question 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Question 2: \_\_\_\_\_ Question 3: \_\_\_\_\_ Question 4: \_\_\_\_\_

- A. Plane tickets, hotels, and food can cost a lot
- B. discover new cultures and lifestyles
- C. while experiencing their unique traditions
- D. where there are plenty of activities to enjoy

XI. Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks

#### HOW TO SUCCEED IN SCHOOL

1. Attend (1) \_\_\_\_\_ your classes regularly.
2. Take notes during lectures.
3. Ask questions if you don't understand (2) \_\_\_\_\_ lesson.
4. Study in a quiet place.
5. (3) \_\_\_\_\_ to your teachers' advice and follow it.
6. Review your notes if you are (4) \_\_\_\_\_ for a test.

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| Question 1: A. on             | B. in      | C. at        | D. from    |
| Question 2: A. x (no article) | B. a       | C. the       | D. an      |
| Question 3: A. Speak          | B. Listen  | C. Look      | D. Write   |
| Question 4: A. ready          | B. readily | C. readiness | D. readied |

XII: Question 1: Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

We decided to have a picnic by the lake last Sunday. Everything was perfect until something unexpected happened. \_\_\_\_\_

- a. As soon as we finished setting up, dark clouds appeared in the sky.
- b. We packed all the food and drinks and headed to the lake early in the morning.
- c. Suddenly, it started raining heavily, and we had to rush back to the car.

- A. b-a-c
- B. c-b-a
- C. a-c-b
- D. b-c-a

Question 2: Choose the sentence that you can end the text (in Question 1) most appropriately.

- A. The rain stopped, and we enjoyed the rest of the day by the lake.
- B. Despite the rain, we still managed to have fun indoors.
- C. We didn't let the rain ruin our day, so we continued the picnic in the rain.
- D. We decided to drive home and have the picnic inside instead.