**ENGLISH PRACTICE 49**

**I. Choose one word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others by circling the corresponding letter A, B, C, or D.(1m)**

1. A. claim B. wait C. said D. paid

2. A. watch B. bath C. want D. wash

3. A. sure B. mixture C. injure D. pleasure

4. A. few B. new C. threw D. knew

5. A. clothes B. matches C. colleges D. churches

6. A. watched B. naked C. liked D. looked

7. A. sunbathe B. father C. theater D. weather

8. A. pour B. four C. flour D. resource

9. A. clear B. wear C. bear D. ware

10. A. sixty B. my C. sky D. fly

**II. Use the correct form of the verbs in parentheses to complete the sentences( 1m)**

1. While I (watch) 1……………………………………… a good film on TV, the mailman

(come) 2………………..……….. and (give) 3…………………………. …..me a letter.

2. I ( know) 4………………………………………… her for six years, when I met her, she

(work) 5………………………………………… for a foreign company.

3. Please stop laughing. I hate (laugh) 6…………………………. .……..…..…at by others.

4. It ( not rain) 7…………………………………………………………much in the winter .

5. They’d rather you ( not come)………………………………………..to the party too late.

6. You always (watch) 9……………………………………...….television. You should do

something more active.

7. This building ( build) 10………..……………………………… ……over 100 years ago.

**III. Choose the word or phrase that best completes each sentence. (1,5ms )**

1. Helen is my aunt’s daughter so she is my……………….…………..

a. sister b. cousin c. niece d. friend

2. His………………..always makes people laugh.

a. quiet character b. sense of humor c. smiles d. humorous

3. The window ………………………. last night has been repaired.

a. break b. breaked c. broken d. breaking

4. This is a contest in which people have to arrange flowers so it’s a………………..contest.

a. flower- arranging b. flowers- arranging c. arranging- flower d. flower- arrange

5. Children who don’t have parents often live in a(n)………………………….………….

a. hotel b. house c. orphanage d. hostel

6. It took him ages to ………………… living in the new town.

a. get use to b. be used to c. will used to d. will use to

7. My parents make me…………………………..for my exam .

a. to study b. study c. studying d. studied

8. I would rather you ……………….me the story.

a. tell b. told c. to tell d. telling

9. “ War and Peace” …………………… the longest book I have ever read.

a. are b. was c. were d. is

10. As she was running, suddenly she stumbled ………………….a rock and fell………….

a. at/ off b. in/ out c. over/ down d. of/ down

11. That’s a …………………. building.

a. five- floor b. five- floors c. five- floor’s d. five- floors’

12. She helped me ………………. the house.

a. to clean b. cleaning c. clean d. both a and c

13. ………………….is a book in which you can look up telephone number.

a. Mobile phone b. Public telephone c. Telephone directory d. Answering machine

14. ………………is a large piece of furniture where you can hang your clothes.

a. Wardrobe b. Refrigerator c. Desk d. Counter.

15. Jane really enjoys ...................................................... to dinner parties.

a. inviting b. being inviting c. being invited d. be invited

**IV. Choose the words or phrases that are not correct in standard English.( 1m)**

1. When he came, I watched a football match on TV.

A B C D

2. When Andrew saw the question, he was knowing the answer immediately.

A B C D

3. Mai has stayed on her uncle's farm for last week.

A B C D

4. I'm looking forward to hear from you .

A B C D

5. They asked me don’t talk during the discussion.

A B C D

6. Would you mind if I ask you a private question?

A B C D

7. They happily looked at their children to play in the yard.

A B C D

8. This is the first time I visited a famous place in Hanoi.

A B C D

9. Our teacher told to us to spend more time at home practicing our pronunciation.

A B C D

10. You shouldn’t let your children playing with matches.

A B C D

**V. Give the correct form of the words in parentheses ( 1m)**

1. Life is more . . . . . . . ………………………..………… ………… . . now. (**comfort)**

2. There are many cultural………………..…..between his country and mine**. (differ)**

3. It is . . . . ………………. . . …………………… to eat much sugar and fat. (**health)**

4. These medicines can work well with your . . . …………….………... . . . . **. (ill)**

5. There was no . . . . . ……………….. . for his absence from class yesterday. (**explain)**

6. Is he sleeping ? - No, he is still……………………………………………. (**wake)**

7. Every week, there are two………………from Ha Noi to Ho Chi Minh city. (**fly)**

8. They had an . . . ……………………………………..... Christmas vacation. (**enjoy)**

9. He is a well- known ………………………………………………………. (**photograph)**

10. The …………………………...……..she gave last night was marvelous**. (perform)**

**VI. Rewrite the following sentences without changing the meaning. (2ms)**

1. They have planted a lot of green trees this year

A lot of green trees………………………………………………………………………...

2. '' I don't behave very well in front of a crowd, '' said Peter.

Peter said that……..………………………………………………………………………

3. The town was farther than we thought.

The town wasn’t as………………………………………………………………………..

4. We spend five hours studying English everyday.

It…………………………………………………………………………………………..

5. “You had better not eat much sugar.”

She advised me…………………………………………………………………………….

6 . “ Can you wait for me outside the movie theatre ?”

He asked his friend………………………………………………………………………..

7. “ Don’t be silly.” He said to the boy.

He ………………………………………………………..………………………………..

8. We can’t drink the water because it’s too hot.

The water isn’t…………………………………………………………………………….

9. It has been raining for five hours.

It started…………………………………………………………………………………...

10. To help mom at home is a good activity.

It is…………………………..……………………………………………………………

**VII. Write a thank- you letter using the words given (1m)**

Dear Nhung,

1. Thank you/ much/ the flowers/ you/ send/ while/ I/ be/ hospital.

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2. They/beautiful/ and/ they/ really/ help/ cheer / me/ up.

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3. I/ come out/ hospital/ last Thursday morning.

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4. You/ come over/ place/ weekend/ because/ I/ very/ bored/ now? ……………………………………………………………………………………..…………

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5. I/ look forward/see/soon.

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Love,

Thao

**VIII. Read the passages**

**A. Fill in each blank with a suitable word ( 1ms)**

**How Nam has improved his English.**

In the first year of lower secondary 1……………………., I had some difficulties in learning English. My English pronunciation 2………………………. really bad and my English grammar was worse. I did not 3………………………..how to improve them. I didn’t want my father 4………………………… mother to know about this. One afternoon after the lesson, my teacher 5………………….......................... English told me to wait 6…………………………… her outside the classroom. She took 7………………………… to the school library and showed me tapes of pronunciation drills kept in a glass bookcase. She also told me how to use an English- English dictionary to 8……………………………. my English grammar. “Now I think you know what you should do” she said. I made much progress and only one year later, I won the first 9…………………… in the English Speaking Contest 10……………………for secondary school students in my hometown.

1…………….. 2……………….3………………….4…………………5…………………...

6……………...7……………….8………………….9………………….10…………………

**B. Read the passage and choose the best answers A, B, C or D. ( 0.5 ms)**

1. What difficulties did Nam have in learning English in the first year?

A. The pronunciation

B. The grammar

C. Both pronunciation and grammar

D. The way of improving his pronunciation

2. Who wanted to meet him one afternoon after the lesson?

A. His teacher

B. One of his friends

C. His father

D. His mother

3. Where did Nam and his teacher go after that?

A. to the town library

B. to the school library

C. to the teachers’ room

D. to his house

4. What did the teacher show him then?

A. A glass bookcase

B. An English-English dictionary

C. An English Grammar book

D. Cassettes of pronunciation drills

5. What did he win in the English Speaking Contest one year later?

A. The first prize

B. The second prize

C. The third prize

D. The fourth prize

**The end**

**KEYS PRACTICE 49**

**I. ( 1m) Mçi c©u ®óng ®­îc 0,1 ®iÓm**

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| C©u | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| §¸p ¸n | c | b | a | c | a | b | c | c | a | b |

**II. ( 1ms )** **Mçi ®éng tõ ®óng ®­îc 0,1 ®iÓm**

1.was watching 2. came 3. gave 4. have known 5. was working 6. being laughed 7. doesn’t rain 8. didn’t come 9. are always watching 10. was built

**III.( 1,5ms ) Mçi c©u ®óng ®­îc 0,1 ®iÓm**

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| C©u | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| §¸p ¸n | b | b | c | a | c | b | b | b | d | c | a | c | a | a | c |

**IV. ( 1m) Mçi c©u ®óng ®­îc 0,1 ®iÓm**

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| C©u | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| §¸p ¸n | c | c | d | c | c | b | c | c | a | c |

**V. ( 1m) Mçi tõ ®óng ®­îc 0,1 ®iÓm**

1. comfortable 2. differences 3. unhealthy 4. illness 5. explanation

6. awake 7. flights 8. enjoyable 9. photographer 10. perfomance

**VI. (2ms ) Mçi c©u ®óng ®­îc 0,2 ®iÓm**

1. A lot of green trees have been planted this year

2. Peter said that he didn’t behave very well in front of a crowd.

3. The town wasn’t as near as we thought

4. It takes us five hours to study English everyday

5. She advised me not to eat much sugar.

6. He asked his friend to wait for him outside the movie theater.

7. He told the boy not to be silly.

8. The water isn’t cold enough for us to drink

9. It started raining five hours ago

10. It is a good activity to help mom at home.

**VII. (1m ) Mçi c©u ®óng ®­îc 0,2 ®iÓm**

1. Thank you very much for the flowers you sent me while I was in the hospital.
2. They were very beautiful and they really helped to cheer me up.
3. I came out of the hospital last Thursday morning.
4. Will you come over to my place on the/ at weekend because I am very bored now?
5. I am looking/ look forward to seeing you soon.

**VIII. A (1m ) Mçi tõ ®óng ®­îc 0,2 ®iÓm**

1. school 2. was 3. know 4. and 5. of

6.for 7. me 8. improve 9. prize 10. held

**B. (0,5ms**) **Mçi c©u ®óng ®­îc 0,2 ®iÓm**

1. C 2. A 3. B 4. D 5. A

**Tæng toµn bµi : 10 ®iÓm**

**The end**