

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each numbered blank from 1 to 5.

MY CLOSE FRIEND

My name is Trang and I study at Greenhill Secondary School. I have a very close friend named Vy. She is twelve years old and she lives in a beautiful town house in Da Nang. Vy is very (1) _____ because she always listens to others and helps her classmates with difficult exercises.

At school, Vy's favorite subject is Art. During break time, she often sits under the trees in the school yard to draw landscape pictures or talks (2) _____ her friends. Look! Vy (3) _____ a picture of our school building at the moment.

In her house, her bedroom is on the second floor. There is a soft bed (4) _____ a desk and a big wardrobe. On the desk, there (5) _____ many colorful pens, a desk lamp, and a small picture frame. I am very happy to have such a wonderful friend like Vy.

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| 1. A. helpful | B. shy | C. lazy | D. quiet |
| 2. A. with | B. for | C. about | D. at |
| 3. A. draws | B. draw | C. is drawing | D. drawing |
| 4. A. on | B. behind | C. between | D. under |
| 5. A. is | B. are | C. be | D. was |

Read the text and then choose the best answer:

Hi, I am Huy. Today I would like to tell you about my secondary school. I study at An Son Lower Secondary School, which is surrounded by green paddy fields and peaceful hills.

Our school is quite **large** with twenty-four classrooms, two computer labs, a big library, and a spacious playground. All the classrooms are bright and modern. Each classroom has a smart TV, a projector, and air conditioners. My favorite place at school is the school garden behind the main building. There are many colorful flowers and green trees there. During break time, my classmates and I often sit on the stone benches under the shade of the trees to read storybooks or play chess.

Our teachers are very kind and **enthusiastic**. They always encourage us to learn new things and participate in outdoor activities. After school hours, students can join various clubs such as the English club, the music club, or the sports club. I am an active member of the English club, and we meet every Wednesday afternoon. I love my school very much because every day at school is full of joy.

1. What is the passage mainly about?

- A. Huy's daily routine at home. B. Huy's secondary school and his school activities.

C. Huy's best friends and their hobbies. D. Huy's favorite English teacher.

2. Where is An Son Lower Secondary School located?

A. In the busy city center. B. Near a crowded market.
C. Surrounded by green paddy fields and peaceful hills. D. Near a large beach.

3. What is behind the main school building?

A. A spacious playground. B. Two computer labs.
C. A school garden. D. A big library.

4. The word "enthusiastic" in paragraph 3 is CLOSEST in meaning to

A. eager and helpful B. strict and quiet
C. bored and tired D. shy and cold

5. The word "large" in paragraph 2 is OPPOSITE in meaning to

A. big B. modern C. small D. spacious

6. Which of the following is NOT true according to the passage?

- A. Huy's school has twenty-four classrooms and two computer labs.
- B. Students can sit on stone benches in the garden to read storybooks.
- C. The English club meets every Wednesday afternoon.
- D. All classrooms at Huy's school are small and dark.

1. Put the sentences (a-d) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text. a. Both of us are tall and slim b. I'm a bit quiet and shy, and Janet is kind and friendly c. I'm Julie and my best friend is Janet. d. We're 12 years old and we're in the same class

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

2. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 1) most suitably.

A. We like to spend our free time together.
B. We would love doing gardening together
C. We are both friendly
D. We can't spend time together

3. Put the sentences (a-d) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text. a. The school has modern classrooms and a large playground. b. There are many new friends and helpful teachers. c. I've just moved to a new school this year. d. They are always ready to help me when I need.

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

4. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 3) most suitably.

- A. I feel unhappy and excited to go to school every day.
- B. I really like the new learning environment.
- C. Everything is new to me, but I'm not getting used to it quickly.
- D. I really dislike the new learning environment

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 from 1 to 4.

Dear Nam,

I'm glad to receive your email. (1) __. **My house is quite big. It has two floors.** (2) ____.
On the ground floor, there is the hall, the kitchen, the living room and a dining room.
On the first floor, (3) _____. **My bedroom is between my parents' bedroom and the bathroom. My brother's bedroom is in front of my bedroom. I love the attic the most. In the attic,** (4) _____. I like to spend my time there because it's quiet and I can do anything I like. What about your house? Tell me in your next email.
Best, Mike

- A. It also has an attic
- B. I keep my books and my old toys
- C. there are three bedrooms and a big bathroom
- D. Now I'm going to tell you about my house

EX2. 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 from 1 to 4

There are many characteristics of a good friend, (1) _____. First, a good friend needs to be honest. She always tells me the truth. For example, if she has a problem, (2) _____. Second, she should be a responsible person. (3) _____. Third, a kind friend is a person that helps me with my problems and shares with me when I need her. (4) _____.

- A. but for me the most important is to be honest, responsible, and kind
- B. She never does bad things such as using drugs or smoking
- C. In conclusion, a good friend is a special person who is always there for me and beside me.
- D. she can tell me to find ways to solve it