

## VOCAB REVIEW

## Part 5 Grammar Items; Verb Forms (c)

## 1. PRACTICE QUESTIONS

1. Bags ..... the weight limit are subject to additional charges.  
(A) exceed (B) exceeded (C) exceeding (D) excessive
2. ....100 kg, Mr. Johnson decided to lose weight.  
(A) Weigh (B) Weighing (C) Weighed (D) To weigh

## 2. NON-FINITE VERB EXERCISE

Identify the following non-finite verbs.

1. Worrying can lead to feelings of high anxiety.
2. Worrying economic signals from China sent stocks sharply down.
3. She is a mother worrying about the future of her children.
4. A worrying report appeared in The Daily Journal.
5. Part of a mother's job is to worry.
6. Worried about money and his financial future, he has anxiety attacks.
7. She is a worrying mother.

### 3. Practice Test

1. The land ..... by local businessman, Joe Smith, is ideally located for building the new City Library.  
(A) is donated (B) donates (C) donated (D) to donate
2. Earlier this week, a report .....the details of the accident was submitted to the insurance company.  
(A) outline (B) outlined (C) outlining (D) outlines
3. .... to secure the contract, ABC Manufacturing has offered to reduce the price of its original proposal by five per cent.  
(A) Try (B) Trying (C) Tried (D) Tries
4. .... to Auckland City Council last year, the land can be used for developing council houses.  
(A) Donate (B) Donating (C) Been donated (D) Donated
5. .... only a few blocks from the beach, Trattoria Alfredo is always packed with surfers.  
(A) Situate (B) Situated (C) Situating (D) To situate
6. Ms. Andrews applied for the public relations position .....in yesterday's paper.  
(A) was advertised (B) advertising (C) advertised (D) to advertise
7. .... during the last World War, the building is in desperate need of restoration.  
(A) Built (B) Building (C) Been built (D) Having built
8. The discussion session ..... the lecture on communications will give attendees an opportunity to talk to Prof. Honma directly.  
(A) follow (B) follows (C) following (D) followed
9. Bookshops have decided to offer a discount of 25% for Professor Suzuki's new book for 30 days immediately ----- its publication.  
(A) will follow (B) follows (C) followed (D) following

© Part 2 STRATEGY 5: Understand the types of distractors for Part 2 items.

1. Similar-sounding words

“How many cups of coffee do you drink a day?” “I have two caps.”

2. Repeated words

“How many cups of coffee do you drink a day?” “I won the Cup many times.”

3. Homophones

“Did you hear the news?” “He’s here.”

4. Associated words out of context

“When is the deadline for corporate tax returns?” “The line is dead, I’m afraid.”

5. Response to the incorrect type of question

“Where will you stay in Rome?” “Next month.”

“Would you like tea or coffee?” “Yes, please.”

6. Incorrect person

“Do you want to go with her?” “Yes, she wants to go.”

7. Incorrect verb tense

“Where did Jane go?” “She’ll go there tomorrow.”

8. Irrelevant responses

“Who will meet me at the airport?” “There’s a good one nearby.”

1. Skill Building A

2. DICTATION

1. Who has the key to the .....

2. With California’s orange ..... halved, local ..... had to find ..... sources.

3. The terms of the contract are still open to .....

4. Please contact us at least two business days prior to your ..... date

5. Some customers prefer to pay by .....

3. HOMEWORK (Vocab)

1. The newspaper will allot a full page to each of the three mayoral candidates.

2. After the hurricane, officials assessed the town’s need for aid.

3. I assume that you’d like time to decide.

4. He decided to take the post of the chairman and assume the responsibility

5. They took a 40 per cent stake in the company last year.