

PRACTICE PHONETICS

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

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| 1. A. Electric <u>ity</u> | B. <u>cr</u> ative | C. <u>com</u> pass | D. helic <u>op</u> ter |
| 2. A. <u>th</u> erefore | B. mara <u>th</u> on | C. wea <u>th</u> erman | D. toget <u>h</u> er |
| 3. A. build <u>ing</u> s | B. shopping ba <u>g</u> s | C. studen <u>t</u> s | D. bottl <u>e</u> s |
| 4. A. <u>an</u> ything | B. landma <u>r</u> k | C. superma <u>r</u> ket | D. postca <u>r</u> d |
| 5. A. <u>g</u> oggles | B. <u>g</u> ymnastic | C. TV <u>g</u> uide | D. programme |
| 6. A. <u>ch</u> annel | B. <u>ch</u> arity | C. <u>ch</u> oice | D. <u>ch</u> aracter |
| 7. A. <u>mi</u> nd | B. <u>cl</u> imb | C. exc <u>i</u> ting | D. dest <u>i</u> nation |
| 8. A. <u>h</u> ear | B. <u>cl</u> ear | C. sw <u>ea</u> r | D. <u>ea</u> r |

II. Choose the word which has a different stress pattern from the other three in each question.

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| 1. A. reply | B. appeal | C. offer | D. support |
| 2. A. profit | B. comfort | C. apply | D. suggest |
| 3. A. direct | B. idea | C. suppose | D. figure |
| 4. A. modern | B. tennis | C. exhaust | D. useful |
| 5. A. equipment | B. exercise | C. volleyball | D. usually |
| 6. A. houseboat | B. motorhome | C. apartment | D. cottage |
| 7. A. special | B. modern | C. wireless | D. machine |
| 8. A. rubbish | B. angry | C. canal | D. nature |

B - GRAMMAR

I. Put the verb in brackets into the correct tense.

- You should _____ (do) your homework before dinner.
- She turned on the radio because she wanted _____ (listen) to some music.
- _____ (you/ watch) the news on TV last night?
- She always (borrow) _____ my bike.
- Look! Somebody (climb) _____ up the tree.
- It (be) _____ a great film in 2001.
- Our teacher (tell) _____ us to be quiet yesterday.
- I went to the shop but I (not have) _____ any money.

II. Complete the sentences. Use the correct possessive adjective or possessive pronoun

- They don't like fish. _____ favourite food is steak.
- Susan has got a new car. _____ car is very nice.
- I forgot bring my pencil. Can I use _____?
- John made his bed but his sister hasn't made _____.
- It's _____ birthday today. I'm 12 years old.
- This ball belong to me and my brother. This ball is _____.

III. Conditional sentence type I

Put the verb in brackets into the correct tense.

- We _____ (stay) at home if it rains.
- She will call you if she _____ (have) time.
- If it _____ (not rain) tomorrow, we will go for a picnic.
- If everyone _____ (recycle) paper, metal and glass, we _____ (not produce) so much rubbish.

5. If you _____ (not water) plants, they _____ (die).
 6. If the weather _____ (be) bad, we _____ (not go) to the park.

IV. Articles

Complete the sentences with *a, an, the*.

1. That house on _____ corner has beautiful flowers.
 2. Tuesday is always _____ hard day.
 3. Is there _____ young boy in your family?
 4. Shall we meet at _____ same place tomorrow
 5. This is _____ only car I could buy.
 6. I live in _____ peaceful town.
 7. My children ate _____ apple and two pears.
 8. I'll be there in about _____ hour.

V. Choose A, B, C, or D for each gap in the following sentences.

1. VTV2 and VTV3 are well-known _____ channels in Viet Nam.
 A. foreign B. national C. local D. international
2. He is one of the most famous _____ in Viet Nam. You can see him appear on weather forecast every day.
 A. MCs B. comedians C. newsreaders D. weathermen
3. He likes watching animals programmes, _____ he also likes watching comedy shows.
 A. and B. so C. but D. or
4. The TV schedule today is so boring, _____ I decide to go out with my friends.
 A. although B. so C. because D. but
5. _____ is dancing in your room? - It's my sister.
 A. Why B. How C. What D. Who
6. _____ is this documentary on? - About half an hour.
 A. How far B. How much C. How long D. How often
7. We were very upset when our favourite team didn't _____ even one goal.
 A. play B. kick C. point D. score
8. Badminton requires only a net, a racket, and a birdie or _____.
 A. ball B. ski C. shuttlecock D. goggles
9. Sydney Opera House is an outstanding _____ attracting visitors annually.
 A. tower B. landmark C. palace D. university
10. This isn't her skirt. _____ is blue.
 A. Hers B. Her C. She D. He
11. _____ earth moves around _____ sun every 365 days.
 A. the/ the B. the/ a C. a/ the D. a/a
12. They hope they will equip their room with a lot of modern and convenient _____ in the near future.
 A. appliance B. appliances C. applying D. apply
13. We should find creative ways to reuse old items before _____ them away.
 A. throwing B. washing C. decorating D. hearing
14. If the weather _____ good, Linh _____ with us.
 A. is - goes out B. was - will go out C. will be - goes out D. is - will go out
15. _____ is your favourite program?
 A. Where B. Which C. What D. Who