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# EXERCISE 1 – UNIT 3

## - ENGLISH 8 -



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## A. PHONETICS

**I. Choose the word whose main stress is placed differently from the others.**

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| 1. A. notice | B. surface | C. contact | D. effect |
| 2. A. humid | B. airmail | C. discuss | D. pancake |
| 3. A. area | B. comfort | C. market | D. concern |
| 4. A. customer | B. delicious | C. grocery | D. resident |
| 5. A. organize | B. discussion | C. restaurant | D. neighbor |

**II. Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently the others.**

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| 1. A. tasty | B. mall | C. stadium | D. change |
| 2. A. grocery | B. month | C. comfort | D. money |
| 3. A. just | B. summer | C. much | D. ruler |
| 4. A. around | B. delicious | C. house | D. ground |
| 5. A. exhibition | B. neighborhood | C. hot | D. humid |

## B. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

**I. Choose the correct answers.**

1. Is this a person / the person you told me about?
2. This is the only cinema/an only cinema in the area.
3. Philip has just bought the Thames barge / a Thames barge.
4. I'm going to the British Museum /British Museum this afternoon.
5. Are you going to church / the church on Sunday?
6. Do you have a milk jug / milk jug?
7. The Prime Minister / Prime Minister will give a speech this afternoon.
8. The computer / Computer has already changed our lives dramatically.
9. I haven't been to an open-air theatre / open-air theatre before.
10. Here is a thousand pounds / the a thousand pounds I owe you.
11. I was under an impression / under the impression that you had left.
12. I have to go I'm in a hurry/ hurry.

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13. I managed to sell the old painting **at a profit / at profit**.

14. I think I prefer the other restaurant **on the whole / on whole**.

15. How many hours do you work, **on average / on the average**, every week?

16. I was **in pain / in a pain** after I twist my ankle.

17. Jack recovered from his accident and is now **out of danger / out of the danger**.

18. Excuse me, but you're **in the way / in a way**.

19. Sue felt seasick on **the cross- channel ferry / a cross- channel ferry**.

20. The burglar hit me on **my back of the neck / the back of my neck**.

## II. Complete each sentence with a, an or the.

1. What's _____ matter? Are you all right?
2. Kate has bought _____new car.
3. Some people think that _____ moon is made of cheese!
4. I'm collecting money for _____ poor.
5. Brian hasn''t found _____ job yet.
6. Can you play_____ guitar?
7. Don't forget to turn off_____ television.
8. There's _____knife in second drawer.
9. _____art museum is in city center.

## III. Choose the best answers A, B, C or D to complete the sentences.

1. We are looking for _____ place to spend _____ night.

A. the-the B. a-the C. a-a D. the-a

2. Please turn off _____ lights when you leave room.

A. the-the B. a-a C. the-a D. a-the

3. We are looking for people with _____ experience.

A. the B. a C. an D. Ø

4. Would you pass me _____ salt, please?

A. a B. the C. an D. Ø

5. Can you show me _____ way to _____ station?

A. the - the B. a - a C. the - a D. a - the

6. She has read _____ interesting book.

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A. a B. an C. the D. Ø

7. You"ll get _____ shock if you touch live wire with that screwdriver.

A. an - the B. Ø - the C. a - a D. an - the

8. Mr. Smith is old customer and _____ honest man.

A. an - the B. the - an C. an - an D. the - the

9. _____ youngest boy has just started going to school.

A. A - Ø B. Ø - the C. an - Ø D. The - Ø

10. Do you go to _____prison to visit him?

A. the B. a C. Ø D. an

11. _____ eldest boy is at college.

A. a - the B. The - Ø C. Ø - a D. an - x

12. Are you going away next week? - No, _____ week after next.

A. an B. a C. the D. Ø

13. Would you like to hear _____story about English scientist?

A. an - the B. the - the C. a - the D. a - an

14. There"ll always be a conflict between _____ old and _____young.

A. the - the B. an - a C. an - the D. the - a

15. There was _____collision at _____corner.

A. the - a B. an - the C. a - the D. the - the

16. My mother thinks that this is _____expensive shop.

A. the B. an C. a D. Ø

17. Like many women, she loves parties and _____ gifts.

A. the - a B. a - the C. a - a D. Ø - Ø

18. She works seven days _____week.

A. a B. the C. an D. Ø

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