

Part III. Listening Comprehension:

Listen to each recording and choose the correct answer.

1.

1. How many nuts do you need to eat to get health benefits?

- A lot of nuts every day.
- A big amount of nuts, walnuts, peanuts and chestnuts.
- You do not need to eat many nuts.

2. Eating nuts protects specially the health of _____.

- men.
- women.
- both men and women.

3. How many grams of nuts per day is enough to get the full health benefits?

- About 5.
- About 10.
- About 20.

4. Why is peanut butter not recommended?

- Because it contains added oils and sugars.
- Because it is more expensive.
- Because it is made from roasted nuts.

5. Walnuts are loaded with _____.

- antioxidants.
- vitamins.
- calories.

2. .

1. Petroleum was used in ancient times for making
 - roads.
 - cars.
 - rolls.
2. Petroleum comes from the remains of
 - ancient times.
 - plants and animals.
 - dinosaurs and other animals.
3. The modern history of oil started in
 - 1800.
 - 1850.
 - 1980.
4. John D. Rockefeller entered the oil business in
 - the early 1816.
 - the early 1860s.
 - 1870.
5. The company Standard Oil was divided into
 - 24 companies.
 - 34 companies.
 - 54 companies.

3. .

1. Frostbite mainly happens on
 - the legs.
 - the lips.
 - the ears.
2. If blood vessels are damaged, people can
 - suffer an infection.
 - remove fingers and toes.
 - suffer hypothermia.
3. In the C.O.L.D. steps, the C stands for
 - Cover.
 - Cold.
 - Caution.
4. _____ and cold weather are a bad mix.
 - Wet clothes
 - Warm clothes
 - Itchy clothes
5. Snow can enter through
 - the legs.
 - the wrist areas.
 - the arms.

4. .

1. Where was this lady born?

India.

England.

USA.

2. How old is she?

87.

93.

97.

3. She has been teaching yoga, full-time, since _____.

1957.

1963.

1967.

4. Even when she was ___, she won dance competitions.

65.

75.

85.

5. What is she going to do when she retire?

She will not retire.

She will travel around the world.

She will write a book.

5. .

1. The International Year of the Potato is

- 2008.
- 2009.
- 2010.

2. How many potatoes has produced the world last year?

- 320 tons.
- 320,000 tons.
- 320,000,000 tons.

3. The top producer is

- Russia.
- China.
- India.

4. This season India produced

- 8 million tons.
- 80 million tons.
- 800 million tons.

5. The first potatoes appeared in Peru

- more than 700 years ago.
- more than 7,000 years ago.
- more than 1,000 years ago.

6. .

1. How many hours per week of physical activity should elementary schools in the US give?

- two hours.
- two and a half hours.
- four hours.

2. How many hours per week of physical activity should high schools in the US give?

- four hours.
- two and a half hours.
- two hours.

3. In 2006 a study found that _____ of elementary schools provided daily physical education all year for all grades.

- 0.4%
- 4%
- 14%

4. The study also found that _____ of all schools did not require students to take any P.E.

- 8%
- 20%
- 22%

5. All parents like the idea of competitive sports in P.E. class.

- True.
- False.
- The author doesn't say.

7.

1. According to the article, there are two methods of studying a foreign language. What happens in the 'explicit method'?
 - Students do not study grammar rules.
 - Students talk with native speakers.
 - Students are taught a lot of information about grammar rules.
2. What happens in the 'implicit method'?
 - Students are taught a lot of information about grammar rules.
 - Students talk to native speakers and absorb the language that surrounds them.
 - Students are in a traditional classroom.
3. The professor says that combining the two methods is the best way to learn.
 - True.
 - False.
 - It's not said on the text.
4. The adults in the experiment learned an invented language of
 - 13 words.
 - 30 words.
 - 33 words.
5. The immersion group was able to use grammar as if they were native speakers.
 - True.
 - False.
 - It's not said on the text.

8. .

1. What time does Heather's brother arrive in town?

- 7pm Thursday
- 9pm Tuesday
- 8pm Tuesday
- 8pm Thursday

2. What are they going to do on Thursday evening?

- Go to restaurant
- Stay at home
- Go to visit friends
- Go to Melbourne

3. How long is Terry going to stay with her?

- Two weeks
- Until Friday
- Until Monday
- A week

4. What are the plans for Friday afternoon?

- Lunch at restaurant
- Picnic at beach
- Picnic in countryside
- Swimming at beach

5. What surprise does Heather have for her brother?

- A basketball match
- A party

A fishing trip
 Meeting a famous person

9. .

1. Henrietta is on the train because

she wanted to meet Alan
 she's going to work
 she's visiting a relative

2. Where did Alan go to college?

in Amsterdam
 in Rita's hometown
 we don't know

3. Who was he in Brussels with?

a relative
 a friend
 a colleague

4. Where did Alan find out about good accommodation?

from a book
 from a website
 from a friend

5. When are the two friends going to meet?

quite soon
 they couldn't decide
 they didn't speak about it