

UNIT 6 : TEST 2

I. Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the rest.

1. a. historic b. exciting c. island d. firework
2. a. aalendar b. celebrate c. decorate d. school
3. a. wonder b. compass c. brother d. forest
4. a. beach b. teach c. feather d. peaceful
5. a. clothes b. fireworks c. scissors d. mountains

II. Circle the odd one out.

1. a. pagoda b. valley c. desert d. cave
2. a. compass b. backpack c. peach d. rubber
3. a. holiday b. decorate c. spring d. gathering
4. a. long b. deep c. high d. cheap
5. a. visit b. clean c. slim d. plant

III. Choose the correct answer a, b, c, or d.

1. People often clean and decorate their houses _____ Tet.
a. during b. after c. before d. on
2. Turn left at the first traffic lights, and you'll see the supermarket straight _____.
a. away b. ahead c. aside d. again
3. Mekong River is _____ river in South East Asia.
a. long b. longer c. longest d. the longest
4. You _____ speak during the exam - it's forbidden.
a. should b. shouldn't c. must d. mustn't
5. Some of her paintings are displayed at the local _____.
a. art gallery b. museum c. stadium d. hospital
6. The Vietnamese _____ Tet at different times each year.
a. decorate b. watch c. celebrate d. welcome
7. _____ we go out for dinner tonight? - Great!
a. Must b. Can c. Will d. Shall
8. _____ does Tet last? ~ About 10 days.
a. When b. How long c. What time d. How often
9. Life in the countryside is _____. There aren't many things to do there.
a. interesting b. inconvenient c. boring d. noisy
10. 'Can you tell me the way to Tan Ky House please?'
'_____. Go straight, then turn right.'
a. Certainly b. Let's go c. Good idea d. My pleasure

IV. Read these passages, then do the tasks.

Mary, aged 17, Glasgow

In Scotland, we celebrate Hogmanay at New Year. Last year I went to Edinburgh, our capital city, to the Hogmanay Street Party. It was epic! There were lots of cool bands. The fireworks were amazing too. I'm going again this year. My resolutions for this year are to be nicer to my little brother, spend less money on clothes and stop biting my nails.

Ben, 16, Brighton

What are my plans? Well, I'm going swimming with my parents on the New Year's Day swim this year. It's freezing cold in the water but it is a fun way to start the year. Quite a lot of people meet on Brighton beach for this first swim of the year. I hope it doesn't snow! My resolutions are to do my homework on time, eat less junk food and save up for a motorbike!

Sophie, 18, Newcastle upon Tyne

This New Year's Eve I'm going to the centre of Newcastle with my sisters and friends to see in the new year. I love being in a crowd when the clocks strike midnight. Everyone kisses each other at twelve o'clock. Then we all sing a song called 'Auld Lang Syne' - it's really funny because nobody can remember the words! We will probably get back home at four or five in the morning. As for my resolutions, I'm going to learn how to play the guitar, go running every day and study hard to get good grades for university.

Stuart, 14, Devon

I'm going snowboarding in Spain with my cousin and my parents. I want to stay up till midnight on New Year's Eve but maybe I'll be too tired after snowboarding all day. My New Year's resolution is to not make any New Year's resolutions. They are impossible to keep!

Decide if the statements are true (T) or false (F).

1. New Year's resolutions often involve health and money.
2. People usually celebrate Hogmanay at New Year in England.
3. There are no fireworks for Hogmanay.
4. It's traditional to go swimming in Brighton on New Year's Eve.
5. People sing a song called 'Auld Lang Syne' at midnight on New Year's Eve.
6. Most British people know all the words to 'Auld Lang Syne'.

V. Complete the second sentences so that it has the same meaning to the first one.

1. It's not good to spend a lot of time watching TV.

You _____

2. Antarctica is colder than any other place in the world.

Antarctica is _____

3. Shall we go to Times Square to welcome the New Year?

Why don't _____

4. A bicycle is more convenient than a car in towns.

A car is _____