

BT CONJUNCTIONS

- 1. If you keep your work area tidy, you will not only work more productively, _____ you will also impress your supervisor**
 - A. until
 - B. or
 - C. but
 - D. and
- 2. Lear Industries has decided to hire 50 new employees _____ they recently signed a government contract worth an estimated ten million dollars**
 - A. due to
 - B. owing
 - C. because
 - D. although
- 3. Several employees were speaking loudly _____ the presentations yesterday morning, and this behavior will not be tolerated at future presentations**
 - A. while
 - B. during
 - C. for
 - D. within

4. _____ falling sales, we are optimistic about our sales next year because we have high expectations for the new product line

- A. Nevertheless
- B. However
- C. Although
- D. Despite

5. The merchandise that you purchased from is still returnable _____ you have your receipt

- A. whereas
- B. in case of
- C. as long as
- D. together with

6. When asked _____ she has interviewed with, other companies, she denied having done so

- A. when
- B. whenever
- C. while
- D. whether

7. Banks have introduced a call-banking system _____ customers do not have to go to the bank or cash dispenser

- A. in order
- B. despite
- C. so that
- D. because

8. _____ we will be losing a key person, I want to assure you that our organization remains strong

- A. because
- B. despite
- C. the fact that
- D. even though

9. The major speaker was not able to arrive earlier than expected _____ the road construction was not completed

- A. as
- B. despite
- C. for
- D. however

10. _____ the rate was much higher than we thought, the rooms were quite elegant and spacious

- A. despite
- B. while
- C. however
- D. in spite of

11. _____ several warnings about his performance, the employee continued to neglect his core duties at work

- A. despite
- B. although
- C. beyond
- D. unless

12. Management decided to carry out major repairs on the machinery _____ the high cost they would require

- A. when
- B. despite
- C. although
- D. regarding

13. The repairperson will not come ____ you make an appointment at least 24 hours in advance

- A. although
- B. without
- C. unless
- D. during

14. Automobile manufactures have enjoyed higher sales _____ the publication of their new trade journal began

- A. when
- B. for
- C. since
- D. during

15. Unless there is a genuine emergency, Ms Davorski does not wish to be contacted _____ she is away on vacation

- A. while
- B. during
- C. after
- D. as