Below you'll find pairs of words that are commonly confused (or misspelled) in writing. Choose the correct response to complete each of the sentences:

1. Take a deep _____________.
   a) breath       b) breathe

2. Make sure to ____________ deeply.
   a) breath       b) breathe

3. Paris is the ____________ of France.
   a) capitol      b) capital

4. We can't start this business with limited _____________.
   a) capitol      b) capital

5. Jessica always buys ____________ with cats on it.
   a) stationery   b) stationary

6. The ____________ decided in favor of the business proposal.
   a) counsel      b) council

7. That is the ____________ ingredient.
   a) principal    b) principle

8. He interviewed an ____________ physicist.
   a) imminent     b) eminent

9. He talked about the ____________ collapse of the government.
   a) eminent      b) imminent

10. I wouldn't do that on _____________.
    a) principle    b) principal
ANSWERS:
1. a) breath
2. b) breathe
3. b) capital
4. a) capitol
5. a) stationery
6. b) council
7. a) principal
8. b) eminent
9. b) imminent
a) principle