

# [UNIT 10. ENDANGERED SPECIES]

## VOCABULARY

Full Name: .....

Class: .....

*\* Choose the best option (A, B, C or D) to complete each of the following sentences.*

1. Many species of animals and plants today are .....  
A. risky                      B. on risk                      C. endangered                      D. under danger
2. The widespread use of pesticides has ..... many rare species.  
A. cancelled                      B. extincted                      C. devastated                      D. wiped out
3. A tropical rainforest once destroyed can never be .....  
A. repaired                      B. replaced                      C. recovered                      D. regenerated
4. One of the effects of acid rain is that it causes plants to .....  
A. wither                      B. thrive                      C. shrink                      D. contract
5. There are now over 850,000 named ..... of insects on the earth.  
A. species                      B. families                      C. colonies                      D. varieties
6. If we do not look after our environment, zebras could become an ..... species.  
A. enclosed                      B. endangered                      C. imperilled                      D. infrequent
7. Poisonous gases ..... many factories destroy the ozone layer.  
A. over                      B. above                      C. from                      D. around
8. As more and more rainforest in the world is destroyed, the threat ..... wildlife increases.  
A. to                      B. by                      C. with                      D. about
9. We can all do something to help ..... the environment.  
A. detect                      B. defeat                      C. proceed                      D. protect
10. A lot of species have already been on the ..... of extinction.  
A. side                      B. verge                      C. corner                      D. surface