

## COLLOCATION

Meaning	Collocation
bị chỉ trích cay nghiệt	
bị chia rẽ sâu sắc	
bị thương rất nặng	
cạnh tranh dữ dội	
có khả năng cao không xảy ra	
cực kỳ bất thường	
đẹp trai theo kiểu phong trần	
được nhiều người đề cử, giới thiệu	
gây nhiều tranh cãi	
hiệu quả cao	
hoàn toàn không nhận thức được	
hoàn toàn ý thức	
hối tiếc sâu sắc	
khả thi cao	
không hề hay biết	
lợi nhuận cao	
mệt đến chết	
nhát kinh khủng	
phản đối mạnh mẽ	
sợ khiếp vía	
tham gia tích cực	

thất vọng tràn trề	
tức giận đầy cay đắng	
vô cùng hồ thẹn	
vô cùng thành công	

**EXERCISE.** Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

**Question 1.** Peter \_\_\_\_\_ a better understanding of Algebra than we do.

- A. makes
- B. has
- C. takes
- D. gives

**Question 2.** The sight of his pale face brought \_\_\_\_\_ to me how ill he really was.

- A. place
- B. house
- C. life
- D. home

**Question 3.** The children had to \_\_\_\_\_ in the principal's office after they took part in a fight.

- A. hit the right notes
- B. beat around the bush
- C. play second fiddle
- D. face the music

**Question 4.** In the formal interview, it is essential to maintain good eye \_\_\_\_\_ with the interviewers.

- A. contact
- B. touch
- C. link
- D. connection

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the**

**word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

**Question 5.** The factory is fined for discharging dangerous chemicals into the river.

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| A. releasing  | B. increasing |
| C. decreasing | D. keeping    |

**Question 6.** The new college is intended to improve the life chances of children in the inner city.

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| A. productions   | B. communities |
| C. opportunities | D. questions   |

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

**Question 7.** Children brought up in a caring environment tend to grow more sympathetic towards others.

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| A. loving  | B. dishonest |
| C. healthy | D. hateful   |

**Question 8.** It's quite disappointing that some people still turn a blind eye to acts of injustice they witness in the street.

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| A. take no notice of | B. have no feeling for |
| C. show respect for  | D. pay attention to    |

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following**

**questions.**

**Question 9.** The passengers, tired after a very long trip, was relaxing in every available seat in the airport lobby.

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| <b>A.</b> The          | <b>B.</b> very      |
| <b>C.</b> was relaxing | <b>D.</b> available |

**Question 10.** He didn't meet her even one time since they said good bye together.

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| <b>A.</b> didn't meet | <b>B.</b> even |
| <b>C.</b> one time    | <b>D.</b> said |