

QUIZ 1-10TH CYCLE

GRAMMAR

1 Complete the sentences with the correct word or phrase.

Example: The gym is busier this week than it was last week.

the busiest busier more busy

1 Tereza's dancing is _____ than Eva's.

worse worse not so bad

2 My team didn't play _____ your team last night.

so good than well than as well as

3 Kenji is _____ than James.

as generous the more generous more generous

4 I work _____ Lin. Lin takes too many breaks!

harder than as hard as more hard than

5 This test isn't _____ difficult as last week's test.

too more as

2 Write the superlative form of the adjective in parentheses.

Example: Is Russia the biggest (big) country in the world?

1 _____ (far) we've ever been is Canada.

2 They ate at _____ (expensive) restaurant in town.

3 It was _____ (bad) book I've ever read.

4 Enrique's _____ (funny) person I know.

5 Yesterday was _____ (hot) day of the year.

3 **Choose the correct word(s).**

Example: These pants aren't big **too** / enough / **very**.

- 1 We're **too** / **much** / **little** tired to go out.
- 2 Can I have **much** / **many** / **a few** of your carrots?
- 3 She has **too many** / **too much** / **too** money. She can't spend it all!
- 4 I usually put a **little** / **enough** / **few** sugar in my coffee.
- 5 Do you buy **many** / **little** / **lot of** books?

VOCABULARY

4 **Match 1–6 with a–f.**

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| 1 my house number <u> b </u> | a about 45 minutes |
| 2 date of my vacation ____ | b 18 |
| 3 percentage of overweight adults in the US ____ | c 0.5 |
| 4 glasses of water I drink every day ____ | d August 26th |
| 5 average length of my lunch break at work ____ | e at least 4 |
| 6 another way of writing half ____ | f over 50% |

5 **Underline the correct word(s).**

Example: Sunbathing makes your **bones** / skin / **feet** change color.

- 1 Jung-soo has an **anxious** / **active** / **lazy** lifestyle. He plays a lot of tennis.
- 2 She doesn't have a very **bad** / **thin** / **healthy** diet. She eats a lot of sweets.
- 3 It's a bad idea to eat a lot of **slow** / **fast** / **quick** food.
- 4 It is a good idea to brush your **teeth** / **eyes** / **fingers** for two minutes twice a day.
- 5 Eating food that is high in fat can **make** / **cause** / **add to** heart disease.

6 Complete the sentences with the correct word.

Example: Not many people go to the beach in the winter. It's usually completely

empty.

crowded noisy empty

1 There's a lot of traffic in Los Angeles, so it's very _____.

clean polluted safe

2 New York is a big city _____ the Hudson River.

in on over

3 Our town has a _____ of around 2,000.

population department store coast

4 Rio de Janeiro is an old city with lots of _____ buildings.

noisy modern interesting

5 This is the _____ where the royal family lives.

palace temple town hall

PRONUNCIATION

7 Underline the stressed syllable.

Example: ro|man|tic

1 in|te|res|ting

2 ex|cit|ing

3 pa|lace

4 ca|the|dral

5 im|pa|tient

8 Underline the word that does not contain the sound at the beginning of the line.

Example: /k/ city castle cathedral mosque

1 /u/ good fruit food statue

2 /əʔ/ reporter terrible dangerous bigger

3 /e/ empty egg museum health

4 /ʌ/ polluted up money much

5 /oʊ/ know most phone modern

READING

1 Read the article and check (✓) A, B, or C.

New gym, new you

We asked three people to tell us about their gyms. Which one is right for you?

Analise, Clean Gym

Do you find litter annoying? Two years ago, 250 new homes were built in my town. The rents went down, but the mess and dirt went up. I was irritated. I was frustrated. So I decided to start the Clean Gym. We walk around parks, playgrounds, and side streets and we collect garbage. It's a great way to meet new people and make a positive impact on our town. And, yes, it is exercise, too. In each Clean Gym Clean Up, we walk around five miles. And it's free! Visit our Facebook page to find out more.

Marlon, Busy Body Gym

Busy Body Gym helps people to get in shape faster. I am a good example of this. Last year I changed jobs. My commute to work changed from 2 hours to just 40 minutes. Finally, I had some free time ... but not much. Could Busy Body Gym help? Yes, because in the early mornings and evenings they have many short classes. Each class is just 30 minutes. The aim is to work really hard and fast. So far, I've tried cycling, boxing, and karate. Check out their class list on Facebook. Classes can be crowded, so it's a good idea to sign up before you arrive. One short session is \$12, but it's worth it. I got in shape faster with Busy Body Gym!

Victor, Workout Outside

Five years ago, I had a heart attack while I was at work. I ate too much fast food and I did no exercise at all. I knew I had to change my life. That's when I heard about Workout Outside. The idea is to use the natural environment, such as a park,, as your gym. I meet my trainer twice a week in my local park – his name is Connor. We use the trees and park benches as our gym equipment. Each session is \$10 and there are no other people – just you and the trainer. Workout Outside has changed the way I feel about exercise and about myself.

Example: Analise's town is bigger than it was before.

A True ✓ B False C Doesn't say

1 Analise's town has more litter than a few years ago.

A True B False C Doesn't say

2 Clean Gym collects trash on playgrounds.

A True B False C Doesn't say

3 Clean Gym gives you gloves to wear and a bag for the garbage.

A True B False C Doesn't say

4 Marlon has a longer commute to work than he did last year.

A True B False C Doesn't say

5 Marlon thought the karate class was the most enjoyable.

A True B False C Doesn't say

6 At Busy Body Gym it is a good idea to sign up for your class ahead of time.

A True B False C Doesn't say

7 Workout Outside is more crowded than Busy Body Gym.

A True B False C Doesn't say

8 Victor exercises twice a week with Workout Outside.

A True B False C Doesn't say

9 Victor is more relaxed than he was before.

A True B False C Doesn't say