

I. THEORY

PREPOSITIONS OF TIME

1. Prepositions of time _____

2. Language development

Words	Meanings
	Ngoại trừ

		Trì hoãn
		Đặt (ở vị trí)
		Đổi mới, cải tiến
Promise (v)		
Exhibition (n)		
		Đăng ký

II. HOMEWORK

► **Exercise 1. Choose the correct answer.**

1the division hired temporary workers to complete the project, the company saved more money.

- A. So
- B. Although
- C. And

2. Our supervisor found a number of mistakes.....we carefully checked all the figures.....

- A. as soon as
- B. so
- C. although
- D. as

3.a downturn in the market, considerable downsizing is still needed to ensure our company's competitiveness.

- A. Because
- B. As
- C. Because of
- D. Although

4.tourists did not arrive in the airport on schedule, they missed their flight.

- A. Because of
- B. Because
- C. Owing to
- D. Yet



Exercise 2. Choose the correct answer.

To: Christine Late (cdata2@consumemail.com)

From: Dr. Miles Hamilton (mhamilton@hamiltonmedical.com)

Subject: Retirement

Dear Ms. Late,

My 40-year career as a physician is coming to an end(1)..... I plan to step down from my position on June.(2)..... I look forward to enjoying my golden years, I will miss my work helping patients.

As your doctor, I believe I should suggest an appropriate replacement. Therefore, I'd like to recommend Dr. Jenifer Jana. She is an excellent physician whose clinic is close to my current office. Please reply to this email as soon as possible ... (3)..... your medical records can be transferred to her in a short time.(4)....., I wish you good health and a happy future.

Best regards,

Dr. Miles Hamilton

Hamilton Medical Clinic

1.

- A. because of
- B. despite
- C. although
- D. so

3.

- A. so that
- B. in order to
- C. although
- D. despite

2.	4.
A. In spite of	A. Your chart shows a marked improvement last visit
B. as	B. Of course, I am glad that you have decided remain with me.
C. in order to	C. Otherwise, you may retrieve them from before that date
D. although	D. There are many forms of treatment for your condition

Exercise 3. Choose the correct answer.

New transit Options Coming!

City council yesterday voted to approve the proposed subway extension into the Glostrup zone of Copenhagen.(1).....This has encouraged developers to build more apartments there. Moreover, thousands of new jobs has been added.....(2)..... the creation of the nearby Albertslund Technology Park. These sponsorship opportunities have been the key to attract more people to the district.(3)..... development began, however, it will stretch the area's transit capacity to its limits, causing local residents and businesses to campaign for a subway extension. The building of the subway extension will be operational within five years(4)..... some objection of council members.

1.		3.
A. Tourism to the area has grown in recent years thanks to a popular campaign.		A. Since
B. The population in this area has been increasing because of low property costs.		B. Although
C. The district's transportation costs are increasing at an unprecedented rate.		C. Despite
D. The closure of the Glostrup line was announced two months earlier.		D. Owing to

2.

- A. in spite of
- B. thanks to
- C. in order to
- D. although

4.

- A. as
- B. despite
- C. so as to
- D. although



Exercise 4. Choose the correct answer.

Home Furnishing up to 50% Off!

Alters Department Store is having a sale on home furnishings. It's time again for our annual sale, and you can make big savings. Alters is(1).....for the high quality of its merchandise, so you can be sure you

1.

- A. know
- B. knowing
- C. knew
- D. known

are buying wisely. We are offering 20% off all silk cushion covers, 30% off the price of ready-made curtains, and an incredible 50% Persian rugs (offer applies only ticketed rugs). Our color specialists will be on hand to offer(2).....on color coordination of the items you buy. For a special reduced fee, they

2.

- A. advise
- B. advice
- C. advisory
- D. advising

visit your home to create a theme for the room of your choice. This service(3).....costs \$150 per visit,

3.

- A. as usual
- B. usually

C. unusual

D. usual

But we are offering it for the bargain price of 75\$. Hurry – these special offers will be(4).....one week only.

4.

A. in

B. of

C. for

D. from



Exercise 5. Choose the correct answer.

1. The trainPhiladelphia will leave in five minutes.

A. over

B. between

C. for

D. along

2. The meetingthe interest rate will be held this Tuesday.

A. as

B. for

C. on

D. with

3. We were surprisedthe news report.

A. in

B. at

C. for

D. as

4. All workers must submit their records to the supervisorthe end of the month.

A. for

B. in

C. by

D. to

5. You will be required to show valid identification prior to processing a refund request..... a receipt.

- A. without
- B. between
- C. along
- D. outside