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PRACTICE TEST 09

Class:...

Time allowance: 60 minutes

MARK:.....

PART A. PHONETICS

I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others (...pts.)

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| 1. A. raised <u>ed</u> | B. cough <u>ed</u> | C. practic <u>ed</u> | D. talk <u>ed</u> | 1..... |
| 2. A. athlet <u>ic</u> s | B. month <u>th</u> | C. gather <u>er</u> | D. both <u>th</u> | 2..... |
| 3. A. invitati <u>on</u> | B. collecti <u>on</u> | C. equati <u>on</u> | D. celebrati <u>on</u> | 3..... |
| 4. A. horrib <u>l</u> e | B. househ <u>o</u> ld | C. rehears <u>e</u> | D. h <u>o</u> ur | 4..... |
| 5. A. throw <u>ow</u> | B. allow <u>ow</u> | C. flow <u>ow</u> | D. grow <u>ow</u> | 5..... |

PART B. USE OF ENGLISH

I. Choose the option that best completes each of the following sentences (...pts.)

1. Hoa is staying _____ her uncle and aunt's house in Hanoi now.
A. with B. on C. in D. at 1.
2. I don't want much sugar in my coffee. Just _____, please.
A. a few B. a little C. fewer D. less 2.
3. How _____ do you go to see the dentist? – Once every two months.
A. far B. long C. often D. many 3.
4. Hurry up! We _____ for you. If you are slow, you are going to miss the train.
A. are waiting B. waited C. wait D. waits 4.
5. Can you see any people in the house? Yes, only _____.
A. a little B. little C. few D. a few 5.
6. Will you be home _____ dinner tonight?
A. to B. at C. for D. on 6.
7. He came into the room, _____ the light and _____ the door behind him.
A. turned on/ closing B. turning on/closed C. turned on/ closed D. turning on/ closing 7.
8. A lot of students in my class can sing quite _____.
A. nice B. lovely C. sweet D. beautifully 8.
9. This apartment is _____ for us because it's rather cheap and near the city center.
A. easy B. suitable C. ready D. large 9.
10. After _____ an aspirin, her headache disappeared.
A. eating B. drinking C. taking D. chewing 10.
11. Peter: "How about going to the movie with me on Saturday night?"
Mary: "_____".
A. Of course not B. Sure, thanks C. It's my pleasure D. That's very kind of you 11.
12. Of all the schools in town, mine is _____.
A. large B. larger C. larger than D. the largest 12.
13. Hoa is sad because she knows _____ here.
A. someone B. no one C. anyone D. everyone 13.
14. My joke made the whole class _____ a lot.
A. to laugh B. laughing C. laugh D. laughed 14.

15. Nam: "Ba is in hospital."- Mai: "Oh really? I didn't know. I _____ and visit him."
 A. will go B. am going C. am going to go D. go 15.
16. When she as six, she had to stay home to _____ her younger brother.
 A. take after B. look after C. keep in D. take care 16.
17. It's difficult to cross this street because there is too much _____.
 A. crowd B. people C. traffic D. transport 17.
18. You should pay more _____ in class.
 A. part B. care C. notice D. attention 18.
19. The shirt looked beautiful. I tried it on but it didn't _____.
 A. fit B. match C. go with D. suit 19.
20. Tom: "I think computers are useful."- John: "_____."
 A. I'm not agree B. So do I C. I disagree too D. I do either 20.

II. Use the correct form of the given word to complete each of the following sentences (...pts.)

1. My father has a _____ computer. He often brings it with him when he's away on business. **(port)**
2. We are all _____ about going on an excursion to Cuc Phuong forest next weekend. **(excite)**
3. Some of the children _____ boys, play marbles when there is a break. **(main)**
4. My mother is a safe _____. She cycles safely. **(cycle)**
5. Did they make a _____ not go to Italy for their vacation? **(decide)**

III. Underline word or phrase that needs correcting in each of the following sentences and provide correction (...pts.)

1. My brother doesn't like peas and he doesn't like carrots, too. 1.
 A B C D
2. Let's getting some of these vegetables, shall we? 2.
 A B C D
3. Many people prefer watching TV than reading books. 3.
 A B C D
4. Staying at home all day sounds boringly to me. 4.
 A B C D
5. I'd like to go out and playing with my friends. 5.
 A B C D
6. We usually help our mother about the housework in our free time. 6.
 A B C D
7. There is fewer work in the evening than there is in the morning. 7.
 A B C D
8. Mr Quang soon got used to travel to work by bicycle. 8.
 A B C D
9. The doctor says you should spend a small part of your free time to play video games. 9.
 A B C D
10. From at seven in the morning until four in the afternoon, Tuan works in the fields with his father. 10.
 A B C D

PART C. READING

I. Read the passage below and decide which option best fits each space (...pts.)

Your headache and you sneeze and cough. Your (0) _____ is all stuffed up, and it keeps running, so you have to blow it every few minutes. You know by these (1) _____ that you have a cold, and you feel completely (2) _____. You are not sure if you will live through the day.

Everyone suffers (3) _____ the common cold at some time or other. It isn't a serious (4) _____, but over a billion dollars a year is spent on different kinds of cold medicine every year. This medicine can relieve the symptoms. That is, it can make you cough (5) _____. Make your head intense, and stop your nose (6) _____ for a while. However, it can cure your cold. So far (7) _____ no cure for the common cold and no medicine to prevent it. (8) _____ there is no cure or preventive medicine for cold, people have all kinds of ideas about (9) _____ prevent and treat cold. Some people think that if you eat a lot of onions, you won't catch cold. (10) _____ say that you should avoid getting wet and chilled or you will catch cold. However, this is apparently not so.

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| 0. | A. nose | B. face | C. head | D. mouth | 0.....A..... |
| 1. | A. diseases | B. fevers | C. cures | D. symptoms | 1..... |
| 2. | A. sad | B. hungry | C. miserable | D. thirsty | 2..... |
| 3. | A. from | B. of | C. with | D. about | 3..... |
| 4. | A. misery | B. illness | C. headache | D. wrong | 4..... |
| 5. | A. less | B. fewer | C. much | D. more | 5..... |
| 6. | A. walking | B. jogging | C. running | D. flowing | 6..... |
| 7. | A. it is | B. there is | C. they are | D. there are | 7..... |
| 8. | A. Although | B. Despite | C. In spite | D. But | 8..... |
| 9. | A. what | B. why | C. where | D. how | 9..... |
| 10. | A. Other's | B. Another | C. Others | D. Other | 10..... |

II. Fill in each blank with ONE suitable word to complete the following passage (...pts.)

Books play a very important _____(1) in our life. It's true that every family _____(2) books. We can _____(3) books everywhere. We can _____(4) many things from books. Books _____(5) us in self-education and deciding _____(6) in life.

Today there are a lot of public _____(7) in our country and all people have the right to _____(8) them.

Each year hundreds of new books for _____(9) appear in Vietnam. The books are very _____(10) and children like reading them very much.

1. _____	2. _____	3. _____	4. _____	5. _____
6. _____	7. _____	8. _____	9. _____	10. _____

III. Read the following passage and answer the questions (...pts.)

When people talk about Nha Trang, the biggest city in Khanh Hoa Province, they often think of a tropical paradise. Nha Trang is famous for seaside resort. It has long coastline with beautiful white sandy beaches.

In the morning and afternoon, tourists can take part in various fascinating outdoor activities such as mud bathing, swimming, snorkeling or scuba diving. Snorkeling and scuba diving are both interesting sports, as swimmers may swim underwater and admire the lives at the bottom of the sea. Beside tourists can also take boat trips to the islands. One of the most enjoyable trips is the trip to Mieu Island, where Tri Nguyen Aquarium was built in 1999. This aquarium is now home to different kinds of colorful fish and even a few sharks.

In addition, tourists can spend an evening visit a fishing village, where they could get a taste of the local seafood. There are crabs, shrimps, lobsters, clams, oysters and several other kinds of fish – all are fresh and delicious.

1. According to the passage, Nha Trang is famous for _____. 1.....

A. its fresh and delicious seafood.

C. its tropical climate.

2. Tourists can take part in some outdoor activities such as _____.

A. visiting Nha Trang Pasteur Institute.

C. visiting Tri Nguyen Aquarium.

3. At Tri Nguyen Aquarium, visitors can enjoy

A. watching a few sharks only.

C. watching sharks and various kinds of colorful fish.

4. At a fishing village, tourists can

A. get a taste of the local seafood.

C. catch the fish and cook them

5. Which of the following sentences is NOT true about Nha Trang according to the passage? 5.....

A. Nha Trang is a nice seaside resort.

C. Most tourists are interested in snorkelling.

B. seaside resorts

D. the friendliness of its people.

2.....

B. eating the local seafood.

D. scuba diving

3.....

B. swimming underwater and admiring the fish.

D. feeding the fish.

4.....

B. choose crabs, shrimps.

D. enjoy fishing.

PART D. WRITING

I. Complete the second sentence using the word given, so that it has a similar meaning to the first one (...pts.)

1. It took Mr Hoang half an hour to walk to work yesterday.

→Mr Hoang spent.....

2. What is the price of this pair of shoes?

→How much.....?

3. Mai is the youngest of the three girls.

→Mai is.....

4. Her sister cooks well.

→Her sister is.....

5. They think that learning English is not easy.

→They think that it.....

6. I like listening to music more than watching TV.

→I prefer.....

7. Lap is the most intelligent in his class

→No one.....

8. Can you tell me the width of the West Lake?

→Can you tell me how.....?

9. Walking is the most popular activity at my school.

→Other activities are.....

10. Mr. Thanh couldn't enjoy the meal because of the stomachache.

→The stomachache prevented.....

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