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**I. Listening. (2pts)**

**Part 1: Listen to the passage carefully and then choose the best answer. (1pt)**

1. What does the red spot on Japan’s flag symbolize?

 **A.** **the season** B. the life C. the sun D. the earth

2. Where might a person go for four full seasons?

 A. Kume Island **B. Hokkaido** C. Miyako Island D. Okinawa

3. What is special about Okinawa?

 A. beautiful beaches B. unspoiled beauty C.peace **D.** **summer year-round**

4. How are Okinawa speciality foods?

 A. salty B. spicy

 C.fatty D. **low in fat and low in salt**

**Part 2: Listen to the passage carefully then fill in the missing words. (1pt)**

My summer holidays are often a little boring, but my summer holiday last year was great – my family and I got onto an (1)…**airplane…**… and flew to Vancouver! It was our first time to visit Canada. We got up very early almost every day and did lots of really fun and interesting things. On our first day, we visited Stanley Park and the Vancouver Art Gallery. Later in the week, we visited some museums and then got on a special boat to watch whales. It was (2)…**fantastic…**…! I took lots of photos. Of course, we also (3)…**visited**…… our cousins who live in Vancouver. One evening, they had a barbecue and we ate at their home. After we finished our food, we invited them to come to our home one day. Unfortunately, we didn’t swim in the ocean because the water was too cold (4)…**but**…… we did do many other fun things.

**II. Multiple choice. (2.5pts)**

1. We should watch his performance………….8.00 tonight**.**

 A. in B. on **C. at** D. to

2. *Choose the word which is pronounced differently from the others.*

 A. practic**ed** **B. learned**  C. ask**ed** D. watch**ed**

3. Mr.Tim is………….old customer and ………….honest man.

 A. an / the B. the / an **C. an / an** D. the / the

4. If we………….free time, we will go swimming.

 **A. have** B. has C. is having D. will have

5. She spoke English with a(n) ………….that I couldn’t understand.

 A. stress **B. accent** C. intonation D. tone

6. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, .……. was born in 1815, was one of the foremost women’s rights activists.

 A. whom B. which C. what **D. who**

7. The class discussion was short………., we gained some new knowledge from it.

 **A. However** B. Moreover C. Alhough D. Thereforce

8. *Find and circle the mistake*:

 Would you like **any** more bread and butter? – Yes, a loaf of bread and a teaspoon of butter please.

 **A** B C D

9. What does the sign mean?

 A.You can cook here.

 B. There is a restaurant in the pool area.

 **C.** **You cannot bring food to this place.**

 D. You can bring food to this place.

10. Gershman………….Paris many times, but never lived there.

 A. had visit B. visiting C. **has visited** D. visited

**III. Reading. (2.5pts)**

**Part A: Choose the correct answer A, B, C or D to fill in each blank in the following passage. (1.25pts)**

**The African Elephant**

African elephants are the (1)…………land animals on earth. They live together in family groups and move from place to place looking for food and water. They do not sleep (2)…………and can walk an amazing 80km without needing a rest. Adult elephants eat up to 130kg of food a day. They eat plants of almost any size, from grass to trees.

Elephants must have water for cleaning (3)………………..as well as for drinking,sothey prefer to live as close to rivers and lakes as possible.

Female elephants have a baby (4)…………… four years. Other elephants in the same group help the females to look after the babies. This shows(5)……………family groups are very important for these wonderful animals.

1. A. large B. larger **C. largest** D. most large

2. **A.** **much** B. more C. most D. many

3. A. yourselves **B. themselves** C. ourselves D. themselves

4. A. for B. all C. each **D. every**

5. **A. what** B. which C. that D. who

**Part B: Read the passage and decide whether the statements are True or False. (1.25pts)**

# Lots of young people tend to choose jobs which are well-paid even though they do not have any passion, abilities, and personalities to do the jobs. They may choose a job to please their parents, to achieve a certain status or position in the society, to get high salary, or simply because it is better than other jobs. Consequently, they may end up on the wrong career path.

 In order to choose a suitable job, you should think carefully about your background, such as what you like and dislike, your abilities and personalities, and even your health. It is interesting when you have to job options to choose from. However, it is stressful and uneasy to decide which job to opt even with your teacher’s and a career counsellor’s advice and help.

 Choosing your career path is a tough process that requires careful thinking and a lot of planning. It is not a decision to be taken lightly, since your entire future income and way of living will be based on what you choose. Even though you can change career path later in life, the changing process is very challenging and hard, and will still depend on the choices you make right now. Different careers require different sets of skills, talents and qualifications. By the time you have chosen your career path, you should already know what the requirements for your chosen career path are.

1. What is the passage mainly about?

**A. Choosing jobs carefully to have a right career path.**

B. Ways to choose good jobs for your career path.

# C. Why people have chosen wrong jobs.

# D. Misconceptions when choosing jobs and career paths.

2. According to the first paragraph, lots of young people choose a job for…………… .

 A. life B. fun **C. money** D. a trend in the market

3. Which of the following is advised to consider when choosing a job, according to the second paragraph?

 A. health B. interest

 C. abilities and personalities **D. all of the above**

4. The word “It” in the third paragraph refers to ……………. .

 A. careful thinking **B. choosing a career path**

 C. advice and help D.planning for career

5. Which of the following is NOT true according to the passage?.

 A. Young people tent to prioritize money over passion, abilities, and personalities.

 B.Our future income and way of living will be based on the jobs we choose now.

 **C. We can always choose a suitable job with the help of a career counsellor.**

 D.We can change our career path later, but the changing will still depend on our current choices.

**IV. Writing. (3pts)**

**Part 1: Do as directed**

1. I don’t have enough time, so I do not go swimming everyday. ***(Rewrite the sentence, using***  ***conditional type 2)***

🡪 **If I had enough time, I would go swimming every day.**

2. The man is my new boss. He is talking to the lady over there. ***(Combine the sentences, using* “relative pronouns”*)***

🡪**The man who is talking to the lady over there is my new boss.**

3. We/ not/ see/ each other/ for/ 5 years ***( Sentence building )***

🡪**We haven’t seen each other for 5 years.**

4. Nam didn’t get the job. He had all the necessary qualifications ***(Rewrite the sentence)***

🡪 **In spite of having all the necessary qualifications,Nam didn’t get the job.**

**Part 2: Write a short passage (about 50 – 60) about “Future job and reason for the choice” (1pt)**

**The end!**

**TAPESCRIPTS**

**Part A: Listen to the passage carefully and then choose the best answer.**

Japan is known as the Land of the Rising Sun, and the red spot on the nation’s flag symbolizes the sun. It is an island nation made up of a large archipelago, and each of the numerous islands has its own flavour. Depending on the season, there is always something tobe offered for visitors. If you want to big city life, definitely head to Tokyo. If you want unspoiled beauty and four full seasons, head northward to Hokkaido. However, if you want the place where you can find summer year-round, then Okinawa is going to be your destination of choice.

 While Okinawa is the main island in this prefecture, there are others that you can travel to. Miyako Island and Kume Island are two great spots to find quiet, beautiful beaches. On all of the islands, you can also try Okinawa speciality foods such as sweet potato dishes and *soba,* a special type of noodle soup. Many of the dishes are low in fat and low in salt, and their health effects are well-known. After all, more people in Okinawa live to over 100 years old than anywhere else on the earth.

**PART B: Listen to the passage carefully then fill in the missing words.**

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