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## Round-up

### A. Circle the correct words.

1. How many participants are going to take **part** / **place** in the competition?
2. Every person's personality is **specific** / **unique**.
3. The **character** / **villain** of the film was sent to prison for his crimes.
4. Penny always manages to **overcome** / **overtake** any difficulties.
5. I faced many problems when I was an **adolescent** / **opponent**, especially at the age of 14.
6. This film is **inappropriate** / **informative** for children. They shouldn't watch it.
7. Paul just loves showing **out** / **off**. Look at him.
8. The **viewer** / **presenter** of this chat show is very funny.
9. The **plot** / **setting** was boring. The whole film was **disappointing** / **superb**.

Score: / 10

## B. Complete with the correct prepositions.

1. You really need to concentrate \_\_\_\_\_ your schoolwork more.
2. We had better book \_\_\_\_\_ advance, otherwise we won't be able to find a seat.
3. I ran \_\_\_\_\_ Ms Tyler at the supermarket yesterday.
4. Jonathan found it difficult to cope \_\_\_\_\_ the stress of losing his job.
5. Iris has always had a passion \_\_\_\_\_ painting.
6. Mike really gets \_\_\_\_\_ my nerves sometimes.
7. We need to prevent Jack \_\_\_\_\_ making any silly decisions.
8. Guess what! I finally signed \_\_\_\_\_ at the gym.
9. I'm tired. I think that I need to take some time \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Our plans for the weekend depend \_\_\_\_\_ the weather.

Score: / 10

### C. Rewrite the sentences using the Passive Voice.

1. They should show you how to overcome obstacles.

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2. Customers have written many letters of complaint.

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3. They will give Tim a skateboard as a birthday present.

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4. Mrs Brown is informing the students about the event now.

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5. They are serving dinner in the garden.

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6. The chef was preparing the meal when Sally arrived.

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Score: /12

**D. Circle the correct words.**

1. They walked into the room quietly so as **not to / to not** wake up the baby.
2. **Despite / Although** I was a bit scared, I decided to try bungee jumping.
3. The ending of the film was **such / so** sad that I cried.
4. **Although / In spite of** being exhausted, she stayed up late to finish her project.
5. You should take a jacket with you **in order / so that** you don't get cold.
6. Andy bought lots of postcards **in order to / so as** send them to his friends back home.
7. **Even though / Despite** she was injured, she continued running.
8. There were **so / such** a lot of people at the beach that we couldn't play volleyball.

Score: / 8

**E. Complete the dialogue with the sentences a-g. There are two extra sentences which you will not need to use.**

- a. He always winds me up.
- b. I was on the edge of my seat.
- c. We had a whale of a time.
- d. It was a waste of time and money.
- e. We hooked up with Sam's cousins and played football.
- f. It always makes my day.
- g. That was a bit of a downer.

**Tom** So, how was your weekend with Sam?

**Pete** Great! (1) \_\_\_\_\_

**Tom** What did you guys do?

**Pete** On Saturday we hung out at his house. Then we went to the cinema. I love going to the cinema. (2) \_\_\_\_\_

**Tom** What did you see?

**Pete** *Wonder Woman*. It was great.

**Tom** Really? I saw that film last weekend. (3) \_\_\_\_\_

**Pete** No way! We loved it.

**Tom** Anyway, what did you guys do on Sunday?

**Pete** (4) \_\_\_\_\_

**Tom** Cool.

**Pete** It was raining a little, though. (5) \_\_\_\_\_ But it was a good match.

**Score:**     / 10