

• Intermediate Sentence Completion 9

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

1) The audience at the dance performance was not \_\_\_\_\_. Dancers were repeatedly \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) wary...warned
- B) friendly...harassed
- C) happy...applauded
- D) supportive...ostracized
- E) pensive...undone

2) Although Jose's baseball team occasionally played teams from other states, most of their games were against \_\_\_\_\_ teams.

- A) poor
- B) exceptional
- C) national
- D) excellent
- E) local

3) There was a questionable \_\_\_\_\_ coming out of the restaurant. We didn't choose to \_\_\_\_\_ there.

- A) individual...go
- B) conflagration...eat
- C) sound...flee
- D) person...congregate
- E) odor...dine

4) Sarah hardly noticed when someone made a negative comment about her. Her sister, however, was more \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) sensitive
- B) sociable
- C) disinterested
- D) frivolous
- E) grateful

5) Though we may not always agree with the politicians in power, living in a democracy is a \_\_\_\_\_. People in many parts of the world don't have similar \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) burden...expectations
- B) right...oppressors
- C) privilege...liberties
- D) boon...dangers
- E) benefit...histories

6) There are many different geographical \_\_\_\_\_ in Elia's country. She can travel a short distance to mountains, beaches, deserts, and forests.

- A) monuments
- B) interests
- C) peoples
- D) regions
- E) temples

7) Sandra had so many tiresome chores to do for her family. She felt that they were a constant \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) harangue
- B) release
- C) bore
- D) anger
- E) burden

8) Salvador's dog loves their family. The dog is always licking, wagging, and finding other ways to show \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) interest
- B) affection
- C) anonymity
- D) willingness
- E) humanity

9) The four close friends decided to go to four different colleges. They were \_\_\_\_\_ to leave each other, but glad they each made their own \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) incensed...decision
- B) reluctant...choice
- C) frustrated...enemy
- D) excited...education
- E) infatuated...friendship

10) Samuel is loyal to his roots - he always has been - and is resistant to change. Raphael, however, favors a less traditional, more \_\_\_\_\_ approach.

- A) hurried
- B) contemporary
- C) new
- D) liberal
- E) reversible

11) Greta felt \_\_\_\_\_; she couldn't decide between watching her favorite movie and taking a long walk.

- A) conflicted
- B) transient
- C) vulnerable
- D) decisive
- E) humbled

12) Students are usually able to move on to the next level of study after they \_\_\_\_\_ their current work.

- A) decide on
- B) investigate
- C) dismantle
- D) attempt
- E) master