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I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others in each group.

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| 1. A. fe <u>a</u> st | B. se <u>a</u> t | C. br <u>e</u> ad | D. he <u>a</u> t |
| 2. A. pea <u>n</u> ut | B. cu <u>t</u> | C. sh <u>u</u> t | D. pu <u>t</u> |
| 3. A. wh <u>a</u> t | B. fl <u>a</u> t | C. s <u>a</u> nd | D. Sa <u>t</u> urday |
| 4. A. hi <u>k</u> e | B. be <u>s</u> ide | C. hi <u>d</u> e | D. pi <u>c</u> nic |
| 5. A. wash <u>e</u> d | B. sacre <u>d</u> | C. book <u>e</u> d | D. hope <u>d</u> |
| 6. A. form <u>s</u> | B. chair <u>s</u> | C. seat <u>s</u> | D. key <u>s</u> |
| 7. A. paper <u>s</u> | B. boss <u>e</u> s | C. brush <u>e</u> s | D. fox <u>e</u> s |
| 8. A. cat <u>s</u> | B. dog <u>s</u> | C. phon <u>e</u> s | D. draw <u>e</u> rs |
| 9. A. pig <u>s</u> | B. plant <u>s</u> | C. tabl <u>e</u> s | D. comput <u>e</u> rs |
| 10. A. beach <u>e</u> s | B. watch <u>e</u> s | C. sink <u>s</u> | D. lunch <u>e</u> s |

II. Choose the best option

1. John and Mandy (am/ is/ are) cleaning the kitchen.
2. I (am/ is/ are) reading a book at the moment.

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3. It (am/ is/ are) raining.
4. We (am/ is/ are) singing a new song.
5. The children (am/ is/ are) watching TV at break time.
6. My pets (am/ is/ are) sleeping now.
7. Aunt Helen (am/ is/ are) feeding the ducks on the farm.
8. My friend (am/ is/ are) buying a pencil sharpener.
9. He (am/ is/ are) studying Science.
10. They (am/ is/ are) doing their homework.

III. Put the correct verbs in present tense and present continuous tense

1. Every Monday, Sally (drive) _____ her kids to football practice.
2. Shhhhh! Be quiet! John (sleep) _____.
3. Don't forget to take your umbrella. It (rain) _____.
4. I hate living in Seattle because it (rain, always) _____.

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5. I'm sorry I can't hear what you (say) _____ because everybody (talk) _____ so loudly.
6. Jane (go) _____ to bed at 10 o'clock on weekdays.
7. Our train (leave) _____ at 9.25.
8. The bus sometimes (arrive) _____ in the morning.
9. Archie (not use) _____ his computer at the moment.