



2000 Core English Words 1 Midterm Test (Unit 1-8)

A. Choose the word that fits best in the sentence.

1. He went to the dentist because he had a bad _____.
a. stomachache b. toothache c. headache d. sick
2. Jane's _____ hurt after eating some spicy food.
a. chin b. stomach c. hair d. neck
3. You must go to the gym more often. You're getting so _____!
a. well b. slim c. fit d. fat
4. If you take this medicine, you will feel _____.
a. short b. well c. slim d. tall
5. I always play soccer in the _____ after school.
a. pool b. park c. swing d. team
6. My friend is the best _____ on the basketball team.
a. winner b. snowman c. coach d. player
7. Open the _____ door and you will see the dishes.
a. cupboard b. drawer c. blanket d. toilet
8. Which apartment does she _____ in?
a. eat b. have c. live d. chop
9. To make a _____, you need to press meat and spices into a long tube.
a. bacon b. jam c. honey d. sausage
10. Go into the hotel, then take the _____ to the second floor.
a. elevator b. exit c. entrance d. gate

B. Unscramble and write the correct word for to the given definition.

1. the whole physical person

_____ d y o b

2. the body part between one's head and shoulders

_____ k e c n

3. a bad event that was not planned

_____ c i c d e t a n

4. someone whose job is to care for sick and injured people

_____ r e n s u

5. a ball of snow that someone makes

_____ n o l s a b l w

6. the sport of catching fish

_____ f g h i s i n

7. a piece of cloth or paper for wiping a person's hands and mouth

_____ k n a n p i

8. a covering for floors made of a thick material

_____ t c p a r e

9. a structure with walls and a roof, such as a house or school

_____ i n i d i u g b

10. a soft white food made from sugar

_____ m l s w a a o m r l h

C. Write the letter S for synonyms or A for antonym next to the pair of words.

1. _____ hurt – ache

6. _____ soccer - football

2. _____ medicine – drug

7. _____ downstairs – upstairs

3. _____ fit – weak

8. _____ entrance – exit

4. _____ safety – security

9. _____ build – make

5. _____ final – first

10. _____ cup - mug

D. Reading Comprehension

Nurse Sarah: What's the matter, Jenny?

Jenny: I cut my arm, **Nurse** Sarah. Look, there's **blood**!

Nurse Sarah: You poor thing, you must be in **pain**. Does your **body hurt** anywhere else?

Jenny: Yes, my **lip** really hurts.

Nurse Sarah: Oh yes, I can see that. How did this happen?

Jenny: I was **playing** on the **field** with my friends. We were playing a **game** of **soccer**. While I was **running** I fell over. Do I need to go to the **hospital** to see a **doctor**?

Nurse Sarah: No, I don't think so. I can give you some **medicine** to **ease** the pain, and you'll feel **well** in a few days. But, I am worried about your **tooth**. I think you hit it when you fell down. That's why your lip hurts. You should go and see a **dentist**, just in case.

Jenny: Oh no, I hate the dentist! The smell there makes me feel **sick**.

Nurse Sarah: Well, you'll have to go, I'm afraid. Your **health** is very important, Jenny!

1. How did Jenny hurt herself?

- a. She got scratched by a cat.
- b. She fell on the field.
- c. She was pushed by a student.
- d. She walked into a door.

2. What other part of her body does Jenny say hurts?

- a. knee
- b. leg
- c. nose
- d. lip

3. What is Nurse Sarah worried about?
- a. Jenny might have to stay home from school.
 - b. Jenny might've hurt a classmate.
 - c. Jenny might've broken her arm.
 - d. Jenny might've hit her tooth.
4. The meaning of **running** in this passage is
- a. to use a machine
 - b. to move one's body quickly
 - c. to operate a business
5. Fill in the blank with the word from the passage.
- a. Jenny came to the nurses office because she fell while _____ soccer with some classmates.
 - b. Nurse Sarah recommended that Jenny visit a(n) _____ to check on her tooth.
 - c. Jenny doesn't want to go because the smell of the dentist's office makes her feel _____.