CAU GIAY SECONDARY SCHOOL

Unit 2. CITY LIFE

Worksheet 1: Vocabulary

I. Circle the word which has the underlined part pronounced differently from that of the others.

1.	A. b<u>ea</u>r	B. n<u>ea</u>r	C. w<u>ea</u>r	D. p<u>ea</u>r
2.	A. sl<u>ow</u>ly	B. d<u>ow</u>ntown	C. p<u>ow</u>er	D. cr<u>ow</u>ded
3.	A. c<u>oa</u>st	B. upl<u>oa</u>d	C. abr<u>oa</u>d	D. r<u>oa</u>dside
4.	A. h<u>o</u>me	B. sh<u>o</u>pping	C. c<u>o</u>mb	D. l<u>o</u>cate
5.	A. d<u>ou</u>ble	B. c<u>ou</u>ncil	C. s<u>ou</u>theast	D. th<u>ou</u>sand

II. Circle the word which has a different stress pattern from the others.

1.	A. downtown	B. private	C. occur	D. polite
2.	A. concrete	B. include	C. pavement	D. process
3.	A. gallery	B. overseas	C. vehicle	D. motorbike
4.	A. reliable	B. entertainment	C. amenity	D. particular
5.	A. congestion	B. construction	C. attractive	D. underground

III. Choose a suitable word/phrase to fill in each gap to complete the sentences.

hygiene / rush hour / processed / pricey / leftovers / amenities / bustling / congested

1. With town centres increasingly _____ and car-ownership rising fast, people were keen to shop outside town.
2. It was a second later when I fully _____what he had said.
3. Many skin diseases can be prevented by good personal _____.
4. The council has some spare cash, which it proposes to spend on public _____.
5. The menu may seem _____, but it's actually good value for money.
6. Take alternate routes during the morning _____.
7. She cooks all her meals for the week on Sundays and has the _____for lunch.
8. The once _____riverside is now a quiet street, with many of the old buildings well preserved.

IV. Write the correct form of the words given in the brackets.

1. Hoi An is known as the centre for very _____ custom-made clothing. (AFFORD)
2. Toronto is officially named the most _____ city in Canada. (CULTURE)
3. The town's most popular _____ is the Marine Science Museum. (ATTRACT)
4. The Province of Luxemburg is the largest and least _____ of the nine provinces of Belgium. (POPULATE)
5. I got stuck in the traffic due to a _____road, causing delays in reaching my destination. (CONGEST)
6. The _____ site near my house is active now, with the constant noise of machinery and workers. (CONSTRUCT)
7. The city's clean environment and excellent infrastructure make it a highly _____ place for residents and visitors alike. (LIVE)

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8. We decided to spend the evening at the new _____center, enjoying games, movies, and live performances. (ENTERTAIN)

V. Complete the text with the words and phrases from the box.

construction sites / concrete jungle / liveable / public amenities / polluted / security

I live in a coastal town. It used to be a beautiful and (**1**) _____ place. Now, it's a (**2**) _____. All we have are big and ugly buildings. There will be even more buildings because (**3**) _____ are everywhere. The beaches are (**4**) _____. Pickpockets happen frequently. I think the local government should invest in better (**5**) _____ such as parks and sports facilities. They should also clean up the beach and increase the (**6**) _____ in the town.

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