a. Write one word in each gap.

The Hoody

The hooded top, or 'hoody' become something of a symbol of youth crime in Britain. It seems to get a mention whenever the newspapers get (1) _____ the subject. Those wearing them are often classed (2) _____ yobs or hooligans, even when they have done nothing (3) _____ the law. The problem is that hoodies can easily hide their identity from CCTV cameras. Those (4) _____ authority in some places such as shopping centres have even gone so far as to ban people wearing hoodies. They claim that the threat of crime (5) _____ them the right to do it, but there is a danger that young people will actually be provoked (6) _____ behaving in antisocial ways through rules like this. They may feel that those (7) _____ power are discriminating against them, and that they refuse to listen when they deny (8) _____ done anything wrong. It seems to be a classic example (9) _____ older people feeling threatened by the fashions of the young. At the end of the day, what the members of their peer (10) _____ think will always be more important to the young that what people running shopping centres think they should or shouldn't wear.

b. Using the word given rewrite each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the sentence printed before it.

1. I'll get someone to press your trousers, sir.
   I'll have _____.
2. John's school is making him sit his exams again.
   John is _____.
3. I should really be starting my homework.
   It's _____.
4. It was only when the office phoned me that I found out about the meeting.
   Not until _____.
5. Everyone knows that taking exercises is good for your health.
   Taking exercises _____.

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