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MINI TEST 02

Question 1. The wind is whistling up this and **within seconds** my face is frozen.

- A. quickly B. extremely C. definitively D. slowly

Question 2. My sister lives in Alaska, so I only see her **once in a blue moon**.

- A. frequently B. rarely C. perfectly D. remarkably

Question 3. When he goes on holiday, it takes him the first couple of days just to **wind down**.

- A. stress out B. chill out C. put out D. pass out

Question 4. They acknowledge that juries make mistakes **from time to time**.

- A. now and then B. all the time C. by the time D. time after time

Question 5. Sandy was on the Internet **just now**, that's why the phone was busy.

- A. at times B. a long time ago C. for now D. any moment
now

Question 6. I realize that I need to **work my way through** the next passages with care and delicacy.

- A. give over B. give off C. give out D. give up

Question 7. It has been our **long-standing** policy not to allow pets at the hotel.

- A. long-lasting B. permanent C. temporary D. eternal

Question 8. For some people, marriage is an **anachronism** from the days when women needed to be protected.

- A. modern ideas B. solecism C. traditional ideas D. conventional
ideas

Question 9. We had lunch **the other day** at our favorite restaurant.

- A. just now B. at the same time C. for now D. a long time ago

Question 10. Younger staff were far more likely to resign and leave at the end of a **fixed-term** contract.

- A.** changeable **B.** stable **C.** seasonal **D.** permanent

Question 11. She has been in the same job **for donkey's years**.

- A.** for the time being **B.** at the moment **C.** for a short time **D.** for a long time

