

Choose the word with the underlined part pronounced differently in each line.

1. A. snack B. taste C. save D. brave
2. A. access B. account C. accident D. success
3. A. departure B. suggestion C. question D. initiate

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

1. A. imagine B. confidence C. discussion D. pioneer
2. A. reflection B. division C. interview D. remember

II. Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to complete each sentence.

1. Remember not to park in front of a zebra _____.
A. crossing B. cross C. crossed D. across
2. _____ we lost the game, we were happy that we played well.
A. Although B. Because C. If D. Nevertheless
3. We _____ drink water from the tap without boiling it first.
A. never should B. should never C. should not to D. not should
4. Van Gogh was famous for his _____ of the countryside around Arles in the south of France.
A. portraits B. watercolours C. landscapes D. crayons
5. "Recycling" means creating new products from _____ materials.
A. use B. using C. used D. to use
6. While formerly a member of the sports club, Mr. Teeters _____ tennis there regularly.
A. is used to playing B. used to play C. was used to play D. used to playing
7. Drinking and driving is one of the most common _____ of traffic accidents.
A. reasons B. effects C. sources D. causes
8. Solar energy - one type of _____ sources – is being used more and more.
A. renewable B. non-renewable C. renewing D. renewed
9. - "Does that red motorbike belong to your mother?"
- "No, _____ is white."
A. she B. her C. hers D. mine
10. Overpopulation causes a lot of problems, _____?
A. isn't it B. doesn't it C. do they D. don't they

PART I: Complete the passage using the words given in the box. There are 2 extra words.

stewing snack popular stew served from serving

Among the many dishes in Ha Noi, *pho* is the most (1) _____. It is a special kind of Vietnamese soup. We can enjoy *pho* for all kind of meals during the day, (2) _____ breakfast to dinner, and even for a late night (3) _____. *Pho* has a very special taste. The rice noodles are made from the best variety of rice. The broth for *pho bo* (beef noodle soup) is made by (4) _____ the bones of cows for a long time in a large pot. The broth for another kind of *pho*, *pho ga* (chicken noodle soup) is made by stewing chicken bones. The chicken meat (5) _____ with *pho ga* is boneless and cut into thin slices. Before eating, don't forget to put some herbs, pepper, lemon juice and chili as well into *pho*... It's so delicious!

PART II: Read the passage and decide which statements are true or false.

Clarkson is a large town. It has more than fifty thousand people living there. It sits next to a large river, the Clark River. Every day, people take the ferry from North Clarkson to South Clarkson to go to work. Most people live in North Clarkson. There are many trees and the streets are very broad. When the sun shines and the children run and play in the safe streets, North Clarkson is a wonderful place to live. South Clarkson has a lot of shops and factories. People don't live there, but they come in the morning to work. There is also a big stadium where the Clarkson Tigers play. On Sundays, many people go to watch their favourite team. At the weekend, the people from Clarkson enjoy walking along the bank of the Clark River. They also sail small boats on the water and if there is a little wind, they fly kites in the large park. Every year, Clarkson grows in size because a lot of people come to live there. The government builds more houses and the streets get busier. Maybe in the future, if the town continues to grow, it will become a city!

	True	False
1. Nearly fifty thousand people live in Clarkson.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Most of the houses are in South Clarkson.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. The local sports team is the Clarkson Tigers.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. The sports team plays on Saturdays.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Many new people come to Clarkson to live.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

PART II: Write the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, begining with the words or phrases given.

1. Walking in the rain gives my sister pleasure.

My sister enjoys _____.

2. Nobody fed the chickens this morning.

The chickens _____.

3. His wife wrote that postcard in 15 minutes.

His wife spent _____.

4. Thomas would have gone to the meeting if he had not been so tired.

Thomas was _____.

5. Despite having all the necessary qualifications, they didn't offer me the job.

Although I _____.