

# ĐỀ THI BỒI DƯỠNG HỌC SINH GIỎI LỚP 6

## ĐỀ SỐ 4

### PART A: PHONETICS

Section 1: Choose the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

1. A. lea <u>th</u> er	B. <u>th</u> eater	C. <u>th</u> rough	D. <u>th</u> eme
2. A. <u>w</u> hat	B. <u>w</u> ho	C. <u>w</u> here	D. <u>w</u> hen
3. A. <u>g</u> uidance	B. <u>g</u> eography	C. <u>v</u> egetable	D. <u>ch</u> allenge
4. A. <u>h</u> onest	B. <u>h</u> ousework	C. <u>h</u> unter	D. <u>h</u> ometown
5. A. <u>p</u> ostcard	B. <u>c</u> ontinent	C. <u>s</u> tormy	D. <u>c</u> offee

Section 2: Choose the word that has different stress word from the others in each of the following questions.

1. A. vul <u>ne</u> rable	B. sa <u>te</u> llite	C. e <u>le</u> ven	D. e <u>le</u> ment
2. A. too <u>th</u> paste	B. win <u>d</u> ow	C. ha <u>pp</u> y	D. ca <u>rt</u> oon
3. A. i <u>nter</u> esting	B. su <u>rr</u> prising	C. a <u>mu</u> sing	D. su <u>cc</u> essful
4. A. po <u>s</u> ition	B. nei <u>gh</u> bourhood	C. a <u>th</u> letic	D. re <u>qu</u> irement
5. A. win <u>d</u> surfing	B. a <u>ma</u> teur	C. e <u>qu</u> ipment	D. na <u>ti</u> onal

### PART B: VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

Section 1: Choose the best answer A, B, C or D to complete each of the following questions.

- In team sports, the two teams \_\_\_\_\_ against each other in order to get the better score.  
A. are                      B. do                      C. make                      D. compete
- Football is regarded \_\_\_\_\_ the most popular sport in the world.  
A. for                      B. as                      C. like                      D. of
- When you go to the zoo, don't \_\_\_\_\_ the animals.  
A. play                      B. do                      C. tease                      D. watch
- Britain's most common \_\_\_\_\_ activities are watching TV and films, and listening to the radio.  
A. free                      B. leisure                      C. good                      D. popular
- The red double-decker bus is London's famous \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. sign                      B. signal                      C. symbol                      D. logo
6. People must be well-prepared \_\_\_\_\_ they want to climb Mount Everest.
- A. after                      B. until                      C. although                      D. before
7. Many Asian animals are \_\_\_\_\_ danger.
- A. in                      B. on                      C. at                      D. of
8. Automatic dishwasher, modern fridge and wireless TV are \_\_\_\_\_ in the house.
- A. household                      B. appliances                      C. electricity                      D. surroundings
9. This is a secret. You \_\_\_\_\_ anyone.
- A. mustn't be                      B. mustn't tell                      C. mustn't say                      D. mustn't speak
10. Mary is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the three girls.
- A. more beautiful                      B. more beautifully                      C. most beautiful                      D. most beautifully

**Section 2: Complete the sentences using the correct form or tense of the verbs in brackets.**

1. How long (you/ wait) \_\_\_\_\_ for me? - Just a few minutes.
2. He (be) \_\_\_\_\_ able to speak Japanese after he finishes this course.
3. I find it difficult (learn) \_\_\_\_\_ how to use computer.
4. Robots help us (save) \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of time and money.
5. He often makes me (laugh) \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Someone (just/ cut) \_\_\_\_\_ down all the trees in the garden.
7. I spent thirty minutes (do) \_\_\_\_\_ this exercise.
8. If I have a terrible headache, I (take) \_\_\_\_\_ some medicines.
9. Don't (talk) \_\_\_\_\_ so loudly! My son (sleep) \_\_\_\_\_ in the next room.
10. He (can/ not) \_\_\_\_\_ swim when he (be) \_\_\_\_\_ 5 years old.

**Section 3: Complete the sentences using the correct form of the words in capital.**

1. This is our \_\_\_\_\_ anniversary. TWENTY
2. All \_\_\_\_\_ to New York are delayed because of bad weather. FLY
3. Yesterday we spent a \_\_\_\_\_ afternoon by the river. PEACE
4. She's a good student but she lacks \_\_\_\_\_. CONFIDENT
5. I tried aerobics but it was too \_\_\_\_\_ for me. ENERGY
6. When you finish doing the crossword, you can find the \_\_\_\_\_ on the back page. SOLVE
7. Sarah speaks perfect French as she spent much of her \_\_\_\_\_ in Canada. CHILD
8. Reducing the size of classes may improve \_\_\_\_\_ standards. EDUCATION

9. \_\_\_\_\_, we can't come this evening after all. FORTUNATE

10. Music and television are forms of \_\_\_\_\_. ENTERTAIN

**Section 4: Put the following sentences in the correct order to make a conversation.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ A. Discovery channel.

2. \_\_\_\_\_ B. That seems exciting. Which channel is it on?

3. \_\_\_\_\_ C. At 8 o'clock Monday morning or 7 o'clock Friday evening.

4. \_\_\_\_\_ D. No. What is it?

5. \_\_\_\_\_ E. Really? I've never watched it. What country is it in?

6. \_\_\_\_\_ F. Thank you. I'll watch it.

7. \_\_\_\_\_ G. Hey Adam, did you watch the pig race on TV yesterday?

8. \_\_\_\_\_ H. It's a sport. Pigs race around a tiny track. It's actually funny.

9. \_\_\_\_\_ I. Well ... When is it shown?

10. \_\_\_\_\_ J. Australia, America... It's an attraction at many country fairs.

**PART C: READING**

**Section 1: Fill each blank with a suitable word or phrase in the box to complete the passage.**

<i>waste</i>	<i>surprised</i>	<i>resources</i>	<i>collecting</i>	<i>ton</i>
<i>money</i>	<i>thrown</i>	<i>discussion</i>	<i>requires</i>	<i>preserved</i>

Mary's class has a (1) \_\_\_\_\_ on waste paper. Her friends are so (2) \_\_\_\_\_ to learn that everyday throughout the world, millions of newspapers and paper bags are screwed and (3) \_\_\_\_\_ away. People are (4) \_\_\_\_\_ waste paper and recycling it. Making paper (5) \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of trees and labor. Now if people don't (6) \_\_\_\_\_ paper, they can save labor and (7) \_\_\_\_\_. Especially, people can save the natural (8) \_\_\_\_\_. For every (9) \_\_\_\_\_ of recycled newsprint, ten trees can be saved. The more paper people save, the more trees are (10) \_\_\_\_\_.

**Section 2: Read the passage, then decide whether the statements are true (T) or false (F).**

Information about what happens in the world comes to us in many ways. Television and radio are two important ways of the news. They get the news out faster than the newspapers and magazines, and they don't have to be read. Television and radio stations broadcast the news several times each day. In America, there are the news programmes every hour. People are able to choose the favourite TV programmes, such as sports, films, fashion, news, etc. People who cannot read get the news from television or radio easily.

1. People are unable to select the TV programmes that they like. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Television stations broadcast the news a lot of times each day. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Television and radio get the news faster than other ways. \_\_\_\_\_
4. There are only two methods of getting the news. \_\_\_\_\_
5. Television cannot bring the news to people who do not know how to read. \_\_\_\_\_

**Section 3: Read the passage, then choose the best answer to answer the questions.**

My name is Andy and I love fishing. I can be at it for hours yet still not catch anything. But this fact does not bother me in anyway. Some are unlucky, and so am I. I never catch anything, not even old boots. I often spend the early morning by the river and I always go home before 10 o'clock, empty handed but an empty bag. "You quit this hobby", my friends said." It's a huge waste of time." But they do not understand that I, in fact, do not care about a fish or the fresh air, I just want to sit in a boat and do absolutely nothing.

1. Which can be the time that Andy goes fishing?  
 A. At 7 p.m                      B. At 10 p.m                      C. At 9 a.m                      D. At 11 a.m
2. Where does he often sit when going fishing?  
 A. In a boat                      B. At a large lake                      C. On the river bank                      D. In the sea
3. After Andy goes fishing, he usually brings \_\_\_\_\_ to home.  
 A. ancient boots                      B. trash                      C. several fish                      D. nothing
4. What does Andy's friends advise him to do?  
 A. Invite his friends to go fishing with him                      B. Give up fishing  
 C. Spend more time on fishing                      D. Buy a new hook and line
5. Which is the reason that makes Andy go fishing?  
 A. All of the below are incorrect                      B. He loves the feeling of catching fish  
 C. He has a lot of things to do on a boat                      D. He wants to enjoy the atmosphere

**PART D: WRITING**

**Section 1: Rewrite each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the original one.**

1. John began to eat a low carb diet when he was 12 years old.  
 → John has
2. Let's go to the Korean restaurant tonight.  
 → How about

3. Could you take me to the cinema Sunday evening?

→ Would you mind

4. She eats fruits and veggies every day, but she keeps gaining weight.

→ Although

5. Joana doesn't eat much in order not to be overweight.

→ Joana doesn't eat much because

6. When did he start his hobby?

→ How long

7. I advise you not to come to her wedding anniversary.

→ I think you

8. It took me two weeks to make this pottery jug.

→ I spent

9. It isn't necessary to finish the work today.

→ You don't

10. The last time I spoke to Diana was at Christmas.

→ I haven't

**Section 2: Write sentences using prompts.**

1. I/ intend/ visit/ Singapore/ this summer.

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2. My house/ have/ large yard/ so/ friends/I/ often/ play/ volleyball/ there.

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3. Our teacher/ ask/ us/ write/ emails/ Japanese.

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4. If/ we/ not throw/ trash/ water/ there/ be/ no/ water pollution.

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5. No student/ my class/ tall/ Jack.

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6. I/ hope/ the future/ he/ teach/ me/ how/ do/ eggshell carving.

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7. They/ study/ this language /four years.

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8. How many/ calories/ you bum/ after/ do/ aerobics/ hour?

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9. I/ exercise/ daily/ because/I/ want/ stay/ healthy.

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10. Sitting/ too/ close/ the TV/ hurt/ your eyes.

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**Section 3: Write a paragraph (about 100 words) about your favourite room in your house.**

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