

UNIT 2: SCHOOL TALKS

TEST 1

I. Tick (✓) the correct sounds for the letters in bold in the words below.

	/ɪ/	/i:/	/ʌ/	/ɑ:/
1. subject	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. teach	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. one	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. above	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. street	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. car	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. worry	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. party	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. semester	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. tick	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

II. Match a question in A with its answer in B.

1. What do you do?	a. By bicycle.
2. Who did you go out last night?	b. It's today!
3. Where do you live?	c. I'm a student.
4. When's your birthday?	d. Forty.
5. Why are you wearing a suit?	e. Classical music.
6. How many students are there in your class?	f. In an apartment in the centre of the city.
7. What kinds of music do you like best?	g. Tam and An.
8. How do you go to school?	h. Because I'm going to an important meeting.

III. Complete the sentences with the appropriate forms of the words in parentheses.

- I'm worried about the of the children. (safe)
-, the demand for copper has increased. (similar)
- The film is so that I've seen it twice. (interest)

4. Nguyen is the most common in Vietnam. (name)
5. The firm has over 500 (employ)
6. This part of the form is not to foreign students. (apply)

IV. Read the information about someone who wants to do a language course. Fill in the information on the Course Application Form.

Cheryl Harvey is eighteen and comes from Australia. She can speak French and German very well and now she wants to learn Spanish. She has never spoken it before so she would like to go on a course for beginners. She would like one class a week.

<i>COURSE APPLICATION FORM</i>		
Full name:	(1)
Nationality:	(2)
Age:	(3)
Which language do you want to study?	(4)
Which course?	(5)
How often do you want classes?	(6)

V. Put the verbs in brackets in the correct forms.

1. We enjoy (play) tennis in the morning.
2. Has Ann finished (take) her photos?
3. Alice expected (pass) the exam; she was surprised when she got low marks.
4. I have to practise (drive) so that I can pass my test.
5. Did Jeremy agree (help) you with your work?
6. Alec suggested (stop) at the supermarket.
7. John's given up (eat) sweets.
8. I hope (go) to Ireland later this year.

VI. Read the following small talks and then answer the questions given.

Hello. My name's Tran Tuan Minh. I'm sixteen years old. I'm a student at Nguyen Hue High School. I'm in class 10A with forty-one other students. I live in the centre of the city. I go to school by bicycle. I like listening to

music and playing computer games in my free time. My favorite subjects at school are Maths and Chemistry, but I don't like Physics.

Hello. My name's Max. I'm a student at a school in Washington, D.C., and I'm 17 years old. I don't live in Washington, but in a suburb just across the river. I go to school by bus. I like listening to music and playing computer games when I have free time, too. My favourite subjects at school are Computer science and Maths, but I don't like History because there are so many historical events that I can't remember them.

1. Who is older, Minh or Max?

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2. Do they study at the same school?

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3. Where do they live?

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4. How do Minh and Max go to school?

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5. What do Minh and Max do in their free time?

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6. Which subject at school do they both like?

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7. Which subject does Minh not like?

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8. Why does Max not like History?

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TEST 2

I. Pick out the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the other words.

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|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. A. <u>ab</u> ove | B. bi <u>o</u> logy | C. <u>l</u> ove | D. wo <u>n</u> derful |
| 2. A. <u>y</u> our | B. <u>y</u> oung | C. <u>c</u> ousin | D. <u>t</u> rouble |
| 3. A. <u>h</u> ard | B. <u>f</u> ather | C. <u>c</u> all | D. <u>p</u> arty |
| 4. A. <u>s</u> ome | B. <u>c</u> lose | C. <u>h</u> omework | D. <u>c</u> old |
| 5. A. <u>m</u> arvellous | B. <u>t</u> arget | C. <u>g</u> uitar | D. <u>w</u> arm |
| 6. A. <u>s</u> ubject | B. <u>h</u> uge | C. <u>s</u> tudy | D. <u>l</u> unch |

II. Make questions for the following responses.

- 1 ?
I have a toothache.
- 2 ?
Because it (English) is an international language.
- 3 ?
They're living in Da Nang City now.
- 4 ?
She spends two hours a day practising playing the piano.
- 5 ?
I'm staying in Nha Trang for two weeks.
- 6 ?
I like English best.

III. Put the sentences in the correct order to make a logical conversation. The first one has been done for you.

- I really like it.
..... Me too. Whose class are you in?
..... Well, I'm taking a business class.
..... How do you like the class so far?
..... Oh, so am I.
..(1).. So, what are you taking this semester?
..... Professor Jones'.

IV. Put the verb into the correct form, *to ...* or *-ing*.

1. When I'm tired, I enjoy (watch) TV. It's relaxing.
2. It was a nice day, so we decided (go) for a walk.
3. There was a lot of traffic, but we managed (get) to the airport in time.
4. I'm not in a hurry. I don't mind (wait)
5. They don't have much money. They can't afford (go) out very often.
6. We've got a new computer in our office. I haven't learned how (use) it yet.
7. I wish that dog would stop (bark) It's driving me crazy.
8. We were hungry, so I suggested (have) dinner early.

V. Fill in each gap with ONE suitable word.

Hi! My name's Rumi and I come (1) Osaka in Japan. I live with my parents. My father (2) a job, but my mother doesn't. Next year I'm (3) to study economics at a university.

I like going out (4) my friends, Toshi and Noriko. Sometimes we go skiing and sometimes we go to a disco. (5) we never dance. We just sit there chatting with one another (6) listening to music.

VI. Rewrite each sentence, beginning as shown, so that the meaning stays the same.

1. Could you turn the radio down, please?
Would you mind
2. "Why don't we go out for a walk?" said he.
He suggested
3. We can't live like this any more.
We can't go on
4. It's not a good idea to travel during rush hour.
It's best to avoid
5. The driver of the car said it was true that he didn't have a license.
The driver of the car admitted

TEST 3

I. Read the following secret messages and then write them into the right sentences.

1. it iz 'fʌni tu: si: ðə 'dʒʌdʒ in 'trʌbl tu: kætʃ ðə bʌs.
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2. 'mʌðə kʌmz ænd 'hʌrɪz tu: 'bʌtə maɪ jʌŋ 'kʌznz bʌn.
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3. ði 'ɑ:kɪtekt 'stɑ:tɪd wɜ:k in hɪz kɑ: pɑ:kt in ðə 'fɑ:məz jɑ:d.
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4. ðə dɔg gɑ:dɪŋ ðə pɑ:k geɪv fɑ:p bɑ:k æt ði 'ɑ:tɪst.
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II. Fill in each gap with an appropriate preposition.

1. I am class 10A forty-three other students.
2. Chu Van An is one of the best schools Hanoi.
3. She wants to be a teacher because she loves working children.

4. I usually go to school bicycle.
5. The streets are crowded people and vehicles.
6. We were stuck a traffic jam an hour.

III. Complete the sentences with the correct forms of the verbs from the box.

listen	dismiss	warn	learn
make	interrupt	mend	give up

1. I tried him of the danger on the road ahead, but he didn't stop
2. I hate you while you're working.
3. I began Spanish when I was very young.
4. My shirt needs
5. I regretted him because he was a good worker most of the time.
6. Will you please stop that noise?
7. I tried smoking for a few days to see if my cough would get better.

IV. There are eight mistakes in the use of verb forms in the notice. Find and correct them.

ATTENTION ALL STUDENTS!

Would you like sharing an apartment in the centre of town, a five-minute walk from the university? I am look for someone to share with me!

I enjoy socialising and cook, but I can't stand to do the dishes. I also enjoy living in a clean apartment, but don't worry - you don't need cleaning every day! I always get up early, and I love listening to music in the mornng. I hope you don't mind to wake up to classical music!

You need calling me before the end of the week because I hope finding someone very soon.

Call Erica at 555-9361. Evenings only.

V. Read the information about a student who wants somewhere to live. Fill in the information on the form.

To Central College

My name is Giovanni Zola and I'm from Italy. I'm going to study English at your college for six weeks, from June 19 until July 31. Please