

New York! New York!

TEST FOR UNIT 9

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

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| 1. a. <u>pr</u> ize | b. exc <u>i</u> te | c. des <u>i</u> gn | d. cap <u>i</u> tal |
| 2. a. <u>c</u> old | b. ph <u>o</u> to | c. <u>c</u> ontinent | d. <u>p</u> oster |
| 3. a. <u>c</u> ity | b. <u>c</u> apital | c. <u>n</u> ice | d. exc <u>i</u> te |
| 4. a. des <u>i</u> gn <u>e</u> d | b. rec <u>e</u> iv <u>e</u> d | c. cycl <u>e</u> d | d. reward <u>e</u> d |
| 5. a. tom <u>o</u> rw <u>o</u> rk | b. <u>t</u> ow <u>e</u> r | c. <u>c</u> row <u>d</u> | d. <u>a</u> rou <u>n</u> d |

II. Read about the landmarks. Can you guess which landmark they are? Write the name of the landmarks.

Eiffel Tower Taj Mahal Great Wall of China Empire State Building
Big Ben Petronas Towers Sydney Opera House Angkor Wat

- _____ 200BC; protects borders; longest man made structure.
Capital: Beijing
- _____ world's tallest twin buildings - 452 meters tall. There is a sky
bridge between the towers. Capital: Kuala Lumpur.
- _____ largest 4 sided clock. Symbol of the UK. Capital: London
- _____ 300 meters tall - 3 floors; tallest structure until 1930; most
visited landmark in the world. Capital: Paris
- _____ NYC Skyscraper - 103 floors; from 1931 - 1970 world's
tallest building. Capital: Washington, D.C.
- _____ built of white marble; tomb built by emperor in memory of
3rd wife. Capital: New Delhi
- _____ 1150 AD completed; pictured on flag; largest religious
monument in the world. Capital: Phnom Penh
- _____ one of the most loved buildings in the world; performing arts
center; supposed to represent a sail boat. Capital: Canberra

III. Circle the odd one out.

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| 1. Mexico | Asia | South Africa | Australia |
| 2. Amsterdam | Stockholm | Sweden | Rio de Janeiro |

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| 3. sunny | delicious | cloudy | awful |
| 4. Times Square | Big Ben | Merlion | Dickens |
| 5. German | American | Italy | English |

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

- Manchester is famous _____ its football teams.
a. in b. with c. for d. as
- Oxford University was built _____ the 12th century.
a. in b. of c. at d. on
- The Golden Gate Bridge is San Francisco's most famous _____.
a. building b. monument c. palace d. landmark
- The package includes a tour of Sydney's famous _____.
a. Opera House b. Eiffel Tower c. Big Ben d. White House
- _____ a nice day! Shall we go swimming?
a. How b. When c. What d. Which
- France is the most _____ country to visit. It has about 76 million visitors a year.
a. visiting b. expensive c. popular d. relaxing
- _____ do you live in? - Asia.
a. Where b. What country c. What continent d. What city
- The _____ is a mythical creature with the head of a lion and the body of a fish.
a. Komodo Dragon b. Red Kangaroo c. Phoenix d. Merlion
- I really love living in Montreal _____ there are so many places to visit that are nearby.
a. but b. so c. because d. although
- What is the capital of Greece? - _____
a. Amsterdam b. Athens c. Stockholm d. Sydney

V. Complete the sentences with the correct form or tense of the verbs in brackets.

- My cousin _____ (be) in Canada two years ago.
- They _____ (be) to London many times this year.
- Tomorrow we _____ (cycle) around to discover the city.
- At the moment I _____ (stay) at a very nice hotel in the south of France.
- When I was younger, we _____ (not do) much sport at school.
- Mrs. Hudson is my maths teacher. She _____ (teach) for four years.
- Last year I _____ (go) on a school trip to Scotland. We _____ (have) a very interesting time.
- Could you meet me at the bus station? My bus _____ (arrive) at six.

VI. Complete the sentences with the correct form (comparative or superlative) of the words in brackets. Add any necessary words.

1. Sao Paulo is _____ London. (crowded)
2. Paris is _____ city in the world. (romantic)
3. New York is much _____ Sydney. (expensive)
4. The Eiffel Tower is _____ building in France. (famous)
5. China is one of _____ countries in the world. (big)
6. In my opinion, Tokyo is _____ Mumbai. (interesting)
7. Barcelona is _____ Stockholm. (hot)
8. I think that Istanbul is _____ city in the world. (beautiful)

VII. Write questions for the underlined parts.

1. Brazil is in the continent of South America.

2. Canberra is the capital city of Australia.

3. The weather in Stockholm has been perfect.

4. New York is 54,555 square miles big.

5. We have lived in New York for ten years.

6. My family moved to Sydney in 1997.

7. I have never been to South Africa.

8. He travelled to Mexico by train.

VIII. Match the questions to the answers.

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| 1. What is the largest country in South America? | a. It's Antarctica. |
| 2. What is the biggest continent? | b. It's Eiffel Tower. |
| 3. What is the coldest place on earth? | c. It's Vatican City. |
| 4. What is the most beautiful capital in the world? | d. It's Burj Khalifa. |
| 5. What is the smallest city in the world? | e. It's Mercury. |
| 6. What is the most famous landmark in France? | f. It's London. |
| 7. What is the closest planet to the sun? | g. It's Brazil. |
| 8. What is the tallest building in the world? | h. It's Asia. |

IX. Choose the correct answers to complete the passage.



Are you planning your next trip? Then why not visit London? London is one of the most exciting cities in the world.

Sights and attractions

There are lots of things to see and do in London. Walk around the centre and see famous (1) _____ like Big Ben and Westminster Abbey. Visit the Tower of London where England's kings and queens lived. Go to Buckingham Palace at 11:30 and (2) _____ the famous 'Changing of the Guard' ceremony. And don't miss London's art galleries and museums - (3) _____ are free to get into!

Shopping

There are over 40,000 shops in London. Oxford Street is Europe's (4) _____ high street with over 300 shops.

Eating

With over 270 nationalities in London, you can try food from just about (5) _____ country in the world. Make sure you try the UK's most famous dish - fish and chips!

Getting around

London has a quick underground train system (the 'tube' as the locals call it). (6) _____ are also the famous red 'double-decker' buses. The tube is quicker, but you will see more of London from a bus!

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| 1. a. sights | b. landscapes | c. landmarks | d. facts |
| 2. a. notice | b. see | c. realise | d. take |
| 3. a. lots | b. much | c. more | d. most |
| 4. a. busy | b. busier | c. busiest | d. the busiest |
| 5. a. every | b. all | c. one | d. many |
| 6. a. They | b. There | c. These | d. Those |

X. Read the passage carefully, then answer the questions.

Seoul is South Korea's capital. It is located in the northern part of South Korea. It has a population of nearly 10 million people. In this city you can find many tall buildings and skyscrapers. Seoul is known around the world as a technology capital. It has a large subway system. Incheon International Airport is a forty minute train ride from Seoul. Gangnam, Itaewon and Hongdae are popular neighbourhoods in Seoul. Here you can find bustling downtown districts, social life, shopping and great dining. The War Memorial of Korea and Namsan Seoul Tower are popular tourist destinations in Seoul.

1. Where is Seoul?

2. How many people live in Seoul?

3. Is Seoul a technology capital?

4. How long does it take to travel from Seoul to Incheon Airport by train?

5. Are Gangnam, Itaewon and Hongdae districts of Seoul?

6. What are popular tourist destinations in Seoul?

XI. Rearrange the words to make correct sentences.

1. wonderful/ in/ We/ time/ are/ Hanoi/ a/ having.

2. for/ two/ been/ We/ have/ here/ days.

3. Hanoi/ interesting/ and/ is/ a/ city/ it/ large/ is/ also.

4. are/ very/ The people/ sunny/ and/ the weather/ warm/ has/ and/ been/ friendly.

5. the/ Yesterday/ Temple of Literature/ visited/ we.

6. Vietnam/ of/ is/ one/ the/ It/ popular/ most/ tourist attractions/ in

7. Bat Trang Pottery Village/ going/ Today/ we/ are/ to.

8. will/ my family and friends/ buy/ I/ make/ some/ gift/ pottery/ a/ to/ for.

TEST YOURSELF 3

I. Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the rest.

1. a. city b. cycle c. symbol d. bicycle
2. a. weather b. earth c. marathon d. healthy
3. a. hear b. idea c. career d. beach