

I. Find the word which has a different sound in the part underlined.

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| 1. A. <u>b</u> asic | B. <u>n</u> ature | C. <u>ch</u> ange | D. <u>g</u> avity |
| 2. A. <u>s</u> ugar | B. <u>j</u> ungle | C. <u>l</u> uggage | D. <u>s</u> unbathe |
| 3. A. <u>r</u> emark | B. <u>m</u> arket | C. <u>w</u> armth | D. <u>d</u> arkness |
| 4. A. <u>sh</u> ow | B. <u>fo</u> llow | C. <u>bor</u> row | D. <u>po</u> wer |
| 5. A. <u>i</u> ssue | B. <u>t</u> issue | C. <u>v</u> essel | D. <u>pa</u> ssion |

II. Choose the correct word to complete the sentences.

1. Blaise Pascal _____ the calculator in 1642.

- A. discovered B. invented C. recognized D. created

2. Your eyes will be _____ if you don't wear 3D contact lenses.

- A. tired B. bright C. strong D. shining

3. _____ is a way of identifying people by their unique physical characteristics.

- A. Biometrics B. Chemistry C. Technology D. Attendance

4. Nancy likes face to face classes because she can _____ with her classmates.

- A. learn B. work C. interact D. explore

5. The USA is a world leader in space _____.

- A. explore B. explorer C. exploring D. exploration

6. There is a link between _____ development and the environment.

- A. economic B. economy C. economical D. economically

7. Phong is good at English _____ he isn't good at science subjects.

- A. so B. or C. but D. and

8. Tom wants to have a larger computer _____ for playing videogames.

- A. scanner B. screen C. solution D. phone

9. The word that is closest in meaning to "discover" is _____.

- A. see B. find C. develop D. undiscover

10. The word that is opposite in meaning to "absence" is _____.

- A. growth B. ignorance C. truancy D. presence

III. Circle the correct option according to the reported speech.

1. "I can draw portraits," Linda said.

Linda said that she **can / could** draw portraits.

2. "My son is playing games in the room," he said.

He said that his son **is / was** playing games in the room.

3. "It must be very hard to climb this mountain," he said.

He said that it must be very hard to climb **this / that** mountain.

4. "My family will go to Paris next month," she said.

She said that her family would go to Paris the **previous / following** month.

5. "Science may save more human lives," They said.

They said that science **can / might** save more human lives.

6. "My sister wants to become a scientist in the future," Nam said.

Nam said that **my / his** sister wanted to become a scientist in the future.

7. "He is an investment advisor," they said.

They said that he **was / did** an investment advisor.

8. "You can't park your cars here."

He said that we couldn't park our cars **here / there**.

9. "I carried out some experiments last week," he said.

He said that **he / they** had carried out some experiments the previous week.

10. "I will be a designer in two years," my friend said.

My friend said that she would be a designer the next **year / two years**.

IV. Complete the dialogue with the words from the box.

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Lan: I have a bit of good (1) _____ to tell you that I have a new laptop.

Angie: Wow, that's (2) _____! Where did you buy it?

Lan: I didn't buy it. My dad (3) _____ it to me on my birthday yesterday.

Angie: That (4) _____ wonderful! Now, you needn't to use my computer.

Lan: Yes. I can use my laptop to (5) _____ Internet and do my projects.

Angie: And you can play video games on your (6) _____,....

V. Read the passage and choose the correct answers to the questions below.

The past few years have been the golden era of advanced technology, and I suppose household appliances are no exception. I'm going to describe the refrigerator as a household equipment that I find most useful for my family.

My mom loves cooking and she's actually a good cook. She's mainly responsible for shopping for healthy food and cooking scrumptious meals for all of us. And as a matter of fact, our refrigerator is essential when it comes to food storage. Its size is perfect for the corner area in our kitchen, yet big enough to store a large amount of food for the whole family. We keep the vegetables and certain kinds of fruits at the bottom, whereas the leftovers are kept on top. And some cakes that are made by my mom are kept cold in the middle.

As regards my family meals, fresh meat and seafood is a must. In particular, I cannot go a day without a single piece of pork or beef. Thus, the fridge has always done a great job of keeping the meat and seafood fresh all the time. Besides, ice cream bought by my dad every two to three weeks is also stored in the same freezer.

1. What is the most useful household equipment according to the writer?

A. Refrigerator. B. Telephone. C. Advanced technology. D. Household appliances.

2. What is the responsibility of her/his mother?

A. She loves cooking. B. She's responsible for shopping for healthy food.

C. She's responsible cooking scrumptious meals for her/his family. D. Both B & C.

3. Where do they keep the vegetables and certain kinds of fruits?

- A. In a corner of the kitchen. B. In the middle of the refrigerator.
C. At the bottom of the refrigerator. D. At the top of the refrigerator.

4. Are the cakes kept cold in the middle?

- A. Yes, they are. B. No, they aren't.
C. Yes, her/his mom made cakes. D. No, she is not a good cook.

5. How must meat and seafood be for their family meals?

- A. They must be fresh. B. They must be a lot.
C. They must be beautiful. D. They must be unfresh.

6. How often does her/his father buy ice cream?

- A. Everyday. B. Once two to three weeks. C. Twice a week. D. Once three weeks.

VI. Write complete sentences using the given words and phrases.

1. Accurate measurement / be / very important / this experiment /.

2. Scientists / have identified / link / an unhealthy diet and diseases /.

3. This voice recognition technology / be / application / biometric technology /.

4. I think / email / completely replace regular mail / ten years /.

5. This job / would be impossible / without / help of a computer /.

6. you / think / robots / replace teachers / year 2050?
