

**Part 1. Vocabulary test.**

**DIRECTIONS: Questions 1-7.** In each of the following tasks choose the word which complete the given sentence, situation or saying best.

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1. In our work we place \_\_\_\_\_ on mutual help and cooperation.  
1. distress      2. pressure      3. rhythm      4. emphasis
2. May I propose a toast to the charming \_\_\_\_\_ of this splendid party?  
1. hostess      2. host      3. mistress      4. landlady
3. Pollution \_\_\_\_\_ many things: buildings, rivers, animals, the air which we breathe, the sea.  
1. effects      2. affects      3. defects      4. infects
4. \_\_\_\_\_ spinach, carrots should be put there as well.  
1. Besides      2. Apart      3. Beside      4. Above
5. Please \_\_\_\_\_ me to call Mary at 8 o'clock tonight.  
1. remember      2. memorise      3. remind      4. recall
6. The doctor managed to \_\_\_\_\_ the wound on his leg.  
1. recover      2. repair      3. treat      4. injure
7. The victory was \_\_\_\_\_ each year by a ten-gun salute.  
1. reminded      2. remarked      3. remembered      4. commemorated

**Part 2. Synonyms.**

For each of these **questions (8-10)**, choose the answer that is closest in meaning to the original sentence. Note that several of the choices may be factually correct, but you should choose the one that is the closest restatement of the given sentence.

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8. The pact has been in effect for twenty years.  
1. monarchy      2. treaty      3. trend      4. lease
9. Had the announcement been made earlier, more people would have attended the lecture.
  1. Not many people came to hear the lecture because it was held so late.
  2. The lecture was held earlier so that more people would attend.
  3. Fewer people attended the lecture because of the early announcement.
  4. Since the announcement was not made earlier, fewer people came to hear the lecture.
- \* 10. It is not whether you win or lose, but how you play the game that is important.
  1. Winning is more important than losing when you play the game.
  2. Winning is less important than playing the game well.
  3. If you know how to play game well, you will win it.
  4. Playing the game well and winning it is important.

