

5. They think that the first temple existed during the reign of Le Thanh Tong in the 15<sup>th</sup> century.  
It \_\_\_\_\_
6. People know that Phong Nha Cave was found in the 16<sup>th</sup> century by Cham people.  
It \_\_\_\_\_
7. People claim that the site of the Perfume Pagoda was discovered over 2000 years ago.  
It \_\_\_\_\_
8. They said that the government was conducting a project to investigate the harmful effects of air pollution.  
It \_\_\_\_\_
9. They thought that he went to a local restaurant with his girlfriend.  
It \_\_\_\_\_
10. They have suggested that bright children should take their exams early.  
It \_\_\_\_\_

**VIII. Fill in each blank with a suitable preposition.**

1. A home for the elderly will be built \_\_\_\_\_ the site of the old hospital.
2. Years of fighting have left the area \_\_\_\_\_ ruins.
3. North American literature is the main theme \_\_\_\_\_ this year's festival.
4. Hung King festival is held annually from March 8<sup>th</sup> to March 10<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ lunar calendar.
5. Notre-Dame Cathedral and Ben Thanh Market are \_\_\_\_\_ the center of Ho Chi Minh City.
6. At 3,143 meters \_\_\_\_\_ sea level, Fansipan is proclaimed the roof of the Indochina peninsula.
7. My Son Sanctuary is regarded as one of the main religious centers of Hinduism \_\_\_\_\_ Southeast Asia.
8. Ha Den Mountain is located \_\_\_\_\_ the northeast of Tay Ninh Province.
9. It has been claimed that wine helps protect \_\_\_\_\_ heart disease.
10. It is all the royal palaces \_\_\_\_\_ the Hue Citadel that draws international tourist attention.

**C. SPEAKING**

- I. **Complete the conversation with the sentences from the box. Write the letters of the sentences.**

- A. Have you got any other tips?
  - B. Guess what? I'm on a holiday to Hoi An next weekend.
  - C. What about night activities?
  - D. Well, I've just booked the flight there. I don't know which hotel I should stay in.
  - E. Cool! Can you suggest some famous places there?
  - F. What is the best way to get around?
  - G. Great! You have been in Da Nang before, haven't you?

John: (1) \_\_\_\_\_

Nam: Wow! It must be exciting. What have you prepared for the trip?

John: (2) \_\_\_\_\_

Nam: Oh, if I were you, I would stay in Lavender Riverside Hotel. It offers a very nice sea view from the balcony and refined decoration.

John: (3) \_\_\_\_\_

Nam: Yes, I visited there last month.

John: (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Nam: Sure. You should definitely visit Son Tra Peninsula and Marble Mountain. And don't forget the beaches. They are really clean and beautiful.

John: (5) \_\_\_\_\_

Nam: In the evening, you can see the Dragon Bridge or have an overall view of brilliant panorama Da Nang at night from top of Sun Wheel cabin.

John: (6) \_\_\_\_\_

Nam: It's probably best to hire a motorbike and take a ride around the city. It's cheaper and more convenient than other types of transportation.

John: (7) \_\_\_\_\_

Nam: If you travel there on Saturday, find somewhere near Han River Bridge and wait for its swing at 11pm. It would be a memorable moment.

## II. Put the dialogue into the correct order.

\_\_\_ So, do you have any suggestion on preserving them?

\_\_\_ Okay. I'll wait.

\_\_\_ "Man-made wonders of Vietnam: How to protect and preserve?"

\_\_\_ Do you know what the causes are?

\_\_\_ I totally agree with you. Furthermore, the government doesn't have plans for timely restoration.

\_\_\_ Wow, interesting!

\_\_\_ Well, as you can see, there are too many tourists visiting man-made wonders every day, and not all of them are aware of protecting it.

\_\_\_ Yes. Vietnam has a lot of man-made wonders. However, it is reported that they have been damaged.

\_\_\_ 1. Lan, what are you doing?

\_\_\_ I suggest limit the number of tourists visiting those places on a daily and yearly basis, they should be restored once or twice. Additionally, the media should convey information about this topic to raise awareness of the citizens.

\_\_\_ I'm finding the ideas for the next discussion in speaking class.

\_\_\_ That's a good idea. Let me think more about it, then I will share my ideas with you. Is it ok?

\_\_\_ What's the topic?

## D. READING

### I. Complete the passage with words from the box.

unknown	twice	wonders	regarded
formations	attempt	capacity	measurements

With (1)\_\_\_\_\_ of over 200 meters (656 feet) wide and 150 meters (492 feet) high as well as a length of 9 kilometers (5.6 miles), Son Doong Cave is the largest cave in the world.

Before 2009, Malaysia's Deer Cave was (2)\_\_\_\_\_ as the largest cave in the world until a group of scientists from the British Cave Research Association explored and studied the Son Doong Cave finding it was in fact over (3)\_\_\_\_\_ the size of Deer Cave.

Named by BBC News, the "most beautiful cave on the globe" makes this one of the great natural (4)\_\_\_\_\_ of Asia. It is a mountain river cave featuring a fast flowing subterranean river. Son Doong Cave is mostly comprised of limestone that has over time shaped into some of the tallest stalagmite (5)\_\_\_\_\_ in the world. Within Son Doong Cave visitors will find it is so big that it contains its own jungle and river and has the (6)\_\_\_\_\_ to be able to fit a 40-story skyscraper inside. The source of the river still remains (7)\_\_\_\_\_ to this day with future plans of the British Cave Research Association to return soon and (8)\_\_\_\_\_ to solve the many mysteries this cave holds.

### II. Read the text carefully, then choose the correct answers.

After only 50 minute flying from Ho Chi Minh City, you will set foot on the tropical paradise of Vietnam and the world: Phu Quoc Island.

The island has a roughly triangular shape with a north-south length of 50km and a west-east width of 25km. A great part of the terrain is filled with beautiful sandy beaches, but there is a mountainous region with 99 peaks, among which the Peak of Chua Mountain is the tallest one at 603 meters. Due to Phu Quoc's location in the Gulf of Thailand, its climate is sub-equatorial with a temperate weather all year round, making trips to Phu Quoc possible any time in the year. However, the best time to travel to this island is during the dry season, from November until March, when the sky is blue and clear and the rains are away.

Phu Quoc is most famous for its the cuisines and a natural wonderful coastline. The most famous food of Phu Quoc is fish sauce, which has become quite popular all over Vietnam and the world. Besides, another thing worth trying there is the spicy yet interesting black pepper. However, the factor that will definitely intrigue you to visit Phu Quoc is its untouched coastline featuring several heavenly beaches. They have yet to be explored to their full ability, but this fact might be actually positive as it gives the shores a romantic beauty that you can find in nowhere else in the world.

1. What is Phu Quoc Island regarded as?

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|---------------------------|----------------------|
| a. Pearl of the Orient    | b. Tropical Paradise |
| c. City of Eternal Spring | d. Lanterns Paradise |

2. According to the passage, Phu Quoc Island \_\_\_\_\_.

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|--|--|
| a. has both beaches and mountains      | b. doesn't have much tourist attraction  |
| c. has the tallest mountain in Vietnam | d. doesn't have rains all the year round |



3. Tourists can visit Phu Quoc anytime in the year thanks to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. its location by the sea
  - b. its friendly local people
  - c. its temperate climate
  - d. its dry season
4. What are Phu Quoc's specialities?
  - a. red pepper and fish sauce
  - b. black pepper and dried fish
  - c. red pepper and soya sauce
  - d. spicy black pepper and fish sauce
5. The word "intrigue" has the closest meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. attract
  - b. promote
  - c. inspire
  - d. pay attention to
6. Which of the following statements is NOT true?
  - a. Phu Quoc Island is located in the Gulf of Thailand.
  - b. The beaches in Phu Quoc Island have been explored to their full potentials.
  - c. Phu Quoc's dry season begins from November and lasts through March.
  - d. The island is roughly triangular in shape.

## E. WRITING

### I. Write sentences, using the clues given.

1. it/ know/ that/ Bao Dai/ be/ last/ Emperor/ Vietnam  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. locate/ center/ Hanoi/, One Pillar Pagoda/ attract/ millions/ visitors/ every year  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. what/ be/ the things/ we/ should/ not miss/ once/ we/ come/ Hue City?  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. I/ suggest/ travel/ motorbike/ as/ you/ can/ see/ lot/ beautiful sceneries/ along/ street  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. Hung Kings' Temple Festival/ be/ one/ most/ important/ holidays/ Vietnam  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. although/ Tu Duc King/ build/ himself/ tomb, he/ be/ actually/ bury/ different location/ Hue  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. it/ be/ claim/ that/ Ma Pi Leng/ be/ one/ most/ dangerous/ pass/ Vietnam  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. locate/ Ninh Binh/, Trang An Lanndscape Complex/ know/ its scenic landscape/ boat cave tours  
\_\_\_\_\_
9. there/ be/ growing/ recognition/ the ethnic groups/ Central Highlands/ need/ more/ support  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. her teacher/ suggest/ she/ study/ harder/ so/ she/ can/ get into/ good university  
\_\_\_\_\_

### II. Complete the second sentence so that it has the same meaning as the first.

1. He is carrying out a research on how people spend their money for clothes.

2. Although I had all the necessary qualifications, they didn't offer me the job.

→ Despite \_\_\_\_\_

3. "Please do not litter as you are walking along the coast", the guard said to us.

→ The guard told \_\_\_\_\_

4. I haven't bought any clothes since my trip to Hanoi.

→ The last time \_\_\_\_\_

5. They think that a garden would be a perfect setting for the house.

→ It \_\_\_\_\_

6. Jack's parents made him study a lot for the entrance exam to high school.

→ Jack was \_\_\_\_\_

7. You can't register for a course abroad if you don't have a passport.

→ Unless \_\_\_\_\_

8. "Why don't we visit the Royal Citadel first?" Quang said.

→ Quang suggested that \_\_\_\_\_

9. People expect that he will join the company soon.

→ He \_\_\_\_\_

10. Shall we use Perfume Pagoda as a theme of the presentation?

→ She suggests \_\_\_\_\_

### TEST FOR UNIT 5

#### I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

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|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1. a. <u>l</u> imestone  | b. <u>p</u> ilgrim     | c. <u>r</u> ickshaw | d. <u>c</u> itadel   |
| 2. a. <u>g</u> eological | b. <u>i</u> mage       | c. <u>a</u> gency   | d. <u>t</u> ogether  |
| 3. a. <u>w</u> onder     | b. <u>c</u> omplex     | c. <u>b</u> ackdrop | d. <u>p</u> roper    |
| 4. a. <u>h</u> istoric   | b. <u>p</u> icturesque | c. <u>e</u> nter    | d. <u>s</u> entence  |
| 5. a. <u>p</u> lumber    | b. <u>s</u> culpture   | c. <u>m</u> asure   | d. <u>s</u> tructure |

#### II. Choose the word that has the main stress placed differently from the others.

- |                  |                |               |                |
|------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| 1. a. particular | b. spectacular | c. remarkable | d. picturesque |
| 2. a. structure  | b. commune     | c. cavern     | d. cement      |
| 3. a. museum     | b. monument    | c. cathedral  | d. contestant  |
| 4. a. contest    | b. fortress    | c. astounding | d. setting     |
| 5. a. religious  | b. situate     | c. calendar   | d. literature  |

#### III. Underline the words in bold if they are stressed.

- Watching American movies is **a** way to **improve** your listening skill, **but** not **the** only way.
- You shouldn't put the **conjunction "or"** at the end of **the sentence**.
- He tried to come up with a **solution** for the **problem**, but he **failed**.
- This **bag** is **beautiful**, **but** it is too **expensive**.
- It is not loving **or understanding**, **but loving and** understanding.