

## Compound noun and noun phrase exercises

Circle the stress on each syllable and mark the tonic stress in each item with an asterisk (\*).

(Work still missing from: Ariel, Leo, Jasmine)

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| <b>Amy</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. same-sex marriage</li><li>2. tissue paper</li><li>3. browser history</li><li>4. research paper</li><li>5. five-thousand word paper</li><li>6. lab report</li><li>7. well-educated English speaker</li><li>8. Spanish-English dictionary</li><li>9. all-around development</li><li>10. whole-grain food</li></ol>                       | <b>Tammy</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. a serious form of gum disease</li><li>2. waving flag</li><li>3. the waning moon</li><li>4. the engagement of the flag pole sitter</li><li>5. a crude comedy</li><li>6. a last trace of Cold War hostility</li><li>7. a spy swamp</li><li>8. campaign donations</li><li>9. centuries of canon law</li><li>10. Rudolph, the Red-Nosed Reindeer</li></ol>                 | <b>Joanne</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. gummy bear</li><li>2. teddy bear</li><li>3. firefly</li><li>4. train station</li><li>5. washing machine</li><li>6. toy store</li><li>7. tennis shoe</li><li>8. bus stop</li><li>9. container ship</li><li>10. intelligent monkey</li></ol>  |
| <b>Chander</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. vertical leg crunches</li><li>2. wall sit</li><li>3. ab crunches</li><li>4. side plank</li><li>5. chair steps</li><li>6. push-up motion</li><li>7. new car smell</li><li>8. concert tour</li><li>9. blank space</li><li>10. wonderland</li></ol>   | <b>Yvonne</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. equivocal phrases</li><li>2. disputed territory</li><li>3. cobalt blue</li><li>4. resolutely fixed gaze</li><li>5. pistol barrel</li><li>6. hypnotic voice</li><li>7. an overripe pear</li><li>8. fountain pens</li><li>9. intellectual property</li><li>10. science fiction film</li></ol>   | <b>Emily</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Arsenal Football Club</li><li>2. Arsenal injury news</li><li>3. one-game suspension</li><li>4. Christmas gifts</li><li>5. Boxing Day</li><li>6. toothpaste</li><li>7. monthly ticket</li><li>8. bizarre love triangle</li><li>9. basketball highlights</li><li>10. six-year contract extension</li></ol> |
| <b>Vivian</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. washing machine</li><li>2. train station</li><li>3. picnic basket</li><li>4. dining table</li><li>5. school report</li><li>6. Halloween candy</li><li>7. fish tank</li><li>8. airplane ticket</li><li>9. soccer game</li><li>10. football uniform</li></ol>   | <b>Helen</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. input processing</li><li>2. starting point</li><li>3. string of words</li><li>4. instrumental motivation</li><li>5. target language</li><li>6. grammar rule</li><li>7. language disorders</li><li>8. social interaction</li><li>9. developmental sequence</li><li>10. communicative ability</li></ol>  | <b>Julie</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. bus stop</li><li>2. roller coaster</li><li>3. tennis shoes</li><li>4. chair leg</li><li>5. trouble maker</li><li>6. beauty salon</li><li>7. water tank</li><li>8. sister-in-law</li><li>9. heart attack</li><li>10. one-night stand</li></ol>  |
| <b>Alina</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. body image</li><li>2. couch potato</li><li>3. mortality rate</li><li>4. health writer</li><li>5. show business</li><li>6. Christmas party</li><li>7. side effect</li><li>8. fighter pilot</li><li>9. blood circulation</li><li>10. bus stop</li><li>11. research paper</li><li>12. afternoon tea</li><li>13. body language</li></ol> | <b>Diana Tai</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. brightest business brains</li><li>2. broadband access</li><li>3. East of England</li><li>4. cultural melting pot</li><li>5. Birmingham's Queen Elizabeth Hospital</li><li>6. life-saving surgery</li><li>7. contemporary art venue</li><li>8. New York pro-police demonstrators</li><li>9. controversial T-shirt</li><li>10. Lord Sugar's right-hand man</li></ol> | <b>Wayne</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. car key</li><li>2. a meeting point</li><li>3. goodbye kiss</li><li>4. morning coffee</li><li>5. horseback riding</li><li>6. walking stick</li><li>7. public speaking</li><li>8. monthly ticket</li><li>9. New Year's Day</li></ol>   |

**Gina**

1. successful language learners
2. quiet observant learner
3. learner anxiety
4. an oral presentation
5. a given moment
6. communicative confidence
7. integrative motivation
8. developmental changes
9. classroom instruction
10. Critical Period Hypothesis

**Brian**

1. facial expression
2. flora exposition
3. an annual teleconference
4. consulting firms
5. a year-end clearance
6. correspondence course
7. a delicate flower
8. passion fruit
9. her heyday
10. then-fashionable flowery style

**Diana Huang**

1. happy ending
2. brilliant light
3. ornithology study
4. object-oriented ontology
5. alien species
6. ancient Egyptian civilization
7. talk show host
8. unidentified flying object
9. government funding
10. damned lives

**Ruben**

1. fundamentally flawed assumptions
2. reliable witness testimony
3. open-source software packages
4. historically accurate battle re-enactment
5. significant sociolinguistic experiment
6. student-oriented pedagogical approaches
7. proven cancer therapy
8. assassinated presidential candidate
9. strawberry-flavored buttermilk biscuits
10. New York City police commissioner

**Los**

1. project manager
2. baseball game
3. cheese cake
4. techno party
5. drug addict
6. floor stripper
7. drain cleaner
8. newspaper stand
9. speaker volume
10. rainbow candy