

UNIT 5: GRAMMAR

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Exercises 1: Choose the best answer in brackets.

1. Remember (checking/ to check) your answer before handing in your exam paper.
2. I remember (putting/ to put) the money in the top drawer, but it's not there now.
3. He needs (working/ to work) harder if he wants to make progress.
4. It's difficult problem. It needs (thinking/ to think) about very carefully.
5. If we want to get there by 7.00, that means (getting/ to get) up before 5.00.
6. Can you help me (getting/ to get) the dinner ready?
7. He looks so funny. Whenever I see him, I can't help (smiling/ to smile).
8. I advise (taking/ to take) more exercise.
9. I'd advise you (taking/ to take) more exercise.

Exercise 2: Supply the *correct* verb form:

1. It was safer (go) _____ by train
2. Thank you for (show) _____ me the way.
3. That was very rude (make) _____ that remark
4. The teacher let me (stay) _____ at home and do exercises.
5. She noticed the boy (run) _____ away from the house.
6. I heard that he did want (learn) _____ Maths.

Exercise 3: Choose the correct answer to complete the sentences below:

1. That was a very strange question _____.
A. asking B. to ask C. ask D. asked
2. He saw them _____ home late.
A. to arrive B. arriving C. arrived D. arrive
3. It was very kind of you to _____ me the way.
A. show B. to show C. showing D. shown
4. He shouldn't _____ the car like that.
A. drive B. to drive C. driving D. drove

5. They made her _____ there for the weekend.
 A. staying B. stayed C. stay D. to stay
6. The teacher allowed me _____ at home to _____ the homework.
 A. to stay / finishing B. staying / finish C. to stay / finished D. to stay / finish
7. She stood there and watched him _____.
 A. driving away B. to drive away C. driving D. drive away
8. I enjoyed _____ by train. It's safer.
 A. gone B. go C. going D. to go

Exercises 4: Choose the best answer to complete the sentences.

1. He'd rather _____ at home.
 A. to stay B. staying C. stayed D. stay
2. They would _____ go to Ho Chi Minh City by plane than travel by train.
 A. like B. rather C. prefer D. better
3. The boss allows _____ going home early.
 A. us to go B. us go C. us going D. us to going
4. I remember _____ him in London.
 A. meet B. to meet C. meeting D. to meeting
5. He avoids _____ underwear at that shop.
 A. buy B. to buy C. bought D. buying
6. David finished _____ his homework and then he went to the party with George and Bill.
 A. do B. to be done C. to do D. doing
7. Please don't forget _____ the baby. She needs to eat every two hours.
 A. feeding B. fed C. to feed D. to be fed
8. What about _____ for a walk?
 A. go B. going C. to go D. gone
9. _____ at the audience, the contestant gave her answer with confidence.
 A. Looking B. To look C. Have look D. Look
10. The thief admitted _____ the money.
 A. to steal B. stealing C. have stolen D. stolen

11. We are very happy about your _____ all the assignments before the deadline.

- A. being completed B. completed C. having completed D. to complete

12. I hate _____ a child _____.

- A. see/crying B. see/ cry C. seeing/ to cry D. seeing/ cry

13. Passing the kitchen, he stopped _____ a large glass of water.

- A. to drink B. drink C. drinking D. to drinking

14. They stopped _____ when the teacher came in.

- A. talk B. to talk C. talking D. to talking

15. I didn't regret _____ a year travelling around the world.

- A. spend B. to spend C. spending D. to spending

Exercise 5: Choose the underlined parts that need changing to have correct sentences and correct the mistakes:

1. I could feel the robber came from the back door.

- A B C D

2. I heard him leaving the house early this morning.

- A B C D

3. That was very cold visit that place.

- A B C D

4. It was stupid for him driving the car like that.

- A B C D

5. Do you think the school will make me to pay some extra money?

- A B C D

6. It was quite a surprise saw him again.

- A B C D

