

A. LISTENING (2.25p)

I. You are going to hear about a very special friend. Listen and decide whether the following statements are true (T) or false (F). (1.0p).

Statements	T	F
1. There are international airports in Phu Quoc.		
2. Tourists can visit fishing villages, national parks and temples there.		
3. Tourists like eating fast food here.		
4. You can play water sports in Phu Quoc.		

II. Listen to a conversation between Mai and Kevin. Circle the best answer A, B or C.

. You will listen TWICE (1.25p)

1. What do Mai and Kevin talk about?

- A. Teachers B. Subjects C. Schools

2. What subject does Mai have on Wednesday afternoon?

- A. Music B. Maths C. English

3. Why doesn't Kevin like history?

- A. It's boring. B. It's quiet. C. It's difficult.

4. Why does Kevin like science?

- A. It's easy.
B. It gives him knowledge about the world.
C. The teacher is nice.

5. What does Kevin like most about Ms. Robinson?

- A. She is creative. B. She is funny. C. She doesn't give much homework.

B. LANGUAGE (2.75p)

I. Choose the word A, B, C or D that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the rest in the following sentences. (0.5p)

1. A. come B. colour C. front D. bathroom

2. A. signs B. profits C. becomes D. survives

II. Choose the best answer A, B, C or D to complete the following sentences. (1,25p)

1. A _____ is a large thick bag for sleeping in, especially when you are camping.
A. sleeping bag B. bag sleeping C. sleepy bag D. bag sleepy
2. Some of her paintings are displayed at the local _____.
A. art gallery B. cathedral C. railway station D. square
3. Mary is a _____ student. She can make a lot of toys with papers for her friends.
A. talkative B. shy C. creative D. friendly
4. Nam, can you check the fridge for me please! Is there _____ milk left?
A. some B. a bottle C. a can D. any
5. "Mom, _____ flour do you need to make that cake?" – About 300 grams.
A. How B. How much C. What D. How many

III. Give the correct form of the verbs. Write your answer in the provided blanks. (1.0p)

1. (Be)there a student called Andrea in this class?
2. Listen! He (play) the guitar.
3. Jack (not spend) much time on reading everyday.
4. He must (try). harder

C. READING (2.75p)

I. Circle the best answer A, B, C or D to complete the following passage. (1.25p)

I live in a small village called Northville. There are about 2000 (1) _____ here. I love the village (2) _____ it is very quiet. The village is always clean. The air is always (3) _____, too. People are much friendlier than in a city because everyone knows the others.

There are only a few things that I don't like about Northville. One thing is that we haven't got (4) _____ cinemas or theaters. The other thing is that people always talk (5) _____ the other, and everyone knows what everyone is doing. But I still prefer village life to life in a big city.

1. A. person B. peoples C. persons D. people
2. A. so B. or C. because D. but
3. A. messy B. clean C. noisy D. dirty
4. A. a B. some C. any D. an

5. A. about B. in C. on D. under

II. Read the following passage do as direct. (1.5p)

Lunar New Year, or Tet, is the biggest and most important festival in Vietnam. Tet often falls between late January and early February.

Homes are often decorated with plants and flowers at this time. Peach blossom is traditional at Tet in the North while apricot blossom is traditional in the South. One of Tet's most special foods is Banh Chung. It is made of sticky rice, green beans and fatty pork.

On the days of Tet children receive their "lucky money" inside red envelopes. Many people go to pagodas to pray for a happy new year for themselves and their families. Both children and adults take part in games and various forms of entertainment. Tet is really a time of fun and festivals throughout the country.

A. Answer the questions

1. When does Tet fall?

2. Where is apricot blossom the symbol of Tet?

3. What is Banh Chung made of?

4. Can children participate in take part in games and various forms of entertainment?

B. If the statement is True, tick (✓) in T column and if the statement is False, tick (✓) in F column

STATEMENT	TRUE	FALSE
1. Apricot flowers is traditional in the North		
2. Tet is a time of happy.		

D. WRITING (2.25p)

I. Rewrite the sentences so that it has the same meaning as the first one. (1.25p)

1. Each classroom has one projector and one computer.

→ There is _____.

2. Shanghai World Financial Centre is higher than Keangnam Tower.

→ Keangnam Tower is _____.

3. The table is behind the chair.

→ The chair is _____.

4. Let's eat at the luxurious restaurant over there

=> How about _____?

5. Her hair is short.

=> She has _____.

II. Write a passage about 40-60 words about a best friend. (1.0 p)

- What is his/her name?
- What does he/she look like?
- What is he/she like?
- Why do you like him/her?

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PART A. LISTENING: (2.25 points)

Task 1. You are going to hear about a very special friend. Listen and decide whether the following statements are true (T) or false (F). (1.0p). You will listen TWICE.

(0.25 point for each)

1. F 2. T 3. F 4. T

Script:

TASK 2: Listen to a conversation between Mai and Kevin. Circle the best answer A, B or C.. You will listen TWICE (1.25p) (0.25 point for each)

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

PART B. LANGUAGE: (2.75 points)

I. Circle the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the rest in each of the following questions. (0.5 point)

(0.25 point for each)

1. D 2. B

II. Choose the best answer A, B, C or, D to complete the sentences. (1.25 points)

(0.25 point for each)

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

III. Supply the correct form of the verbs in parentheses (1.0 point).

(0.25 point for each)

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| 1. Is there | 2. is playing |
| 3. doesn't spend | 4. try |

PART C. READING: (2.75 points)

I. Choose the best option to complete the passage. (1.25 points)

(0.25 point for each)

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

II. Read the passage and answer the questions. (1.5 points)

(0.25 point for each)

1. Tet often falls between late January and early February/ It often falls between late January and early February/ between late January and early February.
2. Apricot blossom is traditional in the South/ It is traditional in the South/ in the South.
3. Banh Chung is made of sticky rice, green beans and fatty pork/It is made of sticky rice, green beans and fatty pork/ sticky rice, green beans and fatty pork.
4. Yes, they can/ Yes.
5. F 6. T

PART D: WRITING (2.25 points)

I. Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. (1.25 points)

(0.25 point for each)

1. There is one projector and one computer in each classroom.
2. Keangnam Tower is shorter than Shanghai World Financial Centre.
3. The chair is in front of the table.
4. How about eating at the luxurious restaurant over there?
5. She has short hair

II. Write a paragraph of about 50 words about a best friend.

You should use the cues given: (1.0 point)

Marking scheme:

1. Format: (0.1 point for correct format). One paragraph only with the introduction, the body, and the conclusion.
2. Content: (0.4 point): a provision of main ideas and details as appropriate to the main idea.
3. Language: (0.3 point): a variety of vocabulary and structures appropriate to the level of secondary students.
4. Presentation: (0.2 point): Coherence, cohesion and style appropriate to the level of secondary students.