

• Intermediate Sentence Completion 10

Directions: Choose the best word(s) to complete each sentence.

1) My friend generously offered to _____ my children while I was out, but because we already had a babysitter, I _____ the offer.

- A) look after...diffused
- B) mind...negotiated
- C) watch...relinquished
- D) monitor...declined
- E) care for...accepted

2) The fleet of planes was only one of the company's _____; they also had lots of valuable equipment, other vehicles, and land.

- A) finances
- B) shareholders
- C) interests
- D) debts
- E) assets

3) Because of his inability to _____ other chimps, this chimpanzee is no longer welcome in his tribe. He is _____.

- A) fight with...an outlaw
- B) relate to...an outcast
- C) befriend...a favorite
- D) interest...a leader
- E) conquer...a friend

4) Because of my _____, Francis is now using the same floor cleaner that I use.

- A) interest
- B) tinnitus
- C) disapproval
- D) dispensation
- E) recommendation

5) While some people prefer sodas, I don't like bubbles in my _____. So, I often choose juice or water.

- A) sustenance
- B) body
- C) bath
- D) beverage
- E) tea

6) Rather than focus on one specific group of people, some charities try to do work that benefits all _____.

- A) women
- B) men
- C) animals
- D) society
- E) humanity

7) Despite much evidence that wolves are caring and social, many people _____ that they are cruel and vicious animals.

- A) intuit
- B) understand
- C) wonder
- D) believe
- E) forget

8) The _____ of meat in your refrigerator doesn't necessarily indicate that you are _____.

- A) presence...herbivorous
- B) absence...vegetarian
- C) amount...omnivorous
- D) color...carnivorous
- E) flavor...ravenous

9) Harold enjoyed singing in the boys' _____ so much, he wanted to do it every day.

- A) choir
- B) bathroom
- C) troupe
- D) club
- E) team

10) Using the scientific _____ of aerodynamics, scientists design space shuttles to withstand the dangers of orbit and re-entry.

- A) substances
- B) rockets
- C) fuel
- D) hypothesis
- E) theory

11) Before _____, planes were loaded with passengers and cargo and filled with fuel.

- A) arrival
- B) battle
- C) jet engines
- D) space flight
- E) departure

12) After _____, the captain advised that there could be turbulence ahead. Passengers were advised to _____ their seats.

- A) lunch...remove
- B) landing...leave
- C) takeoff...stay in
- D) arrival... remain in
- E) liftoff...exit