TOEFL STRUCTURE AND WRITTEN EXPRESSION

TOEFL EXERCISE SKILLS 27-29

TOEFL EXERCISE (Skills 27–29): Choose the letter of the word or group of words that best completes the sentence.

1. The speed of light is _____ the speed of sound.
   (A) faster
   (B) much faster than
   (C) the fastest
   (D) as fast

2. The use of detail is _____ method of developing a controlling idea, and almost all students employ this method.
   (A) more common
   (B) common
   (C) most common
   (D) the most common

3. _____ in Stevenson's landscapes, the more vitality and character the paintings seem to possess.
   (A) The brushwork is loose
   (B) The looser brushwork
   (C) The loose brushwork is
   (D) The looser the brushwork is

Choose the letter of the underlined word or group of words that is not correct.

_____ 4. Certain types (A) of snakes have been known (B) to survive fasts (C) more as (D) a year long.

_____ 5. The grizzly bear, which (A) can grow up to eight feet (B) tall, has been called (C) a more (D) dangerous animal of North America.

_____ 6. Climate, soil type, and availability (A) of water are (B) the most critical factors than (C) selecting the best (D) type of grass for a lawn.

_____ 7. Peter Abelard, a logician and theologian (A), was the (B) controversialest (C) teacher of his age. (D)

_____ 8. Protein molecules are (A) the most (B) complex than (C) the molecules of (D) carbohydrates.

_____ 9. The leek, a member (A) of the lily family, has a mildest (B) taste than (C) the onion. (D)

_____ 10. The widely (A) used (B) natural fiber (C) of all is (D) cotton.

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