

TEST EIGHT

Direction: Choose the correct answer.

1. Social media allows us to compare everything — relationships, diet, figure, beauty, wealth, standard of living — not only with our friends, _____ with celebrities too.
- 1) and also 2) as well as
3) but 4) nor
5) or
2. In some families, talking about money is crass and _____ just prefer to be secretive.
- 1) other 2) another
3) others 4) each other
5) one another
3. Overall, optimism is a central component of staying happy and _____, so when in doubt, look on the bright side.
- 1) health 2) healthy
3) healthily 4) healthiest
5) health's
4. _____ we realized what a bad driver you were, we wouldn't have come with you.
- 1) Do 2) Did
3) Have 4) Had
5) Were
5. _____ been informed bad news, my grandmother fainted onto the floor.
- 1) Have 2) Had
3) Having 4) To have
5) Were

6. Mild cognitive impairment causes memory loss and poor judgment, both of which may not be obvious _____ it's too late.

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| 1) until | 2) as long as |
| 3) since | 4) as far as |
| 5) as soon as | |

7. The loneliest creature on Earth is a whale that has been calling out for a mate _____ over two decades.

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| 1) for | 2) since |
| 3) on | 4) at |
| 5) during | |

8. _____ fingerprints, everyone has a unique tongue print.

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| 1) Like | 2) Alike |
| 3) The same | 4) Similar |
| 5) Dislike | |

9. As a leaders and employees, we all need to communicate _____, whether in person, via email or chat, or in presentations.

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| 1) constant | 2) constantly |
| 3) constancy | 4) more constant |
| 5) the most constant | |

10. In 2007, an American man named Corey Taylor tried to fake his own death in order _____ of his cell phone contract without paying a fee, but it didn't work.

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| 1) get | 2) getting |
| 3) for gotten out | 4) of getting out |
| 5) to get out | |