II. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

San Francisco is one of America's top tourist destinations. Its interesting history, steep streets and its position on the bay make it a great place to visit. Like every city, San Francisco had small beginnings. It was in 1776 that a small Spanish fort (1) _____ (build) on the coast of California. However, it wasn't until 70 years later that thousands of settlers (2) _____ (begin) to arrive. For a young city, San Francisco (3) _____ (suffer) a lot over the years. Since the gold rush, the city (4) _____ (have) major earthquakes and had to be restored many times. What's more, San Francisco (5) _____ (quickly/ rebuild) in 1906 after a three-day fire (6)_____ (destroy) the centre of the city. If you want a great view of the city, (7)_____ (go) to the Golden Gate Bridge. Another famous sight is the prison, Alcatraz. Why (8) _____ (it/ be) the most feared prison in America until its closure in the 60s? Mainly, because it was built on a rock in the middle of the bay. If you want (9) _____ (see) it, you need to book in advance. The tour (10) _____ (not take) more than a day to do.

(Adapted from Matrix Intermediate - Oxford)

III. Complete each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the original sentence.

1. It's Anna's birthday on Friday. I have to remember to get her something. **MUST**

It's Anna's birthday on Friday. I _____ present.

2. She sent him 50 messages a day. Luckily, now she's changed. **USED**

She _____, but she doesn't now.

3. Someone is making a cake for Sally's birthday. **MADE**

Sally _____for her birthday.

4. "I did not steal the money," the man said. **SAID**

The man _____the money.

5. My new computer is fantastic. It was very cheap. **WHICH**

My new computer, _____.

6. Mr Brown answers all the emails here. **BY**

All emails here_____.

7. I got up late and missed the bus. **HAVE**

If I hadn't got up late, _____.

8. There is a small chance my mother will lend me some money. **LIKELY**

My mother _____.

9. "What's your favourite colour?" she asked me. **MY**

She asked me_____.

10. My sister can't borrow my things. **ALLOWED**

My sister_____my things.

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