

While *she was reviewing* the materials, she was also trying to watch television.
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Passive Verb

Although *it had been completed*, the report was not turned in on time.
Although *completed*, the report was not turned in on time.

Adjective

Although *she was exhausted*, she continued to work on the project.
Although *exhausted*, she continued to work on the project.

Structure Quiz 2

Directions: The first type of question consists of incomplete sentences, with a blank line showing where information is to be filled in. Choose the word or phrase that most correctly completes the sentence. The second type of question consists of sentences with four underlined words or phrases. Choose the one word or phrase that is incorrect in standard written English. Mark your answers on this page or on a separate piece of paper.

1. The oncologist studied the results of the biopsy and decided _____ additional tests.
 - A. should order
 - B. to order
 - C. he should ordering
 - D. ordering
2. That carcinogenic substances _____ in many common household items is well-known.
 - A. are contained
 - B. contained
 - C. containing
 - D. are containing

3. If the man had transported to the hospital sooner than he was, he could have survived the electrocution.
A B C D
4. Porpoises, which _____ actually mammals because they breathe air through an orifice in their heads, are playful and intelligent.
- A. is
B. be
C. being
D. are
5. Florida's timberlands suffered considerable damage from the wildfires of 1998, resulted from insufficient rainfall.
A B C D
6. Whereas Internet proponents say that someday all computer programs and data will reside on an Internet server instead of individual computers, many individuals _____ afraid to lose control over their own documents.
- A. are
B. being
C. also
D. very much
7. After _____ suspended for misbehavior, the student requested reconsideration.
- A. having been
B. having
C. have
D. was
8. Why so many people die from this illness _____ unknown, but researchers have learned much about the source of the problem.
- A. is
B. are
C. widely
D. has

9. The doctors have not been able to determine when _____ to lose her mental capacity.
- A. did the woman begin
- B. the woman began
- C. began the woman
- D. the woman was begun
10. The results must have already be received by the examining committee because the members seem to be continuing their determinations.
- A B
C D
11. Ms. Henry insisted that the results of the research be presented to the panel before _____.
- A. was held the vote
- B. was the vote
- C. voted
- D. the vote was held
12. Knowing how to repair and install computer networks _____ Melissa a great advantage in her job, because she is the only person in the company with that knowledge.
- A. have given
- B. given
- C. giving
- D. has given