

COMPOUND NOUNS*

Name: Class: Total:/ 30

I. Match a word from the left with a word from the right to form compound nouns.

1. hall	a. money	1+
2. water	b. cat	2+
3. pocket	c. way	3+
4. zebra	d. board	4+
5. pig	e. tail	5+
6. copy	f. crossing	6+
7. bottle	g. top	7+
8. full	h. fall	8+
9. gold	i. down	9+
10. touch	j. smith	10+

II. Choose the best option among A, B, C or D.

1. A shoe made from leather is called a
a. leather shoe b. shoe leather c. shoed leather d. leather shoed
2. A horse which runs races is called a
a. horserace b. racehorse c. racing horse d. horse racing
3. A strip of pavement on which airplanes take off and land on is called a
a. running way b. runner way c. runway d. runsway
4. That man has two
a. brother-in-law b. brothers-in-law c. brother-in-laws d. brothers-in-laws
5. A machine for washing plates, cups, etc ... is called a
a. washing dishes b. dish washing c. dishes washing d. dish washer
6. A meeting held during the night is a
a. meeting night b. nightly meeting c. night meeting d. nighty meeting
7. A device that can be immediately stopped and started by pressing a button is a
a. stopwatch b. watchstop c. watch stopping d. stopping watch
8. Can I have a look at the, please?
a. bookguide b. guidebook c. guiding book d. book guiding
9. The house has a pleasant over the valley.
a. lookout b. outlook c. looking out d. out looking
10. is used at home as part of an oral hygiene routine.
a. washmouth b. mouthwash c. washing mouth d. mouth washing

III. Complete each compound noun with a word from the box.

ground	lace	path	come	pour
clip	cut	post	desk	bringing

1. Make sure you walk on the *foot*, because the road is dangerous.
2. I need to fix these two sheets together. Have you got a *paper*?
3. As I was doing up my shoe, my *shoe* broke.
4. Tom had a *hair* yesterday and his friends made fun of him.
5. The bus swerved to avoid a dog and hit a *lamp*
6. The picture showed a girl on a horse, with a beautiful house in the *back*
7. Please pay for your purchases at the *cash*
8. Jane has a high *in*, but she works very hard to earn it.
9. On our way home we got soaked in a terrific *down*
10. That child is so polite. She obviously had a good *up*