

Supplementary Homework 9 (Standard)

1–3. Pick out the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the other words.

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| 1. A. <u>b</u> ulb | B. tr <u>u</u> st | C. d <u>u</u> mp | D. p <u>u</u> ll |
| 2. A. typh <u>oo</u> n | B. r <u>oo</u> f | C. fl <u>oo</u> d | D. m <u>oo</u> n |
| 3. A. collaps <u>e</u> d | B. hik <u>e</u> d | C. strip <u>e</u> d | D. claim <u>e</u> d |

4–13. Choose the best answer among A, B, C or D that best completes each sentence.

4. _____ it was so cold, he went out without a coat.
A. If B. Although C. Since D. However
5. Ann suggested _____ at home at Christmas for a change.
A. stay B. to stay C. staying D. stayed
6. Mrs. Brown forgot her raincoat _____ she got wet.
A. so B. however C. because D. if
7. Peter is short. He's not _____ to be a policeman.
A. so tall B. tall enough C. quite tall D. enough tall
8. Jupiter spins faster than _____ planet.
A. any B. any another C. any others D. any other
9. The core of the moon is much smaller, in relation to its size, _____ of the planets.
A. those B. than those C. ones D. than are those
10. _____ the stove when you have finished cooking.
A. Put off B. Put out C. Put D. Put up with
11. Coal _____ very widely as a source of energy until the 19th century.
A. not used B. did not use C. not using D. was not used
12. She arranged _____ her friends in the afternoon as the weather was fine.
A. meeting B. to be meeting C. to have met D. to meet
13. I object _____ the proposal to restrict the use of cars in the city.
A. at B. with C. for D. to

14–21. Choose the word or phrase among A, B, C or D that best fits the blank space in the following passage.

People who (14) _____ in the industrially advanced and affluent countries of the world take telecommunication for granted. Computer data with text, graphics and even video clips (15) _____ been added (16) _____ the telephone. Today, telecommunications are at the center of (17) _____ international economy. To participate in this economy, countries need telecommunications (18) _____ enable them to obtain information and knowledge which they can use to attract

industrial (19) _____ and find new markets. Businesses and factories need the telephone and computer because producers and customers may be thousands of kilometers apart. Regional and national borders are no (20) _____ barriers to trade. With the trend toward a more cooperation between countries, (21) _____ telecommunications increase in importance. They are the key to development and progress.

22-24. Choose the underlined part that needs correcting then provide the correction.

22. (A) **Energy-saving** bulbs should (B) **use** (C) **to save** (D) _____ 22. _____ 2
electricity.
23. He (A) **tried** to go (B) **to work** (C) **in spite of** he (D) **was** ill. 23. _____ 2
24. There (A) **were** (B) **so much** beautiful flowers that I couldn't 24. _____ 2
(C) **decide** what (D) **to buy**.

25-28. Use the correct form of the word given to complete each sentence.

25. We have not received any (explain) _____ about the damage.
26. They disapproved of your bad (behave) _____.
27. The (grow) _____ of population of that city made us surprised.
28. Your car is more (economy) _____ than mine. It hardly seems to use any petrol at all.

29-32. Rewrite the following sentences without changing their meanings.

29. We couldn't see the paper anywhere.
→ The paper _____.
30. Remember to check your luggage.
→ Don't _____.
31. No one could know her reaction to the problem.
→ Her reaction _____.
32. People say that the boy has been saved.
→ The boy _____.