

MY HOBBIES (UNIT 1)

A. NEW WORDS, STRUCTURES, GRAMMAR AND PRONUNCIATION

I. New words

<i>Hobby (n)</i>	/ˈhɒbi/	Sở thích	<i>Doll (n)</i>	/dɒl/	Búp bê
<i>Usual (adj)</i> / <i>unusual (adj)</i>	/ˈjuːʒl/ / ʌnˈjuːʒuəl/	Thông thường / Khác thường	<i>Occasion (n) + on</i>	/əˈkeɪʒn/	Dịp
<i>Climb (v)</i> / <i>Climber (n)</i> / <i>Climbing (n)</i>	/klaɪm/ / ˈklaɪmɪŋ/	Trèo, leo (v) / Người leo trèo / Sự leo trèo	<i>Arrange (v)</i> / <i>Arrangement (n)</i>	/əˈreɪndʒ/ / əˈreɪndʒmənt/	Sắp xếp (v)
<i>Art gallery (n)</i>	/ɑːt/ ˈgæləri/	Phòng trưng bày nghệ thuật	<i>Paint (v)</i> / <i>Painting (n)</i>	/peɪnt/	Sơn, vẽ (v) / Sự vẽ, bức họa
<i>Pottery (n)</i>	/ˈpɒtəri/	Đồ gốm	<i>Model (n)</i>	/ˈmɒdl/	Mô hình
<i>Carve (v)</i> / <i>Carving (n)</i> / <i>Carved (adj)</i>	/kɑːv/	Khắc, chạm (v) / Nghệ thuật chạm khắc	<i>Take up (a hobby)</i> = start		Bắt đầu (1 sở thích)
<i>Collect (v)</i> / <i>Collection (n)</i> / <i>Collector (n)</i>	/kəˈlekt/ / kəˈlekʃn/ / kəˈlektə(r)/	Sưu tầm (v) / Sự sưu tập, bộ sưu tập / Người sưu tầm	<i>Do</i> judo / karate / gymnastics / gardening / athletics	/ˈdʒuːdʒʊ/ / kəˈrɑːti/ / dʒɪmˈnæstɪks/ / ˈgɑːdnɪŋ/ / æθˈletɪks/	Tập Judo / karate / Tập thể dục / Làm vườn / Điền kinh
<i>A piece of cake</i>		Dễ ợt	<i>Fragile (adj)</i>	/ˈfrædʒaɪl/	Dễ vỡ
<i>Strange (adj)</i>	/streɪndʒ/	Lạ	<i>Share (v)</i>	/ʃeə(r)/	Chia sẻ
<i>Bird-watching (n)</i>	/bɜːd/	Quan sát chim	<i>Eggshell (n)</i>	/ˈegʃəl/	Vỏ trứng
<i>Melody (n)</i>	/ˈmelədi/	Giai điệu	<i>Monopoly (n)</i>	/məˈnɒpəli/	Cờ tỷ phú
<i>Play football (soccer)</i> / <i>basketball</i> / <i>badminton</i> / <i>baseball</i> / <i>volleyball</i> / <i>table tennis</i> / <i>board games</i> / <i>the guitar</i> / <i>the piano</i>	/ˈfʊtbɔːl/ / ˈbɑːskɪtbɔːl/ / ˈbædmɪntən/ / ˈbeɪsbɔːl/ / ˈvɒlibɔːl/ / ˈteɪbl/ ˈtenɪs/ / bɔːd/ ˈgeɪmz/ / ɡɪˈtɑː(r)/ / piˈænəʊ/	Chơi bóng đá / Bóng rổ / Cầu lông / Bóng chày / Bóng chuyền / Bóng bàn / Trò chơi trên bàn cờ / Chơi ghi ta / Chơi piano	<i>Go</i> swimming / running / sailing / motor racing / skiing / ice-skating / fishing / camping / surfing / mountain climbing / horse-riding	/ˈseɪlɪŋ/ / ˈməʊtə(r)/ ˈreɪsɪŋ/ / ˈskiːɪŋ/ / aɪs/ ˈskeɪtɪŋ/ / ˈfɪʃɪŋ/ / ˈkæmpɪŋ/ / ˈsɜːfɪŋ/ ˈmaʊntən/ / ˈhɔːrs/ ˈraɪdɪŋ/	Bơi / Chạy / Đi thuyền buồm / Đua mô tô / Trượt tuyết / Trượt băng / Câu cá / Cắm trại / Lướt sóng / Leo núi / Cưỡi ngựa

II. Grammar:

1) Verbs of liking

- love / like / enjoy / prefer + V-ing
- hate / dislike + V-ing

2) Find *st / doing st + adj*)(*think that st / doing st is + adj*



Ex: I find swimming interesting = I think that swimming is interesting.

B. EXERCISES

I. Choose the word having the underlined part pronounced differently in each line.

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| 1. A. <u>h</u> ear <u>d</u> | B. <u>p</u> ear <u>l</u> | C. <u>h</u> ear <u>t</u> | D. <u>e</u> ar <u>th</u> |
| 2. A. <u>b</u> utton | B. <u>c</u> irc <u>u</u> s | C. <u>s</u> ugg <u>e</u> st | D. fut <u>u</u> re |
| 3. A. sof <u>a</u> | B. <u>a</u> way | C. banan <u>a</u> | D. occas <u>i</u> on |
| 4. A. <u>b</u> ur <u>s</u> t | B. <u>c</u> ur <u>t</u> ain | C. <u>f</u> urnit <u>u</u> re | D. <u>c</u> ur <u>e</u> |
| 5. A. bett <u>e</u> r | B. pref <u>e</u> r | C. teach <u>e</u> r | D. work <u>e</u> r |
| 6. A. <u>c</u> on <u>c</u> ert | B. <u>c</u> on <u>c</u> ern | C. <u>c</u> oll <u>e</u> ct | D. <u>c</u> omb <u>i</u> ne |
| 7. A. pict <u>u</u> re | B. cultur <u>e</u> | C. neighb <u>o</u> ur | D. <u>t</u> ourist |
| 8. A. depend <u>e</u> nt | B. <u>e</u> njoy | C. abs <u>e</u> nt | D. governm <u>e</u> nt |
| 9. A. fut <u>u</u> re | B. ret <u>u</u> rn | C. pict <u>u</u> re | D. cultur <u>e</u> |
| 10. A. fir <u>s</u> t | B. gir <u>l</u> | C. bir <u>d</u> | D. sist <u>e</u> r |

II. Match the nouns from the box with the correct verb.

athletics	basketball	cycling	football
karate	ice-skating	swimming	tennis table
computer games	photos	TV	tennis
judo	coins	bottles	aerobics
stamps	gardening	camping	films

- go:
- do:
- collect:
- play:
- watch:
- take:

III. Choose the best answer (A, B, C or D).

- You need to be _____ to follow eggshell carving because it may take two weeks to complete one shell.
A. fit B. patient C. careful D. interested



2. My sister is very keen on swimming, and she goes swimming three _____ a week.
A. time B. a time C. times D. timings
3. If you choose sewing as your hobby, you will _____ your own clothes.
A. make B. get C. do D. take
4. Do you think that hobby is _____ and boring?
A. danger B. difficult C. interesting D. easy
5. What does your father do _____ his free time?
A. in B. at C. while D. on
6. My brother doesn't like ice-skating because he thinks it is _____.
A. dangerous B. danger C. in danger D. endangered
7. I think a hobby will always give you _____ and help you _____.
A. pleased – relaxing C. pleasure – relaxed
B. pleased – relax D. pleasure – relax
8. My sister's hobby is sewing, and she can get the sewing patterns from the _____ magazines.
A. fashion B. sports C. science D. cooking
9. Nowadays people _____ hours sitting in front of the computers.
A. set B. spend C. take D. last
10. If your hobby is greeting card making, you can give your _____ to your friends as presents.
A. money B. hobby C. products D. greetings
11. I think you should take up swimming _____ it is suitable for your health condition.
A. because B. but C. although D. So
12. I join a photography club and all the members love _____ a lot of beautiful photos.
A. make B. take C. making D. taking
13. Will you _____ making models in the future.
A. find B. take up C. look for D. pick up
14. I love my sister's paintings because she is very _____ in using colours.
A. care B. careless C. creative D. imagine
15. Do you like _____ ?
A. fish B. to fish C. fishing D. fished



IV. Put the verbs in brackets in the correct verb form

1. My brother usually (go)_____fishing in his free time,
2. We (not like)_____skating because it's dangerous.
3. I think 20 years from now more people (take up)_____outdoor activities.
4. Jane's hobby is (cook)_____. She enjoys (prepare)_____food for her family and friends.
5. What your mother (do)_____at weekends?
6. In my opinion, in the future people (not play)_____individual games.
7. We find (arrange)_____flowers interesting because it (help)_____us relax.
8. My father (start)_____the hobby ten years ago after a trip to Ha Long Bay.
9. (you / be)_____free next Sunday?
10. I (collect)_____a lot of stamps from foreign countries so far.
11. My brother hates (do)_____the same things day after day.
12. My parents like (live)_____in the countryside. I think they (move)_____to our hometown next year.
13. They (give)_____a party next week. They have arranged everything for it.
14. I (see)..... a film this Sunday evening. (you/ go).....with me?
15. I enjoy (fish)..... because it (be).....relaxing.

V. Give the correct form of the word given to complete the sentence.



1. Nick's hobby is collecting stamps. He is a stamp _____	COLLECT
2. Hoa is very _____ and she paints very well.	CREATE
3. She loves flowers and is very good at _____ flowers.	ARRANGE
4. I think collecting old bowls is a very _____ hobby.	BORE
5. You can use carved eggshells as _____ in your house.	DECORATE
6. I like reading books because it _____ my knowledge.	WIDE
7. Model making is a _____ way of spending time.	WONDER
8. Reading books can also develop our _____.	IMAGINE
9. That girl can use leaves to make _____ sounds.	MUSIC
10. You should choose a hobby because it will give you _____ and help you relax.	PLEASE

VI. Read the following passage and choose the best answer for each blank.

Minh's hobby is singing. She (1) _____ singing very much. When her brother (2) _____ a karaoke set last month, Minh was so glad that she could (3) _____ every day after dinner. She likes to sing only English songs. In fact, she has already sung all the songs found (4) _____ the karaoke discs. Minh is singing in the karaoke (5) _____ organized by the RC Center this Saturday. Her family is going there to support her.

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| 1. A. wants | B. enjoys | C. thinks | D. hates |
| 2. A. invented | B. discovered | C. bought | D. made |
| 3. A. sings | B. sing | C. sung | D. singing |
| 4. A. of | B. about | C. under | D. on |
| 5. A. competition | B. battle | C. company | D. institution |

VII. Using the word given and other words, complete the second sentence so that it has similar meaning to the first. Do not change the word given.

1. I find collecting glass bottles interesting. HOBBY

2. My sister enjoys arranging flowers. FINDS

3. What hobby do you like best, Elina? FAVOURITE

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FURTHER PRACTICE



4. Linh finds playing board games boring. . LIKE

5. I find watching film interesting. ENJOY
