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I. Choose the word which has a different stress pattern from the others.

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| 1. A. office | B. fluency | C. accent | D. official |
| 2. A. language | B. translate | C. speaker | D. imitate |
| 3. A. variety | B. derivative | C. establish | D. dialect |
| 4. A. provide | B. bilingual | C. immersion | D. rusty |
| 5. A. simplicity | B. American | C. obedient | D. flexible |

II. Give the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- I could tell you what this means if I (know) _____ Greek.
- If everybody (give) _____ I pound we would have enough.
- He might get fat if he (stop) _____ smoking.
- If he knew that it was dangerous he (not come) _____.
- If you (see) _____ someone drowning, what would you do?

III. Read the text carefully, then decide whether the following statements are True or False

LEARNING ENGLISH

It is not easy for adult students of English to improve their accent. Unlike children, who are flexible, adults often find it hard to change the way they speak. This is why even the top, or smartest adult students have difficulty with pronunciation. There are several things that an international student can do to improve his or her pronunciation.

One method is to sign up for a pronunciation class. Studying pronunciation can help students to understand the rules of English, but in order to practice speaking, students often need to be exposed to English outside the classroom as well. This is why many students say that studying in an English-speaking country greatly affects their English. Living with native speakers can help students to learn new vocabulary as well as improve their accents. International students can also learn important cultural information. This can help to prevent misunderstandings that can occur when people from different cultures live together.

- Adult students of English cannot improve their accents because they are _____ slow to change.
- Most young students are able to change their pronunciation easily. _____
- Attending a pronunciation class can be very helpful to adult learners who _____ have problems with their pronunciation.
- All that they need to improve their pronunciation is to practice more outside _____ the classroom.
- To avoid misunderstandings about cultures, students should live with native _____ speakers.

IV. Choose the best answer A, B, C or D to complete the sentences.

- The language that you learn to speak from birth is _____ language
A. second B. foreign C. official D. first

2. If I _____ taller, I _____ better at basketball.
A. be – would be
B. were – might be
C. am – will be
D. were – would have been
3. Reading helps you learn vocabulary easily as you will _____ new words without even realizing it when you read.
A. face up
B. look up
C. pick up
D. give up
4. If you _____ in my position, what would you do?
A. were
B. would be
C. are
D. will be
5. If you want to improve your speaking skill, you should attend the courses that _____ are taught in a _____ way.
A. lexical
B. communicative
C. traditional
D. domestic
6. There was a storm _____ had never experienced before.
A. which
B. for which
C. such as
D. as which
7. It is not easy to _____ foreign language without communicating with the native speakers regularly.
A. master
B. challenge
C. translate
D. simplify
8. Children always want to know the reason _____ things are as they are.
A. which
B. who
C. why
D. whom
9. Is the first of March the day _____ the astronaut will come and give a speech at our school?
A. which
B. when
C. that
D. what
10. There are many _____ of English all over the world such as British English, American English and Indian English.
A. dialogues
B. varieties
C. speakers
D. terms

III. Give the correct form of the verbs.

1. The whole machine would fall to pieces if you (remove)_____ that screw.
2. I (keep)_____ a horse if I could afford it.
3. I'd go and see him more often if he (live)_____ on a bus route.
4. If they (ban)_____ the sale of alcohol at football matches, there might be less violence.
5. I (offer)_____ to help if I thought I'd be any use.