MODULE 20:INVERSION

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

1. Olga handed in her exam paper. She then realised that she had missed one question.

A. Having realised that she had missed one question, Olga handed in her exam paper.

B. Not until Olga had handed in her exam paper did she realise that she had missed one question.

C. Had Olga realised that she had missed one question, she wouldn't hand in her exam paper.

D. Only after Olga realised that she had missed one question did she hand in her exam paper.

2. He badly suffered cyberbullying himself He realized the true dangers of social media only then.

A. Not until he had badly suffered cyberbullying himself did he realize the true dangers of social media

B. Such was his suffering of cyberbullying that he didn't realize the true dangers of social media.

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C. Only when he had realized the true dangers of social media did he badly suffer cyberbullying himself.

D. But for his terrible suffering of cyberbullying, he wouldn't realize the true dangers of social media.

3. The coach changed his tactics in the second half. His football team won the match.

A. But for the coach's change of tactics in the second half, his football team could have won the match.

B. Not until his football team had won the match did the coach change his tactics in the second half.

C. Only if the coach had changed the tactics in the second half could his football team have won the match.

D. Had it not been for the coach's change of tactics in the second half, the football team wouldn't have won the match.

4. The green campaign was strongly supported by the local people. The neighborhood looks fresh and clean now.

A. Had the local people not strongly supported the green campaign, the neighborhood wouldn't look fresh and clean now.

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B. sacredly had the green campaign been strongly supported by the local people when the neighborhood looked fresh and clean.

C. Only if the local people had strongly supported the green campaign would the neighborhood look fresh and clean now.

D. But for the strong support of the local people for the green campaign, the neighborhood would look fresh and clean now.

5. Smartphones are becoming reasonably priced. New applications make them more appealing.

A. Whatever new applications smartphones have, they are becoming more appealing with reasonable prices.

B. No matter how reasonable the prices OS smartphones are, they are not so appealing with new applications.

C. Appealing though smartphones are with new applications, they are becoming less affordably priced.

D. Not only are smartphones becoming more affordable but, with new applications, they are also more appealing.

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6. She tried very hard to pass the driving test. She could hardly pass it.

A. Although she didn't try hard to pass the driving test, she could pass it.
B. Despite being able to pass the driving test, she didn't pass it.
C. No matter how hard she tried, she could hardly pass the driving test.
D. She tried very hard, so she passed the driving test satisfactorily.

7. Mary left home to start an independent life. She realised how much her family meant to her.

A. Only when Mary realised how much her family meant to her did she leave home to start an independent life.
B. To realise how much her family meant to her, Mary decided to leave home to start an independent life.
C. Not until Mary had left home to start an independent life did she realise how much her family meant to her.

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D. Mary left home to start an independent life with a view to realising how much her family meant to her.

8. Laura practised playing the instrument a lot. She could hardly improve her performance.

A. Hardly had Laura practised playing the instrument a lot when she could improve her performance.

B. Had Laura practised playing the instrument a lot, she could have performed much better.

C. However much Laura practised playing die instrument, she could hardly perform any better.

D. As soon as Laura practised playing the instrument a lot, she could perform much better.

9. His friends supported and encouraged him. He did really well in the competition.

A. If his friends had given him support and encouragement, he could have done really well in the competition.

B. No matter how much his friends supported and encouraged him, he couldn't do well in the competition.

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C. Such were his friends' support and encouragement that he couldn't do really well in the competition.

D. Had it not been for his friends' support and encouragement, he couldn't have done so well in the competition.

10. She gave a great performance at the festival. We now know she has artistic talent.

A. Amazing as her artistic talent is, we don't know about her great performance at the festival.

B. Hardly had we known about her artistic talent when she gave a great performance at the festival.

C. Although she gave a great performance at the festival, now we still don't know she has artistic talent.

D. But for her great performance at the festival, we wouldn't know about her artistic talent now.

11. Peter told US about his leaving the school. He did it on his arrival at the meeting.

A. Only after his leaving the school did Peter inform US of his arrival at the meeting.

B. Not until Peter told US that he would leave the school did he arrive at the meeting.

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C. Hardly had Peter informed US about his leaving the school when he arrived at the meeting.

D. No sooner had Peter arrived at the meeting than he told US about his leaving the school.

12. Mike became a father. He felt a strong sense of responsibility towards his parents.

A. Were Mike to become a father himself, he would feel a strong sense of responsibility towards his parents.

B. Only after Mike had become a father himself did he feel a strong sense of responsibility towards his parents.

C. Had Mike become a father himself, he would have felt a strong sense of responsibility towards his parents.

D. Not until he felt a strong sense of responsibility towards his parents did Mike become a father himself.

13. He had hardly left the office when the phone rang.

A. No sooner had he left the office than the phone rang.

B. No sooner he had left the office than the phone rang.

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C. No sooner he had left the office when the phone rang.

D. No sooner he did left the office than the phone rang.

14. No matter how hard Fred tried to start the car, he didn't succeed.

A. Fred tried very hard to start the car, and succeeded.

B. However hard Fred tried, he couldn't start the car.

C. It's hard for Fred to start the car because he never succeeded.

D. Fred tried hard to start the car, and with success

15. Although he was very tired, he agreed to help his child with his homework.

A. Despite of his tiredness, he was eager to help his child with his homework.

B. Tired as he was, he agreed to help his child with his homework.

C. Even if feeling very tired, he agreed to help his child with his homework.

D. He would have helped his child with his homework if he hadn't been tired.

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