NAME:……..…… G9-U2-TEST 1.43-MARKS:……

I. Circle the world having the underlined part pronounced differently in each line.

1. A. spouse	B. mouse	C. house	D. tour
2. A. hare	B. space	C. declare	D. spare
3. A. local	B. whole	C. clock	D. cold
4. A. abroad	B. loan	C. float	D. coat
5. A. earn	B. earth	C. pear	D. early
6. A. childhood	B. chaos	C. chapter	D. charity
7. A. culture	B. popular	C. regular	D. fabulous
8. A. conflict	B. forbidden	C. reliable	D. determine
9. A. lighthouse	B. heritage	C. hotel	D. hour
10. A. conducts	B. returns	C. wanders	D. wonders

II. Completes the sentences with words from the box.

metro	**concrete jungle**	**construction site**	**sky train**
itchy eyes	**congested road**	**entertainment centre**	**dusty**

1. His apartment window was always covered in a layer of _____ grime from the busy streets below.

2. She avoided wearing contact lenses in the city because the dry air always gave her _____.

3. The _____ system in Paris is one of the oldest and most efficient in the world.

4. She dreamed of escaping the _____ to live in the countryside.

5. They put up signs around the _____ to ensure safety for pedestrians.

6. The _____ in the city has everything from a movie theater to an indoor amusement park.

7. The design of _____ allows it to travel above the city, providing passengers with a unique perspective of the urban landscape.

8. After the accident, the already _____ became even more chaotic, with cars trying to squeeze through narrow gaps.

III. Complete the sentences with the phrasal verbs in the box. Each phrasal verb can be used twice. You can change the form of the verbs when necessary.

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get around **hang out with** **cut down on** **carry out** **come down with**

1. Despite the traffic, it's easy to _____ New York City thanks to its efficient subway system.

2. We need to _____ our spending if we want to save more money.

3. The scientists are _____ experiments to test the new drug's effectiveness.

4. Yesterday, I _____ food poisoning after eating at the new restaurant.

5. Last month, she _____ a brilliant marketing campaign, based on the fact that 90% of information transmitted to the brain is visual.

6. We spent the afternoon _____ family, sharing stories and enjoying each other's company.

7. She _____ a cold last week and had to stay home from work.

8. We should _____ our plastic use to help protect the environment.

9. I can't _____ my friends because I have to do my homework.

10. In small towns, people often _____ on foot or by bicycle, as the distances between places are much shorter than in big cities.

IV. Choose the best answer A, B, C, or D to complete the sentence.

1. French bakers are fighting for the traditional baguette to be given UNESCO World Heritage _____.

A. site B. statues C. admission D. recognition

2. They see the outdoors as a _____ activity, not just a job opportunity.

A. exhausted B. international C. recreational D. volunteering

3. Savannah is one of the best _____ cities for job growth.

A. part B. whole C. full D. medium-sized

4. The railway station was criticized for its lack of disabled _____.

A. facilities B. system C. schedule D. preparation

5. About 85 percent of city _____ breathe heavily polluted air.

A. villagers B. livers C. dwellers D. members

6. Dublin was a very different place in those days, like a village, not the wonderful _____ city it is now.

A. rural B. cosmopolitan C. reliable D. pleasant

7. We are _____ a survey to find out what our customers think of their local bus service.

A. affording B. indicating C. considering D. conducting

8. We are looking for someone who is _____ and hard-working.

A. hopeful B. lacked C. reliable D. smooth

9. It is difficult to _____ the exact cause of the illness.

A. attract B. forbid C. take D. determine

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10. Sacramento's central location and low cost of living make this place a _____ city.

A. fabulous B. forbidden C. poor D. determining

11. How can we encourage people to get along with each other in this _____ society?

A. considerable B. multicultural C. rural D. crashing

12. Some workers can only afford homes outside _____ areas.

A. outskirts B. rural C. growing D. metropolitan

V. Complete the sentences with the suitable form of the adjectives or adverbs in brackets.

1. Tokyo is one of _____ cities in the world. **(liveable)**

2. You should go by train, it would be much _____. **(cheap)**

3. Universal Studios is by far _____ place to visit in Singapore. **(good)**

4. The price of electronic devices in Vietnam is not _____ that in Japan. **(reasonable)**

5. Today is _____ day I've had in a long time. **(bad)**

6. Your team is much _____ today than last week. **(lucky)**

7. Of the four participants, Bill is _____ experienced. **(little)**

8. I didn't want to wake anybody up, so I came in _____ I could. **(quietly)**

9. I ran pretty far yesterday, but I ran even a lot _____ today. **(far)**

10. Singapore is the second _____ destination in Asia. **(popular)**

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