

- I. Read the following passage and circle the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 31 to 35.

Physical activity is the (1) _____ obvious benefit of sports participation. Children often spend too much time watching television or (2) _____ video games. But sports practices and games provide an opportunity to exercise that can help keep kids in shape and healthy.

Sports participation can help children develop social skills that will benefit them (3) _____ their entire lives. They learn to interact not only with other children of their age, (4) _____ also with older individuals in their coaches and sports officials. Kids learn leadership skills, team-building skills and communication skills that will help them in school, their future (5) _____ and personal relationships.

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| 1. A. more | B. much | C. most | D. least |
| 2. A. doing | B. playing | C. paying | D. watching |
| 3. A. with | B. on | C. at | D. throughout |
| 4. A. and | B. so | C. but | D. then |
| 5. A. world | B. career | C. game | D. shape |

Circle A, B, C or D for each question to complete

- I. Read the text and decide which answer best fits each numbered blank.

Our teacher always motivates us to take part in the sports activity, quiz competitions, oral and written (1) _____, debates, scouting, group discussion and other activities in the school. Our class teacher teaches us to maintain discipline of the school and (2) _____ the school things clean (3) _____ tidy. Our principal (4) _____ us motivational messages daily on the stage of prayer. We learn to be honest, truthful, obedient and sincere in our whole (5) _____. We learn how to concentrate (6) _____ the study in the class room. Our school organizes a quiz competition, dance (7) _____ and sports competition annually which is compulsory for (8) _____ to participate.

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| 1. A. activities | B. act | C. action | D. active |
| 2. A. keep | B. keeps | C. to keep | D. keeping |
| 3. A. to | B. and | C. or | D. with |
| 4. A. to tell | B. tell | C. telling | D. tells |
| 5. A. live | B. lives | C. living | D. life |
| 6. A. in | B. on | C. by | D. by |
| 7. A. competition | B. competitive | C. compete | D. competing |
| 8. A. we | B. us | C. our | D. ours |

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- IV. Read the following passage and choose the word or phrases marked A, B, C or D that best fits each of the blank space.

John F. Kennedy and Abraham Lincoln lived in different times and had very different family. Kennedy lived in the 20th century; Lincoln lived in the 19th century. Kennedy (1)_____ from a rich family, but Lincoln's family was not (2)_____. Because Kennedy came from a wealthy family, he was able to attend expensive private schools. He (3)_____ from Harvard University. Lincoln, on the other hand, had only one year of formal schooling. In spite of his lack of formal schooling, he (4)_____ a well-known lawyer. He taught himself law by (5)_____ law books. Lincoln was, in other words, a self-educated man.

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| 1. A. went | B. got | C. came | D. belonged |
| 2. A. wealthy | B. healthy | C. poor | D. good |
| 3. A. graduate | B. graduates | C. graduating | D. graduated |
| 4. A. got | B. became | C. wanted | D. hired |
| 5. A. read | B. reads | C. reading | D. to read |

1. Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D for each of the gaps to complete the following text.

I'm planning my holiday (1) _____ next summer and I don't know whether I should have a lazy holiday or an exciting one. Last year I went on holiday to southern Spain with my best friends, Joanna and Ling. We stayed in a brilliant four-star hotel, which had three swimming pools. It was quite expensive but we really enjoyed ourselves and we all got great suntans! This year, Joanna is going (2) _____ with her parents to Greece so it'll be just Ling and me. Ling wants us to go on an adventure (3) _____ in Africa. We will go (4) _____ in the desert and sleep out in the open. She thinks that it will be (5) _____ and better than having a lazy holiday (6) _____ we will learn about the world around us and see some wild animals. I'm not sure whether I want to go to Africa. For me, a holiday means relaxing on a beach, not trekking across the middle of nowhere. Ling also expects (7) _____ elephants and zebras and have some amazing experiences. I think she's bored of lying (8) _____ the sun all day and fancies a change. I've got to make up my mind by next Monday at the latest so that she can book the tickets. It might cost £1,400 each to go to Africa, but less than half that amount for two weeks in Portugal.

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| 1. A. in | B. for | C. at | D. during |
| 2. A. out | B. in | C. away | D. into |
| 3. A. holiday | B. voyage | C. festival | D. traveling |
| 4. A. walk | B. walking | C. walks | D. walked |
| 5. A. interest | B. interests | C. interested | D. interesting |
| 6. A. when | B. because | C. while | D. so |
| 7. A. see | B. seeing | C. to see | D. saw |
| 8. A. out | B. in | C. away | D. into |

Bill Gates

Bill Gates is a very important person in the computer industry. He is a chief executive officer of Microsoft Corporation. He is also one of the richest person in the United States. How did he do it?

He learned a lot from his parents. While Bill was going to school, his father went to college, got a degree, and became a successful lawyer. From this, Bill learned that you have to work hard if you want something. His mother was a very busy teacher, but she also enjoyed going to parties. From this, he learned something else. If you work hard and play hard, you have to make a schedule.

When Bill was young, he spent a lot of time alone. While most of his friends were playing, Bill read all of the *World Book Encyclopedia* and finished it when he was 8 years old. Bill's childhood was not all work; however, he used to play sports – swimming, water skiing, tennis. He was very serious about sport. He loved winning and hated losing. He thought that every home was going to have a computer, and every computer would need software - his software. He said, "I'm going to make my first million dollars on software by the time I'm 25". And he did!

1. What lessons did Bill learn from his father?
 - A. work hard
 - B. go to college
 - C. get a degree
 - D. be a lawyer
2. What lessons did he learn from his mother?
 - A. be a teacher
 - B. be busy
 - C. make a schedule
 - D. go to the parties
3. Which book did Bill read when he was young?
 - A. all of the books about Encyclopedia
 - B. all of the world book
 - C. the whole of World Book Encyclopedia
 - D. the whole Encyclopedia
4. How serious was he about sports?
 - A. hates losing
 - B. loves winning
 - C. plays three sports
 - D. A and B
5. How did he earn his money?
 - A. sells computer to every home
 - B. sells software to every home
 - C. makes million when 25 years old
 - D. playing sports