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# 15-MINUTE TEST 1 (UNITS 1-2)(6)

### **Duration: 15 minutes**

# LANGUAGE - PRONUNCIATION

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

1.	<b>A.</b> org <u>a</u> nism	<b>B.</b> ad <u>a</u> pt	<b>C.</b> b <u>a</u> lanced	<b>D.</b> f <u>a</u> mily
2.	<b>A.</b> t <u>ea</u> mmate	<b>B.</b> r <u>ea</u> der	<b>C.</b> dis <u>ea</u> se	<b>D.</b> spr <u>ea</u> d
3.	A. provision	<b>B.</b> c <u>o</u> nflict	<b>C.</b> h <u>o</u> nesty	<b>D.</b> pr <u>o</u> perty
4.	<b>A.</b> take <u>s</u>	<b>B.</b> develop <u>s</u>	<b>C.</b> volume <u>s</u>	<b>D.</b> laugh <u>s</u>

# LANGUAGE - GRAMMAR

- I. Complete the sentences with the correct forms of the verbs in brackets.
- 1. An ASEAN conference (hold) to promote free trade among the member states last August.
- 2. Greenhouse (become) \_\_\_\_\_ an international problem since scientists found out that it goes into the global atmosphere.
- 3. (Have) you ever (think) about the history of cooking?

#### II. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

- 1. You \_\_\_\_\_ park your bike here. If you do so, you'll get a fine.
  - A. mustn't B. needn't C. couldn't D. wouldn't
- 2. I'd love to come to your birthday party but I \_\_\_\_\_ hand in this assignment tomorrow morning.

A. have to	<b>B.</b> don't have to
<b>C.</b> must	<b>D.</b> can

- **3.** The first blogging site \_\_\_\_\_ a popular social media platform when it allowed users to create their own content.
  - A. becameB. becomesC. has becomeD. was becoming

# READING

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

Infections are caused by bacteria or viruses. Those tiny organisms enter our bodies and impact the bodily functions. For some people who are suffering from illnesses like high blood pressure or cancer, infections seem (1) \_\_\_\_\_ if they are not extremely careful. According to Dr. Michael Klompas, though many viruses are deadly and easily-transmitted, following a few fundamental rules below can go a long way in (2) \_\_\_\_\_ infections.

The first principle should be understanding that viruses and bacteria enter our body through openings including our noses and mouths, etc. The most effective way to stop the infections is to block these ways. If we are unwell, try not to have close (3) \_\_\_\_\_ with other people and cover our coughs to stop spreading the illnesses to other people.

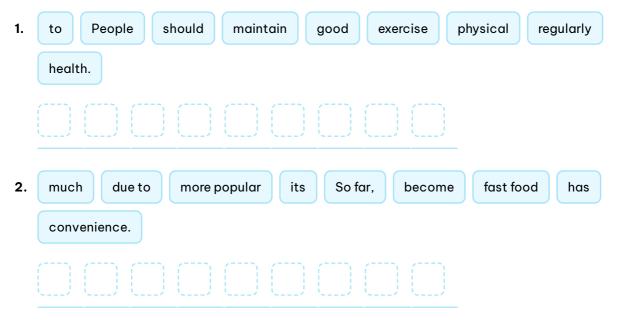
The second equally important rule is to get vaccinated if you are to stay away from illnesses. (4) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ vaccines may cause some side effects, they are generally safe and effective.

One more way to protect yourself from getting sick is applying good food-safety techniques. Some simple techniques might involve rinsing all raw food under running water before cooking, washing your hands (5) \_\_\_\_\_\_ soap and water, and separating raw food and cooked food.

1.	A. necessary C. compulsory		<b>B.</b> inessential <b>D.</b> unavoidable	
2.	A. prevention	B. prevent	C. to prevent	<b>D.</b> preventing
3.	A. link	<b>B.</b> contact	<b>C</b> . relation	<b>D.</b> touch
4.	A. Unless	B. While	C. Although	D. If
5.	A. with	B. under	<b>C</b> . by	<b>D.</b> in

# WRITING

Reorder the words and phrases to make complete sentences



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	reduce To out of television our kids' have to bedroom. the
	their screen time, move we
4.	was first detected December 2019. Coronavirus in late in China
5.	lived and fruits on plants People wild in then. the
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# **ANSWER KEY**

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### I. Complete the sentences with the correct forms of the verbs in brackets.

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**3.** *P* The correct answer

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5.

### WRITING

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1. P The correct answer
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	People should exercise regularly to maintain good physical
	health.
2.	P The correct answer
	So far, fast food has become much more popular due to its
	convenience.

### 3. P The correct answer

	To reduce our kids' screen time, we have to move the
	television out of their bedroom.
4.	P The correct answer
	Coronavirus was first detected in China in late December 2019.
5.	P The correct answer
	People lived on plants and fruits in the wild then.