

UNIT 1 MY NEW SCHOOL

I. Choose the word having the underlined part pronounced differently in each line.

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| 1. A. homework | B. judo | C. compass | D. overseas |
| 2. A. show | B. snow | C. bowl | D. now |
| 3. A. notebook | B. love | C. above | D. Monday |
| 4. A. activity | B. creative | C. continuous | D. international |
| 5. A. surround | B. counting | C. country | D. about |

II. Single-underline all the words having sounds /əʊ/ and double-underline the words having sound /ʌ/ in the following talk.



- Duong: Hello, Frankie. Come here.
 Frankie: What is it, Duong?
 Duong: Look out of the window. It's great fun.
 Frankie: No, I'm going to sleep.
 Duong: Don't go to sleep. Look at the snow.
 Frankie: Snow? But it's only October.
 Duong: Come over the window. There's some snow.
 Frankie: You're joking. There's no snow, I know.
 Duong: OK, Frankie. I'll put on a coat and go out and make snowballs ...

III. Write the names of these things under the pictures.

Example:



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IV. Put the verbs in brackets in the present simple tense.

At a Physics Lesson



At the Physics lesson the teacher (1. ask) _____ the children about the influence of heat and cold on the body.

"Heat (2. make) _____ thing bigger and cold (3. make) _____ things smaller", answers a boy.

"Quite right", (4. say) _____ the teacher. "Can you (5. give) _____ an example".

"In summer, when it's hot, the days (6. be) _____ longer, but in winter, when it's cold, the days (7. be) _____ shorter, (8. answer) _____ the boy.

V. Use the correct tense of the verbs in brackets to complete the sentences.

1. We (have) English lessons on Tuesday and Friday.

2. - Where is Phong?
- I think he (read) in the library.
3. Chau usually (listen) to the teacher in class, but she is not listening now; she (look) out of the window.
4. If the pupils do well at school, they (receive) scholarships.
5. Who (play) music upstairs? It's really noisy.
6. It (start) raining on our way home, but luckily I had my umbrella in my bag.
7. I wasn't sure of the answer, so I (guess) and I (be) right!
8. I (do) my exercise now, but I can come and help you later.

VI. Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to finish the sentences.

1. - "..... class are you in?" - "Class 6B."
A. Which B. Where C. When D. Whose
2. In many schools in Vietnam students have to wear a
A. clothing B. suit C. uniform D. coat
3. Trung: "Why do you think most people learn English?"
Phong: "....."
A. All of them are B. I hear it is very good
C. Because it's useful to them D. Because I like it
4. When my friend misses the lessons, I always him my notes.
A. takes B. send C. borrow D. lend
5. That is the laboratory we do all our experiments.
A. which B. where C. when D. that
6. I'm absolutely no good at all any kind of sport.
A. with B. on C. at D. for
7. - "How's your class this year?"
- "Great. forty-seven students, and they are good friends."
A. It's B. They're C. There's D. There're
8. It is necessary for students to listen to their teacher
A. attentive B. attentively C. attention D. attending

9. Children will work hard if the lessons are _____.
A. nice B. pleasant C. disappointing D. interesting
10. I'm always nervous when I'm _____ an exam.
A. taking B. making C. working D. writing

VII. Complete each of the sentences by using the correct form of a verb in each gap.

*Example: - How do you _spell_ your name, please?
 - H-I-E-N.*

1. Sometimes we _____ a dictation in English.
2. Mick does not do very well in the class because he doesn't _____ hard.
3. I'm sorry I cannot _____ any musical instruments.
4. The science teacher always sets a lot of homework for us to _____.
5. You are old enough to _____ after yourself; Don't ask your parents to _____ everything for you.
6. The teacher says that I _____ only a few mistakes in my writing this time.
7. - "Would you _____ something to drink, Linh?"
 - "No, thanks."
8. Dave _____ overweight, but he doesn't like it when his classmates _____ him "Fatty".

VIII. Fill each blank with a word to finish the passage.

My name is Hoa. I'm in the sixth (1) at Nguyen Binh Khiem Secondary School. I like to learn Mathematics because it (2) me to develop my thinking. I spend much of my time (3) Maths exercises. I often (4) mark 9 and 10 in Maths tests. I don't (5) English because remembering English words and structures (6) very difficult for me. But I think I have to work harder at English. My teacher encourages me a lot. She (7) me some English books, and she shows me how to remember words better. I hope that my (8) will be better in the second semester.

IX. Give the correct form of the word given to complete the sentences.

Example: Knowing English well is very (use)
→ useful

- Children look very (excite) while playing games during break time.
- The (long) of the experiment is 20 minutes.
- My aunt works as a (chemistry) at a university.
- Pupils are very interested in outside class (act)
- Some people play sport to be (health), not because they like it.
- Sometimes we are bored and (sleep) with his long lectures.
- Students of our school are (friend) with one another.
- When foreigners talk to him, he can speak English (easy) with them.
- Be (care)! The ground is very wet and slippery.
- I like the fried chicken in our school canteen: it's really (taste)



X. Read the passage and choose the correct answer for each question.



School of the Air

Many of us may be surprised to hear the name "School of the air", but there are over ten of **them** in Australia. Alice Springs School of the Air is one of these in the Northern Territory. The school provides an educational services for about 120 children living in Central Australia.

Students of this school live far from each other, so they don't have normal lessons in classrooms, but they study at their homes. They get lessons from their teachers through post or e-mail. They have to work five or six hours a day, five days a week. They send their work to the teachers and discuss it over the Internet. They can borrow books from the school library, and the books arrive by post. They also take part in outside classroom activities such as sports and games.

1. Alice Springs School of the Air teaches children in _____.
A. Central Australia
B. Northern Australia
C. all Australia
2. Students get their lessons from their teachers _____.
A. through post or e-mail
B. through TV network
C. in classrooms
3. Which of the following is NOT true?
A. Students don't have lessons at weekends.
B. Students can read books in the library.
C. Students can play sports and games.
4. The word "them" in the first paragraph refers to _____.
A. many of us
B. schools in general
C. schools of the air
5. What is the passage mainly about?
A. Schools in Australia
B. A special kind of school

C. A good way of learning

XI. Complete the second sentence so that it has similar meaning to the first sentence.

1. Is there a computer room at your school?

Does ..?

2. Both Maths and English are interesting to him.

He is ..

3. Hoa's school has more than 500 students.

There ..

4. Janet doesn't like watching sports on TV.

Janet is not keen ..

5. How much time do you spend learning English every day?

How long does ..?

XII. Write a paragraph of about 80 words on the advantages of wearing uniform to school, using the following, or/ and your own ideas.

- students don't have to waste time choosing clothing before school
- no differences between rich and poor students
- good behaviour
- students feel proud of their school

GAME: Try to find the names of eight school subjects in the box.

C	H	D	B	J	L	I	T	E	R	A	T	U	R	E
G	O	F	A	T	O	P	H	D	K	Z	R	O	R	I
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G	O	O	J	A	C	E	N	G	L	I	S	H	I	R
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