



## UNIT 1: TOWNS AND CITIES



### PRACTICE

#### VIII. Use the correct form of the words given in parentheses.

1. New York is an \_\_\_\_\_ city with many skyscrapers. (excite)
2. There are many modern \_\_\_\_\_ in Ho Chi Minh City. (build)
3. These beaches are the \_\_\_\_\_ and the most beautiful in the world. (clean)
4. Over eight million people live in Hanoi and it is the second most \_\_\_\_\_ city in the country. (population)
5. Hoi An is \_\_\_\_\_ for its old temples and pagodas. (famousness)
6. The villagers were really quite \_\_\_\_\_ towards us. (friend)
7. It's \_\_\_\_\_ for a woman to walk alone at night. (danger)
8. We were able to watch the lions in complete \_\_\_\_\_. (unsafe)
9. The original supermarkets were small by \_\_\_\_\_ standards. (moderation)
10. Joyce has a \_\_\_\_\_ apartment in Portland. (comfort)

#### IX. Supply the correct form of verbs "be"

1. \_\_\_\_\_ there any parks in this town?
2. The train station \_\_\_\_\_ near my house.
3. There \_\_\_\_\_ really good films at the cinema this week.
4. Our favourite restaurant \_\_\_\_\_ Pizza Palace on Bank Street.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ there a colorful picture in your room?
6. My house \_\_\_\_\_ near the market.
7. There \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of books in the library.
8. How many children \_\_\_\_\_ there in your house?
9. My mother \_\_\_\_\_ a teacher at that school.
10. The cinema \_\_\_\_\_ bigger than the museum.
11. My father \_\_\_\_\_ interested in reading books after meals.
12. The rooms in the hotels \_\_\_\_\_ more comfortable than those rooms in your house.
13. \_\_\_\_\_ there any buses more dangerous than bikes?
14. Minh \_\_\_\_\_ good at English.
15. How many windows \_\_\_\_\_ there in your class? – There \_\_\_\_\_ two windows.
16. My town \_\_\_\_\_ more modern than yours.
17. Those \_\_\_\_\_ pens and pencils.
18. How far \_\_\_\_\_ the restaurant from the hotel? - It \_\_\_\_\_ about ten minutes on foot.
19. \_\_\_\_\_ the weather in Ho Chi Minh city better than Hanoi?

20. Cycling \_\_\_\_\_ safer than riding a motorbike.

**X. Complete the sentences with the comparative form of Adj**

1. Your cafe is \_\_\_\_\_ than Luigi's restaurant. (popular)
2. My sister is \_\_\_\_\_ than me. (friendly)
3. Are the shops in your town \_\_\_\_\_ than the shops in this shopping center? (good)
4. Your phone is \_\_\_\_\_ than my phone. (expensive)
5. Our new flat is \_\_\_\_\_ than our old flat. (modern)
6. Brazil is \_\_\_\_\_ than the UK. (hot)
7. The shopping centre is \_\_\_\_\_ than the library. (noisy)
8. This town is \_\_\_\_\_ than that town. (nice)
9. The museum is \_\_\_\_\_ than the shopping centre. (interesting)
10. The cinema is \_\_\_\_\_ than the museum. (big)

**XI. Complete the sentences with six of the adjectives in the box.**

beautiful	clean	large	modern
peaceful	safe	ugly	welcoming

1. This is a very \_\_\_\_\_ street because there's a police station here.

2. It's very quiet and \_\_\_\_\_ here because there aren't any cars.

3. People are very friendly in this town. It's a very \_\_\_\_\_ place.

4. Many artists like this city because it's very \_\_\_\_\_.

5. Over eight million people live in London! It's a very \_\_\_\_\_ city.

6. This part of the town is very \_\_\_\_\_ because there are a lot of factories.

**XII. Complete the sentences with the words from the box.**

convenient	historic	peaceful	fantastic	modern
boring	noisy	narrow	polluted	

1. I don't like living in a big city. It's \_\_\_\_\_ day and night and the air is so \_\_\_\_\_.

2. The streets in Hoi An ancient town are \_\_\_\_\_ and no cars are allowed.

3. For young people, it's really \_\_\_\_\_ in the country. It'd be more fun living in town.

4. We really enjoy staying here. The beach is \_\_\_\_\_ and the weather is very nice.

5. There is a supermarket in my neighborhood, so it's very \_\_\_\_\_ to go shopping for food.

6. Without noise and daily stress, life in the countryside is more \_\_\_\_\_ and healthier.

7. There are many \_\_\_\_\_ buildings and offices in Ho Chi Minh City.

8. Vietnam's most \_\_\_\_\_ city is Hue. It was the home of the Nguyen Kings and it has many palaces and monuments.

**XIII. Each sentence has a mistake. Find the mistakes and correct them.**

1. London is small than Mexico city. → \_\_\_\_\_
2. My brother is busyer than I am. → \_\_\_\_\_
3. Mary is more confident that her sister. → \_\_\_\_\_
4. It is more cold in Winter than in Autumn. → \_\_\_\_\_
5. This street is more narrow than that one. → \_\_\_\_\_