topic: ADJECTIVE ORDER IN ENGLISH 1  |  level: Intermediate

Understanding the correct order of adjectives in English is a big step towards fluency. Choose the response that sounds more natural:

1. He’s a _______ doctor.
   a) young charming  b) charming young

2. I plan on wearing my _______ coat.
   a) long black  b) black long

3. This is a _______ painting from the 18th century.
   a) French well-known  b) well-known French

4. She was wearing a _______ dress.
   a) green beautiful  b) beautiful green

5. The _______ bird! I’m going to help it!
   a) poor little  b) little poor

6. She prepared a _______ dinner for us.
   a) Mexican wonderful  b) wonderful Mexican

7. Nagoya is an example of a _______ city.
   a) modern Japanese  b) Japanese modern

8. He bought himself a _______ truck.
   a) big new  b) new big

9. Pass me the _______ bowl.
   a) plastic round  b) round plastic

10. The _______ years were fantastic.
    a) two first  b) first two
ANSWERS:
1) b 2) a 3) b 4) b 5) a 6) b 7) a 8) a 9) b 10) b