**SFL/METU November 2017**

**DBE Time: 15 mins. Testing Office**

**Pop Quiz 105**

**BEGINNER GROUP**

**Class:**

**Name:**

**A. Fill each gap in the conversation with ONE WORD ONLY. Contractions such as “don’t” count as one word.**

**(5 pts. each; 50 pts.)**

**Waiter:** Good morning. Welcome to our café. I see you have four people in your group.

**John:** Yes.

**Waiter:** Here is a table for four. Is this OK?

**Kathy:** Oh no, it’s very dark here. I want (1) sit near the window.

**Waiter:** No problem. Is this table OK?

**Kathy:** This is fine, thank you.

**Peter:** Can (2) give us some menus, please?

**Waiter:** Certainly. Here you are.

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**Waiter:** Are you ready to order?

**Jill:** Yes. (3) I like pancakes and coffee, please.

**Waiter:** (4) coffee do you prefer, filter coffee or espresso?

**Jill:** Filter coffee with milk please. Oh, how much (5) the fresh-squeezed orange juice cost?

**Waiter:** $1.50.

**Jill:** OK then, I want to (6) an orange juice, too.

**Waiter:** OK, so that’s one order of pancakes, one orange juice and one filter coffee with milk. What about the rest of you?

**Kathy:** Hmmmm, I (7) eating pancakes, but I don’t want them today. I’ll have

the vegetable omelet and tea.

**John:** Yes, me too. I plan to lose weight and (8) fit, so I need to be careful about my meals.

**Peter:** Yeah, that’s right. You (9) eat pancakes because you’re trying to lose

weight. You need protein, like eggs and cheese.

**Waiter:** So… That’s one order of pancakes, two vegetable omelets, one filter coffee with milk, and two teas.

And for you, sir?

**Peter:** Please bring (10) pancakes with butter, two eggs, and some sausage.

Oh, and coffee with cream. I don’t care about losing weight!

**PLEASE TURN OVER**

**B. Fill each gap in the text with a suitable word from the box. DO NOT change the forms of the words. Use each word only ONCE. Be careful! There are THREE EXTRAS. (5 pts. each; 50 pts.)**

**never quite far find use over sell**

**temperature expensive sounds well-known changes desert**

Opals are a type of gemstone, or valuable rock. People make jewelry with them. They are

(1) popular because of their beautiful colors. Opals come from silica (silicone dioxide) and water. After it rains, water goes down into rock and brings silica from the rock with it. The water with silica stays inside the rock in some places. Later, the rock’s (2) becomes

very hot because of strong sunlight. The water in the rock (3) into gas and goes into the air. The silica stays behind in the rock and becomes opals.

People (4) many opals under the ground in Australia. Coober Pedy is one

Australian town with opals. People look for opals under the ground there.

They (5) power tools and make deep holes in the ground. Then they go down into the holes and look for opals. The people in Coober Pedy also live under the ground, so their houses stay

cool. This is important because Coober Pedy is in a/an (6)

, so the weather is

very hot there in the summer.

Coober Pedy is (7) for its opals, so people come there from all around the world. They take opals out of the ground and (8) them to people for money.

Some people in Coober Pedy become rich in this way, but the life there is not suitable for everyone. It is a

small town, and it is (9)

from Australia’s big cities like Sydney and Melbourne.

People there are often alone, so they read or watch TV a lot. This (10) boring, but the people in Coober Pedy prefer this life because they love opals.

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**A. (5 pts. each; 50 pts.) B. (5 pts. each; 50 pts.)**

1. to

2. you

3. would

4. Which

5. does

6. have/drink/order

7. like / love

8. get / become

9. can’t / shouldn’t / mustn’t

10. me

1. quite

2. temperature

3. changes

4. find

5. use

6. desert

7. well-known

8. sell

9. far

10. sounds