Part A: Phonetics: /s/-/es/

Exercise 1: Write the ending sound produced by these following words:

1. places: _____
2. plays: _____
3. books: _____
4. matches: _____
5. laughs: _____
6. smiles: _____
7. likes: _____
8. fridges: _____
9. caps: _____
10. tickets: _____

Exercise 2: Choose the word which has the underlined part pronounced differently from the rest:

1. A. coughs	B. sings	C. stops	D. sleeps
2. A. signs	B. profits	C. becomes	D. survives
3. A. walks	B. steps	C. shuts	D. plays
4. A. wishes	B. practices	C. introduces	D. leaves
5. A. grasses	B. stretches	C. potatoes	D. comprises
6. A. desks	B. maps	C. chairs	D. plants
7. A. pens	B. books	C. phones	D. tables
8. A. dips	B. deserts	C. books	D. camels
9. A. miles	B. attends	C. drifts	D. glows
10. A. mends	B. develops	C. values	D. equals
11. A. repeats	B. classmates	C. lives	D. attacks
12. A. humans	B. dreams	C. concerts	D. songs
13. A. manages	B. laughs	C. photographs	D. makes
14. A. dishes	B. oranges	C. experiences	D. chores
15. A. fills	B. adds	C. stirs	D. lets
16. A. wants	B. books	C. stops	D. sends
17. A. books	B. dogs	C. cats	D. maps
18. A. biscuits	B. magazines	C. newspapers	D. vegetables
19. A. knees	B. peas	C. trees	D. changes
20. A. cups	B. stamps	C. books	D. pens

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Part B: **Grammar**: Past tenses (Past Simple, Past Continuous, Past Perfect)

Exercise 1: Supply the correct verb form:

1. When I (arrive) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ at this house, he still (sleep) _ _ _ _ _ _ _
2. The light (go) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ when we (have) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ dinner.
3. Bill (have) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ breakfast when I (stop) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ at this house this morning.
4. As we (cross) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ the street, we (see) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ an accident.
5. Tom (see) _ _ _ _ _ _ a serious accident while he (stand) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ at the bus stop.
6. At this time last week, John (have) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ picnic with his family.
7. The children (play) _ _ _ _ _ _ football when their mother (come) _ _ _ _ _ back home.
8. They (go) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ home after they (finish) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ their work.
9. When we came to the stadium, the match _ _ _ _ _ _ _ (already, begin).
10. After they had gone, I (sit) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ down and (rest) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ .
11. She (watch) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ TV, she (do) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ her homework.
12. After taking a bath, he (go) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ to bed.
14. Yesterday John (go) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ to the store before he (go) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ home.
15. Our teacher (tell) _ _ _ _ _ _ us yesterday that he (visit) _ _ _ _ _ England in 1970.
16. When John and I got to the theatre, the movie (start) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ already.
17. Before Alice (go) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ to sleep, she (call) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ her family.
18. When the phone (ring) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ , I (have) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ dinner.
19. He (teach) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ in this school before he (leave) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ for England.
20. She (win) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ the gold medal in 1986.

Exercise 2: Choose the correct answer:

1. Sylvia _____ when she _____ the DVDs.

A. was running / dropped
B. ran / dropped
C. was running / was dropping
D. ran / was dropping

2. While Steve _____ a documentary, he _____ asleep.

A. was watched / fell
B. was watching / fell
C. watched / was falling
D. was watching / felt

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3. They _____ when you _____ for remote control.
A. aren't listening / were asking
B. weren't listening / were asking
C. weren't listening / asked
D. listened / asked

4. _____ you _____ anything when I _____ you?
A. Are / doing / called
B. Were / doing / calling
C. Did / do / was calling
D. Were / doing / called

5. _____ you _____ my friends while you _____ to school?
A. Are / see / went
B. Did / see / were going
C. Did / saw / were going
D. Were / see / went

6. We _____ home when the accident _____.
A. were driving / happened
B. drove / happened
C. drove / was happening
D. were drive / happened

7. I _____ a novel while my mother _____.
A. was read / was cooking
B. read / cooked
C. was reading / was cooking
D. was reading / cooks

8. I _____ out of the window when the accident happened.
A. was looked
B. looked
C. looking
D. was looking

9. You _____ while I _____.
A. played / study
B. were playing / studying
C. were playing / was studying
D. were played / was studying

10. He _____ when his father came home.
A. were doing
B. was doing
C. did
D. did do

11. When we finally found his house, everyone..... (already/leave) for a club in town.
A. had already left
B. had left
C. already had left
D. left

12. .... (the driver/talk) to you or had he stayed in his car before the police arrived?
A. Had the driver talked
B. Did the driver talk
C. Was the driver talking
D. Had the diver beetn talked

13. She ... to Michael before because she was too shy to start a conversation
A. hadn't spoken
B. hadn't spoke
C. hadnot spoken
D. hadn't speak

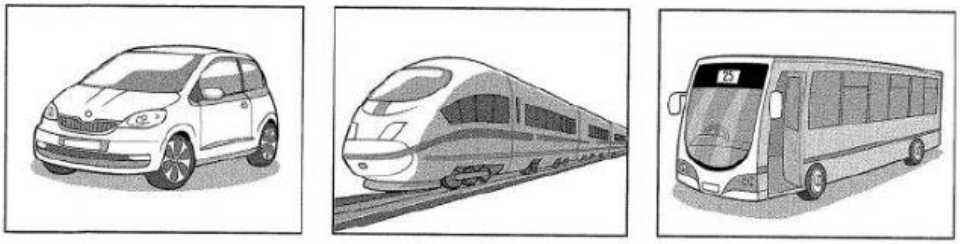
14. ... to the National Museum before we went last month?
A. Have you been
B. Had you been
C. Had you be
D. Hadn't you been

15. That was the first time I ... a salsa in a night club.
A. had danced
B. had dance
C. danced
D. didn't dance

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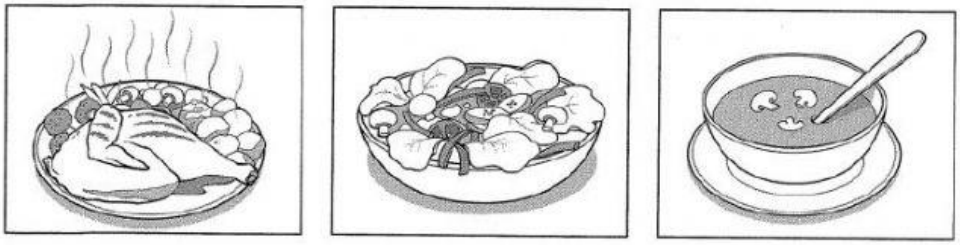
Part C: Listening

1 How did the woman travel to work this morning?



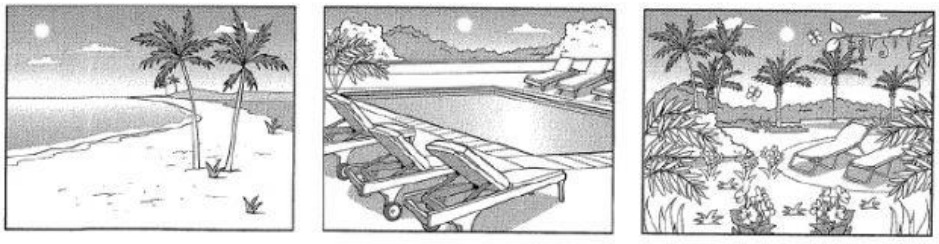
A B C

2 What will the man eat first at the restaurant?



A B C

3 Which was the view from the woman's hotel room?



A B C

4 Why will the man miss the concert tonight?



A B C

5 What will the woman wear for the party?



A B C

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City Bus Tours

Name of guide:	Greg
Time last tour starts:	(6) ..... p.m.
Colour of tour bus stop:	(7) .....
Length of tour:	(8) ..... minutes
Where to use ticket for discount:	(9) .....
Place tour ends:	(10) .....

Part D: Reading

Exercise 1: Read and answer the questions

Smoking causes lung cancer, which is the number one cancer among men. Ninety percent of the people who get lung cancer die. Smoking is also the leading cause of mouth cancer, tongue cancer, and throat cancer. Many smokers have heart disease and pneumonia. Smoking causes one million early deaths in the world every year.

Smokers not only harm themselves but also harm others. Smokers breathe smoke out into the air. They breathe "**it**" out on their children and their wives or husbands. Children whose parents smoke have more breathing and lung problems than other children. Women who are married to smokers are more likely to have lung cancer than those married to non-smokers.

We are all aware that smoking is bad. So why do people smoke?

1. What is the number one cancer among men?

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2. Is smoking the main cause of mouth cancer, tongue cancer and throat cancer?

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3. How many early deaths does smoking cause in the world every year?

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4. What does the word "**it**" in paragraph 2 refer to?

A. cancer B. air C. smoke D. breath

5. Who are more likely to have lung cancer and lung problems?

A. People who live in the city. B. People who live with smokers.

C. People who live with non-smokers D. People who live in the country.

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