

Mid Semester Test

A. Choose the correct answer by crossing (X) a, b, c, or d.

The following text is for question number 1 to 5.

The legend of Lau Kawar Lake

It was a beautiful day. Everybody in the Kawar village was happy. The farmers had just had their best harvest. The villagers were planning to hold a party to celebrate the good harvest. On one beautiful day, all the villagers gathered in a field. They wore beautiful dresses and made delicious food. Everybody was having good times! They were singing, laughing and, of course, eating delicious food.

Did everyone go to the party? Unfortunately, there was one old woman still staying at her house. She was too old and weak to go to the party. Her son, her daughter-in-law, and her grandchildren all went to the party. At home, the old woman felt very sad and lonely. She was very hungry too. She tried to find some food in the kitchen, but she was very disappointed. Her daughter-in-law did not cook that day. At the party, the son asked her wife, "Why don't you take some food from the party and give it to my mom? Ask our son to deliver it." Then the little boy brought the food to her grandmother. The old woman was so happy. But her happiness turned into sadness when she saw the food was not in a good condition. It seemed that someone had eaten the food. She just got little rice and fish bones.

The old woman was very sad. She thought bad things about her son. The old woman did not know that it was her grandson who had eaten the food on the way from the party to the house. She cursed her son. Then, a terrible thing happened. There was a great earthquake! Thunders struck the village. And heavy rains started to fall. All the villagers were so scared. They wanted to save themselves. They tried to find shelters. Slowly, the field turned into a lake. The lake was getting bigger and bigger, and finally the whole village turned into a big lake. People then named the lake Lau Kawar.

1. Why did the villagers hold a party?
 - a. Because they had a good harvest.
 - b. It was the village's anniversary.
 - c. The elders had just established it.
 - d. They just wanted to have fun.

2. Why did the old woman feel disappointed?
 - a. Her daughter in law did not cook.
 - b. She was reluctant to go to the party.
 - c. She just wanted to take a rest.
 - d. She didn't know what to do.
3. Who ate the old woman's food?
 - a. Her husband.
 - b. Her son.
 - c. Her daughter in law.
 - d. Her grandchild.
4. Look at the following statements.
 - (1) The old woman misunderstood about who ate his food.
 - (2) The old woman didn't want to live with her son.
 - (3) The old woman was the only one who stayed at home
 - (4) The old woman's grandchildren were naughty.
 - (5) The old woman was angry towards her son.

The correct statements based on the text above are shown in number (HOTS)

- a. (1), (2), and (3)
 - b. (1), (2), and (4)
 - c. (1), (3), and (5)
 - d. (1), (4), and (5)
5. They tried to find shelters.
The underlined has the same meaning with
 - a. shield
 - b. house
 - c. townhall
 - d. hut
 6. English ... at state schools as a compulsory lesson for 20 years until last year.
 - a. is taught
 - b. has been taught
 - c. was being taught
 - d. is being taught
 7. Look at the following sentences.
 - (1) I have been here since three years ago.
 - (2) Nurma has been called by Budi.
 - (3) She is being taught knitting by her grandmother.
 - (4) She didn't know who did this.
 - (5) She was chased by someone yesterday.

The correct passive voice are shown in number (HOTS)

- a. (1), (2), and (3)
 - b. (1), (2) and (4)
 - c. (2), (3), and (4)
 - d. (2), (3), and (5)
8. Nothing ... because it was very foggy and raining heavily.
- a is seen
 - b wasn't seen
 - c could be seen
 - d didn't see
9. The colorful wearing ... together with the white colored wearing.
- a should not be washed
 - b could be washed
 - c should wash
 - d should not wash
10. Every year millions of trees ... and ... in making furniture.
- a have been cut down / used
 - b are cut down / used
 - c were cut down/ were used
 - d is being cut down / use