1. The sign in front of the Johnsons’ house says that no one is allowed to set foot on their \_\_\_\_\_\_ without permission.

(A) margin (B) shelter (C) reservation (D) property

1. Instead of giving negative criticism, our teachers usually try to give us \_\_\_\_\_\_ feedback so that we can improve on our papers.

(A) absolute (B) constructive (C) influential (D) peculiar

3. A study shows that the chance of an accident is much higher for drivers who are \_\_\_\_\_\_ in phone conversations while driving.

(A) contained (B) engaged (C) included (D) located

4. Mike trembled with \_\_\_\_\_\_ and admiration when he saw the magnificent view of the waterfalls.

(A) awe (B) plea (C) oath (D) merit

5. Ms. Chen has a large collection of books and most of them are quite heavy; she needs a bookshelf  
\_\_\_\_\_\_ enough to hold all of them.

(A) coarse (B) vigorous (C) portable (D) sturdy

6. The athlete rolled up his sleeves to show his \_\_\_\_\_\_ forearms, thick and strong from years of training in weight-lifting.

(A) barren (B) chubby (C) ragged (D) muscular

7. Suffering from a serious financial crisis, the car company is now on the edge of \_\_\_\_\_\_, especially with the recent sharp decrease in its new car sales.

(A)graduation (B)capacity (C)depression (D)bankruptcy

8. After the rain, the meadow \_\_\_\_\_\_ under the sun with the droplets of water on the grass.

(A) rippled (B) shattered (C) glistened (D) mingled

9. The Great Wall of China was originally built to \_\_\_\_\_\_ the northern border of the country against foreign invasion.

(A) fortify (B) rehearse (C) diminish (D) strangle

10. A mad scientist in a novel is often portrayed as a wild-eyed man with crazy hair, working \_\_\_\_\_\_ in a lab full of strange equipment and bubbling test tubes.

(A) contagiously (B) distinctively (C) frantically (D) tremendously