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## Unit 1 – Smart Use of Smartphones

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word(s). Two words are not used.

text    pay attention    balance    entertainment    isolate    solve    transportation

1. I use public \_\_\_\_\_ to get to school.
2. Harry has keeps a good \_\_\_\_\_ between work and school.
3. The teacher helped me \_\_\_\_\_ this tricky question.
4. Watching TV is Janet's favorite form of \_\_\_\_\_ .
5. I couldn't \_\_\_\_\_ to my friends because there was a famous actor sitting next to me.

B. Match the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

- |                                      |   |                                                 |
|--------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Smartphones change                | • | • help us solve problems.                       |
| 2. They can connect people, but they | • | • our lives.                                    |
| 3. Technology can                    | • | • problems.                                     |
| 4. However, it can also create new   | • | • to be responsible when using your smartphone. |
| 5. It is important to understand how | • | • can also isolate people.                      |

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

① There are many advantages of using smartphones, but there are also disadvantages. We can rely on our phones so much that we feel lost when we don't have them. Sometimes we don't pay attention to people who are next to us and trying to communicate. ② We can also cause accidents by talking or texting while using transportation. ③

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. Communication between friends
  - b. The bad points of smartphones
  - c. The advantages of technology
2. What can happen if we use our smartphones while driving?
  - a. We could cause an accident.
  - b. People can't talk to us.
  - c. We feel lost.
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

We should sometimes turn off technology and live in the real world.

- a. ①                      b. ②                      c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. Smartphones can be used to send messages.
    - b. People feel happy without their smartphones.
    - c. Smartphones can be used for directions.
  5. What does rely on mean in the passage?
    - a. To make
    - b. To give
    - c. To need

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## Unit 2 – Street Food

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word(s). Two words are not used.

missed   shave   tastes   consists of   traditional   boil   fry

1. The first step is to \_\_\_\_\_ the potatoes in water.
2. The dessert \_\_\_\_\_ banana, pancakes, and ice cream.
3. I woke up late, so I \_\_\_\_\_ the bus to school.
4. This rice \_\_\_\_\_ like coconut.
5. I would like to try the \_\_\_\_\_ dish of India.

B. Unscramble the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

1. street food / when you / Look / hungry. / get / for
2. there / means / In Italy, / is / "little orange." / *arancini*, which
3. a / like / looks / orange. / little / It
4. meat, / They / cheese, and / with rice, / are made / peas.
5. in bread, / They are / served / covered / warm. / fried, and

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

When people think about eating food, they often think of two places, their home or restaurants. But some very delicious food is prepared and sold on the street as well. Street food is cheap and delicious. You can smell, taste, and enjoy it when you travel. ① In the Philippines, one popular street food is *halo-halo*. ② It is a famous cold dessert that is a mix of boiled sweet beans, fresh fruit, ice cream, shaved ice, and sweet milk. ③

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. Traditional food in the Philippines
  - b. Food sold on the street
  - c. How to prepare popular snacks
2. What is *halo-halo* made with?
  - a. Plain milk
  - b. Boiled fruit
  - c. Shaved ice
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

It means "mix-mix."

- a. ①                      b. ②                      c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. You can enjoy street food when you travel.
    - b. Street food is expensive.
    - c. *Halo-halo* is a cold dessert.
  5. What does prepare mean in the passage?
    - a. To make
    - b. To clean
    - c. To eat

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### Unit 3 – Interesting Festivals Around the World

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

during   messy   throw   costume   parade   foreign   celebrate

1. The family will \_\_\_\_\_ the holiday together.
2. Every students needs to study a \_\_\_\_\_ language.
3. You must turn off all electric devices \_\_\_\_\_ the exam.
4. My parents get angry if my room is \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The aim of this game is to \_\_\_\_\_ the ball into the basket.

B. Match the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

- |                                    |   |                                             |
|------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------------|
| 1. The Holi Festival, in India, is | • | • festival in Spain.                        |
| 2. People throw colorful           | • | • a celebration of the beginning of spring. |
| 3. <i>La Tomatina</i> is a food    | • | • continues for about two hours.            |
| 4. Trucks bring lots of tomatoes   | • | • for people to throw at each other.        |
| 5. The messy tomato fight          | • | • powder and water on each other.           |

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

① Carnival, in Brazil, is the biggest festival in the world. The week-long festival happens in February or March. ② About sixty thousand foreign tourists visit Brazil for this festival. Each day during the festival, over two million people fill the streets in the city of Rio de Janeiro. ③ The samba parade is one of the most popular events at Carnival. People wear special costumes, sing, and dance to samba music.

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. The history of the samba parade
  - b. Special costumes people wear
  - c. A famous festival in Brazil
2. How long is Carnival?
  - a. One day
  - b. One week
  - c. One month
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

There are many festivals around the world.

- a. ①                      b. ②                      c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. The festival takes place in February or March.
    - b. The most popular event is the samba parade.
    - c. Two million visitors go to Brazil for the festival.
  5. What does tourist mean in the passage?
    - a. A person who is shopping
    - b. A person who is driving
    - c. A person who is traveling

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**Unit 4 – Good Luck and Bad Luck**

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

rainbow   luck   superstition   wholeness   hopes   clovers   wealth

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ appeared in the sky after the rain.
2. The field is covered in green \_\_\_\_\_.
3. I have high \_\_\_\_\_ that my favorite team will win tonight.
4. The man wish for \_\_\_\_\_ and happiness as he threw a coin into the water.
5. There is an old \_\_\_\_\_ about killing spiders.

B. Unscramble the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

1. in different / countries / superstitions. / different / People from / believe
2. Some / four leaves / people / clovers with / are lucky. / think that
3. represent / say that / They / and love. / wealth, hope, / the leaves
4. is considered / in / The / lucky / number seven / western culture.
5. is in / seven / many / are whole. / things that / The number

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

People who believe in superstitions believe that certain numbers bring bad luck. ① The word that means “four” sounds similar to the word for “death” in some eastern languages. ② Talking and thinking about negative things like death is believed to bring bad luck into your life. ③ So people who believe this superstition avoid living on the fourth floor. Instead of buy four apples, they buy three or five.

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. An unlucky number in eastern cultures
  - b. Superstitions from around the world
  - c. Negative words in some western languages
2. What does “four” sound like in some languages?
  - a. Luck
  - b. Apples
  - c. Death
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

Four is an unlucky number in several eastern cultures.

- a. ①                      b. ②                      c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. Some people don’t like to talk about negative things.
    - b. The number four represents good luck.
    - c. There are superstitious about numbers.
  5. What does negative mean in the passage?
    - a. Boring
    - b. Difficult
    - c. Bad

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**Unit 5 – Insects as Food**

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

mushroom   steam   protein   limited   snack   maintain   source

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ of this water is the ocean.
2. We need to get to the theater early because tickets are \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Would you like a bowl of this healthy \_\_\_\_\_ soup?
4. Jeff wasn't very hungry, so he had a small \_\_\_\_\_ instead of a meal.
5. My grandmother likes to \_\_\_\_\_ her garden.

B. Match the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

- |                                        |   |                                    |
|----------------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| 1. Insects can be prepared             | • | • are now cooking with insects.    |
| 2. They can be fried, boiled, steamed, | • | • mushrooms, and others are sweet. |
| 3. Chefs around the world              | • | • dried, or made into a powder.    |
| 4. The insects have                    | • | • in many ways.                    |
| 5. For example, some ants taste like   | • | • different tastes.                |

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

Insects are a traditional food in many places and some people think they could be a good way to make enough food for everyone. Insects are full of protein, so they are healthy for the human body. ① They are small and easy to transport, so they are great as a snack. ② Insects are found almost everywhere and are easy to raise. Farms for insects are easier to maintain than farm animals or vegetables. ③

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. How to raise insects
  - b. Eating insects as food
  - c. Why insects are better than animals
2. Why do insects make good snacks?
  - a. They are easier to farm than animals.
  - b. They don't need much water to grow.
  - c. They are small and easy to carry around.
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

Insect farms also take up less room and don't need as much water.

- a. ①      b. ②      c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. Insect farms are hard to maintain.
    - b. Insects are healthy.
    - c. Insects can be eaten as snacks.
  5. What does raise mean in the passage?
    - a. To watch
    - b. To grow
    - c. To feed

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### Unit 6 – World Penguin Day

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

declare   hunt   iceberg   dark   migrate   similarities   capable

1. Birds \_\_\_\_\_ to warmer places for the winter.
2. The young boy is \_\_\_\_\_ of making his own breakfast.
3. The captain called for help when his boat hit a(n) \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The two sisters share many \_\_\_\_\_, including their facial features.
5. Reading in the \_\_\_\_\_ is not good for your eyes.

B. Unscramble the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

1. they live / because / Penguins / in April / migrate / in Antarctica.
2. migrate / April to / in / the darkness. / escape / They
3. in / Winter / are / very short. / days / Antarctica
4. very / long. / The / nights / are / dark
5. when / Penguins / light. / for food / it is / hunt

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

① Penguins are interesting birds. ② For example, they can't fly like most birds can. ③ However, they are terrific swimmers, and are capable of swimming underwater. Penguins also don't mind cold weather like most birds do. They live in Antarctica and spend a few months living on icebergs. Penguins are also larger than many other kinds of birds.

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. How birds swim underwater
  - b. An interesting type of bird
  - c. Animals in Antarctica
2. Where do penguins live during part of the year?
  - a. In a warm place
  - b. Underwater
  - c. On icebergs
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

There are a number of things that make them unique.

- a. ①      b. ②      c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. Penguins don't like cold weather.
    - b. Penguins can swim under the water.
    - c. Penguins are large birds.
  5. What does terrific mean in the passage?
    - a. Light
    - b. Very good
    - c. Strong

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## Unit 7 – The Amazing Cockroach

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

survivors   disgusting   harsh   weakness   condition   dinosaurs   confuse

1. I can't finish my homework because the instructions \_\_\_\_\_ me.
2. The earthquake \_\_\_\_\_ wrote a book about their experiences.
3. My \_\_\_\_\_ is that I am very shy, especially in a group of people.
4. Many people think insects are \_\_\_\_\_ creatures.
5. We learned about \_\_\_\_\_ at the museum.

B. Match the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

- |                                              |   |                                      |
|----------------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| 1. Although they are disgusting, cockroaches | • | • around for over 200 million years. |
| 2. Cockroaches have been                     | • | • last a month without eating.       |
| 3. That means they lived at                  | • | • the same time as dinosaurs.        |
| 4. Did you know they can live up to a        | • | • are truly amazing insects.         |
| 5. These amazing creatures can also          | • | • week without their heads?          |

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

Cockroaches are good at avoiding dangerous situations. ① This bug can run almost three kilometers an hour, which is fast for an insect that cannot fly. Cockroaches are difficult to catch because they have special hairs on the bottom of their bodies that detect movements, which lets them know when danger is near. ② However, for some reason, vacuums confuse them. Instead of speeding away from vacuum cleaners, they rush right into them and are sucked up. ③

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. The power of a vacuum cleaner
  - b. How cockroaches avoid danger
  - c. The strength and weakness of cockroaches
2. What do cockroaches do when there is a vacuum cleaner?
  - a. They run to the vacuum cleaner.
  - b. They fly to a safe place.
  - c. They run away at a fast speed.
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

So if you see a cockroach, grab your vacuum cleaner.

- a. ①              b. ②              c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. Vacuum cleaners confuse cockroaches.
    - b. Cockroaches can fly three kilometers an hour.
    - c. Cockroaches have hair on their bodies.
  5. What does detect mean in the passage?
    - a. To cause
    - b. To notice
    - c. To escape

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Unit 8 – Animal Defenses

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

webbed   texture   attack   camouflage   speed   protect   surroundings

1. The moose looked around at its \_\_\_\_\_ and decided that it was safe to eat.
2. The beaver's \_\_\_\_\_ feet help it to swim well.
3. The goggles \_\_\_\_\_ your eyes from the water.
4. Some people don't like the \_\_\_\_\_ of a snake's skin.
5. The aim of the game is to \_\_\_\_\_ the enemy.

B. Unscramble the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

1. are / A / quills / interesting. / very / porcupine's
2. itself. / transform / porcupine / The / to protect / can
3. quills up / its / puts / The porcupine / its tail. / and swings
4. stick into / The quills / a nearby / cause pain. / can / enemy and
5. an / quills / are / The porcupine's / self-protection. / example of

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

Most animals have ways to protect themselves. Animals like the giraffe and deer use speed to save themselves. When an enemy attacks, these animals run quickly in different directions, and the enemy gets confused. ① Other animals use camouflage to hide and protect themselves. ② An octopus can change the color and texture of its skin to look almost exactly like a rock. ③

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. How to confuse an enemy
  - b. How camouflage works
  - c. How animals protect themselves
2. How do giraffes protect themselves?
  - a. They use speed.
  - b. They use camouflage.
  - c. They fight with the enemy.
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

This camouflage makes the octopus look like it is part of a rock.

- a. ①      b. ②      c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. Giraffes can run quickly.
    - b. An octopus can changes its color.
    - c. It is easy for deer to get confused.
  5. What does enemy mean in the passage?
    - a. Someone who wants to hurt you
    - b. Someone who is your friend
    - c. Someone who lives nearby

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## Unit 9 – AI Music

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

chess   register   advertisement   album   behavior   right   melody

1. The teacher gives points to students who have good \_\_\_\_\_.
2. I watched my uncle play \_\_\_\_\_ with his friend.
3. I don't know the words, but I know the \_\_\_\_\_ of the song.
4. Bruce is going to the music store to buy the new \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Jenny went online to \_\_\_\_\_ for guitar lessons.

B. Match the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

- |                                      |   |                                      |
|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| 1. Computers today are much          | • | • artificial intelligence, or AI.    |
| 2. The machines today have           | • | • can drive cars.                    |
| 3. AI can learn things from and then | • | • smarter than before.               |
| 4. For example, AI                   | • | • of chess against a human opponent. |
| 5. AI can even play and win a game   | • | • copy human behavior and thinking.  |

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

① AI can create classical music. It copies human learning, and this allows it to understand the art of composing music. ② Then it composes its own classical melodies. It can create and write a piece of music in minutes. ③ One AI composer is registered as a composer. It has an album and also has customers. Its musical pieces can be heard in movies, TV advertisements, and video games. It has rights for its music just like a human composer does.

1. What is the passage mainly about?

- a. Classical music
- b. AI making music
- c. A human composer

2. What can AI do?

- a. It can replace humans at school.
- b. It can control human composers.
- c. It can copy human learning.

3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

First, the AI composer listens to famous composers such as Bach.

- a. ①
- b. ②
- c. ③

4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?

- a. AI can create classical music.
- b. AI composers are better than humans.
- c. There is a registered AI composer

5. What does compose mean in the passage?

- a. To create
- b. To play
- c. To remember

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**Unit 10 – Sam Cooke: The King of Soul**

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

founded career tragic influential contribution distinct biographer

1. I love music, so I would like to have a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ in singing.
2. The school was \_\_\_\_\_ by Prince Charles.
3. The actor has a unique look. He has \_\_\_\_\_ facial features.
4. Did you hear the \_\_\_\_\_ news about the fire?
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ wrote a book about the life of Michael Jackson.

B. Unscramble the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

1. the / Sam Cooke / called / of Soul. / King / is often
2. a / was / He / pioneer. / musical
3. for / singing voice. / is remembered / He / distinct / his
4. called / A / biographer / "the inventor of soul music." / musical / Cooke
5. of people / music. / his contributions / to / Millions / celebrate

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

Sam Cooke started his singing career at age six. He was in a singing group with his siblings.

① By age thirty-three, Cooke was one of the most popular singers in the U.S. ② He was one of the first black musical artists to manage the business side of his musical career. He founded a record label and a publishing company. ③ Cooke's work also helped some of the world's most famous soul artists, including Aretha Franklin, Stevie Wonder, and James Brown.

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. A great album
  - b. A famous singer
  - c. An amazing company
2. When did Sam Cooke start his career in singing?
  - a. When he was six
  - b. After he turned thirty-three
  - c. When he very old
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

By the age of fourteen, he became the leader of another singing group.

- a. ①      b. ②      c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. Sam Cooke had his own record label.
    - b. Sam Cooke helped other famous singers.
    - c. Sam Cooke was the first black musician.
  5. What does sibling mean in the passage?
    - a. Friend
    - b. Brother or sister
    - c. Cousin

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**Unit 11 – Jazz**

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

improvise   childhood   talented   concert   sail   troubled   naturally

1. Ron's dream is to \_\_\_\_\_ around the world by himself.
2. I'm going to my favorite singer's \_\_\_\_\_ this weekend.
3. When Scott thinks about his \_\_\_\_\_, he thinks about trips to the zoo.
4. Melissa is very \_\_\_\_\_. She can play five different instruments.
5. I volunteer at a school for children who come from \_\_\_\_\_ homes.

B. Match the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

- |                                        |   |                                                   |
|----------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Jazz music is a style of music from | • | • musicians of all time is Louis Armstrong.       |
| 2. One of the most famous jazz         | • | • spent time in a special home for troubled kids. |
| 3. He was born                         | • | • the city of New Orleans, Louisiana.             |
| 4. He had a hard childhood and         | • | • into a poor family in New Orleans.              |
| 5. In the home, he became interested   | • | • in music and learned the trumpet.               |

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

① Louis Armstrong was first famous for his fantastic trumpet playing. ② Sometimes, Louis would improvise. This was new to the music world. ③ Once, in the middle of a song, he dropped his lyrics on the floor, but he continued singing by making up sounds in time to the music. This is now called “scat singing.”

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. How to improvise
  - b. Scat singing
  - c. Louis Armstrong
2. What was new about Louis Armstrong’s singing?
  - a. He improvised.
  - b. He forgot the lyrics.
  - c. He sang with a trumpet.
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

He later became known for his unique voice as well.

- a. ①              b. ②              c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. Louis Armstrong once dropped his lyrics.
    - b. Louis Armstrong did not sing.
    - c. Louis Armstrong played the trumpet.
  5. What does lyrics mean in the passage?
    - a. Different sounds
    - b. Song words
    - c. Advertisements

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**Unit 12 – Music Therapy**

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

mood   relax   therapy   pain   approved   therapist   patient

1. I am always in a good \_\_\_\_\_ after I exercise.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ asked the doctor a few questions about the medicine.
3. Sit back, \_\_\_\_\_, and watch the movie.
4. Darcy went to the hospital because of the \_\_\_\_\_ in his leg.
5. Talking to a \_\_\_\_\_ can help people feel better.

B. Unscramble the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

1. people / Music / feel / therapy / better. / helps many
2. have / may / medical problem. / a family / They / problem or a
3. change / can / Music / mood. / a bad / help
4. the pain / can / patients. / of / It / reduce
5. lower / blood / It / pressure and / can also / the heart rate. / help

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

① People have regular therapy each week or month. ② They listen to music as they relax or do an activity. Therapists think about the rhythm and tone of the music to make sure it is right for each individual patient. In some kinds of music therapy, patients actually make their own music. ③ In other kinds, patients dance or move around to music.

1. What is the passage mainly about?
- a. The best kind of music to listen to
  - b. How to become a music therapist
  - c. How music therapy can help people

2. How often do people have therapy?
- a. Once a week or month
  - b. Every two weeks
  - c. Four times a year

3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

Music therapy is usually done by a trained therapist who has studied in an approved program.

- a. ①                      b. ②                      c. ③

4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
- a. Some patients dance to the music.
  - b. Some patients have concerts.
  - c. Some patients make their own music.

5. What does rhythm mean in the passage?
- a. The words of a song
  - b. A way to get help
  - c. A pattern of sounds

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## Unit 13 – Coding Jobs

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

coding   secure   familiar   labor   instructions   required   factory

1. Use a password to keep your information \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The man's face is \_\_\_\_\_, but I can't remember where I have seen him.
3. Ben read the \_\_\_\_\_ before he started building the computer.
4. A high score in math is \_\_\_\_\_ if you want to study at this school.
5. All these clothes were made in a clothing \_\_\_\_\_.

B. Match the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

- |                                   |   |                                      |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| 1. In the past, many              | • | • are replacing people's labor jobs. |
| 2. For example, a lot             | • | • of jobs were in factories.         |
| 3. But today, machines and robots | • | • find new jobs.                     |
| 4. So people need to              | • | • that is needed in the future.      |
| 5. Coding is a new kind of skill  | • | • jobs required labor.               |

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

Coding is important for many fields. ① Many businesses have online shops that allow customers to pay for purchases online. ② Jobs that require coding pay well, and today half of the highest paying jobs require coding. A job in coding will be stable because the number of jobs that require coding grows every year. ③ Coding will give more people better chances. Going forward into the future, coding will create more jobs.

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. All jobs require coding.
  - b. Businesses need coders.
  - c. Coding is a good job.
2. Why do online shops need coders?
  - a. To keep the online shops safe
  - b. To make coding jobs stable
  - c. To make lots of money
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

They need coders to keep their sites safe and secure.

- a. ①      b. ②      c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. Coding jobs pay well.
    - b. Coders help keep websites secure.
    - c. There will be less coding jobs.
  5. What does stable mean in the passage?
    - a. Getting little money
    - b. Not likely to change
    - c. Working hard

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### Unit 14 – Choosing a Career

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

architecture    athletic    suit    journalism    lifestyle    option    enjoys

1. I want a career in \_\_\_\_\_ because I like interviewing people.

2. My sister is very \_\_\_\_\_. She plays basketball and tennis.

3. Nancy \_\_\_\_\_ traveling and meeting new people.

4. Do these purple pants \_\_\_\_\_ me?

5. The \_\_\_\_\_ of our school building is very unique.

B. Unscramble the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

1. entertainment could / career in / If you / like to / be right for you. / sing, then a

2. kids, so you / may like / a teacher. / could become / You / working with

3. you handle / If / many fields. / they are / used in / computers well,

4. careers in / are / If you / journalism. / writing, there are / good at

5. a hospital. / at / Those who / can work / at science / are good

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

When thinking about career options, there are a few important things to consider. First, think about what you naturally enjoy. ① Next, think about any special skills or talents you have. ② You should consider when you want to work. Most people work during the daytime, but some careers have nighttime hours. In addition, think about how much time it will take to commute to work. ③

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. How to start a new hobby
  - b. How to choose a career
  - c. How to find a high-paying job
2. What should you think about first when looking for a job?
  - a. What you are interested in
  - b. What you are good at doing
  - c. What companies are close to you
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

Finally, you must think about how your career could change your lifestyle.

- a. ①              b. ②              c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. Some people work in the daytime, and others work at night.
    - b. You should think about how long it takes to go to work.
    - c. Skills and talents are not important when looking for a career.
  5. What does commute mean in the passage?
    - a. To get directions to a place
    - b. To travel to and from your home to your place of work
    - c. To find the best transportation

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## Unit 15 – Odd Jobs

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

occupation    quality    released    society    check    unusual    prefer

1. Ted always looks at the \_\_\_\_\_ before the price.
2. The movie I want to watch was \_\_\_\_\_ today.
3. Do you \_\_\_\_\_ to work alone or in a group?
4. The teacher will \_\_\_\_\_ your homework.
5. Coding is a good \_\_\_\_\_ that will be around for many years.

B. Match the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

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| 1. Video games are         | • | • this better than anyone.       |
| 2. Video game testers know | • | • to improve the games.          |
| 3. They play the games and | • | • games a ranking.               |
| 4. Then they suggest ways  | • | • fun and exciting.              |
| 5. They also give the      | • | • decide how good the games are. |

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

We see common jobs all around us. ① There are many unusual jobs in the world. Ice cream companies need to make sure that their ice creams taste delicious. ② Taste testers taste many different kinds of ice cream, but it is not always fun. Ice cream testers must take care of their sense of smell and taste. They can't eat anything that might hurt their taste buds. ③

1. What is the passage mainly about?

- a. Delicious food
- b. An unusual job
- c. Common jobs

2. What must taste testers do?

- a. Take care of their taste buds
- b. Find new kinds of ice cream
- c. Not eat other kinds of food

3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

But, some people might prefer a different kind of occupation.

- a. ①
- b. ②
- c. ③

4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?

- a. It is not always fun to be a taste tester.
- b. Taste testers have a good sense of smell.
- c. A taste tester is a common job.

5. What does taste bud mean in the passage?

- a. A part of the nose
- b. A part of the teeth
- c. A part of the tongue

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## Unit 16 – Changing Careers

A. Fill in the blank with the correct word. Two words are not used.

dive flood disagree bored sewer blocked glad

1. Tina was \_\_\_\_\_ watching TV, so she decided to play with her friends.
2. George was \_\_\_\_\_ that he got a good score on the science test.
3. When people \_\_\_\_\_ about something, they should talk about it.
4. The car \_\_\_\_\_ the traffic, so people were getting angry.
5. The bathroom was \_\_\_\_\_ with water.

B. Unscramble the sentences. Rewrite the sentences in order.

1. live / people / in / Nineteen / Mexico City. / million
2. years old. / the sewer system / Some / are / hundreds of / parts of
3. get / parts / easily. / blocked / These
4. If there / is a / the sewers. / water floods / out of / blockage, sewer
5. water can / the subway and / This dirty / homes. / even into / go into

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C. Read the following passages and choose the correct answers.

① Carlos Barrios got bored with his job one day. He was an accountant in Mexico City until he made a change. ② Oddly, Carlos does not dive in the ocean. He dives in the sewer system. When the city hears of a blockage, they call Carlos. ③ He puts on his diving suit and dives into the pipes. He swims through the mix of water, garbage, and sewage. He finds the problem and removes whatever is blocking the pipe.

1. What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. A man who wants a common job
  - b. A man who changed his job
  - c. A man who dives in the ocean
2. What does Carlos Barrios do now?
  - a. He dives to fix the sewers.
  - b. He dives to get exercise.
  - c. He dives to see the ocean.
3. What is the best place for the sentence below?

Now he's a scuba diver, and he's always busy.

- a. ①                      b. ②                      c. ③
4. Which is NOT true according to the passage?
    - a. Carlos Barrios helps the city.
    - b. Carlos Barrios swims through sewage.
    - c. Carlos Barrios was happy being an accountant.
  5. What does accountant mean in the passage?
    - a. A person who cleans sewers
    - b. A person who records money
    - c. A person who dives in water