GE7 UNIT 2 TIME TO CELEBRATE 4

1. **Read and choose the correct answer:**

Lunar New Year, which is (1)_____ in several Asian countries, is one of the most important traditions in the region. Families often (2) _____their homes with red banners and flowers that are believed to bring luck. (3)_____ the start of the holiday, people welcome the (4)_____ of spring by (5)_____ relatives and sharing meals together. The festival includes many celebrations, such as music shows and dragon dances, which are **(6)**_____ of happiness and unity.

Children are usually given red packets, and this custom is thought to represent good fortune and future(7) _____. During the evenings, communities gather in the streets to (8)_____ candles or fireworks, creating a lively and (9)_____ atmosphere. Lantern displays are common, especially in parks **(10)**_____families enjoy walking under the **(11)**_____-lit decorations.

Because the holiday follows the **(12)** _____ calendar, the date changes every year, but it is always a time when relatives can (13)_____. These (14)_____, symbolizing hope for the future, are deeply connected to the culture of each **country**. For many, Lunar New Year is not only a joyful festival but also a moment to reflect on the past while looking forward to new opportunities.

1	a. symbolized	b. celebrated	c. arrived
2	a. decorate	b. clean	c. welcome
3	a. on	b. in	c. at
4	a. celebration	b. arrival	c. symbol
5	a. welcoming	b. seeing	c. visiting
6	a. symbolize	b. celebrations	c. symbols
7	a. wealth	b. wisdom	c. happiness
8	a. light	b. burn	c. put
9	a. excited	b. excites	c. exciting
10	**a. w**hich	**b. w**hom	**c. w**here
11	**a. b**righten	**b. b**right	**c. b**rightly
12	**a. l**unar	**b. m**oon	**c. old**
13	a. visit	b. go	c. get together
14	a. traditions	b. symbols	c. festivals

2. **Complete the sentences using STAGES OF LIFE vocabulary.**

When she was an _____, she cried a lot and only drank milk.

Many students in there _____ are still in high school and often think about exams and friends.

A _____ man often has gray hair, is around 50, and usually has a lot of work experience.

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A _____ is usually between one and three years old and is just learning to walk and talk.

The _____ often need more care and respect because they may move slowly and sometimes forget things.

At the age of four, he became a _____ and started learning colors, shapes, and songs at a small school.

She is a _____ now, around 11 years old, and she likes music and hanging out with friends but is not yet a teenager.

After turning 18, you are considered an _____, which means you can vote and make legal decisions.

My brother is in his _____, about 24 years old, and he just started his first full-time job.

My cousin is in her _____, around 32, and she has just had her first child.

3. **Read and choose the best sentences:**

A surgeon is a doctor, who performs operations.	A surgeon is a doctor who performs operations.

Robert's parents, who are retired now, live in Spain.	Robert's parents who are retired now live in Spain.

John and Susan's car, which is pricey, is a Mercedes Benz.	John and Susan's car which is pricey is a Mercedes Benz.

I want to throw my son's full month party at a restaurant, that served Vietnamese food.	I want to throw my son's full month party at a restaurant that served Vietnamese food.

New Zealand is the country, which has more sheep than people.	New Zealand is the country which has more sheep than people.

Yesterday I met my boss, who is very generous.	Yesterday I met my boss who is very generous.

They are the students, that won the grand prize at the national cooking competition.	They are the students that won the grand prize at the national cooking competition.

My dog, whose mother is a Minpin, is very smart.	My dog whose mother is a Minpin is very smart.

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