

### PHONETICS

**Exercise 1: Choose the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

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|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. A. <u>f</u> ather     | B. <u>g</u> ather  | C. <u>b</u> athe        | D. <u>b</u> irthday |
| 2. A. <u>th</u> ank      | B. <u>th</u> ink   | C. <u>this</u>          | D. <u>th</u> ere    |
| 3. A. <u>a</u> ctive     | B. <u>m</u> any    | C. <u>r</u> acket       | D. <u>m</u> atch    |
| 4. A. <u>n</u> arrow     | B. <u>b</u> egan   | C. <u>g</u> randpa      | D. <u>p</u> alace   |
| 5. A. <u>m</u> arathon   | B. <u>b</u> edroom | C. <u>c</u> ongratulate | D. <u>S</u> aturday |
| 6. A. <u>p</u> ostcard   | B. <u>c</u> rowded | C. <u>b</u> oating      | D. <u>p</u> agoda   |
| 7. A. <u>s</u> pare      | B. <u>ch</u> air   | C. <u>m</u> atch        | D. <u>h</u> ead     |
| 8. A. <u>sh</u> oulder   | B. <u>a</u> round  | C. <u>o</u> urselves    | D. <u>m</u> ountain |
| 9. A. <u>t</u> omorrow   | B. <u>e</u> yebrow | C. <u>g</u> ameshow     | D. <u>f</u> ollow   |
| 10. A. <u>p</u> rogramme | B. <u>p</u> otato  | C. <u>s</u> porty       | D. <u>w</u> indow   |

### VOCABULARY & GRAMMAR

**Exercise 2: Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Do you watch Disney, the popular \_\_\_\_\_ for children?  
A. show                      B. channel                      C. television                      D. comedy
- \_\_\_\_\_ music at night! It's too noisy.  
A. Stop playing                      B. Don't stop playing                      C. Should stop                      D. Stops playing
- There \_\_\_\_\_ many sports activities for school children last Sunday.  
A. were                      B. was                      C. are                      D. is
- Which \_\_\_\_\_ do you prefer: Jerry the mouse or Tom the cat?  
A. film                      B. sport                      C. character                      D. game
- Music channel attracts millions of \_\_\_\_\_ throughout the country.  
A. watchers                      B. writers                      C. viewers                      D. lookers
- These are my goggles. \_\_\_\_\_ are over there.  
A. Your                      B. Yours                      C. Them                      D. Their
- Serna Williams was an international \_\_\_\_\_ in tennis. She won 23 times.  
A. players                      B. marathon                      C. congrats                      D. champion
- She forgets to bring her \_\_\_\_\_, so she can't swim. Her eyes hurt.  
A. sport shoes                      B. goggles                      C. racket                      D. boat
- \_\_\_\_\_ is she crying now? - Because she can't watch her favourite movie?  
A. Why                      B. How                      C. When                      D. Who
- The football match is on at 2 am \_\_\_\_\_. I can't watch it. I need to sleep.  
A. so                      B. but                      C. or                      D. and
- \_\_\_\_\_ dances the best in your family? - My sister.  
A. What                      B. How                      C. Where                      D. Who
- We're looking for Mr and Mrs. Roberto's house. Is that \_\_\_\_\_?  
A. their                      B. them                      C. they                      D. theirs
- \_\_\_\_\_ dog's name is Zenda. What about \_\_\_\_\_?  
A. His/she                      B. He/she                      C. His/hers                      D. His/her
- English in a Minute is a/an \_\_\_\_\_ programme. It teaches us a lot of new things.  
A. education                      B. educational                      C. educated                      D. educationally
- \_\_\_\_\_ child wants to become a weather forecaster, but \_\_\_\_\_ wants to be an engineer.  
A. His/my                      B. He/mine                      C. His/mine                      D. He/my
- The food in Bangkok is really \_\_\_\_\_. My family loves it so much.  
A. boring                      B. tasty                      C. exciting                      D. helpful
- \_\_\_\_\_ make people laugh because they are funny.  
A. Sports                      B. Comedy                      C. Sport                      D. Comedies

18. Burj Khalifa is the highest building in the world. \_\_\_\_\_  
 A. What a high building! B. What a high building is!  
 C. How high is the building? D. What high building!
19. I love the \_\_\_\_\_ in Can Tho Province. They sell things on a boat.  
 A. food stalls B. floating market C. palace D. old buildings
20. An: "\_\_\_\_\_ do you like watching TV?" – Minh: "I like it a lot".  
 A. How much B. How C. Why D. How often
21. \_\_\_\_\_ drive too fast! It's dangerous.  
 A. Don't B. Do C. Doesn't D. Didn't
22. Nam does karate and goes cycling every week, so he is very \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. hard-working B. fit C. sport D. tired
23. Did you visit Big Ben last summer? It's the most popular \_\_\_\_\_ in England.  
 A. city B. landmark C. country D. stall
24. \_\_\_\_\_ draw on the table, please.  
 A. Do B. Should C. Don't D. Shouldn't

**Exercise 3: Give the correct form of the word given to complete the sentences.**

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ my homework last night because I \_\_\_\_\_ asleep. (NOT FINISH, FALL)  
 2. John, you're late! The lesson \_\_\_\_\_ 10 minutes ago. (START)  
 3. What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ last Sunday? (DO)  
 4. I got mark 10 in Maths, so my mother \_\_\_\_\_ very happy. (BE)  
 5. I \_\_\_\_\_ an interesting book last week. (READ)  
 6. My father \_\_\_\_\_ a white boat when he was at the age of 30. (BUY)  
 7. Linda \_\_\_\_\_ some curry during her last visit to Thailand. (EAT)  
 8. They often \_\_\_\_\_ swimming when they were 8 years old. (GO)  
 9. Mom \_\_\_\_\_ me to put the garbage into the bin last night, but I \_\_\_\_\_. (TELL, FORGET)  
 10. Where \_\_\_\_\_ you yesterday when the class \_\_\_\_\_? (BE, BEGIN)

**Exercise 4: Give the correct form of the word given to complete the sentences.**

1. Do you like watching Maths \_\_\_\_\_ for children on HTVC channel? (COMPETE)  
 2. How many \_\_\_\_\_ are there in a baseball match? (PLAY)  
 3. Sportmen might need a lot of \_\_\_\_\_ like goggles, racket, and sport shoes. (EQUIP)  
 4. She does \_\_\_\_\_ everyday because it's good for her health. (CYCLE)  
 5. Can you send my \_\_\_\_\_ to your brother? He finally won the game. (CONGRAT)  
 6. Watching television can be very \_\_\_\_\_. (EDUCATE)

**Exercise 5: Read the passage and decide whether the sentences are True (T) or False (F).**

Television is an important invention of the 20<sup>th</sup> century. It is so popular that we can't imagine what life would be like without television. Television is a main means of communication and entertainment. It brings pictures and sound from around the world into millions of homes. Through television, viewers can see and learn about people, places and things in distant lands. Television gives us knowledge by introducing new ideas. Beside from news, television gives us a lot of interesting programs. Most people now like spending their evenings watching television than going out with friends.

1. Television is the main means of communication.  
 2. There are only several programmes on TV.  
 3. Most people don't like watching TV in the evening.  
 4. Television doesn't give us interesting programs.  
 5. People can learn many things through TV.

**Exercise 6: Read the passage and choose the best answers to the questions.**

**Diego Maradona: A Football Legend**

Diego Maradona was a famous football player from Argentina. He was born in 1960 and started playing football when he was a child. When he was 16 years old, he played his first match for Argentina's national



team. In 1986, Maradona became a world champion. He helped Argentina win the FIFA World Cup in Mexico. He scored two famous goals against England. One of them was called the "Hand of God" goal. The other goal was "The Goal of the Century" because he ran past five players before scoring. After the World Cup, Maradona played for different football clubs in Europe. He played for Barcelona in Spain and Napoli in Italy. In Napoli, he won many trophies and became a hero in the city. Maradona stopped playing football in 1997. After that, he worked as a coach for different teams. He passed away in 2020, but football fans still remember him as one of the greatest players in history.

1. What is the main idea of the text?

- A. The history of football in Argentina.
- C. The rules of the FIFA World Cup.

- B. Diego Maradona's life and football career.
- D. Famous football clubs in Europe.

2. According to the text, when did Maradona play his first match for Argentina's national team?

- A. In 1960
- C. In 1986

- B. In 1976
- D. In 1997

3. As mentioned in the text, why was one of Maradona's goals called the "Hand of God" goal?

- A. Because he used his hand to score.
- B. Because he ran past five players before scoring.
- C. Because it was the final goal in the World Cup.
- D. Because the referee helped him score.

4. Which statement is TRUE according to the text?

- A. Maradona won the FIFA World Cup in 1997.
- B. Maradona played for Barcelona and AC Milan.
- C. Maradona became a world champion in 1986.
- D. Maradona was born in Mexico.

5. Which word is closest in meaning to "match" in the text?

- A. Play
- C. Game

- B. Competition
- D. Team

## WRITING

**Exercise 7: Write the second sentence using the given word so that it means the same as the first one.**

1. How many times do you watch TV a week? (OFTEN)

=> \_\_\_\_\_

2. I forgot my racket. I could not play badminton this morning. (SO)

=> \_\_\_\_\_

3. This is not my hat, it's Anna's hat. (MINE)

=> \_\_\_\_\_

4. He stayed up late to watch a game show. It started at 11PM. (BUT)

=> \_\_\_\_\_

5. My sister lives in Ho Chi Minh City. His sister lives in Ho Chi Minh City, too. (AND)

=> \_\_\_\_\_

**Exercise 8: Make questions for the underlined part in each sentence.**

6. That news reader usually goes to work by car.

=> \_\_\_\_\_

7. They don't watch animated films because they are too boring.

=> \_\_\_\_\_

8. My family usually has breakfast at 7:00AM in the morning.

=> \_\_\_\_\_

9. Our class goes to school five days a week.

=> \_\_\_\_\_

10. I went to Nha Trang last summer vacation.

=> \_\_\_\_\_

