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Complete the sentences with the words and phrase from the box.

pursue

memorise

depended

take notes

replaced



1. In the old days, transportation in my village _____ on buffalo-drawn carts.
2. Children now have various sources to _____ their interests.
3. Most families in my village have _____ their radios with TVs.
4. Did you _____ of the history lesson today?
5. Today, we don't have to _____ too much information. We can access it on the Internet.

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Choose the option which is CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word / phrase in each sentence.



1. My grandmother spent her childhood in various parts of Viet Nam.
A. similar B. different C. difficult D. same
2. I took notes in my notebook of the talk on the history of the drums.
A. liked B. learned C. understood D. wrote down
3. Children now have fewer opportunities to learn about nature than their peers in the past.
A. chances B. time C. interests D. tools
4. Students now do not depend as much on textbooks as they used to.
A. want B. rely wholly C. appreciate D. ask for
5. People now can entertain from various sources like TVs, computers, smartphones, entertainment centres.
A. rare B. few C. interesting D. many

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Choose the correct option A, B, C, or D to complete each sentence.



1. My grandparents don't believe in a(n) _____ parent-child relationship.
A. extended B. democratic C. personal D. interesting
2. Children nowadays have more freedom to _____ their interests.
A. pay for B. replace C. know D. pursue
3. I love living in a(n) _____ family where I can learn about traditional values from my grandparents.
A. extended B. nuclear C. large D. democratic
4. Families used to live in one-room houses and they had little _____.
A. time B. understanding C. privacy D. opportunity
5. Older people prefer reading the news from newspapers while the younger get news from the Internet. That's an example of _____.
A. a conflict B. an attitude C. mass communication D. a generation gap

5 Complete each sentence describing the picture, using the verb provided.

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When my sister was eight, she learned (ride) _____ a bicycle.

2



I've decided (take) _____ an online cooking course.

3



Do you mind (not / play) _____ the music so loud?

4



We are planning (organise) _____ a go green campaign to make our neighbourhood more beautiful.

5



My mother often avoids (travel) _____ during the rush hour.

6 Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to complete each sentence.

- Do you _____ watching Taylor Swift performing live?
A. want B. decide C. agree D. fancy
- My father has _____ to take us on a three-day trip to some historical places in Hue.
A. enjoyed B. promised C. fancied D. suggested
- After years of delay, the people in my village decided _____ downhill to get better services.
A. to move B. moving C. move D. moved
- My friend Sue always _____ spending too much time chatting online.
A. enjoys B. promises C. avoids D. has
- None of us has started _____ on our Youth Lifestyle project.
A. worked B. working C. work D. works

C Speaking

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Work in pairs. Choose the most suitable response A, B, C, or D to complete each of the following exchanges.



- A: In the past, most people went to work by bike.
B: _____
A. Did they? B. They love cycling!
C. Bicycles were expensive then. D. That's my favourite bike.

2. A: I think children nowadays have more opportunities to pursue their interests than in the past.

B: _____

A. Do they study harder?

B. I totally agree with you.

C. I do not have many opportunities.

D. How boring!

3. A: Do you see any differences between life in the past and now?

B: _____

A. What was life in the past like?

B. I don't like life in the past.

C. What differences are there?

D. Yes, there are many.

4. A: I'm giving a presentation about changes in teenagers' fashion over the past five years.

B: _____

A. What a promise!

B. Am I fashionable?

C. I'd love to hear it.

D. I'm sorry.

5. A: My brother promises to help us with our research on trendy entertainment for teenagers.

B: _____

A. It's a good idea.

B. Great! I really appreciate that.

C. Why not?

D. Who's he?