ESPRITS DE VINS AWARD IN WINES - NIVEAU 2 Exemples de questions

- 1. Compared to red wines, white wines are generally fermented at
- a) either higher or lower temperatures
- b) the same temperature
- c) higher temperatures
- d) lower temperatures.
- 2. Which grape variety is considered to produce high-quality white wines in both Germany and Australia?
- a) Merlot.
- b) Semillon.
- c) Shiraz.
- d) Riesling.
- 3. <u>Pinotage is a grape variety that is primarily used for</u>
- a) South African red wines
- b) Portuguese fortified wines
- c) Australian white wines
- d) Californian rosé wines.
- 4. Which of the following words indicates that a wine has been aged for a period in oak?
- a) Chenin Blanc.
- b) Classico.
- c) Côtes du Rhône.
- d) Crianza.
- 5. <u>A Tawny Port is</u>
- a) golden in colour, with yeasty flavoursb) high in tannins and acidity
- c) sweet, with nutty aromas
- d) sparkling and dry in style.
- 6. The Spanish term used for sparkling wine made by the traditional method is...
- a) Cuve Close
- b) Cuvée
- c) Charmat
- d) Cava
- 7. In which region is the Côte d'Or?
- a) Bordeaux.
- b) Burgundy.
- c) Loire
- d) Provence.
- 8. When are grapes for German Kabinett wines harvested?
- a) When frozen
- b) When affected by noble rot
- c) Before the main harvest
- d) When riper than grapes for QbA.
- 9. The Médoc is famous for which type of wine?
- a) Red
- b) Rosé
- White c)
- d) Liqueur

10. The term "abbocato" means...

- a) old
- b) dryc) medium-sweetd) vintage

Answers: 1) d 2) d. 3) a. 4) d. 5) c. 6) d. 7) b. 8) d. 9) a. 10) c.