

## ORDER OF ADJECTIVES

Sometimes you need to use two or more adjectives to describe something or someone. Part of becoming fluent in English is knowing which order to use these adjectives in. Choose the most natural-sounding response:

### A

1. He was wearing a \_\_\_\_\_ shirt.  
A dirty old flannel  
B flannel old dirty  
C old dirty flannel
2. Pass me the \_\_\_\_\_ cups.  
A plastic big blue  
B big blue plastic  
C big plastic blue
3. All the girls fell in love with the \_\_\_\_\_ teacher.  
A handsome new American  
B American new handsome  
C new handsome American
4. I used to drive \_\_\_\_\_ car.  
A a blue old German  
B an old German blue  
C an old blue German
5. He recently married a \_\_\_\_\_ woman.  
A young beautiful Greek  
B beautiful young Greek  
C beautiful Greek young
6. This is a \_\_\_\_\_ movie.  
A new Italian wonderful  
B wonderful Italian new  
C wonderful new Italian
7. She is a \_\_\_\_\_ supermodel.  
A beautiful slim Brazilian  
B Brazilian beautiful slim  
C slim Brazilian beautiful
8. It's in the \_\_\_\_\_ container.  
A large blue metal  
B blue large metal  
C blue metal large
9. He sat behind a \_\_\_\_\_ desk.  
A big wooden brown  
B big brown wooden  
C wooden big brown
10. She gave him a \_\_\_\_\_ vase.  
A small Egyptian black  
B black Egyptian small  
C small black Egyptian

1 A 2 B 3 A 4 C 5 B 6 C 7 A 8 A 9 B 10 C

## B

**Q1** - I bought a pair of \_\_\_\_\_ shoes.

black leather

leather black

**Q2** - It was a \_\_\_\_\_ car.

red fast

fast red

**Q3** - It's a \_\_\_\_\_ building.

big round

round big

**Q4** - I bought \_\_\_\_\_ knife.

a Swiss army

an army Swiss

**Q5** - It's \_\_\_\_\_ film.

a beautiful old

an old beautiful

**Q6** - He's \_\_\_\_\_ man.

an unfriendly rich

a rich unfriendly

**Q7** - It's \_\_\_\_\_ phone.

a mobile expensive

an expensive mobile

**Q8** - It's \_\_\_\_\_ village.

an old lovely

a lovely old

**Q9** - The \_\_\_\_\_ visitors were Japanese.

two last

last two

**Q10** - He's got \_\_\_\_\_ eyes.

blue big

big blue

**Q11** - It's a \_\_\_\_\_ house.

nice new

new nice

**Q12** - It's \_\_\_\_\_ airline.

a popular American

an American popular

**Q13** - It's \_\_\_\_\_ company

a family old

an old family

**Q14** - It's a \_\_\_\_\_ restaurant.

cheap good

good cheap

**1A 2B 3A 4A 5A 6A 7B 8B 9B 10B 11A 12 A 12A  
13B 14B**