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Part I. Vocabulary: Fill in the blank with the best answer. (20%)

1. () Good parents are _____ with rules for their children. The rules should generally stay the same, and not change often according to the parents' mood.
A. preferable B. invincible C. various D. consistent
2. () At first, I didn't believe that she had mastered three languages, but after hearing her speak, I'm now _____.
A. advisable B. convinced C. confirmed D. accustomed
3. () Playing computer games is fun, but it shouldn't _____ with your school work.
A. interfere B. delay C. expose D. diminish
4. () Countries with low birth rates become aging societies with an insufficient _____ to keep the economy growing and support the elderly.
A. workforce B. employers C. resorts D. demography
5. () You cannot do two things well _____. Do one thing at a time.
A. simultaneously B. synthetically C. spontaneously D. supposedly
6. () _____ public opinion, the local authorities have kindly approved the tearing down of the old theater in the city center.
A. Flying in the face of B. With regard to C. Concerned with D. To ignore
7. () To Cynthia's disappointment, she was _____ during the first round of the tennis match.
A. qualified B. successful C. eliminated D. elected
8. () For safety, the presidential candidate wears a _____ vest.
A. waterproof B. fireproof C. foolproof D. bullet-proof
9. () It was proven that the official was _____ and so he was sentenced accordingly.
A. bribed B. upgraded C. sustained D. publicized
10. () Which of the following does *not* mean the same as astounding?
A. shocking B. surprising C. amazing D. disappointing

Part II. Grammar: 10%

1. () Most employees in this company are on time for meetings, _____ others are usually late.
A. when B. while C. as D. what
2. () It is necessary that every citizen _____ the responsibility to protect our Mother Earth.
A. takes B. take C. to take D. taking
3. () Coffee, together with other drinks and snacks, _____ in our annual convention.
A. provided B. are provided C. provide D. is provided
4. () _____ taking a safari trip is very hazardous, there are still quite a few people who are willing to give a try.
A. Because B. Although C. Unless D. While
5. () The company is planning to cooperate with other factories to produce inexpensive and nutrient-rich food for the poor _____ they can afford to buy it and have enough nutrition for their daily diet.
A. such as B. so that C. in order to D. as a result

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Part III. Cloze: Fill in the blanks with the word choices provided. (12%)

Researchers have learned that people who wear __ (1) __ goods are more likely to engage in dishonest behavior. In one study, female test subjects were given sunglasses to wear while doing tasks that gave them opportunities to cheat. The women wearing __ (2) __ designer glasses lied 30 percent of the time, while the women who were told they were wearing fake glasses lied 70 percent of the time. Clearly, __ (3) __ items affect the attitudes and behaviors of people who use them. Products of this nature are __ (4) __ the world by storm, and each year the amount of them that are sold increases. Because of their prevalence, their creators are taking great care to make sure they look like the real thing, which is making it more difficult for even the trained eye to spot fakes. Now __ (5) __ are trying harder to safeguard products with things like electronic tags and certificates of authenticity, but only time will tell if their efforts can stop the __ (6) __ actions of counterfeiters.

1. () A. imitate / B. imitative / C. imitator / D. imitation
2. () A. legitimate / B. sovereign / C. permissible / D. artificial
3. () A. scattered / B. syndicated / C. fabricated / D. erected
4. () A. snatching / B. taking / C. catching / D. gripping
5. () A. retailers / B. patrons / C. promoters / D. authorities
6. () A. respectable / B. unethical / C. aggressive / D. abstract

Part IV. Reading Comprehension: (8%)

We can easily tell that someone is embarrassed based on the blushing color of their face or that someone feels sick by the green tint of their skin. A company named 2AI Labs has capitalized on the fact that our outer layers reveal so much about our inner well-being. Colorful changes in the skin occur during hemoglobin oxidation, when oxygen is released into the blood. 2AI Labs has created glasses that amplify the visual signs of this process, enabling wearers to determine what is happening inside the body. For example, concentrations of green and blue indicate that the blood has a low level of oxygen, signaling that the patient is weak. Because hemoglobin changes color in areas of trauma, the eyewear also makes it possible to detect dangerous internal injuries long before any external bruises appear. An added bonus is that the glasses make blood veins and arteries easy to find. Say good-bye to multiple needle sticks while having your blood drawn! These incredible spectacles can save money, time, and perhaps a few lives.

1. Which of the following statements is TRUE?
 - A. These glasses will eliminate the need for needles.
 - B. These glasses detect minute changes in skin tones.
 - C. Hemoglobin determines whether we are happy, sad, embarrassed, etc.
 - D. Excess hemoglobin shows up on the glasses as green or blue.
2. What does "capitalize on" mean in the context of the passage?
 - A. To donate money for new research or an experiment
 - B. To demonstrate one's advanced knowledge of the body
 - C. To provide medical technology to improve patient care
 - D. To take advantage of a situation for one's own benefit
3. Why would these glasses benefit lab technicians?
 - A. They could spot severe bruising more easily.
 - B. They could say good-bye to dangerous needle use.
 - C. They could quickly diagnose blood disorders.
 - D. They would be more efficient at taking blood samples.
4. What can you infer from the story?
 - A. It is extremely difficult to understand emotions and moods.
 - B. Medical technology is making it easier to detect trauma and illness.
 - C. Glasses are both stylish and useful in monitoring a patient's health.
 - D. New medical apparatuses are diminishing the need for doctors.

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一、解釋：(20%)

- 〈一〉前識者。(《老子》)
- 〈二〉壽陵餘子。(《秋水》)
- 〈三〉援礪砥刀。(《韓非子》)
- 〈四〉大德不官。(《學記》)
- 〈五〉三歸反坫。(《管仲傳》)

二、改錯：(10%)

- 〈一〉業精於勤，荒於喜。(《進學解》)
- 〈二〉群賢畢至，少長咸吉。(《蘭亭集序》)
- 〈三〉萬古雲霄一兩毛。(《詠懷古蹟》)
- 〈四〉但願人常久，千里共嬋娟。(《水調歌頭》)
- 〈五〉誰念東風獨自涼。(《浣溪沙》)

三、翻譯：(20%)

- 〈一〉倉廩實，則知禮節；衣食足，則知榮辱。上服度，則六親固；四維張，則君令行。(《牧民》)
- 〈二〉文字者，經藝之本，王政之始，前人所以垂後，後人所以識古。故曰：「本立而道生。」(《說文解字敘》)

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- I. Vocabulary (20%): Choose the word or phrase that is closest in meaning to the underlined word.
- When required by their parents to eat spinach, many children only do so reluctantly.
A. imitatively B. unwillingly C. impatiently D. unknowingly
 - An apprentice is a person who has agreed to work for a skilled craftsman for a definite period of time in order to learn a trade.
A. A fixed B. an initial C. a lengthy D. an appropriate
 - A goose hisses when it charges its adversaries.
A. Attacks B. comes across C. eats D. communicates with
 - Most religions are concerned with the worship of one or several deities as well as with ethical rules of conduct.
A. faith B. speech C. thought D. behavior
 - Researchers are gradually deciphering the genetic structure found in the cells of organisms.
A. deforming B. destroying C. decoding D. devising
 - Health experts say that walking briskly strengthens the heart and lungs.
A. regularly B. gracefully C. energetically D. daily
 - Apple trees need moisture in order to thrive.
A. flower B. pollinate C. flourish D. bend
 - Although the federal government's support of the arts greatly exceeds state and local government expenditures for that purpose, the latter are still very important.
A. only B. nevertheless C. now D. consequently
 - Tacoma, Washington, is home to a good-sized lumber industry.
A. a big B. a young C. an excellent D. an ordinary
 - Deserts, arid areas with virtually no vegetation, cover more than one-third of the Earth's land surface.
A. unfortunately B. statistically C. surprisingly D. practically

II. Phrases and idioms (20%): Choose the correct answer.

- Please me when you get to the destination.
A. turn...off B. get...on C. put...on D. call...up
- "For the time being" means .
A. for the present B. always C. in the near future D. for ever
- This ship is for Singapore.
A. start B. bound C. finish D. cancel
- To come about is to .
A. leave early B. happen C. arrive on time D. arrive late
- He seems a little irresponsible now, but I think he will make all right.
A. out B. up C. off D. in
- They carried their plan without least difficulty.
A. up B. onto C. out D. in
- The game was called on account of darkness.
A. on B. out C. off D. in
- He knows many passages from Shakespeare heart.
A. in B. with C. besides D. by
- Every student has to in an original composition each week.
A. hand B. hang C. make D. hold
- What sport do you go for?
A. out B. on C. in D. off

III. Sentence Structures (20%): Choose one correct answer.

- The stronger magnet, the greater the number of lines of magnetic force.
A. of B. is the C. the D. is of the

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2. Through microscopes people can see objects that ___ to the naked eye.
A. invisible B. are invisible C. the invisible D. are the invisible
3. ___ rug weavers, tapestry weavers face the back of the fabric as they work.
A. Do not like B. Unlike C. Dislike D. No likeness to
4. Nevada has a limited water supply ___ light rainfall.
A. because its B. is it because C. is because its D. because of its
5. ___ photosynthesis were to stop, most living things would disappear from the Earth in a few years.
A. If B. Besides C. So D. For
6. Football and baseball ___ played in the United States today are basically modifications of games that originated in England.
A. as B. are C. being D. that
7. Dried leaves continue to hang on the branches of some deciduous trees ___ the new leaves appear.
A. that B. by C. from D. until
8. The mastoid is located at the side of the skull, _____.
A. The ear just behind B. just the ear is behind C. is just behind the ear D. just behind the ear
9. Pierre, South Dakota, ___ capital, is almost in the exact center of the state.
A. It is the B. there is the C. the D. where is the
10. When heat travels by conduction, ___ moves through a material without carrying any of the material with it.
A. what is B. it C. which D. and

IV. Grammar: Choose one correct answer. (20%)

1. Either you or he ___ wrong.
A. are B. am C. is D. be
2. Work hard, ___ you will fail.
A. and B. or C. so D. but
3. Mary keeps talking about the party. She had a very good time, ___ she?
A. hadn't B. didn't C. had D. weren't
4. Fred doesn't like babies, ___ Helen.
A. so doesn't B. Neither doesn't C. So does D. Nor does
5. Belve Lockwood taught school for many years and became a lawyer in 1873 ___ of forty-three.
A. at the age B. age C. the age D. she was at the age
6. Your car is ___ mine.
A. similar to B. the same that C. as D. alike
7. We must set ___ the task right now or it cannot be finished on schedule.
A. down B. forth C. on D. about
8. I saw him once, and ___ is ten years ago.
A. this B. one C. which D. that
9. I met her at _____.
A. grocer's B. a grocer C. the grocer's D. the grocer
10. We still have ___ of time.
A. lot B. plenty C. deal D. more

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V. Reading Comprehension (20%): Choose the best answer based on the passage.
Questions 1-5 refer to the following letters.

Let's learn about modern-day farms from Paul Shapiro
By Jane Lee

In 21st-century, it is hard to believe that we still can see scenes from torture chambers. Chicken beaks, cow's and pig's tails chopped off by guillotines, pigs imprisoned in individual steel boxes where they cannot turn around or stretch their legs are just a few. Last week Animal in Our Live exclusively interviewed a famous animal activist, Paul Shapiro. More sad reality on many farms today is unveiled in the following interview.

First, we should learn about "factory farming" which is the modern practice of raising animals for food in extreme confinement, in order to maximize the profits of farmers. Abuses usually associated with factory farming that makes these animals spend their entire lives in pain and misery when they are slaughtered. About 15 years ago, a friend of mine showed me a video of horrific mistreatment that these animals endured. I could not believe what I saw so I formed an organization called COK, Compassion Over Killing, which intended to spotlight the very dark side of factory farming. Then, four years ago, I joined The Humane Society of the United States as the senior director of the factory farming campaign. The main goal is to tell the stories being hidden from the American public. We not only videotaped these animals' conditions, but we would also bring sick and injured animals to veterinarians. We want to speak out on their behalf and make a difference for those desperate animals. For me, animal advocacy is not just a career. It is my entire life.

To: Animals in Our Lives

From: Russell Tyler

Subject: Some further questions about COK and Paul Shapiro

Dear Alice,

This is Russell, a senior college student at MCU. After reading the interview of Paul Shapiro about animal activism, I found some more films showing certain kinds of cruelty of farm animals that horrified me. I really admire Mr. Shapiro's achievements and what he has done for the animals. I would like to know, as a student, how can I participate in animal activism. Are there any special requirements to be a part-time animal activist? I understand some activists would go into factory farms and slaughter plants with hidden equipment to videotape what was happening to these animals. Does COK provide training programs for someone like me who is enthusiastic to be an animal activist but lack of professional knowledge and skills?

Thank you for your time and assistance in advance. I am looking for your reply.

Best regards,

Russell Tyler

1. What is the main focus of COK?
(A) To promote factory farming (B) To expose the cruel stories of distressed farm animals. (C) To teach people how to manage farms (D) To take care of sick animals
2. According to the interview, what made Paul Shapiro devote himself into animal activism?
(A) He watched a video about the dark side of factory farming (B) He read some cruel stories about factory farming on COK website (C) He used to be a reporter and wrote the stories about factory farming (D) He has his own farm and wants his animals to be taken good of
3. Who is Russell Tyler?
(A) A reporter (B) An animal activist (C) A college student (D) A photographer
4. What is the email about?
(A) Service offered by Alice (B) Feedback of being an animal activist from Ted Tyler (C) A story about farm factory told by Ted Tyler (D) Some questions of being an animal activist asked by Ted Tyler
5. What is not one of the questions asked in Russell's email?
(A) The possibility of being an animal activist (B) Training programs provided by COK (C) The requirements of being an animal activist (D) The salary