

Unit 2: CITY LIFE

Exercise 1. Circle the word having the underlined part pronounced differently in each line.

Then listen and repeat.

1. A. park	B. <u>ad</u> vice	C. <u>fa</u> cility	D. <u>ar</u> ound
2. A. attraction	B. <u>wr</u> ap	C. <u>h</u> andicraft	D. <u>tr</u> adition
3. A. <u>gar<td>B. <u>ar<td>C. <u>loc</u>al</td><td>D. <u>la</u>st</td></u></td></u>	B. <u>ar<td>C. <u>loc</u>al</td><td>D. <u>la</u>st</td></u>	C. <u>loc</u> al	D. <u>la</u> st
4. A. <u>spec</u> iality	B. <u>potte</u> rty	C. <u>colle</u> ctor	D. <u>prote</u> ct
5. A. <u>elec</u> trician	B. <u>ticke</u> t	C. <u>en</u> vironment	D. <u>che</u> ck-up

Exercise 2. Circle the word which has a different stress pattern in each line.

1. A. tourist	B. suburb	C. village	D. police
2. A. remind	B. travel	C. collect	D. relax
3. A. community	B. delivery	C. electrician	D. facility
4. A. souvenir	B. artisan	C. pottery	D. neighbourhood
5. A. environment	B. generation	C. pedestrian	D. material

Exercise 3. Listen to a podcast. For questions 1 – 6, choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

1. *The podcast presenter thinks Central Park is _____.*

- A. the busiest place in the world
- B. like a garden for New Yorkers
- C. a good place to enjoy city life

2. *Central Park is a good place to _____.*

- A. be alone
- B. go shopping
- C. keep fit

3. *The two French girls that the presenter speaks to _____.*

- A. only have a few hours in New York
- B. both want to spend all day in the park
- C. don't want to do the same things

4. The 'Team Central Park' runner is _____.

- A. training for a marathon
- B. not going to do a marathon
- C. doing a 5K fun run

5. The group of young people _____.

- A. spend a lot of time in the park in summer
- B. always bring a picnic
- C. are not allowed to use skateboards

6. The group of young people _____.

- A. watch people playing Frisbee
- B. ride bikes fast through the park
- C. enjoy a lot of different things in the park

Exercise 4: Listen to the dialogue between An and Binh about firefighters and fill each blank with suitable word(s).

An and Binh discussed the important role of firefighters in the community. They agreed that firefighters not only (1) _____ fires but also rescue people from various dangerous situations like car accidents and (2) _____. Additionally, they visit schools and communities (3) _____ about fire prevention and safety measures. They are responsible for maintaining their equipment and providing first aid and (4) _____. An and Binh both expressed their admiration and respect for the selfless and dedicated work that firefighters do to keep the community (5) _____.