UNIT 1: HOBBIES

A. PHONETIC

Exercise 1. Put the words in the correct column of the sound /ə/ or /ɜ:/.

again /əˈgeɪn/	camera /ˈkæmərə/	bird /bɜ:d/	word /wɜ:d/	learn /lɜ:n/	third /θɜ:d/	neighbor /ˈneɪbə(r)/
turn /tɜ:n/	girl /gɜ:l/	natural /ˈnætʃərəl/	world /wɜ:ld/	first /fɜ:st/	signal /ˈsɪgnəl/	culture /ˈkʌltʃə(r)/
heard /hɜ:d/	yesterday /ˈjestədeɪ/	final /ˈfaɪnəl/	assistant /əˈsɪstənt/	birthday /ˈbɜ:θdeɪ/	sir /sɜ:r/	prefer /prɪˈfɜ:(r)/

/ə/	/ɜ:/

Exercise 2. Read aloud the words and write English words based on IPA.

IPA	English word	IPA	English word	IPA	English word
/ˈhɒbi/		/du: ˈdʒu:dəʊ/		/ˌkri:eɪˈtɪvəti/	
/ˈdɒl haʊs/		/raɪd ə baɪk/		/əˈmeɪzɪŋ/	
/kəˈlekt/		/ˈhɔ:s raɪdɪŋ/		/ʌnˈju:ʒuəl/	
/kɔm kəˈlekʃn/		/ˈgɑ:dənɪŋ/		/glu:/	
/ˈkɑ:dbɔ:d/		/ˈswɪmɪŋ/		/meɪkˈmɒdl/	

Exercise 3. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

1.	A. about	B. affect	C. agree	D. any
2.	A. girl	B. first	C. fish	D. thirsty
3.	A. fur	B. fun	C. run	D. lucky
4.	A. collect	B. concern	C. concert	D. combine
5.	A. future	B. return	C. picture	D. culture

B. GRAMMAR & VOCABULARY

Exercise 4. Complete the sentences, using the -ing form of the verbs in brackets.

1. My brother likes _____ coins very much. (collect)
2. He enjoys _____ his bike to school. (have)
3. Her children dislike _____ every morning (jog)
4. He likes _____ magazines. (read)
5. They adore _____ dollhouses (build)
6. He doesn't like _____ on the phone. (talk)
7. They don't like _____ . (cook)
8. She likes _____ films. (watch)

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