UNIT 8 TRAFFIC

A. PHONETICS

I. Put the words into the correct column depending on how the ending –ed is pronounced.

Pulled, opened, closed, featured, decided, showed, danced, saved, suggested, walked, enjoyed, needed, watched, attended, waited, finished, hated, painted, stopped, ended, engaged, laughed, performed, wanted, looked, cried, directed, relaxed, described, increased, brushed, touched

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II. Choose the word that has the ending pronounced differently.

1. a. escaped	b. liked	c. decided	d. washed.
2. a. moved	b. gripped	c. remembered	d. encouraged
3. a. matched	b. dressed	c. started	d. decreased
4. a. excited	b. annoyed	c. bored	d. terrified
5. a. borrowed	b. explained	c. tried	d. succeeded

B. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

VI. Complete the sentences with the correct adjective form of the words in brackets.

1. I find horror films really _____ and not at all fun to watch. (frighten)
2. Sometimes I get really _____ when I can't express myself will in English. (frustrate)
3. The film was so _____! There was no happy ending for any of the characters. (depress)
4. If I feel _____, I find watching a romance comedy is often _____. (stress – relax)
5. The news was so _____ that she burst into tear.

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6. Kathy was so _____ when she saw the dinosaur bones at the museum (amaze)

7. The teacher was really _____ so the lesson passed quickly (amuse)

8. Whoever Adrian gets _____, he goes fishing (bore)

9. We all were _____ with the results if the test. (disappoint)

10. Of course, action movies are _____. That's why I like them (excite)

VII. Underline the correct form

Alice: That was a very (1*) excited/ exciting* movie. What did you think?

Jake: To be honest, I found It kind of (*2) bored/ boring*. I'm not (*3) interested/ interesting* in science fiction

Alice: Really? I find it (*4) fascinated/ fascinating*. What kind of movies do you enjoy?

Jake: Mostly comedies. Have you seen Home Again?

Alice: Yes, but I wasn't (5) amused/ amusing at all. In fact, I thought it was *horrified/ horrifying*. The story line was (7)*confused/ confusing*, and I couldn't find any humor in the character's problem. When I left the theatre, I feel rather (8) *depressed/ depressing.*

Jake: I'm (9) amazed/ amazing that you felt that way! I thought it was very (*10) amused/ amusing.*

Alice: Well, I guess it's a matter of taste**.**

VIII. Choose the correct answer

1. I got really _____ when I saw the main character being killed.

a. confused b. frightened c. bored d. amused

2. The film was so _____ that the two girls next to me couldn't stop crying.

a. Moving b. thrilling c. exciting d. fascinating

3. Critics were _____ at John Travolta in Pup Fiction. He was unexpectedly good.

a. Worried b. interested c. disappointed d. surprised

4. It is a _____ tale of a haunted house and the ghosts therein.

a. Amusing b. shocking c. thrilling d. pleasing

5. We were _____ that we couldn't get tickets to see the film.

a. Terrified b. satisfied c. relaxed d. disappointed

6. The ending of "American Psycho" was so _____. It left viewers with questions.

a. Confusing b. exhausting c. horrifying d. moving

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7. My brother was so _____ he couldn't watch the film.

a. Overwhelmedb. scared c. annoyed d. excited

8. The Adventures of Macro Polo (1938) was highly _____, but lacked historical accuracy.

a. disgusting b. encouraging c. entertaining d. exhausting

9. James finds sci-fi movies really _____. He enjoys watching then

a. terrifying b. embarrassing c. concerning d. fascinating

10. Whenever I feel _____, I watch a comedy that makes me laugh and feel better.

a. depressed b. amused c. exhausted d. thrilled

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