

FURTHER PRACTICE 2

I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the rest in each line.

1. A. studious B. culture C. punctual D. uncomfortable
2. A. leader B. measure C. defeat D. creature
3. A. exhaust B. honesty C. hour D. height
4. A. prays B. plays C. says D. days
5. A. glasses B. houses C. fixes D. produces

II. Choose the best answer among A, B, C or D to complete the sentence.

1. I prefer collecting stamps _____ watching TV.
A. more than B. by C. to D. than
2. When people are driving, they _____ keep their eyes on the roads.
A. should B. ought C. would D. could
3. There _____ a living room, a kitchen, two bedrooms and two toilets in his house.
A. are B. have C. has D. is
4. "_____ do you go to school every day?" – "On foot."
A. How often B. How C. Where D. When
5. Who's going to look _____ the children while you're away?
A. at B. up C. over D. after
6. "Thank you very much for your help." – "_____."
A. The pleasure is all mine B. Of course not
C. Well, that's very surprising D. It's up to you
7. The pineapples are not ripe. _____ are the bananas.
A. So B. Neither C. Either D. Both
8. I _____ English for 6 years now.
A. am leaning B. learned C. have been learning D. will learn
9. The rooms in the front are _____ noisier than those in the back.
A. more B. much C. less D. very
10. For the time being, he _____ busy _____ a new novel.
A. is - writing B. was - to write C. is - to write D. was - writing.

III. Write the correct form of the verbs given.

1. The children (make) _____ a lot of noise now. I (be) _____ afraid that they (wake up) _____ my father, who (sleep) _____ in the next room.
2. **Peter:** Where is Paul?
Nam: I (not see) _____ him today.
3. **Tom:** Where were you at 8 o'clock last night?
Mary: I (dance) _____ at my friend's party.
4. Na's brother (buy) _____ this English book for her two weeks ago. She (like) _____ it very much.
5. He asked me (clean) _____ these windows.
6. We (learn) _____ English since we were in grade 6.

IV. Read the following passage and choose the best answers.

The first Halloween

Long ago in Britain, people (1) _____ go to wise old women (2) _____ "witches" to learn about the future. They believed that these witches had the (3) _____ to tell the future and to use magic words to protect people or change them. There were many beliefs about witches, (4) _____ are now a symbol of Halloween. (5) _____, people believed witches flew on broomsticks to big,

secret meetings, where they ate, sang and (6) _____. The Christians tried to stop people (7) _____ believing in witches, but many uneducated people, especially in the countryside, hold on to their beliefs.

When people went to North America from the British Isles, they brought their Halloween customs with them. Today, Halloween is a night when children (8) _____ like ghosts, witches, devils and so on. They go from house to house in their (44) _____, ring doorbells, and shout "Trick or Treat!". People give them candy, apples, gum and nuts and the children have a good time. But most children have (45) _____ that their holiday has such a long history.

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| 6. A. get used to | B. used to | C. are used to | D. used |
| 7. A. named | B. are | C. called | D. as |
| 8. A. energy | B. power | C. strong | D. will |
| 9. A. which | B. whom | C. that | D. who |
| 10. A. For example | B. As a result | C. However | D. Therefore |
| 11. A. dance | B. dancing | C. danced | D. to dance |
| 12. A. by | B. from | C. of | D. about |
| 13. A. wear | B. make | C. disguise | D. dress up |
| 14. A. clothes | B. outfit | C. costumes | D. suits |
| 15. A. no idea | B. no opinion | C. no way | D. no belief |