

UNIT 3: MUSIC - HOMEWORK

Exercise 1. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

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| 1. A. <u>single</u> | B. <u>music</u> | C. <u>contest</u> | D. <u>release</u> |
| 2. A. <u>version</u> | B. <u>process</u> | C. <u>modest</u> | D. <u>contestant</u> |
| 3. A. <u>enjoyed</u> | B. <u>finished</u> | C. <u>suffered</u> | D. <u>agreed</u> |
| 4. A. <u>performed</u> | B. <u>released</u> | C. <u>received</u> | D. <u>adored</u> |
| 5. A. <u>poets</u> | B. <u>flutes</u> | C. <u>organs</u> | D. <u>instruments</u> |

Exercise 2: Choose the word whose main stress pattern is not the same as that of the others.

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| 1. A. friendly | B. extra | C. along | D. orphanage |
| 2. A. interesting | B. surprising | C. amusing | D. successful |
| 3. A. understand | B. engineer | C. benefit | D. Vietnamese |
| 4. A. paper | B. tonight | C. lecture | D. story |
| 5. A. important | B. community | C. organize | D. disease |

Exercise 3. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

- I like the cover ____ of these songs more than the originals.
A. songs B. lyrics C. rhythm D. versions
- Vietnamese ____ music is extremely diverse, including Quan Ho, Dan Ca, Ca Tru, Chau Van and others.
A. country B. folk C. traditional D. gospel
- After many weeks, his solo album ____ a profound influence on the youth all over the country.
A. remains B. maintains C. becomes D. persuades
- They had a global ____ hit with their album concept about "The dark side of the Moon".
A. top B. song C. smash D. popular
- I passionately love the show "Familiar Faces" and this is the 4th ____ I've seen.
A. show B. chapter C. season D. episode
- The "Marching song" was adopted as the national ____ of Viet Nam in 1945.
A. anthem B. song C. flag D. identity
- Chopin was considered to be one of the greatest Romantic piano ____ of the 19th century.
A. singers B. writers C. composers D. poets
- This concert marks nine years since the death of Trinh Cong Son, a prominent ____ of modern Vietnamese music.
A. comedian B. actor C. contributor D. figure
- Our band needs to ____ our nerves to perform in this music competition.
A. control B. conquer C. calm D. lose
- The best singer ____ went to Alan Walker for "Faded".
A. rank B. prize C. reward D. award

Exercise 4. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

- This story with tragic ending made me crying.
A B C D
- After a two-hour discussion, we decided to expanding the car market in America.

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D. That was nice of them

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to philosophical symbolism. It is ironic that the novel that served to diminish Melville's popularity during his lifetime is the one for which he is best known today.

1. The main subject of the passage is _____.
 - A. Melville's travels
 - B. The popularity of Melville's novels
 - C. Melville's personal background
 - D. Moby Dick
2. According to the passage, Melville's early novels were _____.
 - A. published while he was travelling
 - B. completely fictional
 - C. all about his work on whaling ships
 - D. based on his travels
3. In what year did Melville's book about his experience as a cabin boy appear?
 - A. 1837
 - B. 1841
 - C. 1847
 - D. 1849
4. The word "**basis**" in line 4 is closest in meaning to _____.
 - A. foundation
 - B. message
 - C. bottom
 - D. theme
5. The passage implies that Melville stayed in Tahiti because _____.
 - A. He had unofficially left his ship
 - B. He was on leave while his ship was in port
 - C. He had finished his term of duty
 - D. He had received permission to take a vacation in Tahiti
6. A "**frigate**" in line 8 is probably _____.
 - A. an office
 - B. a ship
 - C. a troop
 - D. a train
7. How did the publication of *Moby Dick* affect Melville's popularity?
 - A. His popularity increased immediately
 - B. It had no effect on his popularity
 - C. It caused his popularity to decrease
 - D. His popularity remained as strong as ever
8. According to the passage, *Moby Dick* is _____.
 - A. a romantic novel
 - B. a single-faceted work
 - C. a short story about a whale
 - D. a symbolic of humanity fighting the environment
9. The word "**metamorphosis**" in the paragraph is closet in meaning to _____.
 - A. circle
 - B. change
 - C. mysticism
 - D. descent
10. The passage would most likely be assigned reading in a course on _____.
 - A. nineteenth-century novels
 - B. American history
 - C. oceanography
 - D. modern American literatur

PART IV. WRITING

Exercise 7: Give the correct form of the words.

1. I try not to remember this (1) _____ experience that only leaves me with unhappy thoughts. (fright)
2. Films festivals are (2) _____ divided into categories like drama, documentary or animation. (typical)
3. A lot of toys encourage children's (3) _____. (imagine)
4. She has one of the biggest art (4) _____ in Britain. (collect)
5. According to some scientists the earth is losing its outer atmosphere because of (5) _____. (pollute)
6. Don't worry. I'll be waiting for you at the (6) _____ to the pagoda. (enter)
7. The old theater of our city is being enlarged and (7) _____. (modern)

8. (8) _____ are alarmed by the rate at which tropical rainforests are being destroyed. (conserve)
9. The athletes take part in the World Cup tournament in the true spirit of (9) _____. (sport)
10. He doesn't want to stay behind his father's (10) _____. (famous)

Exercise 8: Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Use the word given and other words to complete each sentence.

1. He got down writing a letter as soon as he returned from his work.
→ No sooner _____
2. What a pity they closed the shop at lunch time.
→ I wish _____
3. Please don't ask me that question.
→ I'd rather _____
4. We didn't find out about the meeting until he phoned us.
→ It was not _____
5. David went home before I arrived.
→ When I arrived, _____

Exercise 9: Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Use the word given and other words to complete each sentence.

1. Alice and Charles did not decide to move to a bigger house until after the birth of their second child.
→ Only when _____
2. We didn't have managed without my father's money.
→ If it _____
3. No one has tidied this room for 3 months.
→ This _____
4. Although Judy was severely disabled, she participated in many sports.
→ Despite _____
5. This will be the orchestra's first performance outside London.
→ This will be the first time _____

Exercise 10: Fill in each blank with a suitable word.

In these days of high unemployment, it is often difficult (1) _____ young people to find a job. If they are lucky (2) _____ to be asked to go for an interview, they may find (3) _____ there are at least twenty other applicants for the (4) _____. If a company is thinking of offering (5) _____ a job, they will ask you for at least one reference from either your previous employer (6) _____ someone who know you well. (7) _____ taking up your job, you may have to sign a contract. You will probably have to do some training, (8) _____ helps you to do the job more successfully. Once you have to decide that this is your chosen career, you will then have to work (9) _____ to try and get promotion, which usually brings more responsibility and money! If you are unlucky, you may be made redundant and not be able to find (10) _____ job. It is also a good idea to pay some money into a pension scheme, which will help you to look after yourself and your family when you are retired. Finally, good luck.