

ÔN THI LỚP 9 HK1 – TEST 4

I. Phonetics

1.1 Find the word which has a different sound in the underlined part

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| 1. A. religion | B. div <u>i</u> de | C. pri <u>m</u> ary | D. compr <u>i</u> se |
| 2. A. attend <u>e</u> d | B. start <u>e</u> d | C. persuad <u>e</u> d | D. learn <u>e</u> d |
| 3. A. camp <u>s</u> | B. <u>a</u> ccess | C. underpass | D. <u>b</u> ackpack |
| 4. A. A invent <u>u</u> n | B. suggest <u>u</u> n | C. informat <u>u</u> n | D. protect <u>u</u> n |
| 5. A. pedestri <u>a</u> n | B. <u>e</u> quipment | C. tren <u>c</u> h | D. <u>e</u> levated |

1.2 Find the word whose stress pattern is different form the others.

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| 1. A. lacquerware | B. drumhead | C. sculpture | D. artisan |
| 2. A. authentic | B. craftsman | C. workshop | D. layer |
| 3. A. embroider | B. preserve | C. artifact | D. initial |
| 4. A. flyover | B. skytrain | C. underpass | D. misbehave |
| 5. A. tolerant | B. minority | C. equipment | D. assignment |

II. Vocabulary and Grammar

2.1 Give the correct form of the verb.

- Look at those black clouds. It (rain)
- I (not invite)her to the party because I (forget)her phone number.
- The boys like (play)games but hates (do)lessons.
- I (not go)to his house unless you go with me.
- Would you like (come)to a disco this evening?

2.2 Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word or phrase that is closet in meaning to the underlined part in each of the following questions.

- She has been staying up late studying for the exam because she doesn't want to disappoint her parents. That's why she is a bit tense now.
 A. delighted B. left-out C. surprised D. stressed
- I feel so depressed now and I wish my parents could put themselves in my shoes to understand that I want to be a designer instead of a doctor.
 A. stressed B. down C. confident D. calm

3. I suppose that Mai should take a break then start doing these hard assignments again. It would be better for her.
A. continue B. stay up late C. empathize D. rest
4. My parents said design graduates wouldn't find jobs easily, so they wanted me to get a medical degree.
A. disappoint B. expect C. have occupations D. replace
5. I doubt that you can't understand her situation and help her feel better.
A. believe B. suspect C. compete D. advice

2.3 Give the right form of the words in brackets.

1. I watch the news every day because it is very (inform)
2. The internet is a very useful means of (communicate)
3. We can see many on TV every day. (advertise)
4. They live in a area in the north-east of the country. (mountain)
5. Do you understand the saying ".....is better than cure"? (prevent)

2.4 Fill the gap with a suitable preposition.

1. We are looking forwardhearing from you.
2. The final exam will be heldMay 5th, 2007
3. The competition will take place 7 a.m. and 11 a.m.
4. Can you tell me how many chapters this book consists?
5. People have to livedifficult condition.

III. Reading

3.1 Read the following passage and choose the best option for each blank to complete the passage.

Over the last century, there have been many significant changes in the way we live. Obviously, it is difficult to (1)the life of ancient people and the life of the people living in the twenty-first century because so many changes have occurred. Even the changes that have (2)..... over the last ten years are amazing.

People in the past were not (3)to travel such long distances within such a short period of time. Nowadays, we have become very mobile. We have fast and (4)cars. In addition, more and more people travel by plane.

Moreover, in the past people had to work harder as they did not have (5) and machines to make their work easier. Today, most of the difficult and dangerous work is (6)..... by computers and other powerful machines. In the past, the (7)of living were not as comfortable as they are now. Besides, many people could not afford (8)..... appliances like a fridge or a vacuum cleaner because those used to be luxurious goods. Another difference (9)living now and in the past is the fact that nowadays education is accessible to everyone. In the past men were mainly the only ones educated and women were not (10)..... into public or private schools.

1. A. predict B. discuss C. compare D. suppose

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| 2. A. occurred | B. considered | C. expressed | D. arranged |
| 3. A. used | B. able | C. might | D. capable |
| 4. A. skillful | B. difficult | C. historical | D. comfortable |
| 5. A. rules | B. tools | C. teams | D. ideas |
| 6. A. thought | B. played | C. done | D. seen |
| 7. A. conditions | B. performances | C. stories | D. conflicts |
| 8. A. mobile | B. physical | C. bare-footed | D. household |
| 9. A. within | B. among | C. between | D. behind |
| 10. A. allowed | B. attended | C. agreed | D. appeared |

IV. Writing

4.1 Rewrite the following sentences based on the given words.

1. I am not very good at tennis. Actually, I began to learn it 3 days. (take)

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2. People buy different types of silk products such as cloths, scarves, ties and dresses in Van Phuc village in Hanoi.

=> Different types of.....

3. "The neighbors are playing music too loud. It is such an annoyance!"

=> It.....

4. He often asks me some personal questions. I don't like it at all.

=> I wish

5. I went to university in early 2010. My elder brother went to study abroad in 2006.

=> By

4.2 Do you often hear your grandparents, parents or someone else tell about life in the past?

Write an email (100-120 words) to your friend and tell him/ her three things that you like most about life in the past.

You should base on the suggestions below:

- From whom do you often hear about life in the past?
- What do you like most about life in the past?

(Think about: family life, neighborhood, school life, social life, environment, etc.)

-Why do you like those things most?

