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PART I. PHONETICS (1.0 POINT)

Circle the letter A, B, C or D which has the underlined part pronounced differently from the rest in each sentence.

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| 1. A. <u>im</u> proved | B. <u>retu</u> rned | C. <u>arri</u> ved | D. <u>stop</u> ped |
| 2. A. <u>ner</u> vous | B. <u>scou</u> t | C. <u>hou</u> sehold | D. <u>mo</u> use |
| 3. A. <u>fav</u> orite | B. <u>fin</u> d | C. <u>outs</u> ide | D. <u>li</u> brary |
| 4. A. <u>las</u> t | B. <u>taste</u> | C. <u>fas</u> t | D. <u>tas</u> k |
| 5. A. <u>fu</u> ture | B. <u>sum</u> mer | C. <u>nu</u> mer | D. <u>drum</u> mer |
| 6. A. <u>ti</u> me | B. <u>kin</u> d | C. <u>bid</u> | D. <u>nic</u> e |
| 7. A. <u>har</u> d | B. <u>car</u> ry | C. <u>car</u> d | D. <u>yar</u> d |
| 8. A. <u>my</u> | B. <u>baby</u> | C. <u>spy</u> | D. <u>cry</u> |
| 9. A. <u>wel</u> l | B. <u>get</u> | C. <u>sen</u> d | D. <u>pre</u> tty |
| 10. A. <u>wea</u> ther | B. <u>read</u> y | C. <u>mean</u> | D. <u>head</u> |

PART II. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR (7.0 POINTS)

Circle the letter A, B, C or D in each sentence before the word or phrase that would best complete the following sentences. (2pts)

- Most people enjoy _____ to different parts of the world.
A. to travel B. travel C. traveling D. traveled
- _____ time do you spend learning English every day?
A. How much B. How many C. How long D. How often
- This orange tastes _____.
A. sweetly B. sweetie C. sweet D. sweets
- Every one had _____ at the picnic.
A. good time B. a good time C. good times D. better time
- Would you like to _____ for a walk later?
A. have B. make C. do D. go

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6. Please don't _____ so much noise.
 A. go B. make C. do D. take
7. Is there anything good _____ TV tonight?
 A. on B. in C. near D. at
8. My mother doesn't like coffee and _____.
 A. neither do I B. neither I do C. either do I D. I don't too
9. Can you wait _____ please?
 A. out B. out of C. outside D. for
10. _____ the next turning on the right, the post office is in front of you.
 A. Go B. Make C. See D. Take

II. Give the correct form of the verbs in brackets. (2pts)

Hong and Nam (be _____) absent from class yesterday?

When my sister and I (live _____) in Hue we (visit _____) a lot of interesting places. You (go _____) to the dentist last week, Nam? Yes. And I (go _____) there to check up the filled tooth.

Linh (not / visit _____) Halong Bay with her family because she (catch _____) a cold.

Nam's family (fly _____) to Ho Chi Minh city last year. There they (take _____) a lot of pictures and (buy _____) a lot of presents.

III. Give the correct form of the words in parentheses. (2pts)

In her youth she is a very _____ girl. (**beautify**)

My younger brother was so much _____ by "Tayduky" film. (**interest**)

My stomachache _____ after I took the tablets. (**appear**)

It was _____ of you not to help him when he was in trouble. (**kind**)

When my father has free time he often tells us _____ stories. (**fun**)

Look! the children are eating _____. (**hungry**)

It's a nice shop and the assistants are all polite and very _____. (**help**)

Catching the common cold is _____ for everybody. (**please**)

Do you know a good _____ to decorate my house? (**decorate**)

10. I am looking forward to _____ you. (see)

IV. Each sentence has only one mistake, underline and correct it. (1pt)

1. My brother often has a three – weeks summer vacation. 1. _____
2. Every day my mother spends one hour to watch television. 2. _____
3. She asks Peter go to the post office with her. 3. _____
4. I’m going to watch a TV tonight to see a movie about America. 4. _____
5. I have to stay all day at home on Sundays, so has she. 5. _____
6. When I was coming home, my mother was cooking dinner. 6. _____
7. My mother bought for me a new schoolbag on the occasion of _____
a new school year. 7. _____
8. Tom looked sadly when I saw him. 8. _____
9. Who will give care of the house while we are away? 9. _____
10. Because we have to be there in a hurry, we better take a taxi. 10. _____

PART III. READING COMPREHENSION (6.0 POINTS)

I. Read this passage carefully then do the task given below. (2pts)

Indians in North and South America ate popcorn thousands of years. Scientists found some ears of popcorn in New Mexico, a state in the United States. They were 5.600 years old. Farmers probably learned to raise popcorn first before they planted other kind of corn. Farmers now *raise* popcorn in the United States, Australia, Argentina, South Africa and South Europe

Corn was an important food for the Indians. It was also important for the religion. When Columbus and other Europeans visited the New World, they saw this. When the Indians and Europeans had their first Thanksgiving, they ate popcorn. Today Thanksgiving is an important holiday in the United States, but people don’t usually eat popcorn for this holiday now.

In the 1920s, people started selling popcorn at movies. Now most movie theaters in the United States sell popcorn. Popcorn and movie go together very well.

Is popcorn good for you? Yes, it is. *However*, some people put a lot of salt and butter or vegetable oil on it. It tastes good that way, but it is not very good for you.

Where did popcorn come from?

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The word “*raise*” in line four closely means _____.

- A. feed B. grow C. eat D. have

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When did movie theaters start selling popcorn?

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Where do farmers grow popcorn?

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The word “*However*” in line 11 closely means _____.

- A. and B. if C. so D. but

II. Look at the following menu.

<p style="text-align: center;">STARTERS</p> <p>A. Onion soup 90p</p> <p>B. Deep – fried mushroom \$ 1.40</p> <p>C. Egg Salad \$ 1.20</p> <p style="text-align: center;">MAIN COURSE</p> <p>D. Chicken in wine \$ 5.00 Delicious chicken cooked in wine With onion, garlic and herbs</p> <p>E. Lamp special \$ 6.20 small pieces of tender lamb fried with Pepper, garlic, lemon and herbs</p> <p>F. Fish Pic \$ 4.60 Poached fish mixed with pimento, Dill, egg and parsley.</p>	<p>G. Beef stew \$ 5.00 Thin pieces of meat in a thick, spicy gravy, served with saffron rice.</p> <p>H. Vegetable Surprise \$ 4.40 Fresh cauliflower cooked in milk and topped with beaten eggs.</p> <p>I. Baked spaghetti \$ 4.60 Spaghetti cooked in cheese sauce with mushroom, covered with sliced eggs And baked until golden brown</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DESSERT</p> <p>J Baked apples \$ 1.20</p> <p>K Cheese 4 1.20</p> <p>L Hot pancakes \$ 1.40</p> <p>M Ice cream 90 p</p>
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Read each sentence carefully and then write the letter (from A- M) of the correct dish in each sentence. 0 is done as an example. (2pts)

___A___ Harry likes spending under \$ 1 on the starters Which starter does he order?

_____ Eve wants something cold to start with. Which dish does she order?

_____ Vicki likes meat but not beef. She likes food cooked in wine. Which dish does she want?

_____ Dave wants only vegetables but he doesn't like mushroom. Which main course does he order?

_____ Helen doesn't eat chicken or meat but she prefers fish to vegetables. What does she order?

_____ Mike's first course costs \$ 1.40. What does he order?

_____ Nada spends under \$1 on the last course. What does she order?

_____ Linda wants to eat a meat dish but she prefers beef to lamb.

_____ Fatima orders the most expensive main course. What is it?

_____ Mabel doesn't like ice-cream and cheese. She isn't too keen on fruit either. Which dessert does she have?

_____ Kim prefers hot food and has \$1.30 to spend. Which dessert does he have?

III. Fill in the blank with one suitable word. (2pts)

We are sure you are interested (1) _____ sports. Many of you certainly play (2) _____ games as volleyball or football, basketball or tennis. People who play a game are (3) _____. Players form teams and play matches against (4) _____ teams – their opponents. Two people playing with each other are (5) _____. Each team can lose or win. In a football match players try to score as many goals as they (6) _____.

There (7) _____ so many kinds of sports such as cycling, boxing, swimming, gymnastics, rowing (8) _____ many more. You can (9) _____ an active part in all of them or you can just be a devoted fan.

Everybody may choose the sport he is fond of

(10) _____ interested in.

PART IV. WRITING (6.0 POINTS)

I. Rewrite the following sentences in such another way which has the same meaning as the first sentence. (2pts)

1. Would you like to join us on our trip to Tamdao Mountain?

Why

.....?

2. It takes me two hours each day to do my homework.

I spend

.....
3. How high is the Big Ben Clock Tower?

What

.....?
4. He looks after the sick people.

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He takes

5. My father is a careful driver.

My father

6. She knows how to draw well.

She is good

7. Finding an apartment in a big city is not easy.

It is

8. You shouldn't make noise in hospital.

You had

9. What is your father's weight?

How

10. She didn't remember the homework. I didn't remember the homework.

She didn't

II. Rewrite the following sentence by using the words in brackets. (2pts)

1. There is no one who does not know it. (**knows**)

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2. Mary is an excellent dancer. (**dances**)

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3. They saw nobody in the room. (**see**)

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4. The café has a lot of tables. (**are**)

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5. Don't forget to go to the meeting on time. (**go**)

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6. She likes drinking milk. (**fond**)

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7. Jane teaches English. (**teacher**)

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8. English people like tea. (**English**)

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There aren't any buses after this one. **(last)**

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10. The road finishes here. **(end of)**

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III. Complete the following sentences by using the suggested words. (2pts)

Mary / be / both / young / pretty.

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I / be / afraid / I / can not come / your birthday party.

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What time / you / get / work / yesterday / morning / ? / .

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How long / it / take / you / get / school / ? /

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I / not / interested / find / new / job.

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My father / like / listen / music / the evenings.

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There / some / tall buildings / this town / ? /

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My friends / I / often / go / fish / the summer.

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They / look / forward / meet / old / friends / again.

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It / important / you / do / your homework / before / you / class.

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