

**Task 1: Choose the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation.**

1. A. elder B. ending C. success D. compete
2. A. congrats B. camping C. fantastic D. favour
3. A. schedule B. level C. helpful D. equipment

**Task 2: Put the words into the correct columns:**

Word	/ə/	/æ/	Word	/ə/	/æ/	Word	/ə/	/æ/
many			festival			any		
family			sad			very		
helpful			hat			stand		
racket			clever			chess		
test			active			badminton		
channel			tennis			match		

**Task 3: Match the words/phrases with the pictures:**

chess	swimming	aerobics	table tennis	cycling
				
karate	volleyball	football	basketball	running
				

**Task 4: Choose the correct answer to complete each of the following sentences.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ does the match last? – About 50 minutes.  
A. How often B. How many C. How long D. How far
2. You're a great cook. Why don't you enter the cooking \_\_\_\_\_?  
A. competition B. champion C. subject D. match
3. My brother and I \_\_\_\_\_ karate to keep fit.  
A. go B. do C. get D. play
4. The kids behaved badly, \_\_\_\_\_ their mother didn't get angry.  
A. so B. for C. but D. or
5. He's got a new \_\_\_\_\_, and he's really excited to go on a sailing trip with his friends.  
A. racket B. net C. helmet D. boat
6. There \_\_\_\_\_ several good films on TV last night.  
A. was B. were C. is D. are

**Task 5: Find a mistake in each sentence and choose the correct answer to replace it.**

1. Michael looks thinly, but actually he is strong and healthy.
2. I'm not good in sports, but I still enjoy playing sports in my free time.

3. It didn't rained yesterday, so we had a picnic by the river.

**Task 6: Choose the correct answers.**

1. How about \_\_\_\_\_ badminton tomorrow afternoon, Mai?  
A. doing                      B. playing                      C. having                      D. taking
2. Sports and games \_\_\_\_\_ a vital role in our life.  
A. play                      B. make                      C. take                      D. hold
3. Football is regarded \_\_\_\_\_ the most popular sport in the world.  
A. of                      B. with                      C. on                      D. as
4. Team sports are sometimes called \_\_\_\_\_ sports.  
A. competitive                      B. competition                      C. competitor                      D. competing
5. Does your brother like doing \_\_\_\_\_?  
A. judo                      B. soccer                      C. cycling                      D. boating
6. In team sports, the two teams compete \_\_\_\_\_ each other in order to get the better score.  
A. on                      B. at                      C. against                      D. to
7. Did you do any \_\_\_\_\_ last weekend?  
A. games                      B. sport                      C. sporty                      D. match
8. You should buy a new \_\_\_\_\_ to play tennis.  
A. bat                      B. basket                      C. ski                      D. racket
9. \_\_\_\_\_ games such as chess is a good exercise for our brain.  
A. Team                      B. Indoor                      C. Outdoor                      D. Inside
10. Boys often play \_\_\_\_\_ in the schoolyard at break time.  
A. marbles                      B. karate                      C. marathon                      D. cycling

**Task 6: Circle the correct answers.**

1. Trung \_\_\_\_\_ play basketball yesterday.  
A. wasn't                      B. doesn't                      C. didn't                      D. isn't
2. My sister didn't like sports when she \_\_\_\_\_ small.  
A. did                      B. be                      C. is                      D. was
3. Clara \_\_\_\_\_ computer games 2 hours ago.  
A. plays                      B. played                      C. plaied                      D. played
4. We \_\_\_\_\_ an interesting article about team sports this morning.  
A. read                      B. readed                      C. reading                      D. reads
5. \_\_\_\_\_ she play chess when she was 5 years old?  
A. Was                      B. Does                      C. Did                      D. Is
6. When did Pelé \_\_\_\_\_ "Football Player of the Century"?  
A. became                      B. become                      C. becomes                      D. becomed
7. It \_\_\_\_\_ rainy, so they could go swimming.  
A. didn't                      B. doesn't                      C. isn't                      D. wasn't
8. We \_\_\_\_\_ exhausted after finishing our performance yesterday.  
A. was                      B. were                      C. are                      D. feeled
9. I \_\_\_\_\_ a new racket to play badminton last Friday.  
A. bought                      B. buy                      C. buyed                      D. buied
10. Who \_\_\_\_\_ boating with your brother last weekend?  
A. played                      B. took                      C. went                      D. had