

REVISION (The first midterm – Class 10)

PRONUNCIATION:

1. A. classmate B. bookcase C. washbasin D. relaxing 2. A. generation B. grateful C. educate D. grandparents
3. A. vacuum B. classical C. amazing D. actor 4. A. geography B. gardening C. gentle D. generation
5. A. giant B. regret C. gentle D. generous 6. A. dangerous B. general C. great D. Germany
7. A. symbols B. banks C. steps D. tourists 8. A. stopped B. played C. booked D. missed
9. A. paintings B. events C. remarks D. photographs 10. A. musical B. test C. interest D. festival
11. A. arrange B. parent C. basement D. rating 12. A. started B. visited C. washed D. wanted
13. A. played B. walked C. stopped D. talked 14. A. enjoyed B. called C. laughed D. answered
15. A. leg B. magic C. gentle D. gene 16. A. dusted B. mopped C. attended D. visited
17. A. again B. garden C. girl D. legend 18. A. basic B. cousin C. musical D. museum
19. A. bus B. amusing C. musical D. Thursday 20. A. amazing B. jazz C. pizza D. visit

STRESS:

1. A. perform B. concert C. enjoy D. attend 2. A. weather B. birthday C. boring D. expect
3. A. culture B. puppet C. perform D. drama 4. A. orchestra B. opera C. tragedy D. tradition
5. A. household B. routine C. tidy D. laundry 6. A. attend B. household C. laundry D. picnic
7. A. important B. colourful C. cultural D. national 8. A. entertain B. cinema C. furniture D. holiday
9. A. furniture B. usually C. develop D. grandparents 10. A. apartment B. household C. routine D. museum

VERB FORM (V-ing / to inf or bare inf)

1. Lilly likes pictures of animals. A. draw B. draws C. drawing D. to drawing
2. Does she ___ the beds at once? Her guests are at the door! A. makes B. make C. making D. is making
3. Emma loves ...in the lake during the summer. A. swim B. swims C. swimming D. to swimming
4. Jeff hates ___ in public – it makes him feel embarrassed. A. dancing B. dances C. danced D. to dance
5. I tried ... the news on TV, but I was too tired to stay awake. A. to watch B. watching C. watch D. to watching
6. Joe spent all afternoon ___ computer games. A. play B. to play C. to playing D. playing
7. The boys enjoythe gardening with their dad. A. do B. doing C. to do D. done
8. Would you like _____ a new shirt? A. to buy B. buy C. buying D. bought
9. Let's ___ this project by the end of the week. A. to finish B. finishing C. finish D. finished
10. How about _____ a local museum? A. visit B. visited C. to visit D. visiting

Tenses: Present Simple/ Present continuous/ Past Simple or Past Continuous

1. - A: Why..... for the bus? You usually _____ to work. - B: My car didn't work this morning.
A. are you waiting/ are driving B. do you wait/ drive C. are you waiting/ drive D. do you wait/ are driving
2. Youworried. What about?
A. look/ are you thinking B. look/ do you think C. are looking/ do you think D. are looking/ are you thinking
3. Jenny oftenjeans and T-shirt at school but she..... a gorgeous dress today.
A. wears - is wearing B. is wearing - wears C. wear - is wearing D. wears - wears
4. Could you turn the TV down? Ito read my book. A. try B. am trying C. tried D. trying
5. What's the weather like in your city? How often ___ there? A. it rains B. does it rain C. it is raining D. is it raining
6. Marytelevision every night. A. watch B. is watching C. watches D. watched
7. The last flight to Clevelandat 8 p.m. tomorrow. A. was departing B. departs C. is departing D. has departed
8. Listen! Someone _____ at the door. A. are knocking B. knocks C. is knocking D. is knocked
9. My sister the bus to school. My mom takes her to school by car.
A. catches B. is catching C. don't catch D. doesn't catch
10. I'm sorry, Lan is busy now. Sheher document on the second floor.
A. are checking B. check C. checks D. is checking
11. He ___ his homework two hours ago. A. does B. did C. doing D. do
12. I _____ a movie when you texted me. A. watched B. watch C. was watching D. am watching
13. They _ a new house at this time last year. A. were looking for B. looked for C. look for D. are looking for
14. The children ___ in the park while their parents were shopping. A. played B. were playing C. play D. are playing
15. We _____ to the cinema last weekend. A. go B. went C. were going D. have gone
16. ___ you still ___ at 7 p.m. last night? A. Did-work B. Are-working C. Were-working D. Were-work

17. He _____ to music when his friend arrived. A. listens B. was listening C. listened D. is listening
 18. I _____ a local museum while my sister _____ a local festival.
 A. visit - was attending B. visit - attended C. was visiting - was attending D. was visiting - attended
 19. Yesterday, I _____ home when a heavy storm suddenly _____ out.
 A. was driving / broke B. was driving / was breaking C. drove / was breaking D. drove / broke
 20. He was only nine when he _____ his first public show. A. was giving B. gives C. gave D. has given

Adverbs of frequency

1. Peter _____ back home at 4:30 pm. and does his homework. A. usually is B. is usually C. does usually D. usually does
 2. Hugo _____ at 7 o'clock on Sundays. A. gets up never B. never gets up C. gets never up D. never get up
 3. He's normally a patient guy. However, he can be really bad-tempered at times.
 A. never B. always C. sometimes D. usually
 4. We seldom see each other anymore. A. sometimes B. occasionally C. frequently D. rarely
 5. Adrian wears jeans all the time. Adrian _____.
 A. always wears jeans B. often wears jeans C. sometimes wears jeans D. usually wears jeans
 6. I don't earn much because I _____.
 A. never went to college B. went to college never C. went to never college D. went never to college
 7. He and his friends _____ their bikes to school. A. always drive B. always rides C. always ride D. ride always
 8. He _____ very busy at the present. He _____ free time to go out.
 A. is often / rarely has B. often was / had rarely C. has often been / has rarely D. often is / rarely has
 9. Harry works all the time. He _____. A. never relaxes B. relaxes C. often relaxes D. relaxes sometimes
 10. _____ on Sundays. A. Always he gets up late B. He always gets up late
 C. Does he get up always late D. He gets always up late

Quantifiers/ subject/ object pronouns-possessive adjectives

1. Trung and you are from Vietnam. _____ are Vietnamese. A. We B. They C. You D. He
 2. We are Paul and Jake. These are _____ mobile phones. A. their B. her C. your D. our
 3. I'm a new student. My name's Michael. You can call _____ Mike. A. them B. me C. him D. her
 4. How _____ sugar do you put in your tea? A. any B. many C. much D. few
 5. Is there _____ juice in the fridge? A. a few B. any C. some D. little
 6. There are _____ lemons. Let's make lemonade. A. a few B. a little C. any D. few
 7. How _____ carrots do you need? A. lots of B. little C. much D. many
 8. There are _____ eggs in the fridge. A. a little B. any C. a lot of D. lot of
 9. There is very _____ butter. I can't make a cake. A. little B. few C. a little D. a few
 10. Have _____ chicken, please. A. some B. a lot C. a few D. few

Stative verbs

1. James _____ two cats. A. have B. has C. is having D. are having
 2. Why the soup? A. do you smell B. you smell C. you are smelling D. are you smelling
 3. Your new bike _____ fantastic! A. looks B. is looking C. look D. looked
 4. Dad the noodles to check if they need more salt. A. tastes B. is tasting C. tasted D. was tasting
 5. This actress _____ in the new programme on TV. A. appears B. appear C. is appearing D. are appearing
 6. Joshua to be very tired after doing the laundry and mopping the floor today.
 A. appear B. appears C. is appearing D. are appearing
 7. Mum that we should walk to school. A. believe B. is believing C. believed D. believes
 8. I _____ that you are tidying your house these days. A. am hearing B. hear C. hears D. heard
 9. Collin of taking part in the robot competition. A. is thinking B. thinks C. think D. thought
 10. I _____ why you like watching football games – it's very exciting! A. sees B. am seeing C. see D. seen

VOCABULARY:

1. In....., we study physics and chemistry. A. PE B. maths C. science D. ICT
 2. You watch a football match at a A. museum B. cinema C. stadium D. centre
 3. Joe loves going to the island by _____ because he likes the sea. A. coach B. helicopter C. boat D. ship
 4. It usually me 20 minutes to go to school by bus. A. does B. takes C. makes D. has
 5. You see statues there, they're at a _____. A. stadium B. cinema C. sports centre D. museum
 6. A: bicycle is it? - B: It's Jack's. A. Who B. What C. Which D. Whose
 7. Shelley waved her arm and the _____ stopped to let her in. A. plane B. train C. taxi D. ship

8. A:does it take to get home? B: About 30 minutes by bus. A. How much B. How many C. How long D. When
9. Planes are fast but tickets are _____. A. expensive B. cheap C. safe D. exciting
10. In _____, we study novels and poems. A. geography B. history C. science D. literature
11. Where do people practise karate? –At a _____. A. museum B. sports centre C. shopping centre D. stadium
12. A:do you go to the beach? B: Once a month. A. How often B. When C. How long D. How much
13. Our _____ is on platform 3 on the other side of the station. A. train B. car C. coach D. plane
14. After dinner, my mum always *does the washing-up*.
A. washes the clothes B. cleans the kitchen C. washes the dishes D. clears the table
15. A: I'm going to play tennis. to come with me?
A. How about B. Would you like C. I suggest D. Why don't you
16. The room would look bigger if we rearranged the A. routines B. furniture C. hobbies D. housework
17. The festival featured a number of musical performances, as well as clowns and games to _____ the children.
A. see B. perform C. entertain D. maintain
18. Please _____ the dishwasher and put away the plates and the bowls.
A. load B. empty C. make D. set
19. My grandmother usually *looks after* us when my mother has a business trip.
A. looks at B. takes care of C. helps D. stays with
20. After lunch, I often _____ a short nap for thirty minutes, then I do my homework. A. do B. make C. get D. take
21. You have to speak loudly on stage so the _____ can hear you.
A. performers B. dancers C. singers D. audience
22. Jackie _____ her hair before she went out. A. did B. made C. had D. took
23. I like jazz music because it's peaceful and _____. A. soft B. noisy C. amusing D. powerful
24. When the play finished, all the actors appeared on _____. A. stage B. theatre C. surface D. public
25. The girl put ... a poster of her favourite pop singer on her bedroom wall. A. up B. on C. in D. by
26. Can you please _____ the door for me? A. catch B. take C. answer D. have
27. I found the performance _____; the music was sad and the story was very slow.
A. funny B. boring C. amusing D. exciting
28. Would you like to ... this classical performance with the performers! A. visit B. come C. go D. attend
29. I'm really into! It's so exciting to sing along with the performers!
A. tragedies B. dramas C. comedies D. musicals
30. She dislikes ...the floor; she feels exhausted each time. A. setting B. mopping C. dusting D. doing
31. It doesn't take along to _____ breakfast. A. catch B. do C. set D. make
32. It's your turn to..... the ironing. A. do B. load C. make D. take
33. Would you like to _____ to a music concert with me? A. attend B. make C. visit D. go
34. Why don't we _____ a picnic next weekend? A. go to B. go C. go on D. go over
35. First, help me vacuum the _____ and then make lunch together. A. rug B. table C. windows D. furniture
36. I don't get why you always doing the housework. A. regret B. stand C. help D. avoid
37. The art _____ with Monnet's painting is really interesting to see.
A. exhibition B. festival C. performer D. collector
38. This place looks so _____. I'll help you with all the chores. A. boring B. scary C. messy D. tidy
39. This is my pet, Luther. Can you look..... it while I'm away? A. forward B. into C. after D. for
40. I find _____ boring. I like it when there is a story not just singing. A. opera B. ballet C. drama D. music

WORD FORM:

1. Nancy likes _____ around Vietnam. A. travel B. travels C. travelled D. travelling
2. Lila thinks cars are fast but _____. A. dangerous B. danger C. endanger D. dangerously
3. Max helps his mum do the _____ every weekend. A. garden B. gardener C. gardening D. gardeners
4. There are some _____ on the wall. A. painting B. paintings C. painters D. paint
5. Playing video games is _____. A. relax B. relaxation C. relaxing D. relaxed
6. Zoe thinks doing the laundry is _____. A. bored B. boring C. bores D. bore
7. Fred is going to take part in a _____. A. compete B. competitor C. competition D. competitive
8. Lots of talented musicians and _____ are performing at the show in Central Park.
A. entertains B. entertainments C. entertaining D. entertainers
9. Their garden was full of _____ flowers. A. colorful B. colorfully C. color D. coloured
10. Hobbies are..... that you love doing in your spare time. A. act B. actions C. activities D. activity

11. In the past, not many people went to art _____. A. exhibit B. exhibitor C. exhibition D. exhibitions
12. The Muong people are very _____, talented and patient because their clothes have beautiful patterns on them.
A. creative B. create C. creation D. creativeness
13. An opera is a musical play in which _____ sing most of the words while a live orchestra plays music.
A. performs B. performers C. performing D. performances
14. I was _____ surprised to see a colourful dragon moving across water when the performance started.
A. complete B. completion C. completely D. completeness
15. There is a family where everyone is very lazy. Whenever it comes to doing chores, they push around the
A. responsible B. irresponsibility C. responsibility D. responsibly

Phrasal Verbs (look after/ look forward to) (put on/put up) // Prepositions of movement/ Prepositions of place

1. Some tourists love walking the forest to enjoy the fresh air and see the wildlife.
A. along B. past C. under D. through
2. If you want to visit the church on the hill over there, you should the stairs
A. go down B. run along C. go up D. walk under
3. The children are to their trip to Disney Land. A. looking after B. looking for C. looking at D. looking forward
4. My grandmother usually us when my mother has a business trip.
A. looks for B. looks forward C. looks after D. looks at
5. Children, comethe pool. It's time to have lunch. A. of B. out of C. next D. through
6. I am _____ your painting. It's beautiful. A. looking at B. looking for C. looking after D. looking through
7. She invited a lot of people to the party but half of them didn't _____.
A. stand up B. break down C. turn up D. get up
8. We..... some new pictures in the living room. A. put on B. put up C. put off D. put out
9. _____ your shoes _____. - we're going out. A. Put.....on B. Put.....up C. put..... out D. putoff
10. The girl ... a poster of her favorite pop singer on her bedroom wall. A. put on B. put up C. put off D. put out

Article

1. My sister's favorite hobby is to play _____ piano A. the B. a C. an D. ∅
2. Family isintegral part of Vietnamese life. A. the B. a C. an D. ∅
3. Let's have lunch at a new restaurant down the street A. the B. a C. an D. ∅
4. On Sunday mornings, I have _____big breakfast with my family A. the B. a C. an D. ∅
5. I'm going to play..... video games with Paul. A. the B. a C. an D. ∅
6. They made characters from _____ wood A. the B. a C. an D. ∅
7. My father works part-time as shop assistant. A. the B. a C. an D. ∅
8. _____ Muong People have their own style of music. A. the B. a C. an D. ∅
9. At the age of 14, he moved toUnited States and signed a contract with Keystone studios.
A. the B. a C. an D. ∅
10. How didpolice find out about the robbery? A. the B. a C. an D. ∅

Question 1: a. Linda: Oh no! How are you feeling now?

b. Mike: I caught a bad cold last weekend.

c. Linda: Hi Mike! I didn't see you in class yesterday. What happened?

- A. a – b – c B. b – c – a C. c – b – a D. c – a – b

Question 2: a. Sarah: I agree. And AI is already changing the way we live and work.

b. Tim: Do you think robots will replace humans in most jobs?

c. Sarah: That's a good question. I think they'll assist, but not completely replace us.

- A. c – b – a B. a – b – c C. b – a – c D. b – c – a

Question 3: a. Tom: I'm not sure yet. Maybe we can go to the movies or have a picnic.

b. Sarah: Sounds good! Let's check the weather forecast first.

c. Sarah: Hey Tom, do you have any plans for the weekend?

- A. c – a – b B. a – c – b C. c – b – a D. b – c – a

Question 4: a. Woman: Excuse me, can you tell me how to get to the library?

b. Man: Sure! Walk straight for two blocks, then turn left. The library is next to the bank.

c. Woman: Thank you so much!

- A. a – b – c B. b – a – c C. a – c – b D. c – a – b

Question 5: a. Alice: I'm really sorry for being late. The traffic was terrible.

b. Alice: Glad to hear that! I was so worried I kept you waiting.

c. Bob: That's okay. I just got here too.

A. a – b – c

B. b – a – c

C. a – c – b

D. c – a – b

Question 6. a. John: Really? I've been meaning to watch it this weekend.

b. John: Hey, Mike! Have you seen the new movie that came out last week?

c. Mike : Hi, John! Yes, I saw it yesterday. It was incredible!

A. a-b-c

B. b-c-a

C. a-c-b

D. b-a-c

Question 7. a. Mia : I'll be working as a marketing assistant at a tech company.

b. Mia : I'm excited to start my new job next week!

c. Tom : That's great news! What will you be doing?

d. Tom : Sounds like a wonderful opportunity!

e. Mia : I hope to learn a lot and grow in my career.

A. a-d-e-c-b

B. b-a-c-d-e

C. a-c-b-d-e

D. b-c-a-d-e

Question 8.

a. We talk about activities at school and our parents share about their experiences at work during the meals.

b. In brief, these routines help us stay connected and create lasting memories as a family.

c. There are several routines that I have to follow in my family. First of all, we have meals together on weekends.

d. We dedicate Sunday afternoons to family game time. We enjoy various board games, fostering teamwork and increasing our bond.

e. We also go for a walk after dinner, which promotes physical health and provides time for meaningful conversations.

A. a-c-e-b-d

B. c-a-e-b-d

C. c-e-a-d-b

D. c-a-e-d-b

Question 9. a. First, doing housework helps children develop some important life skills such as doing the laundry, cleaning the house or taking care of others.

b. They will certainly need those skills in their lives later, when they start their own families.

c. I think children should do housework for a number of reasons.

d. Second, children can learn to take responsibility when they do housework. They know that they have to do something even though they don't like to do it.

e. So doing housework is really good for children and I believe that they should do it.

A. e-c-a-b-d

B. e-a-c-b-d

C. c-a-b-d-e

D. c-e-a-b-d

Question 10. a. Sarah: That's a good idea! I'll also try to reduce my plastic usage.

b. John: A great place to start is by using public transport or cycling instead of driving.

c. Sarah: I've been trying to reduce my carbon footprint, but I'm not sure where to start.

A. c - b – a

B. a - b – c

C. b - a – c

D. b - c – a

Question 11: a. Albert: It's called couscous. It's made from wheat.

b. Mary: How did your aunt learn to cook it?

c. Albert: You should try this! My aunt made it.

d. Albert: Her great uncle married a woman from North Africa. That's where couscous is from. They always eat it on special occasions.

e. Mary: Mmm ... Delicious! What is this?

A. e-a-c-b-d

B. c-e-a-b-d

C. c-e-d-b-a

D. d-e-a-b-c

Question 12: a. Andy: Not at all. My school performance is a huge worry for me.

b. Andy: Hi, Anna! Long time no see. Is your study OK?

c. Anna: Hi, Andy! It's quite good. How about you?

A. a-c-b

B. c-b-a

C. b-c-a

D. c-a-b

Question 13. a. Jake: That's awesome! What kind of dishes are you learning?

b. Sarah: I'm starting with simple recipes like pasta and soups.

c. Sarah: I've been learning how to cook recently.

d. Jake: That sounds delicious!

e. Sarah: Yeah, it's been fun experimenting with new ingredients.

A. a-b-c-d-e

B. c-a-b-e-d

C. a-d-c-b-e

D. c-a-b-d-e

Question 14. a. Mark: Hi, Michelle! How is your brother? I heard he's in hospital.

b. Mark: I'm sorry to hear that. I hope he will get well soon.

c. Michelle: Hi, Mark! He broke his arm when playing football, but he's okay now.

A. c-a-b

B. c-b-a

C. b-c-a

D. a-c-b

Question 15. a. Anna: Yes, this one is nice. It's small and round...

b. Susan: What about a bag?

- c. Anna: I want to buy a present for Diana.
 d. Anna: No, this is better. I'll get the round one.
 e. Susan: I think she'd prefer a square bag.

A. c-b-a-e-d B. c-e-d-b-a C. d-b-a-e-c D. d-e-a-b-c

Question 16. Hi Jo!

- a. So I'll be alone! I have lots of plan for next month, if you can come my house.
 b. Next month I'm not working, and my parents going to holiday.
 c. How are you? I hope you are fine. I'm fine, but I miss you so much.
 d. Before come, please send me your fly delays, because I'll collect to you at airport.
 e. I think if I see you again, I'll be much happy.

I'm waiting your reply.

Love,
 Paul.

A. c - e - b - a - d B. a - e - c - d - b C. e - a - b - d - e D. c - e - d - b - a

Question 17. a. Hoa: Yes, I tried learning it last year, but I found it a bit challenging.

- b. Mai: Have you ever learned how to play the guitar?
 c. Mai: I understand. It takes time, but it's worth the effort once you get the hang of it.

A. a-c-b B. b-a-c C. c-b-a D. a-b-c

Question 18. a. It's true, we don't have much free time, but doing a few chores doesn't take long.

- b. I think we should try to help our parents because it's not fair for them to do everything.
 c. I'm sorry to hear that you're so busy with your studies and have too many chores to do.
 d. Hi Jack, How are you?
 e. Talk to you soon!

f. I am very busy with school and other activities too, but I still help around the house.

A. d-b-a-c-f-e B. b-d-e-a-c-f C. b-d-e-a-c-f D. d-c-a-b-f-e

Question 19. a. I'm going running in the park. Do you want to come?

- b. Maybe another time then.
 c. Hi Anna. What are you doing today?
 d. I can't. I'm going swimming today.

A. a-c-b-d B. c-a-b-d C. c-a-d-b D. c-a-d-b

Question 20. Dear Peter,

- a. In my free time, I enjoy reading books and going out with friends. I also love playing football and having picnics with my classmates.
 b. Also, I find that doing household chores is very useful and meaningful because it gives me a sense of achievement when everything looks nice and it teaches us responsibility and good habits.
 c. I'll end my letter here. I look forward to hearing from you soon!
 d. I help my parents with chores too, as I believe it's important to support them. It doesn't take long; I usually do the dishes, mop the floor, and take out the trash. This makes my parents happy, and it makes me happy as well.
 e. I hope you're well! Thanks for your email. I'd love to know what you enjoy doing in your free time?

Best regards,

A. d-c-e-b-a B. b-d-e-c-a C. e-a-d-b-c D. c-a-e-b-d

READING 1: Last weekend, a massive shopping mall (1) _____ in our city. The mall has many stores, including popular brands, restaurants, (2).... a big movie theater. Many people were very (3) about the opening, and the place was full of visitors eager to explore all the new shops. Why not (4) _____ at the mall this weekend? Bring your friends and family to enjoy the latest shopping trends, indulge in tasty snacks, and relax at the cinema. You'll be sure to want to come back soon. We look forward (5) ...welcoming you again, whether it's for shopping, dining, or engaging in watching a blockbuster movie.

Question 1: A. was opening B. opens C. is opening D. opened

Question 2: A. so B. but C. and D. also

Question 3: A. excited B. excite C. excitement D. exciting

Question 4: A. reach B. arrive C. come D. make

Question 5: A. go B. to go C. to going D. going

READING 2: Ever since it was first possible to make a real robot, people have been hoping for the invention of a machine that would do all the necessary jobs around the house. If boring and repetitive factory work could be (1)..... by robots, why not boring and repetitive household chores too?

For a long time the only people who really gave the problem (2) _____ attention were amateur inventors. And they came up against a major difficulty. That is, housework is actually very complex. It has never been one job, it has always been many. A factory robot one task carries out endlessly until it is reprogrammed to do something else. It doesn't run the whole factory. A housework robot, on the other hand, has to do (3) different types of cleaning and carrying jobs and also has to cope with all the different shapes and positions of rooms, furniture, ornaments, cats and dogs. (4), there have been some developments recently. Sensors are available to help the robot locate objects and avoid obstacles. We have the technology to produce the hardware. All that is missing the software- the programs that will (5) ... the machine.

Question 1. A. given B. prepared C. managed D. succeeded

Question 2. A. their B. her C. his D. our

Question 3. A. each B. little C. some D. much

Question 4. A. However B. Moreover C. Therefore D. Besides

Question 5. A. perform B. enforce C. work D. operate

READING 3: Have you ever felt that there aren't enough hours in the day? These days we have to do our jobs, look after our homes, save energy to help the environment, and do exercise to stay healthy! Like many of us, Alex Gadsden never had enough time. He ran a business and a home and needed to lose weight. So he decided to do something about it. He invented the cycle washer. The 29-year-old now starts each day with a 45-minute cycle ride. He not only feels healthier but he saves on his energy bills and does the washing too.

He said, "It gives the user a good workout. I've only used it for two weeks but I've already noticed a difference." "I tend to get up at around six-thirty now and get straight on the cycle washer. I keep it in the garden, so it's nice to get out in the fresh air. Afterwards, I feel full of energy. Then I generally have breakfast and a shower and I really feel ready to start the day." The green washing machine uses 25 litres of water a wash, and takes enough clothes to fill a carrier bag. He normally cycles for 25 minutes to wash the clothes, and then for another 20 minutes to dry them. And it doesn't use any electricity, of course. Mr. Gadsden, the boss of a cleaning company, believes his machine could become very popular. With an invention which cleans your clothes, keeps you fit and reduces your electricity bill, he may well be right.

Question 1: What is the passage mainly about? A. The importance of daily exercise

B. Ways to do the washing properly C. Cycling makes you healthier D. A fascinating invention

Question 2: The word "ran" in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to

A. moved B. allowed C. managed D. changed

Question 3: According to paragraph 1, what does Alex Gadsden achieve with the invention of the cycle washer?

A. His electricity bills are reduced. B. He puts on weight.
C. He helps his wife with the washing-up. D. He becomes more involved in recycling.

Question 4: The word "it" in paragraph 2 refers to

A. difference B. the cycle washer C. the fresh air D. workout

Question 5: Which of the following is NOT true, according to the passage?

A. Alex Gadsden is positive about the success of the cycle washer.
B. The cycle washer can help you to remain strong and healthy.
C. It doesn't require any electricity to run the cycle washer.
D. Alex's machine isn't effective in terms of cleaning the clothes.

Read the text about Adele and answer the questions that follow.

Adele has been one of the world's most well-known singers and songwriters in recent years. Born in North London in 1988, Adele started singing at a young age and she was mostly influenced by the Spice Girls. At the age of 16, Adele composed her first hit song, "Hometown Glory".

When she was a student at the British School for Performing Arts and Technology, she recorded three songs for a class project. All these songs later were posted on MySpace.com and became very popular. As a result, she was offered a record deal from XL Recordings after her graduation. Her first album "19" debuted at number one on the British charts in 2008.

In March 2008, she did a short tour in America and soon her international career began. In 2011, her second album, "21", came out. The music on this album was different from the soul music of "19". It was influenced by American country music, which Adele was listening to during her tour.

In 2012, she wrote and recorded "Skyfall" for the James Bond film of the same name. The song sold more than two million copies worldwide and for it Adele won the Academy Award for Best Original Song.

Since 2012, Adele has won many more awards. She has many fans including other famous singers because they admire her unique voice and her passion for music.

1. Adele's first song _____. A. was recorded at her art school B. was influenced by the Spice Girls' music
C. was written when she was a teenager D. was written for her class project
2. The second paragraph is mainly about
A. the songs Adele wrote for XL Recordings B. what Adele did when she was a student
C. how Adele made her songs popular D. how Adele began her professional music career
3. After Adele graduated from her art school,
A. she posted her songs on My Space B. she started singing and writing songs
C. she got a contract with a recording label D. she started her career in America
4. The word "**came out**" in paragraph 3 can be replaced by
A. be composed B. be released C. be offered D. be recorded
5. The word "**it**" in paragraph 4 refers to A. the song "Skyfall" B. the Academy Award
C. Adele's best song D. the 2012 James Bond film

Complete the sentences to make a letter about a music event you attended

Hi Daniel,

- 1/How / weekend? I /go/ rock concert /three weeks ago /and /amazing!
- 2/ I /with /sister, Kim. We/ big fans /Scorpions.
- 3/ We /arrive/venue on time, but there /such/ big crowd, so /concert /start/ / hour late!
- 4/ band /play/ famous songs / we /sing/ all of them.
- 5/ Everyone /sing and dance/atmosphere / out of this world.
- 6/ It /amazing performance. music / lively / band / really talented even though / quite old at age now.
- 7/ If you / the chance/ see/ Scorpions live, / definitely go.

Yours,

Sam

***Hi Herry,

- 1/How / weekend? I /go/Huê Festival/last year/ and /amazing!
- 2/ It/take/ every two years/ April/I/go/brother, Sam. We/love/local festival
- 3/ We/arrive/venue/on time/opening.
- 4/ During/festival,/lots/cultural event/place/street performances/ boat race/ kite.
- 5/ I/love/watch/beautiful kites/shapes/colours/fly/sky. Everyone/dance/streets/ atmosphere/amazing.
- 6/ It/ great festival./music/lively/boat races/fun.
- 7/ If you/ the chance/ attend/ Huê Festival,/ definitely go.

Yours,

Tony

Put the verbs in brackets into the correct form of the tenses.

1. The plane (land) at 6.00 p.m.
2. Susan (not/come) to the sporting event this weekend; she has a lot of homework to do.
3. I (not/usually/do) anything special on my birthday, but this year I (think) of throwing a big party.
4. John (walk) to school, but today he (take) the bus.
5. I (not/play) football today, because I (have) a terrible headache.
6. A: My mum (be) a nurse. B: Really? She (work) in a hospital?
7. A: Where (you/go) now? B: To the robot club. The competition (start) at 9:00.
8. A: They (study) hard these days. B: I know. They (want) to do well in their exams.
9. Tim (wake) up, had breakfast and got ready for school.
11. The school theatre club (perform) in the school yard when it (start) to rain.
12. The orchestra (play) music when the actors (appear) on stage.
13. Beth (cycle) to school when she fell off the bike.
14. I (shop) for groceries at 6 o'clock yesterday.
15. I (make) a birthday cake while Tom (put up) the decorations.
16. The sun (shine) and the people (relax) at the park last Sunday morning.
17. Jake (listen) to the music when he (realise) that he left his phone in the car.
18. I (see) why you like that painting.
19. A: Lots of people (attend) the music festival last weekend. B: I know! I (see) it on the news.
20. A: (you/see) Martha at the party last night? B: Oh yes! She (dance) all night.