

TOEFL REVIEW EXERCISE (Skills 1–26): Choose the letter of the word or group of words that best completes the sentence.

1. The growth of hair ____ cyclical process, with phases of activity and inactivity.
(A) it is
(B) is a
(C) which is
(D) a regular
2. The fire ____ to have started in the furnace under the house.
(A) is believed
(B) that is believed
(C) they believe
(D) that they believe
3. In Roman numerals, ____ symbols for numeric values.
(A) are letters of the alphabet
(B) letters of the alphabet are
(C) which uses letters of the alphabet
(D) in which letters of the alphabet are
4. The legal systems of most countries can be classified ____ common law or civil law.
(A) as either
(B) either as
(C) either to
(D) to either

Choose the letter of the underlined word or group of words that is not correct.

____ 7. In 1870, the attorney general was made head of the Department of Justice, given an A
enlarged staff, and endow with clear-cut law-enforcement functions. B C D

____ 8. The General Sherman Tree, the largest of all the giant sequoias, A B C to be
the world's largest living thing. D

____ 9. The skeleton of a shark is made of cartilage rather than having bone. A B C D

____ 10. At least one sample of each of the brands B contains measurable amounts of aflatoxin,
and there is three which exceed the maximum. C D