

Unit 8. NEW WAYS TO LEARN

PART 1: VOCABULARY AND PHONETICS

I. Find the word which has a different sound in the part underlined.

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| 1. A. <u>bl</u> ow | B. <u>mod</u> ern | C. <u>electr</u> onic | D. <u>con</u> centrate |
| 2. A. <u>dist</u> ract | B. <u>tab</u> let | C. <u>back</u> pack | D. <u>deb</u> ate |
| 3. A. <u>de</u> coy | B. <u>educ</u> ate | C. <u>con</u> cord | D. <u>de</u> crease |
| 4. A. <u>exp</u> ensive | B. <u>enc</u> ounter | C. <u>ex</u> cellent | D. <u>enc</u> ourage |
| 5. A. <u>oper</u> ate | B. <u>con</u> sider | C. <u>con</u> clude | D. <u>cor</u> rect |

II. Choose the word which has a different stress pattern from the others.

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| 1. A. identify | B. critical | C. technology | D. eliminate |
| 2. A. continue | B. amazing | C. annoying | D. calculate |
| 3. A. disappear | B. defining | C. distracting | D. specific |
| 4. A. remember | B. embarrass | C. disappoint | D. defining |
| 5. A. Internet | B. creative | C. portable | D. benefit |

III. Put the correct word in the box to complete the sentences below.

physical	electronic	benefits	digital	motivate	personal
relative	technology	defining	applications	disruptive	mobile

1. The phrase natives' refers to people who are familiar with computers and the Internet from an early age.
2. The Internet willstudents to study more effectively.
3. Please don't ask him questions about his family. He hates answeringquestions.
4. Our students are very excited when they have opportunities to doexercise.
5. My son, who is a promising pianist, is now interested in composingmusic.
6. Many teachers have now understood the that mobile devices can bring.
7. I'm looking for some newto put on my smartphone to improve my English pronunciation.
8. The ringing sound from mobile phones isand annoying in the classroom.
9. People are now familiar with the term m-learning orlearning, which focuses on the use of personal electric devices.
10. In the grammar part of this unit we studyclauses.
11. That laptop, which has the latest, is very expensive.
12. Some of my classmates think that it is not easy to know which clause isand which is non-defining.

IV. Use the word given in capitals at the end of each line to form a word that fits in the gap in the same line.

1. Laptops and wireless technologies allow students to access INFORM

relevant to class topics immediately.

2. By allowing our students to use digital devices in class, we are creating an opportunity to teach them to thinkabout technology use in their education and life.

CRITIC

3. Digital devices offer an opportunity tostudents about media use.

EDUCATION

4. Most of the teachers see the new classroom technology asin the educational process.

USE

5. Almost every question students have in class is at their fingertips,them connected with what is going on around them.

KEEP

6. The iPad, which is much morethan the laptop, has the same multi-touch interface as the iPod Touch.

PORT

7. Students who are English-languagebenefit greatly from using specialized programs on their laptops.

LEARN

8. Teachers are always looking at new ways to develop andtheir teaching.

IMPROVEMENT

9. With the easy Internet access and a variety of educational apps, smartphones have become the toolsto improve student learning.

NECESSITY

10. With its high-touch screen, the iPad is very useful for many tasks in class.

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