Module 2 Public holidays

Unit 1　My family always go somewhere interesting as soon as the holiday begins.（15分钟）

基础性作业

Ⅰ．自由自由谈话Free talk

根据课文part3比较中国和美国国庆日的不同,

Ⅱ．你知道这些日期对应的节日吗？

6．January 1st

7．March 8th

8．May 1st

9．May 5th (lunar month农历)

10．June 1st

11．July 4th (美国国庆)

12．September 10th

13．August 15th (lunar month)

14．October 1st (中国国庆)

15．4th Thursday in November (美国)

Ⅲ．知识拓展

根据短文内容，用方框中所给单词的适当形式填空，使短文意思完整。

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| popular man during think also |

The Dragon Boat Festival, also called the Duanwu Festival, is celebrated on the fifth day of the fifth month in Chinese calendar. People often eat zongzi and row dragon boats 1 the festival.

Thousands of years ago, people began to throw rice into the Miluo River to feed Qu Yuan on May 5thevery year, because he died in the Miluo River. They 2 he was still alive in the river. Now, in order to remember the honest man, people in China often make zongzi. This kind of food is very delicious and very 3 . Men and women, young and old all like eating zongzi very much.

The festival is 4 best known for its dragon boat races. During the festival, people often race dragon boats in many places, especially in the south of China where there are many rivers and lakes. The dragon boat is about 50—100 feet long, 5 feet wide. There are more than 20 strong 5 on the boat. They sit in the boat side by side. At the head of the boat, there is a big drum on it. The drummer plays the drum during the race.

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拓展性作业

介绍一个你喜欢的节日，包含饮食，活动等及你喜欢它的原因。

Introduce one of your favorite festivals, including food, activities, etc., and the reason why you like it.

**Unit 2　We have celebrated the festival since the first pioneers arrived in America.**

基性作业：

Ⅰ.自由谈话Free talk

谈论一些关于感恩节的话题Talk about something about Thanksgiving Day

Ⅱ．阅读理解

We spoke to three students from around the world about different national holidays. There are different customs for each festival.Tan Xiaodong, 15, Hong Kong, China“It’ll soon be Chinese New Year. Before it, we’ll clean the house and decorate(装饰) it for good luck. Every shop is going to close for a few days and we’ll go out to celebrate in the streets. We might go and see the lion and dragon dances in the city center. I love this festival.”Wendy, 16, Sydney, Australia“Australia Day is on 26th January and it’s an important holiday here. We always have a Monday off, so we celebrate for three days. My parents and I go to the countryside for a picnic and friends always come over. Many people go to beach parties or street parties and there are lots of music and dancing. What fun!”Amy, 14, New York, the USA“The first Thanksgiving Day was hundreds of years ago when Europeans who came to America thanked God for his help. It’s still a very important day for families to be together. This year we’re going to visit my grandparents and we’ll eat a delicious meal of turkey. Thanksgiving Day is on the fourth Thursday in November every year.”

根据材料内容选择一个最佳答案。

( )1.How many festivals are mentioned in the passage?

A.Two.　　　　B.Three.　　　　C.Four.　　　　D.Five.

( )2.During the Chinese New Year, tourists might 　　　 according to the passage.

A.do a lot of shopping B.eat turkey C.go to beach parties D.see lion and dragon dances

( )3.On Australia Day, Wendy and her parents often 　　　.

A.have a picnic in the countryside B.go to a swimming pool

C.have a party at school D.clean the house and dance

( )4.What do you think“turkey”is in this passage?

A.A country.　　　　B.A festival.　　　　C.A kind of food.　　　　D.A kind of drink.

( )5.From the passage, we can learn that 　　　.

A.Amy is from Sydney, Australia

B.different festivals have different customs

C.many people go out for a picnic with friends before Chinese New Year

D.Thanksgiving Day is on 26th January in the USA

**Ⅲ．阅读完这篇短文，你能提出多少个问题？并尝试着找到问题的答案，和同学们分享。**

In China, the 12th month of the lunar calendar(阴历) is called Layue. The month is full of interesting festivals and customs.Laba Festival, which is on the 8th day of Layue, is the first festival in this month. From this day on, people begin to get ready for the Chinese New Year.On Laba Festival, people eat hot Laba porridge. There are usually eight things in the porridge: rice, red beans, peas, dried lotus seeds, dates, and three different kinds of fruits and nuts. The porridge is not just good for your health, but a blessing for the coming of Chinese New Year.Laba porridge is not the only tasty food in Layue. Laba garlic(腊八蒜) is popular in the north. People begin to soak garlic in vinegar from that day on, and eat it with dumplings during the Chinese New Year. While in the south, people like making sausages.

Another major celebration before the Spring Festival is Xiaonian. It is usually on the 23rd or 24th day of the last lunar month. Traditionally it is an important day when people offer sacrifices(祭品) to the Kitchen God who looks after the family.Don’t forget to clean your home. This is also an important thing to do to prepare for the Chinese New Year. It means sweeping away the dust of the old year and welcoming a fresh start. Now, the last thing for you to do is to wait for the coming Spring Festival.

Ⅱ．阅读答案

[语篇解读]　本文是一篇说明文,通过三个来自不同国家的学生介绍了不同国家的节日及其风俗习惯。

1.B　细节理解题。本文中分别提到了Chinese New Year(中国春节)、Australia Day(澳大利亚日)和Thanksgiving Day(感恩节)三个节日,故选B项。

2.D　细节理解题。根据第一个标题下面一段的倒数第二句“We might go and see the lion and dragon dances in the city center.”可知游客们可以看到舞狮舞龙。故选D。

3.A　细节理解题。根据第二个标题下面一段的第三句“My parents and I go to the countryside for a picnic and friends always come over.”可知这天Wendy和父母去乡下野餐。故选A。

4.C　词义猜测题。根据最后一段第三句中的“and we’ll eat a delicious meal of turkey”可知turkey是一种食物。

5.B　细节理解题。根据第一段第二句可知B项正确。Amy是美国人,故A项不正确;根据第一个标题下面的内容可知C项不正确;文章最后一句说明感恩节在每年11月的第四个星期四,故D项不正确。

Ⅲ.问问题

1.What do people often eat on Laba Festival?Hot Laba porridge.

2.What do people do on Xiaonian?.They offer sacrifices to the Kitchen God.

  3.Why do people clean their homes before the Spring Festival?To sweep away the dust of the old year and welcome a fresh start.

Unit 3　Language in use

基础性作业：

Ⅰ.做一个小调查，了解小组内同学们所知道中国的传统节日，并完成调查表格。

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| Student Name | Festival | When | What ...do/eat | Why... |
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Ⅱ.考考你的语感，你能猜出短文中所缺的词吗？

　　Dear Anne,

How are you?I had great fun last Wednesday,　1　June 14th,2021.It was a traditional Chinese festival called Dragon Boat Festival.

This festival is in memory of Qu Yuan,one of　2　greatest Chinese poets.He killed himself by jumping into the Miluo River on May 5th of the lunar calendar(阴历),278 BC.People there rowed the boats to　3　him.But it was too late.They were very sad and then threw rice into the　4　to feed the fishes so that they would stay away from his body.

　5　then on,every year on this day,people enjoy　6　Zongzi which is made of rice with meat,eggs and so on.In the past we ate it only　7　a year,but now we regard it as our daily food.We can have it any time we like.

Have you ever　8　the Dragon Boat race on TV?It is another important part of this festival.Several teams row their dragon-shaped boats as　9　as they can.The first team to reach the finish line wins.

If you have a plan to visit China next year,would　10　like to spend this festival with us?

Best wishes,

Xiao Qiang

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Ⅲ.阅读短文,把A—E五个句子填入文中空缺处,使短文内容完整。

Nowadays, e-hongbao is quite popular in China. It is considered that e-hongbao comes originally from“lucky money”for the Spring Festival. 　1　 People hope to get good luck from it.

People send e-hongbao not only on festivals but in other situations as well. On birthdays, for example, people may get e-hongbao from family, relatives and friends, especially when they are not in the same place.　2　 On that day, to express their love, Chinese lovers prefer to send each other e-hongbao of 5.20 yuan,9.27 yuan or 13.14 yuan.

People like playing e-hongbao games on smartphones. 　3　Some of the lucky ones might receive much while some get only a few fen. No matter how much money they get in the end, they want to try their luck. Usually, the person who gets the most money will send e-hongbao one more time. In fact, whether they get much or little, they have lots of fun. And the games bring people closer together.

　4　 If you forget to take a wallet with you when shopping or eating in the restaurants, don’t worry. A smartphone can help you out. That’s great, isn’t it? However, each coin has two sides. Some people complain e-hongbao is just a way to make customers spend more money. And paying by e-hongbao can be dangerous sometimes. 　5　 Safety always comes first.

A.Money from e-hongbao can also be used to pay.

B.In the game, people all hope to get more money.

C.It’s a new convenient way to send greetings and wishes.

D.For another example, February 14th is special to lovers.

E.Be careful not to give away personal information like your ID numbers.

Ⅳ.实践性作业（汇报演讲）

根据自己的实际情况，介绍自己最难忘的节日，包括节日的名称，时间，庆祝的方式及为什么难忘，要求制作PPT。

Unit 3　Language in use

**基础性作业答案**

Ⅱ.[语篇解读]　本文是一篇说明文。题材为传统节日。本文向我们介绍了中国传统节日——端午节,让我们对这个节日的来历及节日活动等都有了较详细的了解。

1.on　本题考查介词,表示“在具体的某一天”用介词on。

2.the　“one of the+形容词的最高级形式+可数名词复数”表示“最……的之一”。

3.save　由下句内容可知,人们想救他但太晚了。save挽救。

4.river/water　由端午节习俗可知,人们把大米扔进河里或水里喂鱼,这样它们就会远离屈原的身体。throw sth.into sth.把……扔进……里。

5.From　from then on从那时起。

6.eating/having　enjoy doing sth.喜欢做某事,由句意可知是指端午节人们吃粽子这一习俗。eat/have吃。

7.once　句意:过去,我们一年只吃一次粽子,但现在我们把粽子当作我们的日常食物。once a year一年一次。

8.watched/seen　由句首的Have you ever(你曾经……)可知应用现在完成时,此处指是否在电视上看过龙舟比赛,故答案为watch/see的过去分词形式watched/seen。

9.fast　as+形容词/副词原形+as sb. can某人尽可能……,因为是龙舟比赛,故应强调速度,此处指速度快且修饰动词row应用副词fast。

10.you　Would you like to do sth.?你想做某事吗?

Ⅲ.　本文是一篇说明文。文章主要介绍了电子红包在中国的流行,分析了其利弊。

1.C　空格前说电子红包最初源于春节的“压岁钱”,空格后说人们希望压岁钱能带来好运,选项C中的greetings and wishes与上下文对应,故选C。

2.D　根据下句On that day, to express their love, Chinese lovers prefer to send each other e-hongbao of 5.20 yuan,9.27 yuan or 13.14 yuan.可知,此处说的是2月14日的情人节。故选D。

3.B　空格前说人们喜欢在手机上抢红包,空格后说一些幸运的人能抢到很多钱,而另一些人只抢到几分钱。选项B中的game和money与上下文对应,故选B。

4.A　空格后介绍了当人们忘记带钱包时可以通过智能手机付款,A选项中的be used to pay与下文对应,故选A。

5.E　空格前说电子红包有时候存在安全隐患,空格后说安全第一。选项中只有E选项意思与安全相关。故选E。