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## PRONOUNCIATION

/əʊ/	/aʊ/
show	town

**Task 1. Put the words into the correct columns.**

cloud	around	coward	about	now
ago	potato	toe	coat	loan
cow	house	mouth	tower	coast know
load	out	found	flower	how
sound	crown	power		
soap	window	soul	shoulder	drown
slow	doubt	tomorrow	route	mosquito

  
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**Task 2. Circle the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently**

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| 1. a. prize                      | b. exc <u>i</u> te           | c. des <u>i</u> gn    | d. cap <u>i</u> tal  |
| 2. a. col <u>d</u>               | b. ph <u>o</u> to            | c. c <u>o</u> ntinent | d. pos <u>te</u> r   |
| 3. a. c <u>i</u> ty              | b. c <u>a</u> pital          | c. nic <u>e</u>       | d. exc <u>i</u> te   |
| 4. a. des <u>i</u> gn <u>e</u> d | b. rece <u>i</u> ve <u>d</u> | c. cycl <u>e</u> d    | d. reward <u>e</u> d |
| 5. a. tomor <u>ro</u> w          | b. t <u>o</u> wer            | c. c <u>ro</u> wd     | d. ar <u>o</u> und   |
| 6. A. c <u>ro</u> wd             | B. c <u>o</u> w              | C. sn <u>o</u> w      | D. sh <u>o</u> wer   |

7. A. house                      B. now                      C. blouse                      D. slow
8. A. noisy                      B. coin                      C. tortoise                      D. voice
9. A. taught                      B. caught                      C. because                      D. laugh
10. A. bowl                      B. pound                      C. housework                      D. town

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### VOCABULARY

**Task 1. Look at the pictures and complete the blanks with the words given.**

Sydney Opera House

Tower of Pisa

Mount Fuji

The Statue of Liberty

Eiffel Tower

Buckingham Palace

Great Pyramid

One Pillar Pagoda



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7.....

8.....

**Task 2. Match the continents with countries and their capitals**

*Continent*

*Country*

*Capital*

1. Asia

Italy

Kuala Lumpur

2. Europe

Malaysia

Canberra

3. Australia

The USA

Rome

4. North America

Australia

Cairo

5. Africa

Brazil

Washington D.C

**Task 3. Write the name of the landmarks.**

Eiffel Tower Taj Mahal Great Wall of China Empire state Building  
Big Ben Petronas Towers Sydney Opera House Angkor Wat

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 200BC; protects borders; longest man made structure. Capital: Beijing
2. \_\_\_\_\_ world's tallest twin buildings - 452 meters tall. There is a sky bridge between the towers. Capital: Kuala Lumpur.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ largest 4 sided clock. Symbol of the UK. Capital: London
4. \_\_\_\_\_ 300 meters tall - 3 floors; tallest structure until 1930; most visited landmark in the world. Capital: Paris
5. \_\_\_\_\_ NYC Skyscraper - 103 floors; from 1931 - 1970 world's tallest building. Capital: Washington, D.C.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ built of white marble; tomb built by emperor in memory of 3rd wife. Capital: New Delhi
7. \_\_\_\_\_ 1150 AD completed; pictured on flag; largest religious monument in the world. Capital: Phnom Penh
8. \_\_\_\_\_ one of the most loved buildings in the world; performing arts center; supposed to represent a sail boat. Capital: Canberra

**Task 4. Fill in each blank with the correct adjective from the box.**

1. Manchester is famous \_\_\_\_\_ its football teams.  
a. in                      b. with                      c. for                      d. as
2. Oxford University was built \_\_\_\_\_ the 12th century.  
a. in                      b. of                      c. at                      d. on
3. The Golden Gate Bridge is San Francisco's most famous \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. building              b. monument              c. palace              d. landmark
4. The package includes a tour of Sydney's famous \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Opera House      b. Eiffel Tower      c. Big Ben              d. White House
5. What is the capital of Greece? - \_\_\_\_\_  
a. Amsterdam      b. Athens              c. Stockholm              d. Sydney

6. The Sydney Opera House is considered as the symbol of \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. Asia                      B. America                      C. Australia                      D. Europe
7. Vietnam is located in Southeast \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. America                      B. Asia                      C. Australia                      D. Europe
8. The smallest \_\_\_\_\_ in the world is Australia.  
A. continent                      B. ocean                      C. country                      D. city
9. Some developed nations namely Britain, France and Germany are located in \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. America                      B. Asia                      C. Australia                      D. Europe
10. Have you ever seen Big Ben? It is the most visited \_\_\_\_\_ in Britain.  
A. city                      B. country                      C. landmark                      D. continent

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### GRAMMAR

#### Task 1. Choose whether each sentence requires a possessive adjective or a possessive pronoun.

1. She's not his friend, she's (my / mine).
2. Robert didn't drive his own car. He drove (her / hers).
3. That is one of (hers / her) best friends.
4. His neighbourhood is safe, while (my / mine) neighbourhood isn't.
5. Did (your / yours) mother call you yesterday evening?
6. I don't know (them / their) very well.
7. I don't know (them / their) daughter very well.
8. I talked to (my / me) grandmother for three hours last night.
9. She will never tell (him / his) about that.
10. I think I got my notes mixed up with (your / yours).

#### Task 2. Complete the following sentences using possessive adjectives or pronouns.

1. Why did you lend Minh your jacket?  
- Because she forgot \_\_\_\_\_ and it was cold.
2. I like \_\_\_\_\_ bike.  
- Oh, it's not \_\_\_\_\_. My sister lent it to me.
3. Are these their bags?  
- No, they aren't \_\_\_\_\_. They're \_\_\_\_\_. They belong to us.
4. Mr. Hoang must be very rich. \_\_\_\_\_ house is like a palace.  
- Yes, it's beautiful.
5. I wish I could have a computer of my own.  
- I can give \_\_\_\_\_ to you as a gift.
6. He has a fierce dog.  
- Yes, you must watch out on \_\_\_\_\_ dog. It can attack you any time.
7. You're using my eraser without asking!  
- No, it's \_\_\_\_\_, not \_\_\_\_\_.
8. Have you seen \_\_\_\_\_ glasses somewhere?

- They're on \_\_\_\_\_ head!
9. This shirt looks nice on you.  
- Thanks. I really like \_\_\_\_\_ colour.
10. That house has a beautiful fence around \_\_\_\_\_ garden.  
- Yes, I love the fence, especially \_\_\_\_\_ pattern.

### Task 3. Choose the correct answer.

- Have you got \_\_\_\_\_ pen, or would you like to borrow \_\_\_\_\_?  
A. your – mine                      B. yours – my                      C. yours – mine
- Jane's voice is good. \_\_\_\_\_ is good, too.  
A. I                                      B. my                                      C. mine
- \_\_\_\_\_ cat is adorable. \_\_\_\_\_ is adorable too.  
A. Your – My                      B. Your – Mine                      C. Yours – Mine
- My face looks like \_\_\_\_\_ face.  
A. she                                      B. her                                      C. hers
- It's not \_\_\_\_\_ fault. It's \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. your – mine                      B. yours – mine                      C. your – my
- Jim's car was parked here. \_\_\_\_\_ parked \_\_\_\_\_ car here too.  
A. I – mine                      B. I – my                      C. my – mine
- I know Louis is \_\_\_\_\_ friend. He's also a friend of \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. your – my                      B. your – I                      C. your – mine
- I lost my pencil. Can I have one of \_\_\_\_\_?  
A. your                                      B. you                                      C. yours
- This is not \_\_\_\_\_ car. \_\_\_\_\_ is black.  
A. my – My                      B. my – Mine                      C. my – I
- Has the cat had \_\_\_\_\_ food?  
A. its                                      B. it                                      C. him

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### SPEAKING

#### Task 1. Match the questions and answer. Then practice.

1. What is the largest country in South America?		a. It's Antarctica
2. What is the biggest continent?		b. It's Eiffel Tower.
3. What is the coldest place on earth?		c. It's Vatican City
4. What is the most beautiful capital in the world?		d. It's BurjKhalifa
5. What is the smallest city in the world?		e. It's Mercury.

6. What is the most famous landmark in France?		f. It's London.
7. What is the closest planet to the sun?		g. It's Brazil.
8. What is the tallest building in the world?		h. It's Asia.

**Task 2. Write the questions.**

1. ....		A. Brazil is in the continent of <u>South America</u>
2. ....		B. <u>Canberra</u> is the capital city of Australia.
3. ....		C. The weather in Stockholm has been <u>perfect</u> .
4. ....		D. New York is <u>54,555 square miles</u> big.
5. ....		E. We have lived in New York <u>for ten years</u> .
6. ....		F. My family moved to Sydney <u>in 1997</u> .
7. ....		G. I have never been to <u>South Africa</u> .
8. ....		H. He travelled to Mexico <u>by train</u> .

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## LISTENING

**Task 1. Look at the picture and write:**



A.....



B.....



C.....



D.....



E.....



F.....

	<u>Name of the place</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Country</u>
Picture A:	.....	.....	.....
Picture B:	.....	.....	.....
Picture C:	.....	.....	.....
Picture D:	.....	.....	.....
Picture E:	.....	.....	.....
Picture F:	.....	.....	.....

**Task 2. Listen and decide if the statements below are true (T) or false (F).**

1. Paris is the least crowded city of France. ....
2. It is often dry in this city. ....
3. There is a big art museum in Paris. ....
4. There is no famous church in Paris. ....
5. Paris attracts many foreign visitors. ....

**Task 3. Listen again and fill in the blanks.**

1. Paris has an area of ..... square kilometers.
2. Summer days have the average temperatures between ..... and ..... Degree Celsius.
3. Paris attracts about ..... million foreign visitors per year.

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## READING

**Task 1. Read and answer the questions.**

## Sydney Opera House

The Sydney Opera House is one of the most popular landmarks in Australia. It is located on Bennelong Point in Sydney Harbour. More than 7 million tourists visit it each year. There are so many restaurants, bars, hotels that surround the Harbour. It also gives a lot of different shows and performance every year. The Sydney Opera House is known as one of the busiest and the most well-known centres not only in Australia but all over the world.



### Task 2. Complete the passage with the words from the box.

second      places      kilometers      island      fresh  
beautiful      in      like      photos      festival

There are two (1) ..... in Vietnam I want to visit this summer: Hue city and Ha Long Bay. Hue is a city which is filled mostly by trees, so the weather here is very cool, (2) ..... and quiet. However, it is not as busy and crowded as other cities (3) ..... Vietnam. Each year, the city celebrates a very fantastic (4) ..... to introduce Vietnamese traditional food, flowers, trees, kite flying and costumes. Hue attracts a lot of visitors every year to its ancient tombs, temples, pagodas. The (5) ..... place I'm planning to go is Ha Long Bay. It is in Quang Ninh province. It is about over 100 (6) ..... from my house. It is really a (7) ..... landmark in Vietnam. It has many islands, caves and nice seafood. I (8) ..... to take a boat ride to Tuan Chau (9) ..... and sunbathe on the beach. Surely, when I visit both Hue and Ha Long Bay, I will take lots of (10) .....

### Task 3. Circle the best answer A, B, C or D to complete the passage.

Because you travel to the US, you (1) \_\_\_\_\_ out what documents you need. British people do not (2) \_\_\_\_\_ to get a visa, but there are different rules for (3) \_\_\_\_\_ nationalities. (4) \_\_\_\_\_ example, you don't need to show that you have enough

money (5) \_\_\_\_\_ you. (6) \_\_\_\_\_ there is one rule you can be sure about: everyone (7) \_\_\_\_\_ to show their passport. The roads in New York are very busy, but don't worry, you can get around cheaply and easily by subway. Remember that you are not allowed to smoke (8) \_\_\_\_\_ public transport or in shops. And don't forget that you must tip taxi drivers and waiters. New York is not the most dangerous city in the US, but you really (9) \_\_\_\_\_ walk along empty streets at night. And it is (10) \_\_\_\_\_ to travel around in groups.

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| 1. A. must      | B. would    | C. can       | D. could     |
| 2. A. ought     | B. have     | C. should    | D. used      |
| 3. A. other     | B. many     | C. different | D. some      |
| 4. A. In        | B. On       | C. For       | D. At        |
| 5. A. on        | B. in       | C. of        | D. with      |
| 6. A. But       | B. Then     | C. Now       | D. And       |
| 7. A. could     | B. must     | C. has       | D. should    |
| 8. A. in        | B. on       | C. at        | D. by        |
| 9. A. shouldn't | B. couldn't | C. wouldn't  | D. might not |
| 10. A. safe     | B. safer    | C. safest    | D. more safe |

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### WRITING

**Task 1. Make the question for the underline part in each sentences.**

- London is on the River Thames.  
 ✎ .....
- The Eiffel Tower first opened on 6<sup>th</sup> May 1889.  
 ✎ .....
- We are going to visit the Empire State Building tomorrow.  
 ✎ .....
- I went to London in my last vacation.  
 ✎ .....
- The weather in London was very cloudy and wind.  
 ✎ .....

**Task 2. Put the words in the correct order.**

- from/ vacation/ come/ Nha Trang/ I/ just have/ a/back/ in.

- ✂ .....  
 2.university/ Viet Nam/ the/ was/ Quoc Tu Giam/ first/ in.  
 ✂ .....  
 3.world/ six/ in/ are/ continents/ there/ the.  
 ✂ .....  
 4.England/ tower/ it/ famous/ in/ the/ is/ most.  
 ✂ .....  
 5.years/ new/ building/ is/ but/ looks/ 100/ more than/ old/ the/ it.  
 ✂ .....

**Task 3. Write 6 sentences about Ha Noi.**



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