

ENG501 Quiz 02

1. In many varieties of English in the outer circle, there is no difference between _____.
(long and short vowels)
2. During the British colonial rule, Standard _____ was the language of administration.
(British English)
3. According to 2001 census, English was recorded as the language most often spoken at home for _____ of population. **(8.2%)**
4. In forwards, -wards is a _____ suffix.
(Derivational inflectional lexical none of the given options)
5. I used to stay out evenings. American English freely adds the suffix –s today to words like night, evening, etc. to form _____ denoting repeated or customary action.
(adverb)
6. The word ‘Kindergarten’ is added to the American vocabulary from _____ language.
(German)
7. The words ending in unstressed –ile (e.g. fertile) are pronounced with _____ in British English; some are pronounced with /ɪ/ in American English. **(/aɪ/)**
8. In American English both ‘got’ and ‘gotten’ serve as _____ but ‘gotten’ is preferred.
(past participle)
9. Compared with English as spoken in _____, North American English is more homogeneous. **(England)**
10. ‘Midland’ and ‘New Orleans’ are examples of regional and local varieties of _____.
11. ‘Team’ means a group of _____. **(athletes)**
12. The term _____ literally means “Frank language”. **(lingua franca)**
13. In American English, collective nouns are _____. **(singular)**

14. The word 'Barbeque' is added to the American vocabulary from ____ language.
(Spanish)
15. A language does not achieve a genuinely ____ status until it develops a special role that is recognized in every country. (Global)

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