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MINI TEST 09

Question 1. Several houses were **pulled down** to make way for the new road.

A. reconstructed **B.** demolished **C.** preserved **D.** surrender

Question 2. The American desire for **material goods** caused Europeans to dismiss them as philistines.

A. wealth **B.** fame **C.** liberty **D.** power

Question 3. Without a job, unemployed, as in After they fired her she was **on the street** for two years.

A. jobless **B.** homeless **C.** unmarried **D.** lifeless

Question 4. This heat has made me **come out in** an itchy red rash.

A. come out with **B.** break out in **C.** go down with **D.** come up with

Question 5. It's a waste of time to **cry over spilt milk**, he says; you just have to move on with your life.

A. apologize **B.** worry **C.** regret **D.** rejoice

Question 6. She has lived in France, **as a consequence** speaks French fluently.

A. therefore **B.** since **C.** because **D.** but

Question 7. We **had a good laugh**. It was a really great holiday.

A. got ahead **B.** stayed up **C.** cracked up **D.** backed away

Question 8. A style of writing that will make your characters **come to life** on the story.

A. come alive **B.** come along **C.** come around **D.** come away

Question 9. I had so much else to do that I decided to **give the party a miss**.

A. blow out **B.** blow off **C.** blurt out **D.** block off

Question 10. This flat is **a far cry from** the house they had before.

A. far from **B.** absent from **C.** safe from **D.** different from



Prepare to be different.

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