

UNIT 4: MY NEIGHBOURHOOD

Lesson 3: A closer look 2

Exercise 1: Choose the words whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others in each group.

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| 1. A. mach <u>i</u> ne | B. dr <u>i</u> ve | C. pol <u>i</u> ce | D. pizz <u>a</u> |
| 2. A. magaz <u>i</u> ne | B. s <u>i</u> de | C. h <u>i</u> de | D. h <u>i</u> gh |
| 3. A. prep <u>a</u> re | B. fr <u>e</u> sh | C. <u>e</u> qual | D. <u>e</u> leven |
| 4. A. b <u>u</u> sy | B. g <u>u</u> m | C. s <u>u</u> mm <u>a</u> ry | D. l <u>u</u> nc <u>h</u> |
| 5. A. k <u>i</u> te | B. <u>i</u> dea | C. road <u>s</u> ide | D. d <u>i</u> nn <u>e</u> r |
| 6. A. p <u>i</u> cture | B. t <u>i</u> cket | C. b <u>i</u> ology | D. c <u>i</u> ne <u>m</u> a |
| 7. A. the <u>s</u> e | B. m <u>e</u> tre | C. s <u>e</u> cret | D. <u>E</u> nglish |
| 8. A. l <u>i</u> sten | B. magaz <u>i</u> ne | C. m <u>i</u> ss | D. k <u>i</u> te |
| 9. A. t <u>e</u> ach | B. h <u>e</u> art | C. p <u>e</u> ach | D. t <u>e</u> am |
| 10. A. b <u>u</u> siness | B. b <u>u</u> s | C. n <u>u</u> mb <u>e</u> r | D. s <u>t</u> udy |
| 11. A. l <u>i</u> ve | B. w <u>i</u> de | C. b <u>i</u> cyc <u>l</u> e | D. exc <u>i</u> ting |
| 12. A. f <u>e</u> t | B. s <u>e</u> at | C. n <u>e</u> ar | D. t <u>e</u> am |
| 13. A. cr <u>i</u> ed | B. c <u>i</u> ty | C. th <u>i</u> nk | D. terr <u>i</u> ble |
| 14. A. gr <u>e</u> at | B. h <u>e</u> at | C. ch <u>e</u> ek | D. p <u>e</u> aceful |
| 15. A. h <u>i</u> st <u>o</u> ric | B. exp <u>e</u> nsive | C. off <u>i</u> ce | D. f <u>i</u> nally |
| 16. A. p <u>e</u> aceful | B. pl <u>e</u> asure | C. sl <u>e</u> epy | D. ch <u>e</u> ap |
| 17. A. exc <u>i</u> ting | B. qu <u>i</u> et | C. w <u>i</u> de | D. terr <u>i</u> ble |
| 18. A. crowd <u>e</u> d | B. interest <u>e</u> d | C. bored | D. pollut <u>e</u> d |
| 19. A. sh <u>o</u> p <u>s</u> | B. theat <u>r</u> es | C. str <u>e</u> et <u>s</u> | D. park <u>s</u> |
| 20. A. narrow | B. crowd | C. now | D. about |

Exercise 2: Fill in the blank with the correct comparative forms.

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| 1. fast | _____ | 11. attractive | _____ |
| 2. thin | _____ | 12. noisy | _____ |
| 3. large | _____ | 13. old | _____ |
| 4. tired | _____ | 14. interesting | _____ |
| 5. good | _____ | 15. wide | _____ |
| 6. clever | _____ | 16. independent | _____ |
| 7. short | _____ | 17. dry | _____ |

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| 8. early | _____ | 18. polluted | _____ |
| 9. happy | _____ | 19. long | _____ |
| 10. carefully | _____ | 20. cheap | _____ |

Exercise 3: Fill the spaces with the correct comparative adjectives.

- I am _____ (tall) than my sister.
- My mum thinks that cats are _____ (good) pets than dogs.
- He is (intelligent) _____ than his brother.
- A swordfish is _____ (fast) than a jellyfish.
- A blue whale is _____ (heavy) than twenty-five elephants.
- You look _____ (thin) than last month. Have you lost weight?
- A new house is (expensive) _____ than an old one.
- Irene is _____ (clever) than Silvia.
- Max is _____ (old) than John.
- Computers are _____ (cheap) than mobile phones.

Exercise 4: Choose the underlined word or phrase that needs correcting.

- There is a temple near to the museum.
- Is there a photocopy store to the left your house?
- The police station is front of the movie theater.
- The bakery is between the hotel or the restaurant.
- There are two drugstores opposite to the hospital.
- Take the first turns on the right, and then go past the bus, Son.
- Because there are many factories in the suburbs of this city, so the air is very polluted.
- I like most of the things in Nha Trang such as friendly people, sand beaches and delicious seafood.
- The old song is more sleepy than that one I heard yesterday.
- Your city has narrow streets and older buildings than ours.
- This restaurant is more excited and cheaper than that one.
- The parks in this town are larger and greener than that in that town.
- Do you know how much does it cost to fly to Australia?
- Remember to wash and ironing your own clothes every day.

15. They often go to bed early and never get up lately.
16. To keep fit and stay healthily, you should exercise regularly.
17. It's getting easier for me to write and I make less mistake.
18. Play football is one of the most common ways of relaxing.
19. John doesn't work so hardly as Peter, but he is much more careful than Peter.
20. Each student studying chemistry have to spend at least three hours per week in the laboratory.