

1. Listen to the following article and the answer the questions.



**My Job is Special!**

**LISTENING COMPREHENSION**

1. What is the main idea of the article?
  - (a) The man has friends in many countries.
  - (b) He can say, "Hello" in many languages.
  - (c) His job is different from most people's jobs.
2. The man likes his job.
  - (a) TRUE
  - (b) FALSE
  - (c) He doesn't say.
3. Where does his best friend live?
  - (a) New York
  - (b) Tokyo
  - (c) Brasilia
4. How many countries does he fly to?
  - (a) eighteen
  - (b) three
  - (c) He doesn't say.
5. Where does he say likes to watch football games?
  - (a) in North America
  - (b) in Tokyo
  - (c) in Brazil
6. He always goes to sleep at the same time every day.
  - (a) TRUE
  - (b) FALSE
  - (c) He doesn't say.
7. What does the word 'them' refer to?
  - (a) football games
  - (b) his family
  - (c) his friends
8. What does he say about his job?
  - (a) It's perfect.
  - (b) He must learn many languages.
  - (c) It has some problems but he likes it.

**2. Complete the paragraph by circling the correct words.**

For most people, a job means they get up at 7:00 am and drive to work by 8:30 or 9:00 am. Later, they (1)\_\_\_\_\_ lunch at noon, and then they start work again (2)\_\_\_\_\_ 1:00 pm. Finally, they finish work at about 5:00 pm and then go home and have dinner with (3)\_\_\_\_\_ family. That kind of job is okay for most people, but my job (4)\_\_\_\_\_ special and I love it! I'm a commercial airline pilot. That means I (5)\_\_\_\_\_ drive to work, I fly! In fact, I fly to many different destinations in the world and I have friends in many countries. Usually, I (6)\_\_\_\_\_ between countries in Asia, North America and South America. It's not surprising, then, that my best friend lives in Japan and we stay in touch by Facebook and e-mail – when I'm (7)\_\_\_\_\_ Tokyo, he always (8)\_\_\_\_\_ me to have dinner with him and his family. In fact, my favorite food is sushi. Another good friend of mine – Gustavo – lives in Brasilia. That's the capital city of Brazil. Gustavo and I love to watch football games together when I visit. (9)\_\_\_\_\_ my job perfect? No, it's not. Because I fly across many different time zones, I sometimes go to bed at 2:00 am. At other times, I go to bed at 2:00 pm. That kind of schedule (10)\_\_\_\_\_ easy. In addition, my job often separates me from my wife and two children. They live in New York and often I am many thousands of miles away. Sometimes I miss them very much. However, I think I have (11)\_\_\_\_\_ job. And my kids think it's great that I (12)\_\_\_\_\_, "Hello" in eighteen different languages: "Ni hao," "Anyoung haseyo," "Konnichiwa," "Bonjour," ....

1.  
(A) having  
(B) have  
(C) had  
(D) has

2.  
(A) in  
(B) to  
(C) on  
(D) at

3.  
(A) their  
(B) there  
(C) they're  
(D) they

4.  
(A) is  
(B) are  
(C) does  
(D) has

5.  
(A) no  
(B) not  
(C) isn't  
(D) don't

6.  
(A) flying  
(B) fly  
(C) flies  
(D) flew

7.  
(A) in  
(B) at  
(C) on  
(D) to

8.  
(A) is inviting  
(B) inviting  
(C) invites  
(D) invite

9.  
(A) Has  
(B) Do  
(C) Is  
(D) Does

10.  
(A) doesn't  
(B) don't  
(C) isn't  
(D) not

11.  
(A) exciting  
(B) an exciting  
(C) excited  
(D) an excited

12.  
(A) says  
(B) am saying  
(C) say  
(D) can say