

## Unit 6 The High and the Low

### Reading Comprehension

#### A. Main Reading

##### Circle the best answers.

1. When does water cover a lot of the beach?  
a. During winter  
b. During summer  
c. During low tide  
d. During high tide
2. In most places, what is the difference between high tide and low tide?  
a. One meter  
b. Ten meters  
c. Eighteen meters  
d. One hundred meters
3. Which is NOT mentioned as a reason the Bay of Fundy has a large tidal range?  
a. The size of the bay  
b. The shape of the bay  
c. The gravity of the bay  
d. The width of the bay
4. Which is true about the Bay of Fundy?  
a. It starts at a beach and ends at a swing.  
b. It starts wide and becomes narrower.  
c. It starts at low tide and ends at high tide.  
d. It starts narrow and becomes wider.
5. What does the author compare the tides in the Bay of Fundy to?  
a. A swing  
b. A beach  
c. The sun  
d. The moon

#### B. Focus on Language

##### Circle the correct words.

6. Suzie ate spaghetti (as well as / has to do with) pizza! She must be full.
7. The teacher's angry face (as well as / has to do with) Paulo being late for class again.
8. The table has four legs. The (legs of the table / leg's table) are metal.
9. The students have a new teacher. The (student's / students') new teacher is Mrs. Aziz.
10. The range of the (tide's / tides) here is about two meters.

#### C. Focus on Strategies

##### Write T for True or F for False.

11. The best time to go clam digging is one hour before low tide. \_\_\_\_\_
12. You should wear your good clothes to dig clams. \_\_\_\_\_
13. Dig where you see water come out of small holes. \_\_\_\_\_
14. Fried clams are delicious. \_\_\_\_\_

##### Write the correct words in the blanks.

cook   fast   under   shovel   boots

15. The tide comes in \_\_\_\_\_ in the Bay of Fundy.

Wear rubber \_\_\_\_\_ or go barefoot.

Bring a bucket, \_\_\_\_\_, and rake.

The clams are \_\_\_\_\_ the sand.

Take your clams home and \_\_\_\_\_ them.