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2. The huge elephant _____ about slowly on the grassland.
(1) prowled (2) trotted
(3) ambled (4) scampered

4. Although Peter looks very fierce, he is actually as _____ as a lamb.
(1) warm (2) meek
(3) weak (4) kind

5. The farmers have given up hopes of planting crops on that _____ land.
(1) inferior (2) infertile
(3) improper (4) impassable

6. I do not think that this hat goes well with your outfit.
(1) fits (2) accommodates
(3) resembles (4) matches

9. The security guard caught the shoplifter while he was performing the act.
(1) high-handed (2) right-handed
(3) red-handed (4) off-handed

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1. This room is so small that we are always _____ into one another accidentally.
(1) bump (2) bumps
(3) bumped (4) bumping

2. Gloria feels indebted _____ her parents who struggled to pay for her education.
(1) of (2) to
(3) at (4) on

3. Every model on the fashion runway yesterday _____ over 1.7 metres tall.
(1) is (2) are
(3) was (4) were

4. The children _____ have ice cream later if they behave themselves.
(1) will (2) would
(3) shall (4) should

5. The lady whom Jeannette spoke to a while ago _____ to help out at the exhibition.
(1) offer (2) offers
(3) offered (4) offering

6. There's _____ in the office. Soft footsteps can be heard.
(1) someone (2) anyone
(3) no one (4) everyone

7. The audience _____ whenever the acrobat did a somersault.
(1) applaud (2) applauds
(3) applauded (4) had applauded

8. Today _____ the happiest day of my life!
(1) were (2) was
(3) are (4) is

9. Please go _____ the concepts again as some of us are still unsure.
(1) over (2) through
(3) off (4) by

10. She gave _____ away by speaking without thinking.
(1) her (2) herself
(3) hers (4) she

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1. The tired travellers were _____ after a good rest.
(1) rejected (2) refreshed
(3) renewed (4) remonstrated

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2. Having suffered from a stroke, his speech is _____.
(1) expressive (2) fluent
(3) inaudible (4) slurred

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3. The worker was promoted because he was as _____ as a beaver.
(1) industrious (2) entertaining
(3) furry (4) busy

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5. Mrs Kong gave birth to _____ twins yesterday afternoon.
(1) similar (2) comparable
(3) identical (4) assorted

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10. Tracy was restored to consciousness when the doctor injected her with glucose.
(1) recalled (2) retrieved
(3) redeemed (4) revived

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2. _____ of the fans were disappointed when 'Westlife' cancelled their concert.
(1) More (2) Many
(3) Few (4) Several

4. Do you know that _____ of the twins has just won a lucky draw?
(1) both (2) all
(3) one (4) none

8. _____ outbreak of malaria swept through the towns of the third world country.
(1) Some (2) A
(3) An (4) Several

10. _____ racquet is that on the floor?
(1) Who's (2) Who
(3) Whom (4) Who

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1. "Hinder" has the same meaning as _____.
(1) protect (2) deter
(3) support (4) encourage

2. Much to my _____, she burst out laughing when I told her my problems.
(1) dislike (2) annoyance
(3) disturbance (4) amusement

3. The authorities imposed water rationing during the period of _____.
(1) drought (2) famine
(3) flood (4) epidemic

4. Since she knows the owner of this shop, she is given a special _____.
(1) sale (2) bill
(3) discount (4) receipt

5. The _____ assistant is in charge of the costumes needed for the play.
(1) stage (2) props
(3) lighting (4) wardrobe

6. His laziness will jeopardise his chances of getting a bursary for his studies.
(1) boost (2) endanger
(3) delay (4) protect

7. Mr See asked me to convey the good news to you.
(1) distort (2) conceal
(3) screen (4) communicate

8. This colossal entertainment complex has the best facilities in the industry.
(1) endless (2) huge
(3) grand (4) insignificant

9. Mr Lee is a steady worker. I have certainty that he will succeed in this project.
(1) confidence (2) insurance
(3) security (4) reservations

10. This piece of fact that you just told us regarding his background is indeed an eye-opener.
(1) a release (2) a revelation
(3) a relegation (4) a relation