

UNIT 1

MY HOBBIES

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

1. a. exciting b. excellent c. experience d. expensive
2. a. hobby b. cycle c. bye d. why
3. a. pottery b. collect c. melody d. monopoly
4. a. heard b. bird c. world d. picture
5. a. bird-watching b. children c. school d. challenge

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

1. My father can make beautiful pieces of art _____ empty eggshells.
a. of b. from c. in d. into
2. Why don't you take _____ a new hobby?
a. up b. in c. over d. after
3. Collecting cars is a(n) _____ hobby. It costs a lot of money.
a. interesting b. cheap c. expensive d. unusual
4. More people are _____ birds today than ever before.
a. seeing b. looking c. hearing d. watching
5. Do you enjoy _____ board games?
a. play b. to play c. playing d. played
6. Be careful not to drop it; it's very _____.
a. unique b. fragile c. difficult d. unusual
7. Sam and I _____ the same hobby. We both like playing computer games.
a. share b. play c. do d. work
8. I hope he'll teach me _____ to do eggshell carving.
a. what b. where c. how d. when
9. _____ have you had your hobby? ~ For three years.
a. How much b. How long c. How often d. When
10. 'I think model making is an expensive hobby.' '_____ it's incredibly cheap.'
a. You're right b. Certainly c. No matter d. Not at all

IV. Complete the sentences with the correct form or tense of the verb *play, go, do* or *collect*.

1. He _____ tennis with his father every Sunday.
2. We _____ camping in Dam Sen Park next Saturday.
3. _____ you _____ coins some day in the future?
4. Do you want _____ a jigsaw puzzle with me?
5. I enjoy _____ cycling at the weekend.
6. My uncle _____ karate when he was young.
7. The children _____ volleyball on the beach at the moment.

8. When I'm waiting for the train, I usually _____ crosswords.
9. She dislikes _____ chess because she finds it boring.
10. I _____ books since I was ten years old.

V. Supply the correct form of the words in brackets.

1. Rossie has a large _____ (collect) of dolls.
2. A _____ is someone who enjoys watching birds. (birdwatch)
3. My sister's hobby is _____. She took a lot of nice photos. (photo)
4. I find woodcarving _____ because it's a creative activity. (interest)
5. _____ eggshells are unique gifts for family and friends. (carve)
6. A hobby is an _____ that you do for pleasure. (act)
7. I think collecting glass bottles is _____. (usual)
8. Susan is very _____ and she paints very well. (create)

VI. There is one mistake in each sentence. Underline and correct the mistake.

1. Nam is my classmates. He watches TV every night. _____
2. I think collecting stamps are interesting. _____
3. My dad cooks very good. He loves preparing meals for our family. _____
4. I enjoy to ride my bike to school. _____
5. We usually go in a small lake out of the city at weekends. _____
6. Do you still play football next year? _____
7. We like doing fishing because it is relaxing. _____
8. Do you think bird-watching interesting? _____

VIII. Choose the word which best fits each gap.

Many people (1) _____ crafting with paper. The materials are readily available and don't cost much; and no super special talents is needed. Anyone (2) _____ be a paper crafter.

There are many different paper craft techniques. Origami is one of ancient techniques developed in Japan where squares of paper are (3) _____ and formed into various objects such as flowers, animals, and boxes. Card (4) _____ is also a favourite paper craft technique. Birthday cards are the most popular greeting cards, followed by Christmas cards. Receiving a (5) _____ card is a special gift, because of the time and effort someone spent making it. It lets the recipient know just how much you care (8) _____ them.

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| 1. a. enjoy | b. decide | c. want | d. learn |
| 2. a. must | b. should | c. can | d. will |
| 3. a. wrapped | b. folded | c. torn | d. taken |
| 4. a. making | b. doing | c. changing | d. receiving |
| 5. a. handmade | b. handmaking | c. handmade | d. making hand |
| 6. a. in | b. on | c. over | d. about |