TIME EXPRESSIONS (1)

Q1 There's no need to worry, we shall get to the station long before the train leaves as we have ..... of time.

(a) sacks (b) packets (c) parcels (d) bags

Q2 The concert doesn't start at least an hour and so we have time to .....

(a) kill (b) murder (c) remove (d) destroy

Q3 The station isn't far away and the train leaves in about ten minutes so there is no need to worry — we have time to .....

(a) save (b) store (c) spare (d) place

Q4 The problem is he has no work to do and with time on his ..... he is likely to get into trouble.

(a) hands (b) fingers (c) feet (d) legs

Q5 I told him time and ..... not to do it but he takes no notice.

(a) often (b) already (c) again (d) frequently

Q6 I always like to get to an appointment in ..... time.

(a) good (b) best (c) fine (d) clear

Q7 It's ..... time she learnt to look after herself.

(a) of (b) in (c) about (d) through

Q8 We're not living here for good but just for the time .....

(a) seeing (b) trying (c) going (d) being

Q9 Time ....., it's difficult to believe that we've been here all day.

(a) flows (b) flies (c) flees (d) files

Q10 Time will ..... whether we have made the right decision.

(a) say (b) know (c) tell (d) find

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TIME EXPRESSIONS (2)

Q1 The business has lost a lot of orders recently and is going through a ..... time.

(a) slender (b) poor (c) thin (d) acute

Q2 The railways system is very efficient as the trains always arrive ..... time.

(a) up (b) at (c) for (d) on

Q3 My opinion is that they don't know what to do and are merely playing ..... time.

(a) to (b) for (c) at (d) in

Q4 You can tell just looking at their out of date equipment that the company is well ..... the times.

(a) behind (b) across (c) under (d) outside

Q5 His invention showed that he understood what was going to happen in the future and proved he was ..... of his time.

(a) in front (b) before (c) ahead (d) forward

Q6 You can tell she has hit the ..... time because of the huge car she drives.

(a) high (b) massive (c) large (d) big

Q7 If you really want to send that letter off today, it's ..... time you went to the post office.

(a) high (b) quick (c) proper (d) right

Q8 The orchestra are meant to ..... time with the conductor.

(a) hold (b) keep (c) take (d) show

Q9 If you want to grow as a business and attract new customers you must ..... with the times.

(a) move (b) follow (c) keep (d) hold

Q10 The parcel eventually arrived six weeks later, and not ..... time!

(a) after (b) before (c) since (d) for

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