

53 Join the sentences using the words in brackets. ...

- 1 She borrowed her dad's car without asking him.
He was in a bad mood all day. **(as a result)**
She borrowed her dad's car without asking him, and as a result he was in a bad mood all day.
- 2 It was a windy night. Some tiles blew off our roof.
(such ... that) ...
- 3 The shop is expensive. Not many people can afford to shop there. **(so ... that)** ...
- 4 Shaun has long spiky hair and wears unusual clothes. People often misjudge him.
(as a consequence) ...
- 5 There are many advantages to nanotechnology.
More time and money should be invested into it.
(so ... that) ...
- 6 I moved out of the city. It was too noisy and polluted. **(due to the fact that)** ...
- 7 John hasn't got married yet. He hasn't found the right girl. **(as)** ...
- 8 *Pirates of the Caribbean* is a fantastic film. I'm going to buy it on DVD. **(such ... that)** ...
- 9 Dave never has any money left at the end of the month. He spends it all on computer games. **(since)** ...
- 10 He was arrested by the police. A witness had identified him. **(on the grounds that)** ...

54 Underline the correct item. ...

- 1 The match went ahead **despite/although** the heavy rain. ...
- 2 I'm going to solve this problem **even though/ however** long it takes. ...
- 3 I'll write it down **so that/in case** I forget it. ...
- 4 **In spite of the fact that/Despite** she is poorly-paid, she is always well-dressed. ...
- 5 **Yet/Even though** he bought a car to get to work, he was still late almost every day. ...
- 6 Nicky didn't expect to pass the exam. **Despite/ Nevertheless**, she was disappointed when she didn't. ...
- 7 **Despite/Although** he ran well, he only finished third. ...
- 8 **However/Even though** I have a good memory, I still write shopping lists. ...
- 9 **While/Despite** being very handsome, he didn't have a lot of confidence. ...
- 10 Philip is studying history **in case/so that** he can become a teacher. ...

55 Choose the correct answer. ...

- 1 It was raining she didn't have an umbrella. ...
 A while C but
 B despite D in spite of
- 2 Attractive it seemed to live in the countryside, we found it far too quiet. ...
 A even though C though
 B however D despite
- 3 I love new gadgets, I wouldn't want all my memories in a storage system. ...
 A However C Despite
 B Even though D In spite of
- 4 Computers undoubtedly make our lives easier., they also lead to the digital divide. ...
 A Though C However
 B Despite D In spite of the fact
- 5 being extremely rich, he still lives in a small flat in the city. ...
 A In spite of the fact that C Despite
 B Although D Whereas
- 6 There are high street fashion shops nowadays that people are spoilt for choice. ...
 A so much of C such lots of
 B such a lot of D so many of
- 7 She's taken out a loan buy a house. ...
 A so that C to
 B in case D in order
- 8 hard he tries, he just can't seem to save any money. ...
 A Despite C Nevertheless
 B Although D However
- 9 If that film is good, then why did it get bad reviews from the critics? ...
 A such C so
 B so much D such a lot of
- 10 He was given counterfeit money., he went to the police. ...
 A In spite of C Despite
 B Therefore D Even though