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## 15-MINUTE TEST 1 (UNITS 1-2)(7)

**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. A. adapt                      B. family                      C. organism                      D. balanced
2. A. graceful                      B. nation                      C. magic                      D. dominte
3. A. sensation                      B. indigestion  
C. infection                      D. inflammation
4. A. takeses                      B. develops                      C. volumes                      D. laughs

### LANGUAGE - GRAMMAR

**I. Complete the sentences with the correct forms of the words in brackets.**

1. It has been a long time since I last (visit) \_\_\_\_\_ the doctor.
2. The five generations in my family (live) \_\_\_\_\_ together for several decades, for we can take care of one another better.
3. The mayor (improve) \_\_\_\_\_ significantly the city's infrastructure since she was elected.

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

1. He \_\_\_\_\_ to a wheelchair since the accident.  
A. has been confined                      B. confined  
C. confines                      D. has confined
2. We \_\_\_\_\_ in Ho Chi Minh City when we were little.  
A. was living                      B. live                      C. lived                      D. are living
3. No one understands your body better than you, so you \_\_\_\_\_ wait till the doctor takes care of your health.  
A. shouldn't                      B. don't have to  
C. needn't                      D. mustn't

### READING

**Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

It was my grandma who brought me up and taught me how to use natural remedies. She did not believe that any cases were beyond possibility. She was convinced that any illness could be cured. In the surrounding forests, fields, and marshes, she could always find the grasses, weeds, and flowers she needed. I used to go out with her many early mornings. She would be busy collecting leaves, flowers, grasses, and other plant components as I could hardly tell one plant from another in the darkness. Since I was a young child, she has been both my instructor and my inspiration. I have learned a lot from gathering the dirty bags and slicing or chopping fragrant plants for drying.

Many people in those days thought that all health problems are caused by either the devil or God. That was why they prayed and went to temples or pagodas to ask Gods for good health. In contrast, my grandmother believed that, in some way, people themselves were to blame for all their health issues. Human beings do not pay enough attention to their own health or do not know how to take care of their health properly. I did not fully understand my grandmother's opinion until I moved to live in America. My research revealed that a lack of highly critical nutrients like vitamins and minerals in the typical diet and an excess of certain relatively unnatural substances people take in at meals can both contribute to various diseases. Further studies revealed to me the influence of ideas and emotions such as love, hatred, fear, etc. in both producing and curing physical illnesses.

*(Adapted from The Teaching and Program of Dr. Ann Wigmore)*

- What is the passage mainly about?
  - The writer and her grandmother's debates on health.
  - An idea on causes of and solutions to health problems.
  - Advantages and disadvantages of natural healing.
  - The memories of the writer and her grandmother.
- When did the writer and her mother often go to get herbs?
  - Late in the afternoon.
  - Early in the morning.
  - In the afternoon.
  - Almost at noon.
- Which plant material is NOT mentioned in the text?
  - Grasses.
  - Leaves.
  - Buds.
  - Roots.
- Who does the writer believe must be responsible for the patients' health problems?
  - Devil and God.
  - A revenge-loving being.
  - The patients themselves.
  - The grandmothers.
- What does the writer believe the modern diet lacks?
  - Proteins.
  - Emotions.
  - Water.
  - Vitamins.

## WRITING

Reorder the words and phrases to make meaningful sentences.

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People lived on plants and fruits in the wild then.

5.  The correct answer

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reducing household chores.

