Quiz topic: Syllable stress

For each of the six questions choose the one correct answer.

1. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'interesting'?
   a) interesting
   b) interesting
   c) interesting
   d) interesting

2. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'photographer'?
   a) photographer
   b) photographer
   c) photographer
   d) photographer

3. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'development'?
   a) development
   b) development
   c) development
   d) development

4. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'ordinary'?
   a) ordinary
   b) ordinary
   c) ordinary
   d) ordinary

5. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'vegetable'?
   a) vegetable
   b) vegetable
   c) vegetable
   d) vegetable

6. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'unfortunately'?
   a) unfortunately
   b) unfortunately
   c) unfortunately
   d) unfortunately
ANSWERS

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1. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'interesting'?

a) interesting
b) interesting
c) interesting
d) interesting

a) 'interesting' is the correct answer.
b) 'interesting' is incorrect. Try again!
c) 'interesting' is a very common mistake. Try again!
d) 'interesting' is incorrect. Try again!

2. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'photographer'?

a) photographer
b) photographer
c) photographer
d) photographer

a) 'photograph' has stress on the first syllable, but 'photographer' doesn't!
b) 'photographer' is the correct answer.
c) 'photographer' is incorrect. Try again!
d) 'photographer' is incorrect. Try again!

3. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'development'?

a) development
b) development
c) development
d) development

a) 'development' is incorrect. Try again!
b) 'development' is the correct answer.
c) 'development' is a very common mistake. Try again!
d) 'development' is incorrect. Try again!
4. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'ordinary'?

a) ordinary  
b) ordinary  
c) ordinary  
d) ordinary

a) 'ordinary' is the correct answer.  
b) 'ordinary' is incorrect. Try again!  
c) 'ordinary' is a very common mistake. Try again!  
d) 'ordinary' is incorrect. Try again!

5. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'vegetable'?

a) vegetable  
b) vegetable  
c) vegetable  
d) vegetable

a) 'vegetable' is the correct answer.  
b) 'vegetable' is a very common mistake. Try again!  
c) 'vegetable' is incorrect. Try again!  
d) 'vegetable' is incorrect. Try again!

6. Which syllable is stressed in the word 'unfortunately'?

a) unfortunately  
b) unfortunately  
c) unfortunately  
d) unfortunately

a) 'unfortunately' is incorrect. Try again!  
b) 'unfortunately' is the correct answer.  
c) 'unfortunately' is incorrect. Try again!  
d) 'unfortunately' is a very common mistake. Try again!

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