

PART 1: PHONETICS

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. teaching | B. speaking | C. wearing | D. cleaning |
| 2. A. egg | B. vegetable | C. kitchen | D. men |
| 3. A. parks | B. groups | C. markets | D. farmers |
| 4. A. live | B. listen | C. think | D. write |
| 5. A. bus | B. fun | C. sunny | D. busy |

Exercise 2: Choose the word whose main stressed syllable is placed differently from that of the other in each group.

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| 1. A. adventure | B. fantasy | C. mystery | D. history |
| 2. A. education | B. information | C. intonation | D. television |
| 3. A. drama | B. baseball | C. suggest | D. subject |
| 4. A. literature | B. biology | C. activity | D. geography |
| 5. A. music | B. soccer | C. physics | D. perform |

PART 2: VOCABULARY & GRAMMAR

Exercise 3: Choose the word/ phrase (A, B, C or D) that best fits the space in each sentence.

1. They look around their new apartment with lots of _____ modern devices.

- A. interest
- B. interested
- C. interestingly
- D. interesting

2. Your cupboard is too old. Let's _____ a new one.

- A. buy
- B. bought
- C. buying
- D. to buy

3. There is a small desk for my _____ and an old wardrobe.

- A. television
- B. homework
- C. cooker
- D. picture

4. He hangs a lot of _____ on the wall in his bedroom.

- A. lamps
- B. papers
- C. hats
- D. posters

5. My living room is very _____ bright.

- A. spacious
- B. small
- C. interesting
- D. careful

6. Nowadays, students often use _____ in mathematics lessons.

- A. rubbers
- B. calculators
- C. pencils
- D. dictionaries

7. That book belongs to me. It is _____.

- A. mine
- B. hers
- C. theirs
- D. his

8. This chair belongs to my mum. This chair is _____.

- A. theirs
- B. his
- C. hers
- D. yours

9. I like _____ because I like reading stories.

- A. literature
- B. math
- C. physics
- D. biology

10. We do _____ in the gym every afternoon.

- A. table tennis
- B. football
- C. judo
- D. homework

Exercise 4: Fill in the blanks using the words in the box.

geography novel author drama
club math and subject indoor
activities arts and crafts sign up

1. Highsmith's debut _____ was a bestseller in 1949.
2. Why don't you _____ for an outdoor activity? Being outdoors is great for your health.
3. Mary doesn't like _____. Because she gets a headache every time she does her homework on it.

4. My favorite _____ at school is literature.
5. We learn about different countries in _____ class.
6. Volleyball and table tennis are _____. We often play them in the sports center.
7. My favorite book is The Secret Garden. The _____ is Frances Hodgson Burnett.
8. We have English, maths _____ science on Tuesday.
9. There are many _____ projects before the holidays. You can learn how to make beautiful cards and decorations.
10. Jane likes acting. She joined the _____ at school.

Exercise 5: Read the following passage and choose the best answer.

It is a small room. There is some (1) _____ in the room. There is a bed on the right of the picture. It is a bed for one person. (2) _____ the bed there are some pictures on the wall. Next to the door, on the left, there is a (3) _____. There is another chair (4) _____ the table and the bed. The table and chair are below the window. On the table (5) _____ some objects - a jug, a glass and a bowl. Next to the door on the right there is a towel on a peg. Behind the bed there are some more things on the wall but they aren't easy to see. Of course, there aren't any modern things in the room and it isn't very comfortable.

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| 1. A. furniture | B. picture | C. people | D. tool |
| 2. A. On | B. Under | C. Above | D. Behind |
| 3. A. bed | B. chair | C. window | D. table |
| 4. A. between | B. next to | C. beside | D. in front of |
| 5. A. there is | B. there isn't | C. there aren't | D. there are |

Exercise 6: Read the text carefully, then answer the questions.

Hi, I'm Linda. I'm in the sixth grade. Today is my first day at secondary school. In the morning I put on my new uniform and get my new bag. My best friend and I walk to school together. We are both very nervous and excited. When we get school, we are shown into our classroom with our new teacher. It is quite scary because I don't know most of the children. Then we go to our first lesson. We have lots of different subjects and the lessons are really fun. My favourite subjects are art and English. I really like my new school, all my teachers are lovely, the lessons are really interesting and I enjoy my first day. I can't wait to go back tomorrow!

1. What grade is Linda in?

=> _____

2. Who does she go to school with?

=> _____

3. How does they go to school?

=> _____

4. Why does Linda feel scary?

=> _____

5. What are her favourite subjects?

=> _____

Exercise 7: Put the adverbs of frequency in the correct position of the sentence.

1. He plays golf on Sundays. (sometimes)

=> He _____

2. The weather is bad in November. (always)

=> The _____

3. We have fish for dinner. (seldom)

=> We _____

4. Peter doesn't get up before seven. (usually)

=> Peter _____

5. They watch TV in the afternoon. (never)

=> They _____

Exercise 8: Make sentences, using the words and phrases given.

1. This/the first week/my new school

=> This _____

2. I/ usually/ my homework/ the school library

=> I usually _____

3. I/ lots of friends/ and they/ all nice/ me

=> I have _____

4. We/ many subjects/ and my favorite subject/ science

=> We have _____

5. In the afternoon/ I/ sports/ the playground

=> In the _____