**American File 2 Unit 5-8**

**Listening**

**Listen carefully to Claire talking about her favorite photo. Fill in the blanks.(3.5)**

OK, here’s my family. I love this photo. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it last summer … when was it? July, I think. Oh, of course, July the 16th, Mom’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. We had a picnic on the beach, and five of us came – Mom, Dad, my two older brothers, Jamie and Alex, and me. We were all there, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my sister Lisa. She’s the oldest, and I’m the youngest. She and her boyfriend, Tom, were away on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . And of course, I’m not in the picture, because I was taking it! Anyway, that’s my mom, with the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hair. It was her 60th birthday that we were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . She’s great, really generous and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . She’s met a lot of my friends, and they always really like her. That’s my dad, on her left, with the dark hair. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to him is my brother, Jamie. He’s the one with short \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hair. He’s a lawyer, and we don’t see him that often \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ he’s very busy. He’s really smart, but he’s really shy and quiet. I don’t think you’ve \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ him. Then there’s my other brother, Alex, the one with dark hair on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . He always wears black. I think he’s probably the one I feel \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to. He’s a teacher, and I think he was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ so much in this photo because it was the first day of his school vacation.

**Grammar**

**Choose the correct option.(2.5)**

1. We have **too many** / **too** / **too** **much** money. We can’t spend it!
2. Henry **hasn’t to** / **doesn’t have to /mustn’t** get up early today. It’s Saturday.
3. Carol and John have gotten a cat. **It’s**/**Its / Their** name is Webbley.
4. If you want to get good marks, you **should /would / can** study more.
5. We had sandwiches for lunch because we didn’t feel like to **cook/cook/cooking.**
6. This test isn’t **more/as/too** difficult as last week’s test.
7. I drive **as carefully /more carefully than / the most carefully** my father.
8. If we don’t leave now, we **will/should/must** miss the last bus.
9. It was the best vacation we’ve **ever / just / never** had.
10. I don’t think you **shouldn’t/should/should to** tell your parents about this.

**Write the correct form of the words.(3)**

1. Yesterday was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (hot) day of the year.
2. He sent Jenny a text because he wanted \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (tell) her the news.
3. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (see) the doctor tomorrow morning .
4. Do you think she should\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (look for)a different job?
5. James left without \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (say) goodbye to me.
6. I’m tired! I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (not sleep) well last night.

**Vocabulary**

**Choose the correct word for each blank.(4)**

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1. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ stands in one of the main squares.
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , she had no idea what was going on.
3. Many \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ men remarry and have second families.
4. The Old Town has a whole collection of churches, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and mosques.
5. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to his family that everything was fine.
6. We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the weekend in Paris.
7. Can I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your umbrella?
8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the door shut.

**Choose the correct option.(1.5)**

1. This city is too \_\_\_\_\_. We’re going to move to a cleaner place.

A dangerous  B polluted  C populated 

1. Eating lots of fruit and vegetables can \_\_\_\_\_ many illnesses.

A prevent  B proceed  C protect 

1. This camera doesn’t work! I’m \_\_\_\_\_ it back to the store.

A taking  B bringing  C carrying 

1. I’m not very good \_\_\_\_\_ tennis. I prefer volleyball.

A in  B with  C at 

1. We’re \_\_\_\_\_ to buy a new apartment soon.

A hoping  B liking  C dreaming 

1. We \_\_\_\_\_ for the bus for an hour before it arrived.

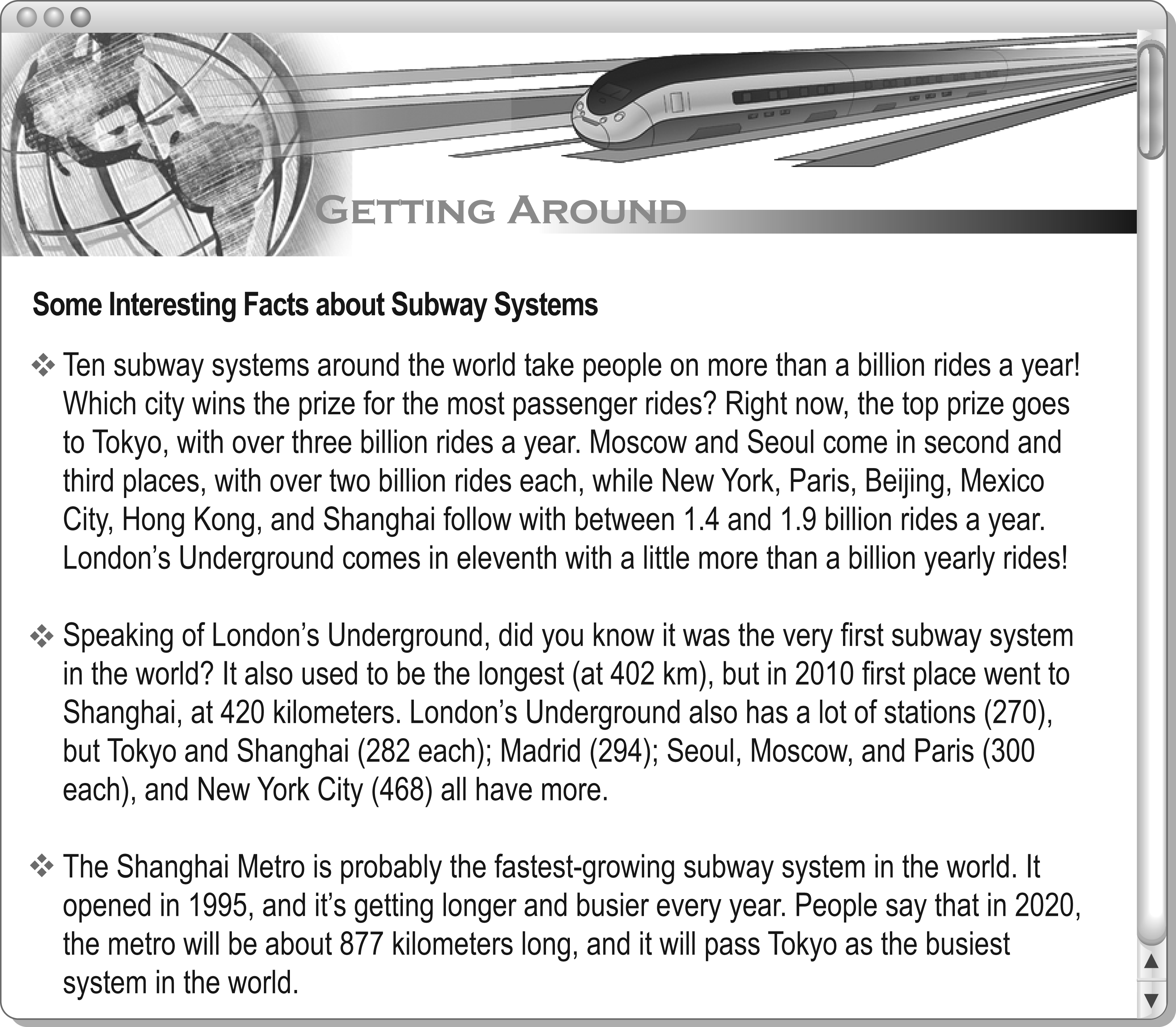
A hoped  B expected  C waited 

**Pronunciation.**

**Which word has a different sound?(1)**

1. A en**ou**gh  B th**ough**t  C h**u**rry 
2. A thr**ow**  B d**ow**n  C l**ow** 
3. A sc**i**ence  B h**i**story  C ch**i**ld 
4. A c**ou**ld  B p**u**t  C b**u**t 

Read the article from a travel website. Write T (true) or F (false).(3)



**According to the article:**

1. Tokyo has one of the busiest subway systems in the world. \_\_\_\_

2. London’s Underground is as busy as the subways in Beijing and Paris. \_\_\_\_

3. New York City’s subway system isn’t the longest. \_\_\_\_

4. The subway system in Paris has the largest number of stations. \_\_\_\_

5. Shanghai has the second-longest subway system in the world. \_\_\_\_

6. Shanghai’s subway system has more passenger rides a day than Tokyo’s. \_\_\_\_

**Writing**

**Choose of the topics and write about it in 100 words.(1.5)**

1. Write a short article about your lifestyle.
2. Describe a time you visited a friend’s parents.