CONFUSING WORDS PART 1

1 How much of an ..... did World War II have on Europe?

(a) affect (b) effect (c) effects (d) affects

2 The World War was devastating ..... many countries.

(a) fore (b) for (c) four (d) floor

3 Lynn and Mike were ecstatic about the ..... of their first child this year.

(a) birth (b) berth (c) birch (d) births

4 ..... that, they were also happy about the purchase of their new home.

(a) Beside (b) Among (c) Besides (d) Between

5 The weather on the coast is really wet and cloudy — it rains .....

(a) allot (b) a lot (c) lot (d) allotment

6 The ..... point is that you'll have to seek counsel about the crisis you're facing.

(a) principal (b) principle (c) principals (d) principles

7 After a year of continual turmoil, Kevin decided to move to a place with ..... political upheaval.

(a) fewer (b) less (c) lesser (d) few

8 The army was led by a famous General ..... was known for his tactical and strategic raids.

(a) whose (b) who's (c) that (d) who

9 There are many ..... and unfortunate people in every country around the world.

(a) pour (b) pore (c) poor (d) poured

10 Some charity groups are working to lower the ..... of poor people around the world.

(a) numbers (b) herds (c) flocks (d) number

LIVEWORKSHEETS