

Unit 12 - An overcrowded world

I. Find the odd one out A, B, C, or D.						
1. A. affect	B. replace	C. effect	D. fly			
2. A. density	B. overcrowded	C. crime	D. megacity			
3. A. explosion	B. hunger	C. slum	D. float			
4. A. space	B. safely	C. poverty	D. slumdog			
5. A. criminal	B. drive	C. doctor	D. student			
II. Complete the following tag questions.						
1. There's a new car	toon,	?				
2. They don't want t	o sell their house,	?				
3. This machine never works very well,?						
4. Your parents shou	ald stay in the hotel,		?			
5. We can't go camping today,?						
6. I am late,?						
7. Let's go to Lan's house,?						
8. I think that is an overcrowded bus,?						
9. You grandparents don't prefer living in the city,?						
10. The tourists will never be allowed to visit the slums again,?						
11. I'm unable to solve that problem alone,?						
12. Dharavi used to be a fishing village with only three thousand people,?						
13. Her brother has lived in Jakarta for more than ten years,?						
14. These houses cannot provide enough accommodation,?						
15. His sister works for a big foreign company in the city,?						
16. There were nearly one million people living in this city in 2010,?						
17. You and I shouldn't go to those streets when it turns dark,?						
III. Give the correct form of the words given to complete the sentences:						
1. The air in the city is very(pollute)						
2. We'll make this beach clean andagain. (beauty)						
3. If the pollution, what will happen? (continue)						
4. The world's population is growing(quick)						
5. If it doesn't rain soon, there'll be a greatof water. (short)						
6. In most big cities, there are many wealthy people, butis still a problem. (poor)						
7. Life must bein the slums. (difficulty)						
8325 to Ho Chi Minh City is now boarding at the gate 3. (fly)						
9. The little looksenough. (health)						



10. Farmers needland than town people. (much)						
IV. Use the word given and other words, complete the second sentence so that it has similar						
meaning to the first. Do not change the word given.						
1. New York has more billionaires than Tokyo. (FEWER)						
2. A group of foreigners visited the slums last week, didn't they? (VISIT)						
3. The countryside doesn't suffer as much pollution as the city. (LESS)						
4. Does overpopulation cause a lot of social problems in this area? (CAUSES)						
5. Jakarta doesn't have as many skyscrapers as Shanghai. (MORE)						
V. Find mistake in the four underlined parts of each sentence and correct it.						
1. We prefer <u>living</u> in the countryside <u>because</u> it has <u>fewer pollution than the city</u> .						
2. Their <u>children</u> have never <u>been given</u> new <u>clothes</u> before, <u>haven't they?</u>						
3. There <u>are more opportunities</u> to <u>find jobs</u> in Hong Kong as in Bangkok.						
4. Your uncle works in Ha Noi for one year and then moved to Da Nang, didn't he?						
5. There <u>used</u> to be <u>less</u> unemployed people in <u>this city</u> five <u>years ago</u> .						
VI. Read the following passage and answer the questions below.						
The two children have been in London. They were surprised at the crowds everywhere. They						
decided to travel on the tube railway. They found that they had to be quick and get on the train or i						
would go off without them.						
One day they went to Hype Park and walked along on the grass to Kensington Gardens in bright						
autumn sunshine. This was different from the crowded streets, and Mary said that it was like being						
back home. The leaves of the great trees were turning red, brown and yellow, birds were flying						
about, there were lots of flowers and ducks swimming about on the Round Pond. Only the noise						
from the street in the distance reminded them of the town.						
1. Where have the children been?						
2. What made them surprised?						
3. What did they decide to do?						
4. Where did they go one day?						



5. In which season did they go there?6. Where do you think the two children cam to London from?						
1. Overpopulation	problemsb	ooth the rich and the poor.				
A. cause	B. reduce	C. happen	D. affect			
2. The major cause	of death for children livi	ng in the slums is				
A. immigration	B. malnutrition	C. density	D. illiteracy			
3. It's very	in the city. Some ric	h people live in large villas,	, while many poor people			
live in small slums						
A. spacious	B. healthy	C. diverse	D. equal			
4. Some poor peop	le maycr	ime when they need money.				
A. commit	B. accept	C. involve	D. arrive			
5. The city has to f	indto	homeless people immediat	ely.			
A. calories	B. solutions	C. earnings	D. systems			
6. The immigrants	will hardly find accommo	odation in the city,	?			
A. will they	B. won't they	C. will it	D. won't it			
7. Disease spreads	more quickly in overcrov	vded areas,?				
A. isn't it	B. doesn't it	C. is it	D. does it			
8. Living in the co	untry is healthier than tha	t in the city because in the c	ountryside,			
there istraffic	c.					
A. higher	B. fewer	C. more	D. less			
9. people move to	the city with the hope tha	t they can getfoo	d and better healthcare.			
A. more	B. bigger	C. less	D. fewer			
10	accidents were recorded	this year than that year; 23 c	ases compared to 42 cases.			
A. Less	B. More	C. Fewer	D. Lower			