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A WRITTEN TEST (NO 1)

Choose the word A, B, C or D whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

1. A. who B. when C. where D. what
2. A. pollution B. earplug C. dump D. dust
3. A. physical B. visual C. music D. because
4. A. wanted B. washed C. worked D. stopped

Choose the word A, B, C or D whose stress pattern is different from the others

1. A. artistic B. historic C. dramatic D. scientific
2. A. medical B. hospital C. politic D. electric
3. A. nation B. musical C. biology D. apple
4. A. compete B. geography C. television D. improve

Choose the best word or phrase to complete the sentences

1. What would you do if you _____ (would win/ win/ had won/ won) a million dollars?
2. I _____ (have waited / has waited / is waiting / waited for two hours, but she has not come yet.
3. Air _____ (pollute/ pollution/ polluting/ polluted), together with littering, is causing many problems in our cities today.
4. If we _____ (will use/ would use/ using/ use) water carefully, more people will have fresh water.
5. A severe tropical _____ (drought/ rain/ flood/ storm) is called a typhoon.
6. What can be done to protect people from _____ (environment/environmental/environmentally/ environmentalist) disasters?
7. If they use more poisons, all the animals on their farm _____ (die/ dead/ will die/ died).
8. Water pollution is the _____ (contaminating/ contaminate/ contaminated/ contamination) in the lake has made the fish die.
9. - " Oh, I'm really sorry" - " _____ "
- A. It was a pleasure. B. That's all right. C. Thanks. D. Yes, why?
10. You look nice today. I like your new hairstyle." - " _____ "
- A. It's nice of you to say so. B. Shall I? Thanks.
- C. Oh, Well done. D. I feel interesting to hear that

Give the correct form of the words given to complete the sentences

1. The _____ of the city after the devastating earthquake is being carried. (CONSTRUCT)
2. We should offer _____ hands to aid the victims of natural disasters. (HELP)

Read the following passage about tornadoes and choose the best answer.

Tornadoes

Did you ever see the movie The Wizard of Oz? A tornado sweeps up Dorothy and Toto, sending them to a new world where there are witches and talking lions! That entire story is fiction, but tornadoes are real and they are serious business. In fact, they can be the most dangerous storms of all.

Tornadoes are sometimes referred to as twisters or cyclones. They are shaped like a cylinder. They are born in thunderclouds. The winds inside a tornado swirl around and around and can be more than 300 miles per hour (mph). The winds are so strong that tornadoes can lift animals, cars, and even houses.

The United States has more tornadoes than any other country in the world. States such as Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, and Nebraska are hit hard by tornadoes. This part of the country is known as "Tornado Alley." Tornado season is during the springtime and summer. If the conditions are right, a tornado can happen any time of year.

1. Where do tornadoes begin?
A. in the ocean B. underground C. in cyclones D. in thunderclouds
2. Why does the author mention The Wizard of Oz at the beginning of the passage?
A. To give a famous example of a tornado.
B. To give a history of tornadoes.

- C. To show that hurricanes are not real.
- D. To explain why tornadoes are dangerous.
- 3. Based on the passage, people who live in Tornado Alley should _____.
- A. expect tornadoes only during the summer.
- B. be very familiar with the movie The Wizard of Oz.
- C. be prepared for the dangers of tornadoes.
- D. think about moving to the United States.
- 4. The word conditions in the last paragraph means _____.
- A. preparations B. dangerous hazards C. the way things are D. lucky feelings
- 5. What is the main idea of this passage?
- A. Some states get tornadoes more than other states.
- B. Tornadoes are dangerous storms that affect the U.S.
- C. Tornadoes are different from how they are in movies.
- D. Many tornadoes do not cause a lot of damage.

Read the passage and answer the following questions.

New Zealand is a small country in the southern Pacific Ocean. There are two main islands, the North Island and the South Island, as (1) _____ as many smaller islands. New Zealand is 268,000 square kilometres, about the same size as the United Kingdom.

There are four main cities. Auckland, in the north, is the largest city with a population (2) _____ over one million people. Auckland's population includes many different nationalities. For example, there are large groups of European, Maori, Pacific Island, Chinese and Indian people. Together with other smaller groups, they make Auckland an interesting and (3) _____ place to live.

Although Wellington is the capital, the centre of government, it is smaller and (4) _____ than Auckland with a population of 350,000. The main cities in the South Island are Christchurch, known as the Garden City, and Dunedin, which is often (5) _____ to a small Scottish city.

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| 1. A. good | B. well | C. better | D. same |
| 2. A. of | B. with | C. to | D. from |
| 3. A. excitement | B. excited | C. exciting | D. excite |
| 4. A. more quiet | B. quietly | C. most quiet | D. quieter |
| 5. A. compared | B. to compare | C. been compared | D. comparing |

Rewrite the following sentences using given words

- 1. I/not/know/when/the/train/leave.
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- 2. Rose/often/walk/school/but/today/she/ride/new/bike/at/present.
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Rewrite the following sentences using given words.

- 1. I can't understand him because he speaks so quickly.
=> If _____
- 2. They will widen the gate to let the cars run into the yard easily.
=> The gate _____
- 3. I can't come. I have to help my dad with something.
Because _____
- 4. She started playing the piano when she was 8 years old.
