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MINI TEST 07

Question 1. I thought the general **instinct** for all creatures was to protect their own.

A. lack **B.** aptitude **C.** inability **D.** incapacity

Question 2. Excitement **mounted** as the racers neared the finish.

A. increased **B.** decreased **C.** transformed **D.** diversified

Question 3. And those who do usually do sensibly and manage their money well, **touch wood**.

A. hit on wood **B.** knock on wood **C.** beat on wood **D.** strike on wood

Question 4. We've seen our house **diminish** substantially in value over the last six months.

A. reduce **B.** increase **C.** escalate **D.** boost

Question 5. They need to raise thousands of pounds for this project, so our 20-pound donation is just **a drop in the ocean.**

A. a large amount **B.** a small amount

C. a huge amount **D.** a giant amount

Question 6. When we know how much is profit, then we can **apportion** the money between us.

A. divide **B.** multiply **C.** add **D.** withdraw

Question 7. He was **on a high** after receiving the promotion.

A. depressed **B.** excited **C.** disgusted **D.** negative

Question 8. **A fat lot of use** that did me, spending all that time carefully wrapping the ceramic mugs only to drop the box on the floor and break them all.

A. No help **B.** No chance **C.** No money **D.** No time

Question 9. The pilots were thoroughly **debriefed** after every mission.

A. ignored **B.** neglected **C.** questioned **D.** clarified

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Prepare to be different