

UNIT 6 NATURAL WONDERS

LESSON 1-1 (New words)

I. NEW WORDS:

1. accessible	/ək'sesəbl/	(a)	: có thể tới được, dễ tiếp cận
2. formation	/fɔ:'meɪʃn/	(n)	: sự hình thành, hình khối
3. mount	/maʊnt/	(n)	: núi, ngọn núi
4. outcrop	/'aʊtkrɒp/	(n)	: phần đất (đá) trồi lên
5. rainforest	/'reɪnfɒrɪst/	(n)	: rừng nhiệt đới
6. scenic	/'si:nɪk/	(a)	: có cảnh đẹp thiên nhiên
7. spectacular	/spek'tækjələ(r)/	(a)	: đẹp mắt, ngoạn mục
8. summit	/'sʌmɪt/	(n)	: đỉnh, điểm cao nhất

II. Write the suitable word for each picture



1. _____



2. _____



3. _____



4. _____



5. _____



6. _____

III. Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that best fits the space in each sentence.

- In Sơn Đoòng Cave, Water moving down for millions of years created amazing rock _____.
A. Formations B. spectaculars C. landscapes D. rainforests
- The water running through the cave created the rocky _____.
A. summit B. outcrops C. rangers D. government
- I climbed all the way to the _____ of Mount Snowdon. There was a great view from the top.
A. beach B. formation C. summit D. nature
- So many animals live in the _____.
A. ranger B. formation C. wild D. rainforest
- Bat Cave is beautiful but not as _____ as Deer Cave.
A. sandy B. wonderful C. attractive D. accessible

6. I think _____ Son Tra is as more scenic than other mountains.
 A. ranger B. Mount C. wild D. rainforest
7. The sunset was a _____ sight, with beautiful colors filling the sky.
 A. spectaculars B. rainforests C. landscapes D. Formations
8. Joe is excited to sail among many _____ limestone island in Ha Long Bay.
 A. rangers B. scenic C. summits D. rainforest

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LESSON 1-2 (Grammar)

I. Comparative structures with intensifiers:

1. (not) as....as :


(+) S + is/am/are + as + adjective + as.....

(-) S + isn't /am not /aren't + as + adjective + as.....

Ex: I think Nha Trang is as beautiful as Mui Ne
 Son Doong Cave isn't as accessible as En Cave.


2. Intensifiers (a bit /far /much):

* Để nhấn mạnh so sánh:

S + is/am/are + far /much  + adj -er + than.....
 + more + adj

Ex: I think Ha Long bay is much more beautiful than Mui Ne Beach.
 Mount Fansipan is far higher than Mount Langbian.

* Để làm dịu sự so sánh:

S + is/am/are + a bit  + adj -er + than.....
 + more + adj

Ex: I think Mang Den in Kon Tum is a bit more peaceful than Da Lat.

3. Irregular comparative adjectives:

good → better than
 bad → worse than
 far → farther than / further than

II. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the adjectives.

1. The view from the summit of Mount Fansipan is a bit _____ than the view from Mount Langbiang. (beautiful)
2. The walk to the summit of the mountain is much _____ than the walk through the forest to get to the beach. (scenic)
3. Ninh Bình is spectacular! I think the rocky outcrops there are much _____ than the ones in Ha Long Bay. (interesting)
4. The rock formations in this cave are far _____ than the photos online. (exciting)
5. Visiting the rainforest isn't as _____ as visiting the beach. (relaxing)
6. The beach in Vũng Tàu is nice, but the one in Nha Trang is a bit _____. (clean)
7. I don't want to visit Son Doong Cave. I'd prefer to go somewhere that is much _____. (accessible)
8. This mountain is much _____ than the other nearby mountains and hills. (tall)
9. Suối Tranh Waterfall isn't as _____ as Bản Giốc Waterfall. (big)
10. I think the beaches in Quy Nhơn are a bit _____ than any beaches in Vietnam. (spectacular)

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LESSON 1-3 (Pronunciation)

I. Choose the word having the underlined part pronounced differently in each line.

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| 1. A. <u>i</u> sland | B. <u>p</u> ilgrim | C. <u>s</u> urprising | D. <u>s</u> hrine |
| 2. A. <u>s</u> culpture | B. <u>st</u> ructure | C. <u>f</u> uture | D. <u>c</u> ulture |
| 3. A. <u>c</u> omplex | B. <u>c</u> itadel | C. <u>c</u> avern | D. <u>c</u> ontestant |
| 4. A. <u>p</u> leasure | B. <u>m</u> easure | C. <u>t</u> reasure | D. <u>g</u> reat |
| 5. A. <u>a</u> ging | B. <u>c</u> avern | C. <u>c</u> ave | D. <u>a</u> ncient |

II. Choose a word that has different stressed syllable from others.

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| 1. A. historical | B. fascinating | C. valuable | D. memorable |
| 2. A. archaeology | B. administrative | C. geological | D. ecological |
| 3. A. design | B. occasion | C. depend | D. puppet |
| 4. A. committee | B. astounding | C. picturesque | D. contestant |
| 5. A. spectacular | B. imperial | C. recognition | D. historical |

III. Read the text and circle the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.

My family loves travelling and we have been to (1) _____ beautiful places in Viet Nam. In spring, we usually travel to the northwest of the country. In places (2) _____ as Moc Chau or Bac Ha, we can enjoy

beautiful apricot and peach blossoms together with the cold fresh air. (3)_____summer, we go the south to visit amazing beaches in Nha Trang or Quy Nhon. We (4) _____ water sports, go swimming, have seafood and visit special places. In autumn, my family (5)_____ camping in Ba Vi National _____. We collect cones and climb the mountain. The more we travel, the more we love our country.

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| 1. A. many | B. much | C. little | D. few |
| 2. A. that | B. so | C. such | D. like |
| 3. A. On | B. at | C. for | D. in |
| 4. A. have | B. give | C. play | D. win |
| 5. A. goes | B. make | C. do | D. play |
| 6. A. Bay | B. Park | C. Mountain | D. Wonders |

IV .Rewrite the following sentences, beginning as shown, so that the meaning stays the same.

1. Angel Falls is over 1,000 feet higher than any other falls in the world.

☐Angel Falls is _____.

2. Lake Superior in North America is a freshwater lake; it is larger than any other freshwater lakes in the world.

☐Lake Superior in North America is _____.

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

☐Antarctica is _____.

4. The Royal Hotel is more old-fashioned than the Holton Hotel.

☐The Holton Hotel _____.

5. Langbiang's summit is shorter than Fansipan's summit.

☐ Fansipan's summit is a bit _____.