ANSWER KEY WITH EXPLANATIONS

Illustrated Everyday Expressions with Stories 2 – Lesson 20 MCQ Test

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Explanations

1. **Choose the best answer.**

He had been fooling everyone _____.
✓ **A) all along**
All along means 'from the beginning, the whole time'. He was fooling everyone from the start, and nobody knew.

2. The police told the protesters to move, but they all _____.
✓ **A) stayed put**
Stay put means 'stay in the same place and not move'. The police wanted them to move, **but** they did not move.

3. If you _____ allergies, there are medicines available these days to help you.
✓ **C) suffer from**
Suffer from means 'have an illness or health problem'. Example: **She suffers from headaches.**

4. He is incredibly tall, which also _____ all the members of his family.
✓ **B) is true of**
Be true of means 'be the same for someone or something'. Being very tall is also the same for everyone in his family.

5. If you _____ walking to school in the morning, you won't get any exercise.
✓ **A) cut out**
Cut out means 'stop doing something'. If you stop walking to school, you won't get any exercise.

6. _____ she thinks about quitting her job and moving to the country.
✓ **B) Every so often**
Every so often means 'sometimes, not regularly'. Now and then, she thinks about quitting her job.

7. Would you mind _____? It's very noisy in here.
✓ **A) speaking up**
Speak up means 'speak more loudly'. The clue is **It's very noisy in here**, so the other person can't hear well.

8. You should buy a house now _____ the low interest rate.
✓ **C) on account of**
On account of means 'because of'. You should buy a house now because the interest rate is low.

9. What's the matter? You look a bit _____.
✓ **B) under the weather**
Under the weather means 'a little ill or not feeling well'. Example: **I'm staying home today; I feel under the weather.**

10. Our mother _____ years ago. We don't need to keep her old clothes.
✓ **C) passed away**
Pass away is a polite way to say 'die'. Our mother died years ago, so we don't need her clothes.

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