NEW FRONTIERS

Vocabulary Test: Units 1–2

Compass Publishing

Class _____ Name _____

① Fill in the blanks with the best words from the box.

encourage	concentrate	satisfied	incredible	private
chance	hopeful	difficulty	swap	finally

1. You shouldn't be _____ with an *A* on your essay; you should aim to get an *A+*.
2. Can I see your answers for this practice test? I'm having a lot of _____ with question two.
3. Let's talk about this in my office. I'd like this conversation to be kept _____.
4. I'm so happy that I _____ have enough money saved to buy those shoes I want.
5. Sheldon's going to leave early for the dinner party; that way there's no _____ he'll be late.
6. Mrs. Bisbee wanted to _____ her students to read, so she started a reading competition.
7. Have you heard Mary Lou sing? She's got a(n) _____ voice.
8. I'm getting my exam scores back soon. I'm _____ that I made the top ten list for our school.
9. We need to _____ seats. I'm too short to see from here, and you're much taller than I am.
10. Please turn down your music. I'm trying to _____ on my math homework.

② Circle the word that matches the definition.

1. an amount of money paid, usually monthly, to someone for doing their job

a. attendance **b**. charity **c**. program **d**. salary

2. to say what you don't like about someone, something, or some situation

a. consider **b**. complain **c**. manage **d**. disappointed

3. sad and displeased because someone, something, or some situation isn't what you hoped it would be

a. disappointed **b**. convinced **c**. touched **d**. tired

4. good control over oneself

a. manage **b**. concentrate **c**. willpower **d**. local

5. the achievement of what you've wanted, or tried, to do

a. success **b**. celebrate **c**. cheerful **d**. aim

6. something you do repeatedly

a. challenge **b**. aim **c**. habit **d**. schedule

7. feeling stressed

a. confident **b**. anxious **c**. careless **d**. lazy

8. to grow larger or heavier

a. gain **b**. lost **c**. weight **d**. reach

9. responsibility for an accident or an unfortunate event

a. careless **b**. aim **c**. fail **d**. fault

10. someone you work with

a. colleague **b**. schedule **c**. attendance **d**. curriculum

LIVEWORKSHEETS