I. Open the brackets and put the verbs into the correct tense form (15 points).

1. Mike …… *(to talk)* to Ken at the moment, I wonder how long they …….. *(to talk)* so far.
2. She …… *(to lie)* in bed when she …….. *(to hear)* a noise in the garden.
3. My bus …… *(to leave)* in 30 minutes.
4. We all hope we …….. *(to pass)* the test successfully tomorrow.
5. It's the first time Uncle John …… *(to ask)* me what I would like for Christmas.
6. The man …….. *(not to notice)* the car because he …… *(to talk)* on the phone.
7. When the rain …… *(to start)* she …….. *(to understand)* that she ……..…….. *(to leave)* her umbrella at home.
8. If we …….. *(to have)* a break, we …….. *(not to finish)* work on time.
9. Mike's dad …… *(not to buy)* a car yet.

II. Fill in the gaps with the appropriate prepositions (15 points).

1. They fell ……. love …… first sight when they met ……. their friends' wedding.
2. Families usually try to spend time together ……..… a Christmas Day.
3. I usually get up early …… the morning but …… Sunday mornings I stay …… bed until 10 o'clock.
4. We always have tests …… the end of each topic.
5. Richard had too many problems with his car so ……..… the end he sold it.
6. The Smiths live …….. 36 Victoria street.
7. When we looked ……. of the window we saw that one of the houses …… our street was ……..… fire.
8. Maria is keen ..… reading. These days she is reading "War and peace" ….. Tolstoy.

III. Fill in the gaps with the appropriate articles (15 points).

1. Jack comes from ……. United Kingdom of …… Great Britain and Northern Ireland. That's …….. official name of …….. country. He lives in ……. Highlands, which are in …….. northern part of …….. country.
2. You can hardly find …… person who doesn't believe in keeping fit. So I cycle to …… work now. But ten years ago I had ……..… good office job. I bought ……. car and drove it every day. I stopped playing …… tennis and going for …… long walks at …….. weekend. Instead I had …….. regular lunch.

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IV. Substitute the italicized parts of the sentences with the given phrasal verbs. Mind the tense forms!!! *(10 points)*

cut down on	give back	eat out	fall out	break out	go on
	let down	break down	run out	take up	

1. He was in his early thirties when he decided ***to start*** jogging. _____
2. They were watching an important match when their TV-set suddenly ***stopped working***. _____
3. If you want to be fitter you have to ***eat less*** bread and sugar. _____
4. They haven't seen each other since they ***quarreled*** last month. _____
5. I haven't ***returned*** the book because I'm still reading it. _____
6. What ***is happening*** here? _____
7. We have been friends for years and he has never ***disappointed*** me. _____
8. Please, finish writing your tests, our time is ***finishing***. _____
9. The fire ***started suddenly*** in the middle of the night. _____
10. I like ***having meals not at home*** but the prices these days are so high that I don't do it very often. _____

V. Complete the sentences changing the words in brackets *(8 points).*

1. Julia's …… (RELATION) with Carlos lasted for two years.
2. My best friend always helps me with my …… (PERSON) problems.
3. I haven't got enough …… (CONFIDENT) to speak in public.
4. Roger always loses things, he is so ……..… (CARE).
5. After I had stopped going to the gym I gained a lot of …… (WEIGH).
6. She may be friendly, but she isn't …….. (RELY).
7. What's the …… (HIGH) of that mountain?
8. Grandma told us some interesting stories about her …… (CHILD).

VI. Translate into English *(12 points).*

1. Everyone can …….... *(делать)* mistakes.
2. There are very ……..... *(мало)* lumps of sugar left.
3. Have you ever ……..... *(делал)* any farm work?
4. How ... ……....*(много)* sugar do you take in your tea?
5. We haven't ……..... *(сделали)* any plans for the weekend yet.
6. We have very ……..... *(мало)* work to do today.
7. The boys started to work …….. *(намного)* harder recently.
8. These days people buy ……..... *(меньше)* newspapers than they used to.
9. There isn't ……..... *(много)* interesting news in the paper today.
10. Can you …….... *(сделать)* me a favour?
11. Now I have …….... *(меньше)* time to read than I used to have when I was child.
12. She jogs every morning and it …….... *(делает)* her a lot of good.

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