

PRACTICE ADJ (VING/ VED)

I. Choose the correct adj

1. I'm very (excited/ exciting) because I'm going to Florida tomorrow.
2. Are you (surprised/ surprising) or were you expecting her news?
3. Lisa is reading a very (interested/ interesting) book at the moment.
4. I've had a very (tired/ tiring) day at work today and I want to go to bed.
5. Most people were (surprised/ surprising) that she won the prize.
6. I'm (bored/ boring). Let's go out for drink somewhere.
7. Visit our (excited/ exciting) new shop!
8. His speech was very long and very (bored/ boring).

II. Fill the blank

bored	interested	surprising	amusing	confused
boring	amused	confusing	surprised	interesting

1. He told me a very _____ story. I laughed and laughed.
2. This is a terribly _____ book. Nothing happens in it.
3. He's _____ in love stories and often talks about them.
4. The compass was _____ and I got lost.
5. She was _____ because she had nothing to do all day.
6. Everyone else thought it was funny, but she wasn't _____.
7. Could you repeat that, please? I'm a bit _____ because it was very complicated.
8. It is _____ that she failed the exam, because she's a good student.
9. Everyone was _____ by the sudden noise
10. Your scheme is very _____. Tell me more about it.

III. Use the correct form of the participles used as adjectives in these sentences

1. "The Spy Returns" is a very _____ film about a wealthy man who visits Italy. (excite)
2. They were _____ when they read the result. (disappoint)
3. Do you feel _____ to this kind of job? (attract)
4. The _____ horse was drinking water. (tire)
5. The main problem is _____ prices. Things are getting much too expensive. (rise)
6. Our father's company sells only _____ goods. (import)

7. "You look _____ when you see me." – "Yes, I think you are in China." (**surprise**)
8. He finds housekeeping a _____ task. (**bore**)
9. Mary appeared with a _____ smile. (**please**)
10. Mr Smith seems quite _____ with his new job. (**satisfy**)
11. I like eating _____ eggs. (**boil**)
12. The movie on TV last night made me _____. (**bore**)
13. It was _____ to see my old friends again after a long time. (**surprise**)
14. The weather this summer has been _____. (**disappoint**)
15. He's one of the most _____ people I've ever met. (**bore**)

IV. ACTIVE - PASSIVE

1. My father waters this flower every morning.

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2. John invited Fiona to his birthday party last night.

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3. Her mother is preparing the dinner in the kitchen.

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4. We should clean our teeth twice a day.

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5. Our teachers have explained the English grammar.

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6. Some drunk drivers caused the accident in this city.

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7. Tom will visit his parents next month.

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8. The manager didn't phone the secretary this morning.

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9. Did Mary this beautiful dress?

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10. I won't hang these old pictures in the living room.

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