

E9 - U3 - test 2

I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

1. a. concentration b. question c. attraction d. emotion
2. a. exit b. exchange c. extreme d. expect

II. Choose the word that has the main stress placed differently from the others.

1. a. encourage b. volunteer c. overcome d. understand
2. a. informed b. worried c. relaxed d. depressed

III. Choose the best answer a, b, c or d to complete the sentence.

1. Studies show that having good conflict _____ skills is associated with various positive outcomes.
a. resolutorial b. resolving c. resolve d. resolution
2. For most of us, however, positive thinking and _____ can be learned.
a. self-awareness b. self-abuse c. self-access d. self-analysis
3. He asked her to marry him but she _____.
a. carry him out b. turned him down c. took him out d. let him in
4. The cost _____ living in Singapore is higher than any countries in South East Asia.
a. for b. on c. of d. in
5. I met James in a restaurant on Friday and he said that he had seen Caroline there _____.
a. the day before b. this day c. today d. that day
16. Jane said that she _____ come and look after the children the following day.
a. can b. will c. could d. should
7. The weather was _____ in England than in Spain last week.
a. most warmer b. by far warmer c. more warmer d. much warmer
8. _____ all our efforts to save the school, the authorities decided to close it.
a. Since b. Despite c. Although d. Because
9. He still doesn't know _____ his budget when living alone in the city.
a. when to manage b. how to manage c. where to manage d. what to manage
10. A: "I really don't like shopping around the holidays."
B: "_____. It's always so busy."
a. I couldn't agree with you more. b. I like it.
c. I don't like it. d. No, it's not that.

11. Find the mistake

She finds that it is difficult staying awake during the meeting

IV. Write the correct form or tense of the verbs in brackets.

2. When I woke up this morning, it was raining and my father _____ (sing) in the kitchen.
3. I wondered where _____ (get) my pre-paid train ticket.
4. _____ (you/ travel) to Paris tomorrow?

V. Word form

1. Sydney has a great _____ of things and foods. (various)
2. I don't have enough money. I want to buy an _____ car. (afford)
3. In adolescence, you will experience _____ and physical changes. (emotion)
4. Mai is a little bit tense because of high _____ from her parents. (expect)

VI. Read

Read the text and complete the blank with a suitable option.

Teenagers try to relieve their stress in (1) _____ ways. They try to run their problems, or they to shut everyone else out but the stress is always right there waiting for them. Parents bring the teen on more stress, nagging about chores and work and it only makes things worse. At this point teens just want to (2) from everything and anyone.

Not everyone has a stress-free home life, but the six and a half hours teens spend at school every day shouldn't be so (3) If teenagers weren't so stressed out then, they could certainly achieve more with their lives. There are ways for teenagers to have a successful day with no stress, but it requires everyone doing their parts to be stress-free. If everyone had an open mind when they woke up in the morning then surely their days would start off better. If everyone did their parts to help each other out and not start drama then teenagers wouldn't be as stressed out as they are. Teenagers should continue to find ways to (4) their stress in healthier ways such as sports and arts. Finding a hobby will make each and every day better for a teenager.

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| 1. A. different | B. difference | C. differ |
| 2. A. get up | B. get on | C. get away |
| 3. A. stress | B. stressful | C. happy |
| 4. A. turn down | B. pull down | C. deal with |

Answer the questions

1. What do teenagers do to relieve their stress?
2. What ways could teenagers do to reduce their stress?

VII. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence.

1. The salary of a professor is higher than that of a secretary.
→ The salary of a secretary is not _____.
2. I didn't realize how late it was and I didn't stop studying till after midnight. (ON)
→ I didn't realize how late it was and I _____
3. I am leaving now so that I won't be late for work.
→ I am leaving now in _____
4. "How long have you been standing here?" he asked me.
→ He asked me _____
5. Most people/ this village/ live on/ make/ traditional handicrafts. (complete the sentence)
6. My sister went to Tay Ho village in Hue to buy some poetic conical hats. (make a question for the underlined part)
