Vocabulary Quiz

1. Which meaning best fits the word "recommend" in this sentence: "I recommend visiting the gallery before noon to avoid the crowds"?
   A. to refuse politely
   B. to suggest as suitable or beneficial
   C. to evaluate formally
   D. to record in writing

2. The word "provisions" most nearly means:
   A. short messages
   B. temporary shelters
   C. supplies or necessary items
   D. sudden decisions

3. In the context of office supplies, the correct spelling is:
   A. stationert
   B. stationery
   C. stationairy
   D. stationerly

4. If someone "insists" on paying for dinner, they:
   A. refuses to pay under any circumstance
   B. strongly demands or persists in doing something
   C. pays without saying anything
   D. suggests others pay instead

5. Choose the best definition of "persist":
   A. to stop doing something suddenly
   B. to continue firmly or obstinately in an action despite difficulty
   C. to forget repeatedly
   D. to change one's mind often

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6. Which sentence uses the word "fortune" correctly?
   A. After the fall, she suffered a minor fortune.
   B. They considered it a fortune to find cheap tickets.
   C. The fortune of the building painted the walls.
   D. He fortuneed the documents carefully.
7. The word "rate" when used as a noun most commonly refers to:
   A. a measurement of speed or amount per unit
   B. to speak softly
   C. an act of painting
   D. a type of celebration
8. "Recently" best completes which sentence?
   A. She recently moved to the city last year.
   B. He recently always arrives late.
   C. Recentlyly, they traveled for months.
   D. The book was published recently.
9. The verb "retrench" is closest in meaning to:
   A. to expand operations quickly
   B. to reduce costs or scale back expenditures
   C. to decorate lavishly
   D. to express approval publicly
10. To "recount" an event is to:
    A. count money again only
    B. tell someone about it in detail
    C. refuse to acknowledge it
    D. erase all records of it
11. If someone acts "habitually," they act:
    A. in a way that is occasional and rare
    B. according to a legal requirement only
    C. repeatedly as a habit or routine
    D. reluctantly and with hesitation

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12. Which sentence correctly uses "regularly"?

    A. She regularly visits the dentist every six months.

    B. He regularly once in a while reads the news.

    C. Regularlyly attending the class, she missed many sessions.

    D. The course was regularly canceled randomly.

13. An "inquiry" is:

    A. a type of musical instrument

    B. an official investigation or question seeking information

    C. a fabric used for clothing

    D. a mathematical operation

14. The noun "collapse" most nearly means:

    A. a gradual improvement

    B. a sudden failure or falling down

    C. a planned celebration

    D. a written argument

15. As a noun, a "wound" refers to:

    A. a kind of pastry

    B. an injury to the body, often involving a cut or break

    C. a musical performance

    D. a legal contract

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