## A- **FILL IN EACH GAP WITH AN APPROPRIATE WORD FROM THE LIST.**

1- Shelly practised well for her driving test; _____ _____she passed it easily.
2- Mr. Philips is talkative, _____ his wife is shy and reserved.

**despite – because of – whereas – due to – that's why**

3-Football fans often follow their teams to foreign countries _____ support them.
4-Air pollution is mainly _____ smoke from cars and factories

**As a result – due to – however – despite – so as to**

5-Jelloul speaks three foreign languages _____ he has never been to school.
6-The doctor says that Amal's sleeping problems are _____ the long hours she spends online

**Because of – despite – In addition – although**

7- We didn't go on a picnic _____ bad weather.

**Because – due to – for**

## B- **Join the pairs of sentences with the linking words given**

1. Mr Ferguson's car broke down on the way. He was late for work. (**because**)
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2. Sonia went to work yesterday. She was not feeling well. ( **although**)
   .....
3. Jamal spent all the afternoon chatting. He didn't have time do his homework ( **because**)
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4. My brother came home early. He wanted to watch the football match (**so as to** )
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5. Jawad read the instructions carefully. He wasn't able to install the printer ( **Although**)
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6. Many people learn computer skills. They want to get better jobs. ( **so as to** )
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7. I like studying alone. My sister prefers working with a group ( **Whereas**)
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8. Many students are dropping out of school. The school conditions have improved a lot. (**although** )
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9. Malaysia exports high technology. It invests in tourism as well. ( **in addition**)
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10. Randa went to work this morning. The doctor advised her to stay in bed. ( **although**)
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11. The students planted many trees. They cleaned all the classrooms too. ( **Not only ... but also**)
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12. Our local association is very active. Our neighbourhood is clean and safe. ( **because**)
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13. Rachid got a loan from the bank. He wanted to buy an apartment. **(in order to)**
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14. The meeting was cancelled. The manager was sick. **(because of)**
.....

15. The show was postponed. There were some technical problems ( **due to** )
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16. Morocco has set up a large solar plant. Morocco wants to produce clean energy. ( **in order to**)
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## C- **Rewrite the following sentences as indicated:**

1- John worked hard. He wanted to get his degree with honous.
**In order** .....

2-Taha Hussein was blind. Yet, he wrote a lot of books.
**Although** .....

3-Malala won the Nobel Peace Prize in spite of her young age.
**Although she** .....

4-Despite being an expert, Jim couldn't recover his files from his hard disk.
**Although Jim** .....

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