

TA9. U9. World Englishes – Vocabulary 4

Exercise 1: Choose the best answer.

1. A person who speaks two languages fluently is considered to be _____.
A) monolingual
B) bilingual
C) immigrant
D) foreign
2. A word that is borrowed from another language is called a _____.
A) borrowed word
B) vocabulary
C) dictionary
D) translation
3. The _____ is the group of countries where English is the native language.
A) Expanding Circle
B) Inner Circle
C) Outer Circle
D) Second Circle
4. The term used to describe the exchange of students between schools in different countries is _____.
A) study further
B) exchange student
C) foreign language
D) entrance exam
5. In order to have a _____ understanding of a language, one needs to be able to communicate easily without hesitation.
A) fluent
B) challenging
C) vocabulary
D) fixed
6. If you want to improve your language skills, you should _____ the words you don't know in the dictionary.
A) mean
B) translate
C) look up
D) pick up
7. The _____ of English refers to the different forms of English spoken in various parts of the world.
A) standard
B) variety
C) official language
D) second language
8. An immigrant usually needs to learn the _____ of the country they move to.
A) first language
B) second language
C) foreign language
D) official language
9. The _____ Circle refers to countries where English is widely used, but not as a first language.
A) Inner Circle
B) Outer Circle
C) Expanding Circle
D) Second Circle
10. A person who has come to live in a foreign country is called an _____.
A) immigrant
B) tourist
C) student
D) foreigner

11. In some countries, English is considered an _____ language, used for official purposes.
 - A) immigrant
 - B) second
 - C) official
 - D) foreign
12. When you try to learn a language naturally, by interacting with others, it is often called _____.
 - A) picking up
 - B) translating
 - C) going over
 - D) borrowing words
13. _____ is the process of converting text or speech from one language to another.
 - A) Transferring
 - B) Translating
 - C) Borrowing
 - D) Exchanging
14. The group of people who use a language as a primary means of communication is known as the _____.
 - A) first language speakers
 - B) second language speakers
 - C) bilinguals
 - D) inner circle speakers
15. A global language that is spoken and understood worldwide is a _____.
 - A) first language
 - B) second language
 - C) common language
 - D) model language

Exercise 2: Fill in the blanks.

1. People who are _____ are able to speak two languages with ease.
2. When learning a new language, it's important to _____ new words in a dictionary.
3. _____ is the language spoken by the majority of the population in a country.
4. The _____ Circle includes countries where English is used as a second language.
5. Many students attend universities as _____ students, learning abroad for a period of time.
6. English is often used as a _____ language in many international organizations.
7. A(n) _____ person is someone who has left their home country to live in another country.
8. A language _____ is a word taken from another language and adopted into English.
9. _____ means to speak a language easily and without effort.
10. Some countries have an _____ language that is used for government and education purposes.
11. Many countries have adopted English as a _____ language to communicate globally.
12. The term _____ refers to the variety of English spoken in different parts of the world.
13. It's important to _____ new ideas to help improve our education system.
14. If you want to become fluent in English, you need to _____ it regularly.
15. An _____ language is a language that a person learns in addition to their native language.