

Class

Name

Midterm Test for Units 1-4

A. Fill in the blanks with correct words or phrases.

1. She sent me a _____ saying that she would be late. a. grateful
2. Don't _____ me. You are responsible for your own problems. b. blame
3. He _____ from university last June. c. celebrating
4. We are _____ my birthday by going out to dinner. d. graduated
5. The college sent us a _____ acknowledgment of our donation. e. text message

B. Match the words or phrases with their definitions

1. tiny : _____
2. raw : _____
3. vegetarian : _____
4. creative : _____
5. street food : _____

- a. not cooked
- b. having or showing an ability to make new things or think of new ideas
- c. very small
- d. food that is cooked and sold in public places, usually outdoors
- e. a person who does not eat meat

C. Fill in the blanks to outline the essays.

A Thai Restaurant

Introduction		1. _____
Body/ Details	Describe the restaurant	2. _____
	Describe the food	3. _____
	Other special details	4. _____
Conclusion		5. _____

a. The restaurant is tiny, so you must make a reservation. It's always busy, but the staff never seem tired.

b. Every time we go there, they give us a large scoop of ice cream. When we went there last time, they gave us an enormous scoop! We were so full afterward that we decided to walk home.

c. It's my favorite restaurant in the whole world. We went there just last week, yet I'm already thinking of my next visit!

d. I always get the green curry that is made with coconut milk and basil, and my mom gets the fried fish. When I first went there, I found the food very spicy. But now, I always ask them to add more chili powder! There is a delicious dessert that we get every time. It's fried bananas with vanilla ice cream.

e. My favorite restaurant is the Thai restaurant that is in Market Square. It has really delicious food and amazing staff.

A Fight with My Friend

Introduction		6. _____
Body/ Details	What do you usually do with your friend	7. _____
	What happened	8. _____
Conclusion	How do you feel now	9. _____
	What do you want to do:	10. _____

a. Usually, we like to watch music videos together at lunchtime.

b. I miss talking to Helen. I regret saying mean things to her. I should apologize to her.

c. Today, I'm going to give Helen something sweet and say sorry. And I found a new video I know she'll love!

d. But yesterday, something horrible happened. I showed Helen the latest video from my favorite singer, and she hated it! We often have different opinions, but she kept making fun of it. The things she said were so mean and made me so angry that I called her a bad name. I immediately felt really bad about what I said, but it was too late. She didn't talk to me in our science class that afternoon.

e. Yesterday, I fought with my friend Helen. Let me tell you what happened.

D. Replace the underlined phrases with the words that have same meaning.

pinch	a dessert	popular
leftovers	delicious	

My Country's Traditional Food

I'd like to tell you about a traditional food from my country. They're called Yorkshire puddings, and they're 1. very good!

Yorkshire puddings are a food from England. They are very fluffy and are made from batter, like pancakes, but they're cooked in an oven instead of a frying pan. You need milk, flour, eggs, and a 2. dash of salt to make them. Since they're called a "pudding," they might sound like 3. something sweet, but they aren't. They are usually served with roasted meat and vegetables. They're traditionally eaten with roast beef, but you can eat them with anything you like! We usually have lots of 4. extras, and I love eating them cold for breakfast with strawberry jam on top! I could eat Yorkshire puddings for every meal!

Yorkshire puddings are also called "Yorkshires" or "Yorkies." They're 5. beloved all over England. Next time you feel hungry, why don't you try making them?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

E. Unscramble the sentence in the passive.

1. made / my / the cookies / were / grandmother / by

2. aren't / cold / places / bananas / grown / in

3. drawn / by / the picture / artist / was / a famous

4. millions of / watched / by / this TV show / is / people

5. evening / is / locked / the door / every

F. Rewrite the sentences by switching the order of objects.

1. He said I don't even have to send him an email.

2. She really needs to send a text message to him.

3. My father bought me a used car because my driving skill is really bad.

4. His cold was so severe that I gave lots of medicine to him.

G. Make two sentences into one sentence using *when* dependent clauses at the beginning.

1. Top becomes a solid sheet of ice. Rivers freeze.

2. Everyone cheered. Elvis released his first record.

3. My mother threw a party to celebrate. I graduated from elementary school.

4. They become braver. People do not worry so much about their failure.

5. You should quickly determine the topic. You take the test.

6. I got a new laptop as a birthday gift. I was 15 years old.
