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UNIT 1 MY NEW SCHOOL

A. PHONETICS

I. Put the words into the correct column depending on the sound of the letter(s) in bold.

mother, wonderful, judo, money, go, come, notebook, hungry, borrow, rubber, homework, video, brother, month, some, rode, club, hope, post, compass, home, lunch, Sunday, love, study, subject, overseas, lower, open, country

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judo, go, notebook, borrow, homework, video, rode, hope, post, home, overseas, lower, open,	mother, wonderful, money, come, hungry, rubber, brother, month, some, club, compass, lunch, Sunday, love, study, subject, country

II. Circle the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently.

1.	money	sorry	morning	story
2.	now	grow	down	town
3.	study	student	studio	stupid
4.	house	about	hour	country
5.	lunch	fun	judo	sun

B. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

I. Complete the words and match.



1. pen — *i*
2. bicycle — ____
3. rubber — ____
4. calculator — ____
5. schoolbag — ____



a.



b.

c.



d.



e.

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6. compass  f. 

7. ruler _____ g. 

8. texttbook _____ h. 

9. pencil sharpener _____ i. 

10. notebook _____ j. 

11. pencil case _____ k.

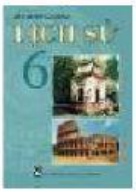
12. dictionary _____ l. 

II. Write school subiects.

geography	science	maths	art	biology	English
literature	history	physics	PE (physical education)		



1. English



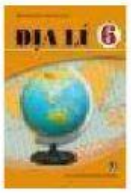
2. history



3. physics



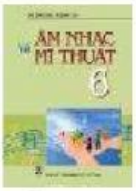
4. maths



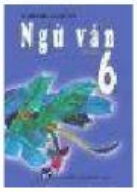
5. geography



6. biology



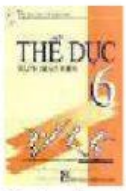
7. art



8. literature



9. science



10. PE (physical education)

III. Look at the pictures and name the activities.



1. *reading*



2. skipping



3. dancinng



4. eating

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5. *reading*



6. doing judo



7. playing the piano



8. doing exercise

IV. Put the words into the right column.

music lessons judo football housework homework history lunch English aerobics vocabulary exercise the piano geography breakfast sports science drawings badminton subjects English lesson paintings dinner the violin basketball karate maths

play	do	have	study
music	*judo*	*English lesson*	*music*
football	*housework*	*lessons*	*subjects*
the piano	*homework*	*lunch*	*history*
sports	*exercise*	*breakfast*	*vocabulary*
badminton	*aerobics*	*dinner*	*geography*
the violin	*drawings*		*science*
basketball	*paintings*		*subjects*
	karate		*maths*

V. Complete the sentences with the words from the box.

uniforms boarding library classmates
equipment excited international creative

1. Vy and Phong are **excited** about their first day at secondary school.
2. Phong and Duy are in the same class at school. They are **classmates.**
3. Most schools require children to wear school **uniform**.
4. My sister is very **creative**. She is very good at painting pictures.
5. A **boarding** school is a school where students study and live during the school year.
6. AIS is an **international** school in Vietnam. It provides American education.
7. The school gym has lots of new, modern **equipment**.
8. In the **library**, you can read books and papers or borrow them to read at home.

VI. Fill the gaps with the correct prepositions.

1. The children are excited **about** the school trip.
2. Dorothy put **on** her coat and went out.
3. We have English, maths and science **on** Tuesday.
4. What do you usually do **at** break time?
5. **In** the afternoon I play football **in** the playground.

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6. I go home **at** 4 o'clock every day.
7. Vy is doing her homework **in** the library.
8. Many boarders go home **at** weekends.

VII. Put the verbs into the correct form. Use Present Simple.

1. They **play** (play) football and basketball at school.
2. My father **reads** (read) the newspaper every morning.
3. We **have** (have) English, Maths and Science on Monday.
4. She never **does** (do) her homework.
5. I **go** (go) swimming twice a week.
6. Cars **are** (are) more expensive than motorbikes.
7. Jane always **has** (have) breakfast at 6 o'clock.
8 He usually **watches** (watch) TV after dinner.
9. London **is** (be) a very big city.
10. I **am** (be) a student and my parents **are** (be) teachers.

VIII. Write negative sentences. Use short forms.

1. I'm the best in the class. → I'm not the best in the class .
2. Mark does homework in the evening. → Mark doesn't do homework in the evening.
3. We play football after school. → We don't play football after school.
4. You run fast. → You don't run fast .
5. Tim and Lucas work at weekends. → Tim and Lucas don't work at weekends .
6. I like classical music. → I don't like classical music .
7. These exercises are difficult. → These execrcises aren't difficult .
8. She has science on Fridays. → She doesn't have science on Fridays .

IX. Make questions in the present simple. Then write short answers.

1. you/ have/ an art lesson on Monday (no)
   Do you have an art lesson on Monday ? No, I don't.
2. they/ ride/ their bikes to school (yes)
   Do they ride their bikes to school ? Yes, they do.
3. Jane/ play/ tennis at school (no)
   Does Jane play tennis at school ? No, he doesn't.
4. your parents/ at home now (yes)
   Are your parents at home now ? Yes, they are.
5. he/ have/ breakfast at 6 o'clock every day (yes)
   Does he have breakfast at 6 o'clok every day ? Yes, he does.
6. you/ a good student (no)
   Are you a student ? No, I'm not.
7. I/ look/ well (no)
   Do I look well ? No, you don't.

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8. Ms. Van/ a good teacher (yes)

Is Ms. Van a good teacher ? Yes, she is.

X. Use the prompts to write full sentences. Use Present Continuous.

1. I/ do my homework — I am doing my homework.
2. Bella/ talk on the phone — Bella is talking on the phone.
3. We/ listen to CDs now — We are listening to CDs now.
4. The children/ ride to the park — The children are riding to the park.
5. It/ rain very hard now — It is raining very hard now.
6. She/ bake a chocolate cake — She is baking a chocolate cake.
7. You/ dance very beautifully — You are dancing very beautifully.
8. Mark and his friends/ have lunch — Mark and his friends are having lunch.

XI. Complete the sentence with the negative form of the present continuous. Use short forms.

1. They aren't helping (help) the teacher right now.
2. She isn't staying (stay) in a hotel.
3. I 'm not traveling (travel) a lot these days.
4. We aren't studying (study) science at present.
5. The children aren't playing (play) football in the playground.
6. Bob isn't watching (watch) the news on TV.
7. My parents aren't talking (talk) to the teacher at the moment.
8. The sun isn't shining (shine) today.

XII. Complete the sentence with the present simple or present progressive form of the verb in brackets.

1. I **am looking** (look) for Jack. Do you know where he is?
2. You **know** (know) a lot about computers.
3. They **are doing** (do) maths homework now.
4. Mark often **plays** (play) tennis at the weekend.
5. Just a minute, I can't hear you. I **am listening** (listen) to the radio.
6. Bob **watches** (watch) the news on TV every morning.
7. Be quiet! The children **are studying** (study) in the room.
8. Mark **doesn't do** (not do) homework on Saturdays.
9. Wake up! The teacher **is asking** (ask) you a question.
10. We **aren't working** (not work) at the moment. We're on a break.

XIII. Complete the sentences with the question words.

what	when	where	how	who	how often	how many	how much

1. When does the first lesson begin? - At seven o'clock.
2. Where are you going? - To the library.
3. What do you usually bring to school? - Textbooks, notebooks and pens.

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4. How do you go to school? - By bike.
5. Who is Mary talking to? - Mrs. Berry, her English teacher.
6. What is your favorite subject? - Maths.
7. How is your first day at school? - Oh, it's great.
8. How often does Phong do judo? - Three times a week.
9. How many students are there in your class? - Forty.
10. How much pocket money do you get? - Ten thousand dong.

C. SPEAKING

I. Write questions for the underlined words.

1. Duy: What subects do you have on Friday?
   Mai: On Friday I have English, maths, geography and history.
2. Nga: What are Phong and Nam doing at the moment?
   Huan: Phong and Nam are playing football at the moment.
3. Peter: How many floors does your new school have?
   Jane: My new school has four floors.
4. Susan: Who is Sam having lunch with?
   Tom: Sam is having lunch with his new friends.
5. Nam: What do you usually do after school?
   Hai: I usually play sports after school.
6. Mai: How often does your brother go to the judo club?
   Tony: My brother goes to the judo club twice a week.
7. Mary: When do you have Physics?
   Janet: We have Physics on Monday.
8. Quang: Where are they going to?
   Tuan: They are going to the library.

II. Ask and answer questions, using the given words.

1. you/ usually/ do/ in the evening (do my homework)
   What do you usually do in the evening ? I (usually) do my homework.
2. you/ do/ at the moment (read a book)
   What are you doing at the moment ? I am reading a book.
3. Mai/ live (on Tran Hung Dao Street)
   Where does Mai live ? She lives on Tran Hung Dao Street.
4. Sandra/ talk to on the phone (her mother)
   Who is Sandra talking to on the phone ? She is talking to her mother.
5. you/ like (maths and physics)
   What subjects do you like ? I like maths and physics.
6. the children/ play football/ now (in the park)
   Where are the children playing football now? They are playing football in the park.

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7. Vy/ often/ do her homework (at 8p.m)

What time does Vy often do her homework? She does her homework at 8p.m.

III. Put the conversation in the correct order (1 -10).

6	My form teacher is MrsHien. She teaches me Physics.
8	No. She's great.
3	Very well, thank you. How was your first day at school, Mai?
9	Oh, good. Well, it's time for me to leave. Bye.
2	Hello, Huan. Fine, thanks! And you?
5	I am sure that you'll make friends soon. Tell me about your form teacher.
1	Hi, Mai. How are you?
10	Bye, Huan. See you soon.
7	Is she strict?
4	Oh, wonderful! I met many new people. Hope I could make them friends soon.

D. READING

I. Fill in each gap with a word from the box.

big	grades	elementary	scared	school	teachers	Second	still

Middle school often includes sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth (1) **grades**. It's called middle school because it's in the middle of your (2) **school** years. Elementary school is behind you. High school (3) **still** awaits you.

For a kid, going to middle school is often a (4) **big** change: First, it usually means moving to a new building, which takes some time to adjust to. (5) **Second**, it may mean taking a different bus, with different students. Third, the friends you made in (6) **elementary** school may end up going to different middle schools. And other things that probably will be different are the (7) **teachers** and the work. All of that can make you feel a bit (8) **scared** on the first day of school.

II. Read the chart about the qualities of a good classmate and decide whether thestatements are true (T) or false (F).



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1. A good classmate always tries his/ her best to help and support you. **T**
2. A good classmate will never says "thank you" if you help him/ her. **F**
3. A good classmate will ask you about your health if he/ she sees you after a long time. **T**
4. A good classmate plays with you at break time. **T**
5. A good classmate bullies you sometimes. **F**

E. WRITING

I. Put the words in order to make a sentence.

1. secondary/ first/ your/ at/ school/ is/ how/ week?
   How is your first week at secondary school?
2. lessons/ many/ have/ on/ how/ you/ do/ Friday?
   How many lessons do you have on Friday?
3. art/ creative/ are/ drawings/ students/ the/ some/ doing/ in/ club
   Some creative students are doing drawings in art club.
4. school/ at/ English/ we/ have/ classes/ don't/ today
   We don't have English classes at school today.
5. homework/ you/ doing/ maths/ are/ your?
   Are you doing your maths homeworks?
6. children/ first/ on/ most/ school/ excited/ are/ day/ of/ the
   Most children are excited on the first day of school.

II. Complete the second sentence so that it has the same meaning as the first.

1. What is your favorite subject?

→ What subject **do you like most?**

2. There are 35 students in my class.

→ My class **has 35 students.**

3. Mai live near her school.

→ Mai's house isn't **far from her school.**

4. Mary plays the piano very well.

→ Mary is good **at playing the piano.**

5. Do you like physics?

→ Are you interested **in physics?**

6. The school has a computer room and a library.

→ There **is a computer room and a library in the school.**

TEST FOR UNIT1

I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

1. a. uniform	b. computer	c. student	d. judo
2. a. subject	b. sure	c. surround	d. see
3. a. excited	b. nice	c. library	d. living

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4. a. school b. teacher c. cheap d. watching
5. a. teach b. speak c. break d. read

II. Look at the picture and fill in the gap with a suitable word.



1. You can use a **dictionary** to look up a new word.



2. You can use a **calculator** to do calculations.



3. You can use a **pen** to write notes.



4. You can use a **schoolbag** to carry books, pens, etc. to school.



5. You can use a **rubber** to remove pencil marks from paper.



6. You can use a **pencil case** to carry pencils, pens, rulers, rubbers, etc.



7. You can use a **compass** to draw circles.



8. You can use a **ruler** to draw straight lines.

III. Choose the best answer a, b, c or d to complete the sentence.

1. How is your first week _____school?
   a. on b. at c. for d. to
2. My brother often helps me_____my homework.
   a. at b. about c. for d. with
3. Megan is_____badminton with her friends in the schoolyard.
   a. having b. studying c. playing d. doing
4. The villa is_____by pine trees.
   a. surrounded b. built c. covered d. grounded
5. We do_____in the gym every afternoon.
   a. table tennis b. football c. judo d. homework
6. _____does Jane have science?~ On Monday and Friday.
   a. Where b. What c. When d. What time
7. Nowadays, students often use_____in mathematics lessons.
   a. rubbers b. calculators c. pencils d. dictionaries
8. My cousin goes to a_____school, so she only comes home at weekends.
   a. boarding b. private c. public d. international
9. You look really_____in your new uniform!
   a. excited b. smart c. healthy d. interesting

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