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A. Listening

PART I: Listen and choose A, B, C answer for each question (5 pts)

- What time does the man wake up in the conversation?
 A. at 12:00 p.m. B. at 1:00 p.m. C. at 2:00 p.m.
- Where does the man need to go today?
 A. He has to go to work. B. He needs to attend class. C. He should go to a family activity.
- The man's sister feels that he should get up at _____.
 A. 6:15 a.m. B. 6:30 a.m. C. 6:45 a.m.
- The woman tells her brother to go to bed at _____ every night.
 A. 9:00 p.m. B. 9:30 p.m. C. 10:00 p.m.
- The woman has seen her brother fall asleep while he was _____.
 A. eating dinner B. watching TV C. driving

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

PART II: Listen to a conversation between a student and a university librarian. Complete the table. (5 pts)

Name of Book	(1).....
Writer	George
Shelf number	(3).....
Students can borrow short loan books for:	(4). hours
Must return book by:	(5).
Library closing time:	11.30 pm

1. – Natural History. 2. Davies 3. 184.733. 4. 5 5. 3.45

PART III

You will hear an interview with a woman called Marta Stanston, who runs a mobile restaurant that she sets up in different places. For each question, choose the answer. (5.0 points)

- What did Marta dislike about her first job?

- A. It was really badly paid. B. The boss didn't listen to her.
 C. She found the staff unfriendly.
2. At first, what did Marta find most surprising about mobile restaurants?
 A. They are only advertised online. B. Food never gets thrown away.
 C. Menus can be easily changed.
3. For Marta, the best thing about mobile restaurants was
 A. knowing she would have customers. B. being able to work outdoors.
 C. finding that waiters weren't needed.
4. Marta tries to avoid serving meals in her home because _____.
 A. she doesn't have enough furniture.
 B. the neighbours have complained.
 C. there is a lack of space.
5. What worries Marta about the future?
 A. mobile restaurants going out of fashion
 B. the wrong people opening restaurants like hers
 C. health inspectors coming to her restaurant

Answer

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

PART 4 : 5pts)

Listen to the conversation twice then decide whether the statements are True (T) or False (F). (*audio KET PRACTICE PLUS – test 1 – part 5*)

Statements	T/F
1. The museum is open every day except Sundays from 9 a.m to 7.30 p.m (6.30 p.m.)	
2. Tickets cost £4.40 for adults and £2.50 for children.	
3. There are special prices for large groups and families.	
4. Café serves chips and snacks. (hot food)	
5. The telephonenumber is 85 57 37	

Answer

1. F 2. T 3. T 4. F 5. T

B. Grammar

PART I: Choose the best answer to fill in the blank (9pts)

1. Are you interested.....playing badminton after class?
 A. in B. with C. on D. for
2. " What.....going to Hanoi tomorrow? "
 A. to B. in C. about D. for
3. Hoa works very.....so she always gets good marks.
 A. badly B. good C. hardly D. hard
4. The building was built1962 and 1969.

- A. between B. from C. since D. for
5. This school.....in 1997
 A. built B. is built C. was built D. has built
6. Of all my friends, Hoa is.....
 A. the tallest B. the most tallest C. taller D. more taller
7. Would you mind if I.....a photo ?
 A. take B. took C. would take
 D. am going to take
8. Last week Imy children to the biggest zoo in town.
 A. got B. brought C. fetch D. took
9. Are you proud.....your country and its tradition ?
 A. about B. on C. of D. for

Key

1. A 2. C 3. D 4. A 5. C 6. A 7. B 8. D 9. C

PART II: (3pts)

Read the note of an advertisement about a theatre center and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 1 to 5.

<p>ANGEL THEATRE CENTRE</p> <p>Saturday, June 22nd and Sunday, June 23rd</p> <p>Large Theatre – <i>The Last Man</i> Small Theatre – <i>Storm</i></p> <p>Saturday 2 pm 5 pm</p> <p>Sunday 11 am .1 pm</p> <p>Adult £10.00 Students £6.00</p>	<p>Dear Sarika,</p> <p>Do you know my cousin? She has just started (1)_____ our university.</p> <p>She wants (2)_____ to the theatre with us. Both days are fine, (3)_____ I would like to go in the morning.</p> <p>I've heard that <i>The Last Man</i> is (4)_____ so perhaps we should see (5)_____ other play. Thanks for booking this.</p>
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Question 1: A. from
 D. of

B. on **C. at**

Question 2: **A. to come**
 D. came

B. coming C. come

Question 3: A. and

B. or

C. but

D. although

Answer

1. C 2. A 3. C

PART III (3pts)

Read the reminder for rubbish classification and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 1 to 5.

"Dear tenants, please ensure that all (1)_____ is placed in the designated bins. Recycling bins (2)_____ for paper, glass, and plastics only. Proper waste disposal helps keep our building clean and (3)_____ friendly. Thank you (4)_____ your cooperation and commitment to maintaining (5)_____ clean living space."

1: A. trash B. vegetables C. food D. metal

2: A. is B. are C. be D. was

3: A. environment B. environmental C. environmentally D. environmentalist

Answer

1. A 2. B 3. C

Nam is a student. This year he had a very interested summer holiday. He traveled, with his classmates, to a mountainous area in Hoa Binh province. They gone there to help make a road through a forest among two villages. "It was very difficult because there was no water to drink and no shops where we could buy food," said Nam. "It was very cold and wet in the mountains. It is one of the wetter places in the country." Nam stayed in the mountains since six weeks. It was hard work, But he says it was the best thing he has ever did. He is hoping to return next year to do any more work there

Answer

1. Nam is a student. This year he had a very **interested** summer => **interesting**
2. in Hoa Binh province. They **gone** there to help make a road => **went**
3. through a forest **among** two villages. "It was very difficult" => **between**
4. in the mountains. It is one of the **wetter** places in the country." => **wettest**

5. Nam stayed in the mountains **since** six weeks. It was hard work, => **for**

PART V: Write the correct form of word to fill in the blank (5pts)

1. We have two postal _____ a day. (DELIVER)
2. He left the room without _____. (EXPLAIN)
3. Playing tennis is one of his favorite _____. (ACT)
4. We started our trip on a beautiful _____ morning. (SUN)
5. They left the house in a _____ mess. (FRIGHT)

Answer

1. We have two postal **deliveries** a day.
2. He left the room without **explanation**.
3. Playing tennis is one of his favorite **activities**.
4. We started our trip on a beautiful **sunny** morning.
5. They left the house in a **frightening** mess.

C. READING

PART I: Read these passages and match the each passage to its title. There is ONE title you needn 't use(5pts)

A. How I began	D. My most frightening experience
B. The worst aspect of my hobby	E. Why I like my hobby
C. My hopes for the future	F. When and where I do it

1. _____ For me, every weekday begins the same: I get up at 7.00. I have breakfast, I take the bus to school, I go to lessons ... I don't hate this daily routine, but it isn't very thrilling. In the evenings, however, I drive Formula 1 cars, build enormous cities and defend my planet against aliens. In short, I play computer games. It's like entering a different world. That's why I love playing them so much.

2. _____ My interest in computer games has taught me a lot about computer graphics. I want to study computing at college, and learn how to design and program games. Eventually, I'd like to start my own software company, creating and testing new games. That way, I could spend all day doing what I love most.

3. _____ Computer games are interesting because they often contain stories and characters. The games are getting better all the time, but they are also getting more expensive. The only thing I don't like about my hobby is the cost! New games are often about \$50.

4. _____ Some of my friends from school are interested in computer games too. We normally meet at my house in the evenings and play for a few hours. We sometimes play at weekends, but if the weather's good I prefer to go cycling or play basketball instead.

5. _____ I first became interested in computer games about four years ago. I was staying with my cousin for the weekend. He had some games and he taught me how to play them. I became hooked immediately! When I got home, I decided to save all my money for buying games. Now I've got about twenty different games.

* **Answer:**

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

PART II: Read the following passage and decide which option A, B, C, D best fits each space. (10 pts)

For a very long time, people tried to fly like birds or insects with wings made of wood or card. But no-one could fly (1) _____ two brothers who were called Wright made the first plane a century ago.

The first planes were very small. They were just big (2) _____ for one pilot and they couldn't fly very far. Today, there are very big planes which can (3) _____ hundreds of people at the same time to (4) _____ country in the world.

There are also a lot of small planes (5) _____ are very important in people's lives. In some very big countries when a person is very ill and needs a doctor to come (6) _____, the doctors need to use a plane.

In some countries, (7) _____ there are fires in the big forests, firemen use small planes to pick up water from a river or the sea and drop (8) _____ on the fire.

In the last fifty years, more and more people (9) _____ begun to go on holiday by plane. Fifty years ago, most countries (10) _____ had one airport but today there is an airport near most big cities.

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|----------------|----------|-------------|--------------|
| 1. A. past | B. until | C. during | D. so |
| 2. A. enough | B. too | C. ever | D. such |
| 3. A. carried | B. carry | C. carrying | D. carried |
| 4. A. every | B. both | C. many | D. all |
| 5. A. where | B. when | C. who | D. which |
| 6. A. quickest | B. quick | C. quickly | D. quicklier |
| 7. A. if | B. so | C. or | D. but |
| 8. A. it | B. they | C. them | D. its |
| 9. A. had | B. has | C. having | D. have |
| 10. A. before | B. only | C. yet | D. since |

Answer

1. B 2. A 3. B 4. A 5. D 6. C 7. A 8. A 9. D 10. B

PART III: Read the text below and choose the answer (A, B, C, or D) which you think fits best according to the text (10p):

Today we take electricity for granted and perhaps we do not realize just how useful this discovery has been. Steam was the first invention that replaced wind power. It was used to drive engines and was passed through pipes and radiators to warm rooms. Petrol mixed with air was the next invention that provided power. Exploded in a cylinder, it drove a motor engine. Beyond these simple and direct uses, those forms have not much adaptability.

On the other hand, we make use of electricity in thousands of ways. From the powerful voltages that drive our electric trains to the tiny current needed to work a simple calculator, and from the huge electric magnet in steel works that can lift 10 tons to the tiny electric magnet in a doorbell, all are powered by electricity. An electric current can be made with equal ease to heat a huge mass of molten metal in a furnace, or to boil a jug for a cup of coffee.

Other than atomic energy, which has not as yet been harnessed to the full, electricity is the greatest power in the world. It is flexible, and so adaptable for any task for which it is wanted. It travels so easily and with incredible speed along wires or conductors that it can be supplied instantly over vast distances.

To generate electricity, huge turbines or generators must be turned. In Australia they use coal or water to drive this machinery. When dams are built, falling water is used to drive the turbines without polluting the atmosphere with smoke from coal. Atomic power is used in several countries but there is always the fear of an accident. A tragedy once occurred at Chernobyl, in Ukraine, at an atomic power plant used to make electricity. The reactor leaked, which caused many deaths through radiation.

Now scientists are examining new ways of creating electricity without harmful effects to the environment. They may harness the tides as **they** flow in and out of bays. Most importantly, they hope to trap sunlight more efficiently. We do use solar heaters for swimming pools but as yet improvement in the capacity of the solar cells to create more current is necessary. When this happens, electric cars will be viable and the world will rid itself of the toxic gases given off by trucks and cars that burn fossil fuels.

1. *The author mentions the sources of energy such as wind, steam, petrol in the first paragraph to _____.*

- A. suggest that electricity should be alternated with safer sources of energy
- B. emphasize the usefulness and adaptability of electricity
- C. imply that electricity is not the only useful source of energy
- D. discuss which source of energy can be a suitable alternative to electricity

2. *Before electricity, what was sometimes passed through pipes to heat rooms?*

- A. Gas. B. Petrol. C. Steam. D. Hot wind.
3. *What does the author mean by saying that electricity is flexible?*
 A. It is cheap and easy to use. B. It is used to drive motor engines.
 C. It can be adapted to various uses. D. It can be made with ease.
4. *What do we call machines that make electricity?*
 A. Voltages. B. Electric magnets.
 C. Generators or turbines. D. Pipes and radiators.
5. *The main forms of power used to generate electricity in Australia are _____.*
 A. atomic power and water B. water and coal
 C. sunlight and wind power D. wind and gas
6. *The word "they" in the last paragraph refers to _____.*
 A. harmful effects B. the tides
 C. scientists D. new ways
7. *Electric magnets are used in steel works to _____.*
 A. lift heavy weights up to ten tons B. test the steel for strength
 C. heat the molten steel D. boil a jug of water
8. *The advantage of harnessing the power of the tides and of sunlight to generate electricity is that they _____.*
 A. do not pollute the environment B. are more reliable
 C. are more adaptable D. do not require attention
9. *Which of the following power sources causes pollution by emitting harmful gases?*
 A. Sunlight. B. Petrol. C. Water. D. Wind.
10. *The best title for this passage could be _____.*
 A. "Types of Power Plants" B. "Electricity: Harmful Effects on Our Life"
 C. "How to Produce Electricity" D. "Why Electricity Is So Remarkable"

Answer

1. B 2. C 3. C 4. C 5. B 6. C 7. A 8. A 9. B 10.D

D. Writing

PART I: Rewrite the sentence without changing the meaning (5pts)

1. Keeping the environment clean is very important.
 - It's
2. They will show the time machine to the public when they finish it.
 - The time machine

3. He was delighted to receive his aunt's letter.

- He was delighted that

.....

4. Old car tires are recycled to make shoes and sandals.

- People

.....

5. I'm very sad that I wasn't accepted in that group.

- I'm very sad not

.....

Answer

1. It's very important to keep the environment clean.

2. The time machine will be shown to the public when they finish it.

3. He was delighted that he received his aunt's letter.

4. People recycle old car tires to make shoes and sandals.

5. I'm very sad not to have been accepted in that group.

PART II: Write an invitation to one of your friends using the following information (about 80 words) (10pts)

- To: Live show of The Finger Family

- Time: 8 o'clock, Saturday night

- Place: The Big Theatre

- Time to meet: 7.45 p.m.

You should begin and end as following:

Dear Paola,

.....

I hope to see you then.

Your friend,

Tina

PART III : Write a paragraph (80-100 words) to describe your ideal living place. (15pts)

You should have the following information in your writing:

- Climate

- Environment

