**Week 2 - Period 5,6,7,8**

**English 11 UNIT 2: PERSONAL EXPERIENCES**

***Vocabulary and Reading***

**I. VOCABULARY:**

**Task 1:**

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| Verb | Noun | Adjective | Meaning |
| 1. embarrass | ......................................... | .......................................... | ......................................... |
| 2. experience | ......................................... | ......................................... | ......................................... |
| ......................................... | 3. glance |  | ......................................... |
| 4. sneak | ......................................... | ......................................... | lén lút/ giấu giếm |
| ......................................... | ......................................... | 5. memorable =........................................ | ......................................... |

**Task 2: Choose the best answer to complete each sentence.**

1. A person or thing that is loved and admired very much is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. ideal B. idea C. idol D. fan

2. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shyly at him and then lowered her eyes.

A. looked B. stared C. glanced D. sighted

3. He pulled a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of 10 pounds notes out of his pocket.

A. sum B. amount C. piece D. wad

4. I’ve never fallen in such a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ situation before.

A. embarrassed B. embarrassing C. confused D. confusing

5. The children were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about opening their birthday presents.

A. interested B. fond C. keen D. excited

6. I know from my\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that he’ll arrive late.

A. knowledge B. experience C. understanding D. reality

7. The girl was in such a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ situation that she felt so stupid and ran away.

A. surprising B. exciting C. embarrassing D. interesting

8. This \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_girl was disliked by the rest of the class.

A. helpful B. sneaky C. unselfish D. generous

9. She glanced briefly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his lapel badge.

A. in B. on C. at D. up

10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my experience, very few people really understand the problem.

A. To B. In C. With D. From

11. People here have a more relaxed attitude \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their work.

A. to B. in C. on D. for

12. The novel is based on his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the war.

A. attitudes B. images C. situations D. experiences

13. I don't like that man. There is a **sneaky** look on his face.

A. furious B. humorous C. dishonest D. guilty

14. She made a big \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about not having a window seat on the plane.

A. complaint B. fuss C. excitement D. interest

15. He has a very outgoing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and makes friends very easily.

A. person B. personal C. personality D. personage

16. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to the spot where the house used to stand.

A. pointed B. showed C. directed D. glanced

17. Teenagers often have their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who they admire very much.

A. ideals B. admirers C. images. D. idols

18. I had a **glance** at the article, but I haven't read it yet.

A. close look B. quick look C. direct look D. furtive look

**II. READING:**

**Task 1: Read the passage in the textbook again and fill in the blanks.**

My father gave me some money so that I could buy the hat for myself. I was extremely excited and decided (1) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to the shop at once. I got (2) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the bus and sat down next to a schoolboy about my age. The boy (3) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at me and turned away. There was a (4) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ look on his face, but I didn’t think much about it. I was busy imagining how I would look in the hat. After a while, I turned round and noticed that the boy’s schoolbag was open. Inside it, I saw a (5) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of dollar notes exactly like the ones my father had given me. I quickly looked into my own bag - the notes had gone! I was sure that the boy was the thief. He had stolen my money. I didn’t want to make a

(6) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, so I decided just to take my money back from the schoolboy’s bag without

(7) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a word about it.

**Task 2: Read the text and choose the best answer for each question.**

My name’s Mandi. Three months ago, I went to a disco where I met a boy called Tom. I guessed he was older than me, but I liked him and thought it didn’t matter. We danced a couple of times, then we chatted. He said he was 18, then asked how old I was. I told him I was 16. I thought that if I told him my real age, he wouldn’t want to know me, as I’m only 13.

After the disco we arranged to meet the following weekend. The next Saturday we went for a burger and had a real laugh. Afterwards he walked me to my street and kissed me goodnight. Things went really well. We see each other a couple of times a week, but I have had to lie to my parents about where I’m going and who with. I’ve always got on with them, but I know if they found out how old Tom was they’d stop me seeing him.

Now I really don’t know what to do. I can’t go on lying to my parents every time we go out and Tom keeps asking why he can’t come round to my house. I’m really worried and I need some advice.

**1.** Why has Mandi written this?

A. to describe her boyfriend B. to prove how clever she is

C. to explain a problem D. to defend her action

**2.** Who is she writing to?

A. her boyfriend B. her parents C. a teenage magazine D. a school friend

**3.** Why is Mandi worried?

A. Tom has been behaving strangely B. She has been telling lies.

C. She’s not allowed to go to disco. D. Her parents are angry with her.

**4.** Why can’t Tom come to Mandi’s house?

A. She doesn’t want her parents to meet him. B. Her parents don’t like him.

C. He’s nervous of meeting her parents. D. She doesn’t want him to see where she lives.

**5.** Which of these answers did Mandi receive?

A. Tell me what you really feel. B. You must start by being honest with everyone.

C. Everyone has been unfair to you. D. Don’t worry. I’m sure Tom will change his mind.

**Task 3: Choose the best word to complete the text below .**

To many people, their friends are **... (1) ...** most important in their life. Really good friends always **… (2) …** happiness and sadness with you and never turn their backs on you. Your best friend may be someone you have known all your life or someone who is one of your acquaintances.

There are all sorts of things that can bring about this special **… (3) …** . It may be the result of **… (4) …** the same activities and sharing experiences. To the majority of us, this is someone we trust completely and who understands us better **… (5) …** anyone else. It’s the person you can tell him **… (6) …** her your most intimate secrets.

1. A. the B. an C. / D. a

2. A. share B. give C. care D. send

3. A. relationship B. relation C. relating D. relative

4. A. enjoy B. enjoying C. to enjoy D. enjoyed

5. A. as B. than C. more D. that

6. A. or B. and C. but D. with

**Task 4. Read the passage and do the tasks:**

I knew it was going to be a bad day when, on the way to the airport, the taxi driver told me he was lost. I had booked my flight over the telephone, so when we finally arrived, I had to rush to the reservation desk to pay for my ticket. The woman at the desk told me that my name was not on the passenger list. It took fifteen minutes to realize that she had spelled my name incorrectly. She gave me the ticket and told me I'd better check in my luggage quickly or I'd miss my night. I was the last person to get on the plane.

I found my seat and discovered that I was sitting next to a four-year old boy who had a cold. I sat down and wondered if anything else could go wrong. I hate flying, especially take-off, but the plane took off and everything seemed to be all right. Then, a few minutes later, there was a funny noise and everything started to shake. I looked out of the window and – oh my God - there was smoke coming out of the wing. All I could think was "The engine are on fire. We are going to crash. I am too young to die,"

Almost immediately, the captain spoke to us in a very calm voice "Ladies and Gentlemen. This is your captain speaking. We are having a slight technical problem with one of our engines. There is no need to panic. We will have to return to the airport. Please remain seated and keep your seat belts fastened."

A few minutes later, we were coming on to land. The pilot made a perfect landing on the runway. It was over. We were safe. That day I decided not to fly again. I caught another taxi and went home. But as I closed the front door. I looked down at my case. Somehow I had picked up the wrong suitcase.

**\*\*\* Matching the suitable title to the paragraph:**

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| Paragraph **1** | Calming passengers’ nerves |
| Paragraph **2** | Getting problem because of carelessness |
| Paragraph **3** | Checking in at the reservation |
| Paragraph **4** | Being worry on the plane |

**\*\*\* True (T) or False (F). Explain for your answer:**

1. There was nothing wrong with the writer on the way to the airport. (….)
2. The writer was in a great hurry at the airport. (….).
3. It took the writer about fifteen minutes to get his ticket. (….).
4. He was delighted with the boy sitting nearby. (….).
5. The plane had to come back to the airport because its engine was on fire. (….)
6. The suitcase he brought home wasn't his. (….).
7. After that day, the writer decided that he would never fly again. (….)

**------------------THE END------------------**