

Name _____



Word Opposites Quest

Directions: Read each sentence carefully. Use **context clues** to figure out which word best completes the sentence and creates a **contrast** between the ideas. Choose the word that makes the most sense based on the sentence meaning.

1. The morning was peaceful and calm, _____, the afternoon turned loud and chaotic.
a) because
b) therefore
c) however
2. Unlike his cheerful sister, Ben felt _____ about the upcoming trip.
a) excited
b) nervous
c) joyful
3. The new video game was fast-paced and thrilling, _____, the old one felt slow and dull.
a) whereas
b) similarly
c) also
4. Although the outside looked tiny, the inside of the house was surprisingly _____.
a) cramped
b) narrow
c) spacious
5. The desert was scorching hot during the day but _____ cold at night.
a) equally
b) freezing
c) constantly
6. Maya smiled brightly, _____ her friend frowned at the bad news.
a) while
b) since
c) because
7. The movie's beginning was funny and lighthearted, yet its ending felt _____ and tragic.
a) joyful
b) serious
c) silly
8. The old dog moved slowly, _____ the puppy ran with endless energy.
a) unless
b) though
c) while
9. Although he seemed confident, his shaky voice revealed his _____.
a) fear
b) courage
c) pride
10. The teacher's question was simple, _____ the answer was surprisingly complex.
a) but
b) and
c) since