EXERCISES ON CONJUNCTION

I. Choose the best answer to fill in the gaps.

I want to work as an English teacher in the future, _____ I am studying English at university.

a. but b. however c. because d. therefore

I am going shopping for food this evening _____ I do not have to go at the weekend.

a. and b. therefore c. before d. because

_____ she got the news from her family, she could not do anything.

a. but b. and c. so d. when

We live in the same building _____ we hardly ever see each other.

a. and b. therefore c. but d. so

Anna needed some money, _____, she took a part-time job.

a. when b. because c. but d. therefore

I went to buy a Rolling Stones CD _____ the shop didn't have it.

a. and b. but c. therefore d. so

Julie has a guitar _____ she plays it really well.

a. and b. so c. but d. therefore

_____ long it takes, I will wait for you.

a. However b. But c. So d. Therefore

Maria tried to read a novel in French _____ the book was too difficult for her to understand.

a. so b. therefore c. but d. and

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To get from Vancouver to Victoria, you can fly, _____ you can ride the ferry.

a. or b. but c. so d. however

He got wet_____ he forgot his umbrella.

a. because of b. because c. but d. and

He stops working _____ heavy raining.

a. because of b. because c. but d. and

She didn't get the job ____ she had the necessary qualifications.

a. because of b. because c. although d. but

_____ I came to see her yesterday, she was reading a magazine.

a. when b. while c. before d. after

I'm not leaving _____ I get an apology from you.

a. when b. while c. before d. until

Nobody could hear her_____ she spoke too loudly.

a. in spite of b. while c. before d. until

_____ she goes _____ I go.

a. either – or b. neither – nor

We couldn´t understand him. He spoke _____ English_____ German.

a. either – or b. neither – nor

_____ we were watching this boring film, our dog was sleeping under the table.

a. therefore b.then c. while d. after that

I bought a bottle of wine, _____ we drank it together.

a. therefore b.then c. while d. after that

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_____ he worked hard, he couldn´t earn enough money to support the family.

a. but b. however c. therefore d. although

_____ we took the second part of the test, we had a break.

a. before b. however c. therefore d. although

_____ the presentation had finished, everyone was ready for the discussion.

a. before b. after that c. therefore d. although

You should _____ respect his wife _____ you can lose your best friend.

a. either – or b. neither – nor

_____ the internet is very popular, many older people do not know how to use it.

a. although b. however c. because of d. Because

_____ the food was delicious, the waiter was not very nice.

a. however b. but c. in spite of d. when

_____her absence from class yesterday, she couldn't understand the lesson.

a. although b. however c. because of d. Because

She could not find the book she wanted _____ she borrowed a magazine instead.

a. or b. but c. so d. however

I don't like this book . It is _____ interesting _____ cheap.

a. so – but b. either – or C. neither – nor

_____the teacher explained the lesson several times, some of the students still did not understand it.

a. before b. after that c. therefore d. although

_____ the sky was cloudy, we went to the beach.

a. even though b. after that c. when d. then

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