

TEST 2

I. Choose the word A, B, C, or D that has a different stress pattern. (Chọn từ A, B, C hoặc D có kiểu nhấn trọng âm khác.)

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| 1. A. admire | B. explore | C. visit | D. support |
| 2. A. landscape | B. possess | C. flora | D. carry |
| 3. A. majestic | B. recognise | C. encourage | D. discover |
| 4. A. location | B. paradise | C. natural | D. tropical |
| 5. A. magnificent | B. diversity | C. sustainable | D. hesitation |

II. Read the passage and choose the correct answer to each of the questions. (Đọc đoạn văn và chọn câu trả lời đúng cho mỗi câu hỏi.)

At 2,315 miles (3,726 kilometres), the Missouri River is nearly as long as the Mississippi River, into which it flows. Together the Missouri and the Mississippi form one of the world's longest river systems.

There are seven major dams and dozens of smaller dams on the Missouri. The dams use water from the river to produce electricity. They also create reservoirs, or artificial lakes, behind them. The reservoirs store water that is needed for cities and for irrigation of crops. Irrigation is important because most of the regions around the river have fairly dry climate.

In addition to producing electricity, the dams on the Missouri are also used to control the water level of the river. Sometimes water is held back to prevent floods. At other times, water is released to keep the water level high enough for barges to float downstream.

By changing the natural flow of water in the Missouri, dams and reservoirs have altered the river's ecosystem. They have affected the depth and temperature of the water in different parts of the river. Such changes have made it difficult for some species, or types, of plants, animals, and fish to survive. A few wildlife species in the region are now endangered.

1. On the Missouri River, there are dozens of _____.
A. major dams B. small dams C. reservoirs D. crops
2. Why is it necessary sometimes to keep the water level high?
A. To produce electricity. B. To prevent floods.
C. To let barges float downstream D. To change the flow of water.
3. The word "They" in the last paragraph refers to _____.
A. dams and reservoirs B. parts of the river
C. such changes D. some species
4. Which of the following is true, according to the passage?
A. The Missouri River is longer than the Mississippi River.
B. The Missouri River flows into the Mississippi River.
C. The Mississippi River flows into the Missouri River.
D. Wildlife species in the Missouri region are dangerous.
5. What is probably the best title for the passage?
A. Producing Electricity B. Mississippi River
C. Dams on the Mississippi D. Missouri River

III. Read the passage and mark A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer that best fits each blank. (Đọc đoạn văn và đánh dấu A, B, C hoặc D để chỉ ra câu trả lời đúng phù hợp nhất với mỗi chỗ trống.)

Mount Everest (Mt. Everest) is the highest mountain (1)_____ the world. It is 8,848 metres high. Mt. Everest was first climbed in 1953 by Edmund Hillary and Tenzing Norgay. Every year, a lot of people want to climb Mt. Everest. It is very dangerous to climb Mt. Everest. The air is very (2) _____ and cold. Most people carry bottles of oxygen; they could die without it. When the oxygen bottles are empty, people throw them on the ground. (3) _____ strong winds rip their tents, people leave them behind. They do not have the energy to take the rubbish away.

They only have enough energy to go down the mountain (4)
_____.

Rubbish is a terrible problem. Since people first began to climb Mt. Everest, they have left tons and tons of rubbish on the mountain. Several groups have climbed the mountain just to (5) _____ the rubbish. When people plan to climb the mountain, they have to plan to take away their rubbish.

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| 1. A. on | B. in | C. for | D. to |
| 2. A. thin | B. pleasant | C. thick | D. light |
| 3. A. Unless | B. Until | C. When | D. Before |
| 4. A. freely | B. simply | C. carefully | D. safely |
| 5. A. get out | B. pick up | C. take off | D. turn down |

III. WRITING

A. Rewrite the sentences in direct questions. Look at the example. (Viết lại câu trong câu hỏi trực tiếp. Nhìn vào ví dụ.)

Example: I asked Chris if he travelled every summer.

- "Do you travel every summer, Chris?"

1. The teacher asked me if I was sure about those results.

2. I asked the guide whether I could do the shopping when I was there.

3. Lewis wanted to know if Kevin was touring Siem Reap and Tonlé Sap Lake.

4. I wanted to know whether Sue would leave for Brazil the next month.



5. She asked me if the tour guide spoke Spanish.

B. Choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words / phrases given. (Chọn A, B, C hoặc D để chỉ ra câu được viết đúng nhất từ các từ/ cụm từ đã cho.)

1. you / have / passport you / now , /?

A. "Are you having your passport with you now?"

B. "Do you have your passport with you now?"

C. "You have a passport for you now?"

D. "Can you have a passport with you now?"

2. we / go Mount Fansipan / train / .

A. I wanted to know whether we could go to Mount Fansipan by train.

B. We said whether we could go to Mount Fansipan by train.

C. I wondered where we could go to Mount Fansipan by train.

D. We asked could we go to Mount Fansipan on a train.

3. hilltop / get / good / view / our village / .

A. The hilltop can make our village views better.

B. On the hilltop, our village can be viewed very well.

C. From the hilltop, we can get a better view of our village.

D. From the hilltop, our village can get a better view.

4. clown / look / funny / can't help burst out / laugh / ,

A. The clown looks very funny, so we can't help burst out laughing.

B. Clowns looked so funny, and we can't help burst out laughing.



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- C. The clown looked funny, and we couldn't help bursting out laughing.
- D. A clown looks SO funny that we can't help to burst out laughing.
5. guard / not permit / enter / cave / without / tour guide / .
- A. A guard does not permit you to enter the cave without a tour guide.
- B. The guard does not permit you enter the cave without a tour guide.
- C. The guard did not permit you entering the cave without a tour guide.
- D. The guard will not permit you to enter the cave without a tour guide.