

**I. Choose the word / phrase that best fits the space in each sentence: (2.5pts)**

- 1) Reducing garbage is one of the best ways to protect the \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. pollution                      B. pesticides                      C. treasure                      D. environment
- 2) I think we should use \_\_\_\_\_ to save electricity.  
A. showers                      B. appliances                      C. innovations                      D. energy-saving bulbs
- 3) Tet is a time for families to clean and \_\_\_\_\_ their homes.  
A. decorate                      B. prepare                      C. celebrate                      D. enjoy
- 4) She has kindly provided a picnic lunch for us, but we \_\_\_\_\_ until the whole area is clean.  
A. won't eat                      B. haven't eaten                      C. don't eat                      D. aren't eating
- 5) Easter happens \_\_\_\_\_ around the same time as Passover.  
A. in                      B. on                      C. at                      D. about
- 6) When the trucks leave the place, the ground is covered \_\_\_\_\_ trash.  
A. without                      B. with                      C. on                      D. off
- 7) I could finish my letter \_\_\_\_\_ the keyboard wasn't working well.  
A. but                      B. because                      C. although                      D. and
- 8) "Let me congratulate you on your successful performance." – " \_\_\_\_\_"  
A. Yes, let's.                      B. Thanks a lot.                      C. Really?                      D. Well done.
- 9) A funnel-shaped storms passing overland below a thunderstorm is called a \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. typhoon                      B. tsunami                      C. tornado                      D. hurricane
- 10) The professor \_\_\_\_\_ course I am taking is excellent.  
A. who                      B. whose                      C. which                      D. that

**II. Look at the signs, choose A, B, C or D that best fits in each question: (0.5pt)**

1. What does this sign mean?  
A. Vehicles weighing more than 10 tons may use this road way.  
B. Vehicles weighing 10 tons or less may use this road way.  
C. Vehicles weighing 10 tons may use this road way.  
D. Only cars weighing 10 tons may use this road way.
2. What does this sign mean?  
A. Do not touch unless you have wet paint.  
B. You must wet the paint before you touch it.  
C. This thing was painted recently.  
D. You will be hurt if you touch this thing.



**III. Use the correct form of the word given in each sentence: (1.5pts)**

1. It's very worrying to pump raw sewage (direct) \_\_\_\_\_ into the sea.
2. (Consume) \_\_\_\_\_ want products that work affectively and save money.
3. Tet is the most important (celebrate) \_\_\_\_\_ for Vietnamese people.
4. On Easter Day people crowd the streets (watch) \_\_\_\_\_ colorful parades.
5. I was interested in that novel, but it made me (satisfy) \_\_\_\_\_.
6. (forest) \_\_\_\_\_ is destroying large areas of tropical rain forest.

**IV. Choose the word / phrase (A, B, C or D) that best fits the space in the following passage: (1.5pts)**

New Year's Eve is December 31. It is not a national holiday, so people often go to work on this day. But in the evening, many people go to the (1) \_\_\_\_\_. They stay up late and wait (2) \_\_\_\_\_ the new year. They eat, drink, and dance. Some parties are at home. Other parties are at restaurants. January 1 is New Year's Day. It is a (3) \_\_\_\_\_ holiday, so most people don't have (4) \_\_\_\_\_ to work. Most people have a quiet day with family or friends. On this day, people think about the New Year. Many people make solutions. They (5) \_\_\_\_\_ to make changes in their lives. Some people promise to exercise more. Some decide to stop (6) \_\_\_\_\_. Others decide to lose weight.

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| 1/ A. hospital      | B. countryside | C. parties     | D. forest   |
| 2/ A. at            | B. for         | C. in          | D. to       |
| 3/ A. international | B. nations     | C. nationally  | D. nation   |
| 4/ A. to go         | B. to learn    | C. to increase | D. to check |
| 5/ A. divide        | B. go          | C. decide      | D. ask      |
| 6/ A to smoke       | B. smoke       | C. smoking     | D. smoked   |

### V. Read comprehension:

Environmental pollution is one of the most *serious* problems facing mankind today. Air, water and soil are necessary to the survival of all living things. Badly polluted air can cause illness and even death. Polluted water kills many kinds of wild animals and other marine life. Pollution of soil reduces the amount of land for growing food.

#### A. Read the passage, then decide whether the statements that follow are TRUE or FALSE: (1pt)

1. Environmental pollution is not dangerous nowadays.
2. Only water is necessary to all of us.
3. Wild animals and other marine life can be killed by polluted water.
4. Polluted soil can reduce the amount of land for growing food.

#### B. Questions: (0.5pt)

1. What are mankind faced with today?  
A. Water pollution    B. Soil pollution    C. Air pollution    D. Environmental pollution
2. The word "serious" (line 1) means \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. bad    B. silly    C. hardly    D. enjoyable

### VI. Use the given word or phrase to complete sentences: (0.5pt)

1. a second hand/ will end up/ goes on/ all the pollution/ junk-yard/ If/ like/ the world/  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. luxuries/ In Western countries/ but/ electricity, gas, and water/ necessities/ are not/  
\_\_\_\_\_

### VII. Rewrite the following sentences without changing meaning: (2.0pts)

1. Follow these simple rules and you will get a good result.  
If you \_\_\_\_\_
2. We didn't have enough time, so we decided to cancel our picnic.  
Because \_\_\_\_\_
3. I think it would be better if you traveled to school by bus.  
I suggest that \_\_\_\_\_
4. My brother John lives in Canada. He plays soccer very well.  
My brother John, \_\_\_\_\_

