ENGLISH PRACTICE 42

PART A. PRONUNCIATION Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from the other three in the following question 1. A. *th*at B. mo*th*er C. this D. *th*ink 2. A. phvsics B. hesitate C. basic D. re<u>s</u>erve 3. A. finish*ed* B. develop<u>ed</u> C. defeat*ed* D. look*ed* 4. A. tough B. rou*gh* C. throu*gh* D. enou*gh* 5. A. ex<u>h</u>ibition B. <u>h</u>oliday C. child*h*ood D. *h*ilarious 6. A. laugh*ed* B. watch*ed* C. lived D. cooked 7. A. <u>Ch</u>ristmas B. swit<u>ch</u> C. <u>ch</u>aracter D. *ch*emical 8. A. *h*onest B. exhaust C. heir D. <u>h</u>eight C. han<u>d</u>bag C. express<u>ed</u> 9. A. han*d*craft B. handkerchief D. handbook 10. A. call*ed* B. prepar<u>ed</u> D. raised PART B. LEXICO-GRAMMAR I. Complete each of the following sentences with the correct answer (A, B, C or D). Identify your answer by writing the corresponding letter A, B, C or D on vour answer sheet. 1. I'm really sorry. We stop at a service station and phone you, but we didn't want to waste any more time. A. were due to B. were going to C. were to D. were about to 2. It is not until December 25th the exam results will be announced. A. which B. what C. tha 3. I saw a _____ scarf in a shop near my house. C. that D. when A. sweet little green silk B. little green silk sweet C. sweet green little silk D. green little sweet silk 4. There has been a recommendation that Peter the president of the country. A. will be elected B. be elected C. is elected D. was elected 5. He kept his marriage for years, but eventually the truth _____. C. came through D. was elected fell out 6. It was in this house A. I was born in B. in which I was born C. where I was born D. that I was born 7. of half- starving wolves were roaming the snow- covered countryside. B. Flocks C. Packs 8. When _____ to explain his mistake, the new employee cleared his throat nervously. B. to be asked A. asking C. to be asking D. being asked 9. _____, he felt so unhappy and lonely. A. In spite of his being wealth B. Rich as was he C. Rich as he was D. Despite his wealthy 10. According to the ______of the contract, tenants must give six months notice if they intend to leave. A. laws B. rules C. terms 11. It is difficult for museums to find funds to protect the nation's . .

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3. I'm sure my brother will never get married because he hates the feeling of
being tied
4. Deborah is going to take extra lessons to catch up what she missed why
she was away.
5. I don't think anyone understood what I was saying at the meeting. I failed to
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PART C. READING
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2. A. arise	B. happen	C. befall	D. occur
3. A. post	B. roof	C. bottom	D. wall
4. A. subsist	B. remain	C. cow	D.
bear			
5. A. envision	B. observe	C. picture	D. image
6. A. manner	B. stance	C. practice	D. mode
7. A. strike	B. deal	C. respond	D.
challenge		·	
8. A. term	B. course	C. timing	D. period
9. A. risk	B. weakness	C. insecurity	D.
jeopardy		-	
10. A. Providing	B. Given	C. Hence	D. As much

II. Read the text below and think of the word which best fits each space. Use only ONE word in each space. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

Students frequently complain (1)	studying	for hou	urs (on
(2) and then not doing well in their final	exams. Many	factors	can (3)
in poor performances: (4)illness o	or a personal p	roblem.	Gettir	ng
high grades can also put a terrible strain on studen	ıts (5)	_ don't \	want	to
let their parents down.				
Can students' knowledge be judged by a (6)	exam	? Certair	ily no	t!
If we want to be fair, students ought to be (7)	on a regula	r basic. S	so do	es
that mean more exams? Yes, but (8)n	nany written	ones. In	mai	ny
countries, student do not have to take written ex				
want to, they are (10)to take oral ones ins	stead. This see	ems to b	e fair	er
way of assessing understanding, not just testing it.				

III. Read the passage then choose the best answer to each question that follows. Identify your answer by writing the corresponding letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet.

Quite different from storm surges are the giant sea waves called tsunamis, which derive their name from the Japanese expression for "high water in a harbor." These waves are also referred to by the general public as tidal waves, although they have relatively little to do with tides. Scientists often referred to them as seismic sea waves, far more appropriate in that they do result from undersea seismic activity.

Tsunamis are caused when the sea bottom suddenly moves, during an underwater earthquake or volcano for example, and the water above the moving earth is suddenly **displaced**. This sudden shift of water sets off a series of waves. These waves can travel great distances at speeds close to 700 kilometers per hour. In the open ocean, tsunamis have little noticeable amplitude, often no more than one or two meters. It is when they hit the **shallow** waters near the coast that they increase in height, possibly up to 40 meters.

Tsunamis often occur in the Pacific because the Pacific is an area of heavy seismic activity. Two areas of the Pacific well accustomed to the threat of tsunamis are Japan and Hawaii. Because the seismic activity that causes tsunamis in Japan often occurs on the ocean bottom quite close to the islands, the tsunamis that hit Japan often come with little warning and can, therefore, prove disastrous. Most of the tsunamis that hit the Hawaiian Islands, however, originate thousands of miles away near the coast of Alaska, so these tsunamis have a much greater distance to travel and the inhabitants of Hawaii generally have time for warning of **their** imminent arrival.

Tsunamis are certainly not limited to Japan and Hawaii. In 1755, Europe experienced a **calamitous** tsunami, when movement along the fault lines near the Azores caused a massive tsunami to sweep onto the Portuguese coast and flood the heavily populated area around Lisbon. The greatest tsunami **on record** occurred on the other side of the world in 1883 when the Krakatoa volcano underwent a massive explosion, sending waves more than 30 meters high onto nearby Indonesian islands; the tsunami from this volcano actually traveled around the world and was witnessed as far away as the English Channel.

1. The paragraph preceding t					
A. underwater earthquake	s B. storm	surges	C. tides	D. tidal	
waves					
2. According to the passage,	all of the follow	ing are tr	rue about	tidal waves	
EXCEPT that					
A. they are caused by suc	dden changes ir	n high and	d low tide	! S	
B. this terminology is not	used by the sci	entific co	mmunity		
C. they are the same as t	sunamis				
D. they refer to the same		is seismic	sea wav	es	
3. The word "displaced" is	closest in mean	ing to			
A. moved	B. filtere		C. locate	d D. not	
pleased					
4. It can be inferred from the	passage that to	sunamis			
A. cause severe damage					
B. generally reach height					
C. are far more dangerou	_			cean	
Dare often identified by s					
5. Water that is " shallow" is	-				
A. deep	B. clear	—- С. соа	astal	D. tidal	
6. A main difference between					n
Japan are more likely to	i couriarriio iir ja	pan ana i	awan	is that tsananns i	•
A. come from greater dista	ances		B origina	ate in Alaska	
C. arrive without warning	411005	D he	less of a		
7. The possessive "their" re	fers to	D. 50	1033 01 4	problem	
A. the Hawaiian Islands	1013 to	'	R thousa	ands of miles	
C. these tsunamis		D the		ints of Hawaii	
8. A " calamitous" tsunami i	s one that is		. IIIIIabita	ines of flawari	
A. at fault	B. disastrous		—·	extremely calm	
D. expected	b. disastrous		C. 1	extremely call	
9. From the expression "on i	record" it can	he inferr	ed that th	ne tsunami that	
accompanied the Krakatoa ve		DC IIIICITY	ca chac ch	ic tsuriariii triat	
A. was not as strong as th		hon			
B. might not be the greate					
C. was filmed as it was ha		•			
D. occurred before efficier		kont			
10. The passage suggests the			from the	Krakatoa volcano	
10. The passage suggests the	at the tsunanni	esuiting	nom the	Niakatua vuicailu	
A. was far more destructi	ve close to the	courco th	an far aw	12)/	
B. resulted in little damage		source tri	ıalı lal aw	ray	
C. was unobserved outside		cian iclar	ndc		
D. caused volcanic explos	sions in the Eng	non Chall	ii i C i		

PART D. WRITING

I. Rewrite the following sentences without changing their meaning, using the words given. These
words must not be changed in any way. Write your answers on your answer sheet.
1. The reduction in the price of the magazines led to a growth in sales. (RESULT)
Sales of the magazines
2. Georgia hasn't written to me recently. (HEARD)
3. Dinner will be served immediately upon our arrival at the hotel. (SOON)
Dinner will be served immediately upon our arrival at the hotel. (SOON) Dinner will be served
4. Barbara couldn't sing or dance. (UNABLE)
Besides .
Besides 5. It was careless of you to leave without locking the door. (OUGHT) You
II. Write an essay to express your opinion on the following statement. Use specific reasons and details to support your idea. "Face-to-face communication is better than other types of communication, such as letters, email, or telephone calls".
THE END

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PART A. PRONUNCIATION

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from the other three in the following question

1. A. <u>th</u>at	B. mo <u>th</u> er	C. <u>th</u> is	D. <u>th</u> ink
2. A. phy <u>s</u> ics	B. he <u>s</u> itate	C. ba <u>s</u> ic	D. re <u>s</u> erve
3. A. finished	B. develop <u>ed</u>	C. defeat <u>ed</u>	D. look <u>ed</u>
4. A. tou gh	B. rou gh	C. through	D. enou gh
5. A. ex h ibition	B. <u>h</u> oliday	C. child h ood	D. <u>h</u>ilarious
6. A. laugh <u>ed</u>	B. watch <u>ed</u>	C. liv <u>ed</u>	D. cook <u>ed</u>
7. A. <u>Ch</u> ristmas	B. swit <u>ch</u>	C. <u>ch</u> aracter	D. <u>ch</u> emical
8. A. <u>h</u> onest	B. ex <u>h</u> aust	C. <u>h</u>ei r	D. <u>h</u> eight
9. A. han <u>d</u> craft han d book	B. han <u>d</u> kerchief	C. han <u>d</u> bag	D.

C. express<u>ed</u>

D. rais**ed**

B. prepar<u>ed</u> PART B.LEXICO-GRAMMAR

10. **A.** call**ed**

I Complete each of the following sentences with the correct answer (A B C or D) (10pts)

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	1. B	2. C	3. A	4. B	5. A	6. D	7. C	8. D	9. C	10. C
Γ	11. B	12. A	13. C	14. A	15. B	16. D	17. B	18. C	19. B	20. C

II. In most lines of this text there is one unnecessary word. It is either incorrect grammatically, or does not fit the sense of the text. Write the unnecessary word in the space beside the text. Tick ($\sqrt{}$) each correct line. (5nts)

1. being	2. to	3. well	4. √	5. √
6. be	7. the	8. of	9. √	10. it

III. Supply the correct form of the word in capital letter. (10pts)

11.	-	\ 1 /		
1.employee	2. organization/	3.	4.	5.
	organisation	suspension	customers	comparison
6.	7. argument	8.	9. freedom	10.
unconcerne		productive		comfortable
d				

IV. Complete the following sentences with one preposition/particle for each blank. (5pts)

1. out	2. to	3. down	4. on	5. across
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PART C. READING

I. Read the following passage and choose the options among A, B, C or D that best complete the blanks (10pts)

		- · (- I · · ·)			
1. D	2. C	3. B	4. D	5. A	
6. B	7. C	8. B	9. D	10. B	

II. Read the text below and think of the word which best fits each space. Use only ONE word in each space. (10pts)

1. about	2. end	3. result	4. an	5. who/that
6. single	7. tested	8. not	9. if	10. allowed

III. Read the passage then choose the best answer to each question that **follows.** Identify your answer by writing the corresponding letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet. (10pts)

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

PART D.WRITING

- I. Rewrite the following sentences without changing their meaning, using the words given. These words must not be changed in any way. (5pts)
- 1. Sales of the magazines *grew/increased/went up as a result of* the reduction in the price.
- 2. I haven't heard /have heard nothing from Georgia for/in a while.
- 3. Dinner will be served as soon as we arrive at the hotel.
- 4. Besides being unable to sing, Barbara couldn't dance either.
- 5. You ought not to have left without locking the door.
- II. Write an essay to express your opinion on the following statement. Use specific reasons and details to support your idea. (15pts) "Face-to-face communication is better than other types of communication, such as letters, email, or telephone calls". Marking scheme

The impression mark given is based on the following scheme:

- 1. **Content**: **50**% of total mark: a provision of all main ideas and details as appropriate
- Language: 30% of total mark: a variety of vocabulary and structures appropriate to the level of English language gifted upper-secondary school students
- 3. **Presentation:** 20% of total mark: coherence, cohesion, and style appropriate to the level of English language gifted upper-secondary school students.

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