

How My Parents Learned to Eat

◆ Fill in the bubble next to the right answer.

Skills and Strategies

1. John ate with a knife and fork.
Aiko ate with _____.

(a) chopsticks	(c) two forks
(b) a spoon	(d) her hands

2. Aiko drank soup from a bowl.
John used _____.

(a) chopsticks	(c) two forks
(b) a spoon	(d) his hands

3. Aiko bowed to greet people.
John _____.

(a) nodded	(c) shrugged
(b) smiled	(d) shook hands

4. The story is told by _____.

(a) Aiko
(b) John
(c) John and Aiko's daughter
(d) Aiko's great-uncle

5. The person telling the story explained _____.

(a) what Aiko and John thought and felt
(b) how John and Aiko met
(c) why Aiko and John fell in love
(d) who Aiko's parents were

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Vocabulary

6. Aiko tried to eat with a fork. She said, "I'll never learn." I'll means _____.
 (a) I won't (c) I will
 (b) I can (d) you will
7. John asked Aiko why she **didn't** wear a kimono. He wanted to know why she _____.
 (a) did wear it (c) would not wear it
 (b) did not wear it (d) could not wear it
8. Aiko said, "Tonight **we'll** eat meat and potatoes." **We'll** means _____.
 (a) we won't (c) we did
 (b) we can (d) we will
9. John was **afraid** to invite Aiko to dinner. John felt _____.
 (a) silly (c) fearful
 (b) sad (d) brave
10. Aiko thought John was **ashamed** of her. She thought he felt _____.
 (a) shame (c) anger
 (b) shy (d) fear