

penDUX TOF 800 Test 13


Total: /100

Main Words


1. fit	to be the right shape and size for someone or something.
2. excited	in a state of excitement; thrilled.
3. pour	to cause to flow in a steady stream.
4. curious	eager to learn or know.
5. compose	to form or be the parts of.
6. beautiful	very nice to see, hear, or feel.
7. prepare	to make ready.
8. enjoy	to experience pleasure or happiness in some activity.
9. respect	to give honor to someone; to put someone in a high position in your feelings.
10. admire	to have a high opinion of; respect.

The script must be played at least three times.   


Yesterday was the 20th anniversary of my mom and dad. Mom gave him a little gift. He got so excited. "I can't wait to see what it is! Thank you, honey", he said.

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"Is it a pair of shoes?" dad asked. "No", mom answered with a smile. Her answer made dad more curious. "Then, is it books?" dad asked once again.

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"What a surprise! It's a picture puzzle!" he said. There was a picture puzzle that mom specially made by herself.

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In the picture, Dad was smiling in his new blue shirt and mom was holding his hand smiling. "This present is so beautiful! How long did it take for you to make this thing?," dad asked. "It's a secret," mom answered. "How handsome he is!," she said happily standing closer to dad. "How beautiful she is!," he answered with a deep smile.

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Mom's eyes got bigger. It seemed like she never expected that dad would prepare something for her. There were tears in her eyes. She opened the box. There was a beautiful necklace, which fits perfect on her. I was very happy just by looking at them. At dinnertime, mom cooked dad's favorite food New York strip steak. It was the most beautiful dinner I've ever had in my life. After that, my family went out to watch a movie and enjoyed walking through the park. They held their hands tight all day along. I really love my mom and dad.

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I believe that mom and dad would have a happy anniversary even after 50years!



Listen again and answer the questions below.

1. Why did the parents give each other gifts?
  - A. It was their birthday
  - B. It was Christmas
  - C. It was their anniversary
  
2. What did the dad guess was in the box?
  - A. A puzzle
  - B. A necklace
  - C. A puppy
  - D. A pair of shoes
  
3. What present did the dad receive?
  - A. He got a picture puzzle
  - B. He got a necklace
  - C. He got a pair of shoes
  - D. He got some books
  
4. What was the picture of?
  - A. It was a picture of the family
  - B. It was a picture of the mom and dad
  - C. It was a picture of two dogs
  
5. How did the mom react when the dad gave her a gift?
  - A. She opened her eyes bigger
  - B. She started to laugh
  - C. She gave him a hug
  - D. She kissed him on the cheek
  
6. What present did the mom receive?
  - A. She got a picture puzzle
  - B. She got a necklace
  - C. She got a pair of shoes
  - D. She got some books
  
7. What did the family have for dinner?
  - A. They had pizza
  - B. They had hamburgers
  - C. They had spaghetti
  - D. They had steak
  
8. How did the author feel about the dinner?
  - A. He wished his mom could cook better
  - B. He wished it came with cake
  - C. He thought it was wonderful
  - D. He thought it was terrible
  
9. Where did the family go after dinner?
  - A. They went hiking on a mountain
  - B. They went out for cake
  - C. They went out for ice cream
  - D. They went to the park
  
10. What does the author want to be true when he or she grows up?
  - A. To be a great parent
  - B. To be 50 years old
  - C. To be able to eat steak every night
  - D. To be the grandfather of 50 grandchildren

**Listening Exercise 2** Listen to the story, then fill in the blanks.

## Listening Exercise 1

In this ( ) society, governments ( ) ( ) the dilemma whether spending more money.

## Listening Exercise 2.

This problem is a ( )- ( ) one in that it ( ) everybody in his or her daily life.

## Listening Exercise 3

I would be one of those who ( ) that governments ( ) ( ) more money on improving public transportation.

## Listening Exercise 4

Firstly, it is ( ) ( ) for ( ) people to choose roads and highways.

## Listening Exercise 5

Because of a better road condition ( ) ( ) with it more vehicles.

## Listening Exercise 6

Thus a much more crowded traffic. ( ) you ever ( ) ( ) in a traffic jam?

## Listening Exercise 7

Then how ( ) just ( ) more money on ( ) roads and highways do?

## Listening Exercise 8

The ( ) benefits of choosing roads and highways ( ) ( ) how flimsy it is.

## Listening Exercise 9

This ( ) ( ) the last thing that everyone ( ) ( ) to see.

## Listening Exercise 10


But if we ( ) to improve public transportation, a ( ) ( ) result could be.

**penDUX TOF 800 Test 14****Total: /100****Main Words**


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| 1. insecure   | not sure of oneself; filled with doubt.                         |
| 2. naturally  | by nature.  |
| 3. graduate   | to successfully finish required studies at a school or college. |
| 4. attend     | to be present at a place for some particular purpose.           |
| 5. continue   | to keep happening or being; to last for a long time.            |
| 6. confidence | a sense of trust or faith in a person or thing.                 |
| 7. occur      | to take place; happen.  |
| 8. imaginable | possible to imagine; conceivable.                               |
| 9. eventually | at a future time; in the end; finally.                          |
| 10. flutter   | to wave rapidly back and forth or up and down.                  |

**The script must be played at least three times.**   

I don't like the way I look. All my friends are pretty, but not me.

 (Listen Carefully : \_\_\_\_\_  
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Boys even don't look at me. Sometimes they make fun of me. Naturally I don't find any interests in boys at all. I focus on studying only and get great scores on every test. Finally I graduated high school and become a college student. I went to the University of Wisconsin-Madison, in the state of Wisconsin.


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There's a nice boy in my class. I like him, but he doesn't know me at all. I want to get to know him but I don't know where to start.

Whenever I ask my friends what to do, they tell me to have more confidence and be myself, which is never easy. At first, I even thought about getting plastic surgery to be prettier because I was so insecure. However, at the same time inside of my heart is seeking for someone who would love me for me instead of my looks. One day, a miracle occurred.

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We agreed to meet after class for coffee at Starbucks. We talked some more and agreed to go to the movie theaters to watch a movie called Prometheus. I enjoyed the movie every much as did he. It was very frightening and thrilling with a plot that twist that blew my mind.

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My heart flutters when I think of him. I might be in love already, although a bit soon.



Listen again and answer the questions below.

1. What kind of eyes do I have?
  - A. Round
  - B. Large
  - C. Small
  - D. Blue
2. How do boys act towards me?
  - A. They are kind
  - B. They are helpful
  - C. They like me
  - D. They make fun of me
3. How are my test scores?
  - A. Bad all the time
  - B. Great all the time
  - C. Always average
  - D. Worst in the class
4. Which state is the University of Wisconsin-Madison in?
  - A. State of Florida
  - B. State of Mississippi
  - C. State of California
  - D. State of Wisconsin
5. When did I fall in love?
  - A. When I became an elementary student
  - B. When I became a high school student
  - C. When I became a college student
  - D. When I turned twenty seven
6. In which subject project did I become partners with him?
  - A. In biochemistry
  - B. In physics
  - C. In biology
  - D. In history
7. We agreed to meet after class for coffee at Starbucks.
  - A. True
  - B. False
8. What movie did we watch together?
  - A. Iron Man
  - B. Fast and Furious
  - C. Harry Potter
  - D. Prometheus
9. He dropped me off home, and said good night.
  - A. True
  - B. False
10. When did we decide to meet again?
  - A. A month later
  - B. A week later
  - C. Two days later
  - D. Tomorrow after class

**Listening Exercise 2** Listen to the story, then fill in the blanks.

## Listening Exercise 1

This ( ) ( ) ( ) by the undeniable fact of our city.

## Listening Exercise 2.

We ( ) greatly ( ) the bus network and ( ) the parking places since several years ago.

## Listening Exercise 3

Now ( ) ( ) ( ) people ( ) from cars to buses and other public transportation such as subway.

## Listening Exercise 4

And an azure sky ( ) ( ) highly ( ) again.

## Listening Exercise 5

( ) ( ) ( ), taking into account all these merits and drawbacks I ( ) ( ).

## Listening Exercise 6

We ( ) safely ( ) at the conclusion that.

## Listening Exercise 7

We ( ) ( ) more money and concerns more about public transportation.

## Listening Exercise 8

We ( ) ( ) more convenience when traveling as well as an appreciate nature environment.

## Listening Exercise 9

In the initial years of our life, our parents ( ) ( ) in guiding us.

## Listening Exercise 10

( ) ( ) our personality and making us understand the differences between ( ) and ( ).