Grammar Test - B2 - Infinitive, Gerund and Verb Patterns

Part 1. Choose the correct answer

1. I clearly remember _____ this film when I was a child.
   - a) to watch
   - b) watching
   - c) watch

2. Don't forget _____ the documents before you leave.
   - a) sending
   - b) send
   - c) to send

3. We stopped _____ some water because we were thirsty.
   - a) to buy
   - b) buying
   - c) buy

4. My parents regret _____ me so much freedom when I was younger.
   - a) to give
   - b) giving
   - c) give

5. If you want to improve your English, try _____ English podcasts every day.
   - a) to listen
   - b) listening to
   - c) listen

6. I meant _____ you yesterday, but I completely forgot.
   - a) calling
   - b) call
   - c) to call

7. She went on _____ about her holiday for another hour.
   - a) talking
   - b) to talk
   - c) talk

8. After discussing the problem, he went on _____ a completely different subject.
   - a) discussing
   - b) to discuss
   - c) discuss

9. I can't afford _____ a new laptop at the moment.
   - a) buying
   - b) buy
   - c) to buy

10. She denied _____ the confidential information.
    - a) to share
    - b) sharing
    - c) share

Part 2. Put the verbs in brackets into the correct form

1. I regret _____ (inform) you that your application has been unsuccessful.
2. He remembers _____ (meet) the actor at a film festival last year.
3. Please remember _____ (lock) the door before you go out.
4. She stopped _____ (work) for a moment to answer the phone.
5. We tried _____ (open) the window, but it was stuck.
6. I tried _____ (explain) the situation, but nobody would listen.
7. He forgot _____ (bring) his passport, so he couldn't board the plane.
8. I will never forget _____ (visit) London for the first time.
9. The company has gone on _____ (develop) new products despite the financial difficulties.

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10. He went on _____ (describe) the accident after answering the first question.

Part 3. Complete the sentences using the correct form. Add any necessary words.

1. I'd rather you _____ (not / tell) anyone about my plans.
2. You'd better _____ (take) an umbrella. It looks like rain.
3. It's time we _____ (leave). It's getting late.
4. I'd rather _____ (stay) at home than go out tonight.
5. You had better _____ (not / be) late for the interview.
6. It's high time somebody _____ (do) something about this problem.
7. I'd rather my brother _____ (not / use) my computer without asking.
8. It's time _____ (make) a decision.

Part 4. Rewrite the sentences using the word given. Do not change the given word. Use between 2 and 5 words.

1. I prefer staying at home to going out tonight.
RATHER
I'd _____ at home tonight.

2. You should apologise to your teacher.
BETTER
You _____ to your teacher.

3. We should leave now.
TIME
It's _____ now.

4. I would prefer you not to interrupt me.
RATHER
I'd _____ me.

5. She regrets that she didn't accept the offer.
WISHES
She _____ the offer.

6. You should stop wasting your time.
HIGH
It's _____ wasting your time.

7. I prefer my parents to tell me the truth.
RATHER
I'd _____ me the truth.

8. It would be better if you didn't mention this to him.
HAD
You _____ this to him.

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