

PART A: LISTENING (2,25pts)

1. Listen to a conversation between Tim and Hoa about festival. Choose the best answer.
(1,25ps)

- Who will travel to Hà Giang province?
 - Hoa
 - Tim
 - Both of them.
- What does Hoa want to attend?
 - The Hà Giang festival.
 - The Fire Dancing festival
 - The Five Dancing festival
- When do local people hold the festival?
 - From the middle of the ninth lunar month.
 - From the middle of the tenth lunar month.
 - From the beginning of the tenth lunar month.
- What is the purpose of this festival?
 - Praying for a successful competition.
 - Praying for a successful harvest.
 - Praying for happiness.
- The participants get together to perform dances with _____ -
 - fire
 - their bare feet.
 - bamboo pole.

II. Listen to a conversation between Ann and Nam. Then circle True (T) or False (F) with the statements (1p)

STATEMENTS	TRUE	FALSE
1. Nam seldom cooks in his free time	T	F
2. Nam is keen on cooking and sharing good food with people	T	F
3. Nam thinks we can cook various dishes from a few ingredients	T	F
4. Ann spends hours at weekends gardening with her sisters	T	F

B. GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY (2,75pts)

I. Phonetics (0.5 p)

1. Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the others.
A. school B. children C.kitchen D. ceck
2. Circle the letter A, B , C or D to indicate the word that differs from the rest in the position of the main stress.
- A. custom B. livestock C. highland D. bamboo

II. Circle the letter A, B, C or D to complete each of the following sentences. (1.25 ps)

1. ethnic group has a large population, the Tay or the Ede?
A. What B. Why C. Which D. Who
2. Bat Trang Village is famous for traditional craft of pottery making.
A.the B. an C. a D. 0
3. Joe broke with when he went to an art college.
A. culture B. tradition C. habit D. custom

4. It's a tradition for shops to have a lion dance performance at their opening
 A. work B. meal C. celebration D. ceremony
5. Hoa : "Could you tell me more about the art club, please ?"
 Nam : "..... It meets on Mondays."
 A. Certainly B. That's a good idea C. Thanks. D. Yes, I can.

III. Give the correct form of the verb. Write your answers in the blanks. (1.0 p)

1. I (send) messages to my friends tomorrow.
 2. We (not/ have)..... boarding school for minority students in 1950.
 3. Do you fancy (go)to the cinema this weekend ?
 4. Every morning, Nick (get up) ten minutes earlier than his sister.

C. READING (2,75ps)

I. Choose the word which best fits each gap. (1,25ps)

The *rice-cooking* festival is held in the communal house yard about one kilometer away from a river. There are three (31).....: water fetching, *fire-making* and *rice-cooking*. The festival (32) one day. In the *water-fetching* contest, one person from each team has (33) to the river to get the water. In the *fire-making* contest, two team members have to make a fire in the (34) way. They try to rub pieces of bamboo together to make a fire. Six people from each team (35) in the *rice-cooking* Festival. They have to separate the rice from the husk and then cook the rice.

1. A. holidays B. contest C. festivals D. competitions
 2. A. takes B. took C. taking D. take
 3. A. to run B. run C. ran D. running
 4. A. strange B. tradition C. traditional D. tradition
 5. A. participates B. participate C. participating D. participated

II. Read the passage, and choose the correct answers. (1,5ps)

The thing I liked most when I was small was the change of seasons. Spring, summer, autumn and winter - I could see **them** all come and go and each one was completely different. Now in the city, you can buy summer flowers in winter and eat the same vegetables all the year round. Whereas, in the country, I could only eat things at certain times of the year, for example, strawberries in June and turnips in winter. I lived my childhood with the seasons.

We also made most of our food and would never eat frozen or tinned food. Everything was fresh, so it must be better than the type of food I am taking now in the city. City people may think people in the country miss a lot of things about modern life. In fact, in my opinion they miss a lot more than people in the country, they miss real life.

- 1, What did the writer like most about living in the country?

 2, Can you buy summer flowers in winter in the city now?

 3, How was everything in the countryside?

 4, What does the word "**them**" in line 2 refer to?
 A. Four seasons B. Winter and autumn
 C. Countryside people D. Plants

- 5, In the countryside which season can we buy strawberries?
 A. Spring B. Summer C. Autumn D. Winter
6. Why did the writer never eat tinned food when living in the country?
 A. Because it was frozen. B. Because it was contaminated.
 C. Because it was very fat. D. Because it wasn't very fresh.

PART D: WRITING (2.25 PS)

I. Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the sentence before. (1.25 ps)

1. Nam drives faster than Minh
 → Minh drives.....
2. Do you like to go shopping at the weekend ?
 → *Are you fond*?
- 3, Teens don't know how to avoid bullies, but they don't want to tell their teachers.
 → Although
- 4.It's good for us to keep our traditional customs.
 → We should
- 5, If it doesn't rain sooner, we will lose our crops.
 → Unless

I. Write a paragraph (80 – 100 words) about the things you do to help your famil (1p)

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

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

PART B. LANGUAGE FOCUS (2.75 POINTS)

I. Phonetics (0.5 point)

1. A 2. D

II. Circle the letter A, B, C or D to complete each of the following sentences. (1.25 points)

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

III. Give the correct form of the verb. Write your answers in the blanks. (1.0 point)

1. will send 2. did not have/ didn't have 3. Going 4. gets up

PART C. READING (2.75 PS)

II. Choose the correct answer A, B, or C to fill in each blank in the following passage. (1.25ps)

1. D. competitions 2. A. takes 3. A. to run 4. C. traditional 5. B. participate

II. Read the following passage and do the tasks below. (1.5 ps)

- 1, (The write/ He/She liked most about living in the country was) the change of seasons.
- 2, Yes./ Yes, I/ we can.
- 3, (It/ Everything in the countryside was) fresh.
- 4, A. Four seasons
- 5, B. Summer
6. D. Because it wasn't very fresh.

PART D: WRITING (2.25 PS)

I. Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the sentence before. (1.25 ps)

1. Minh drives more slowly than Nam (does) .
2. Are you fond of going shopping at the weekend ?
3. Although teens don't know how to avoid bullies, they don't want to tell their teachers.
4. You should keep our traditional customs.
5. Unless it rains sooner, we will lose our crops.

II, Write a short paragraph about the teenagers' stress and how to deal with them. (1p)

- 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.