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# **GAT ENGLISH**

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## **PART 1: EXPRESSIONS**

### **Office hour (Items 1-2)**

Professor: I've just been reading through your last project report.

Student: I hope you (1) \_\_\_\_\_.

Professor: On the contrary, you've done a fantastic job. It's really well organized and written and offers some carefully thought-out conclusions.

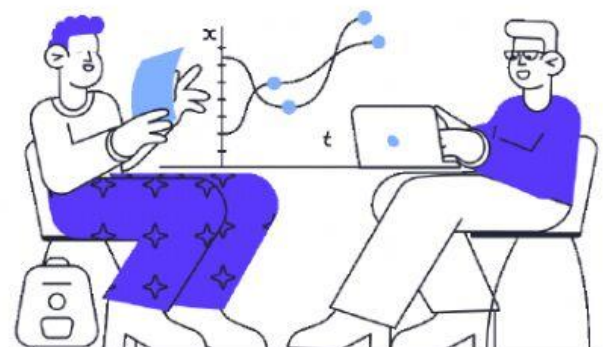
Student: Well, (2) \_\_\_\_\_. It was a good learning experience.

1.

1. read it thoroughly and several times
2. realize that academic writing is hard
3. didn't find too much wrong with it
4. don't assign us more project reports
5. give me a good score for this report

2.

1. you can't help it
2. I feel the same way
3. I'm afraid you're right
4. I'm glad you like it
5. you worked so hard



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### Roommates talking about school (Item 3-4)

David: Hi, Somchai. How was your presentation today?

Somchai: (3)\_\_\_\_\_.

David: What happened?

Somchai: My professor didn't like the content and organization.

He said my presentation slides were confusing.

David: Poor you! (4)\_\_\_\_\_?

Somchai: Yes. They did ask a few but spoke so fast that I couldn't catch what they said.

David: You should have asked them to slow down or repeat the question.

3.

1. It was OK, I guess
2. Everything was perfect
3. Couldn't be better
4. Oh, it was a disaster
5. I'm so proud of it

4.

1. Was your presentation successful
2. Were the audience satisfied with your presentation
3. Did the audience like your presentation slides
4. Did you respond to the feedback well
5. Did the audience ask any questions

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### At home (Item 5-6)

Husband: What would you like for dinner tonight?

Wife: How about spaghetti carbonara?

Husband: 5) \_\_\_\_\_?

Wife: No, we need to get some bacon at the supermarket.

Husband: (6) \_\_\_\_\_ Let's go to Pasta mania then.

5.

1. Shall we go now
2. Are you a fan of Italian food
3. Do you agree with me
4. Would you like to eat out
5. Do we have all the ingredients

6.

1. What a great idea!
2. I think we have some in the fridge.
3. No money, no fun!
4. I have another idea.
5. We can use ham instead.

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**Towards the end of a business meeting (Item 7-9)**

Secretary: We need to book a meeting room for tomorrow. But there aren't many left. (7) \_\_\_\_\_

Boss: Please try your best to get us a room. You know we can't reschedule the meeting. Secretary: (8) \_\_\_\_\_. I'll also make sure all the presentation slides are ready on the computer.

Boss: Good. And don't forget to organize the handouts for the meeting.

Secretary: Don't worry. Ann and I will see to it.

Boss: (9) \_\_\_\_\_. See you all tomorrow.

7.

1. I'm still working on it
2. You know I'm busy
3. We can postpone the meeting
4. The deadline has passed
5. Tomorrow is a busy day for me

8.

1. You can help me if you want to
2. You should have known this
3. This problem happens all the time
4. I don't know that
5. I'll do my best



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**9.**

1. I know you're good friends
2. We've solved many problems
3. Then that concludes our meeting today
4. The report needs to be typed
5. You two will be promoted

**A:** Good morning sweetheart. Did you sleep well last night?

**B:** Hey, Dad. Actually, I (10)\_\_\_\_\_.

**A:** Why is that?

**B:** I feel stressed about final exams next week.

**10.**

1. slept like a log
2. hardly slept at all
3. wouldn't say
4. wanted you to wake me up
5. had so many good dreams