

**GRAMMAR**

**a) Check (✓) A, B, or C to complete the sentences.**

- 1 The teacher told me to close \_\_\_\_\_ door and sit down.  
A the ☐ B – ☐ C a ☐
- 2 I'd like to go to \_\_\_\_\_ college after I finish high school.  
A the ☐ B a ☐ C – ☐
- 3 In most countries motorcyclists have to wear \_\_\_\_\_ helmets now.  
A the ☐ B a ☐ C – ☐
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ best month to visit Paris is August – there's no traffic!  
A A ☐ B The ☐ C – ☐
- 5 I've had a male boss and a female boss. \_\_\_\_\_ female boss was much stricter.  
A The ☐ B A ☐ C – ☐
- 6 \_\_\_\_\_ children usually like sweets.  
A – ☐ B A ☐ C The ☐
- 7 She loves Rome. It's \_\_\_\_\_ most beautiful city she's been to.  
A -- ☐ B the ☐ C a ☐
- 8 There are usually three trains \_\_\_\_\_ hour during the week.  
A an ☐ B the ☐ C – ☐
- 9 Doesn't your cousin work as \_\_\_\_\_ architect?  
A the ☐ B an ☐ C – ☐
- 10 I never go on Facebook when I'm at \_\_\_\_\_ work.  
A a ☐ B the ☐ C – ☐

**b Complete the email with a, an, the, or – (no article).**

Dear Paula,

We're having a wonderful time here in Rome. We arrived yesterday afternoon so we had time to find <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ nice little hotel and relax after <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ trip. <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ hotel is in <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ city center, but it's not too noisy.

We woke up early this morning because <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ sun was shining in through the window. We had <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ quick breakfast (great coffee!) and then went out to explore <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ city.

Later, we're meeting Kathy's friend Pietro, who's <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ economics student at the university here. He's going to take us to <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ best pizzeria in Rome (at least he says it is!). I think <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ Italian cities are all wonderful, but I can't believe what <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ fabulous city Rome is!

We'll be back home <sup>12</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ next Friday.

See you soon!

Love, Julie

**a Check (✓) A, B, or C to complete the sentences with dependent prepositions.**

- 1 We're both very fond \_\_\_\_\_ cycling.  
A at ☐ B of ☐ C for ☐
- 2 It's hard to choose \_\_\_\_\_ the bus and the subway.  
A from ☐ B between ☐ C with ☐
- 3 What do you spend most of your money \_\_\_\_\_?  
A for ☐ B to ☐ C on ☐
- 4 My sister is really good \_\_\_\_\_ math.  
A at ☐ B with ☐ C after ☐
- 5 I'm afraid \_\_\_\_\_ flying.  
A from ☐ B of ☐ C for ☐
- 6 Let me pay \_\_\_\_\_ dinner.  
A for ☐ B out ☐ C up ☐
- 7 We arrived \_\_\_\_\_ Los Angeles airport late in the evening.  
A in ☐ B to ☐ C at ☐
- 8 Are you worried \_\_\_\_\_ the interview tomorrow?  
A about ☐ B of ☐ C for ☐

**b Complete the sentences with the correct preposition.**

Example: Are you listening TO me?

- 1 Is there anything that you're really afraid \_\_\_\_\_?
- 2 I'm fed up \_\_\_\_\_ my job. I need a change.
- 3 Try not to laugh \_\_\_\_\_ Bill when he speaks French – his accent is terrible!
- 4 It can take ages to get to the city center – it depends \_\_\_\_\_ the traffic.
- 5 This restaurant reminds me \_\_\_\_\_ the one we went to in Paris.
- 6 He used to be married \_\_\_\_\_ my youngest sister.
- 7 Jenna is arriving \_\_\_\_\_ San Francisco on Saturday evening.