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4D Grammar

Quantity

I can use articles and quantifiers correctly.

1 Complete the sentences with *some, any* or *no*.

1 Scientists have struggled to find [ ] evidence that this type of particle even exists.
2 [ ] experts believe hypnosis is effective, but others dispute this.
3 Nobody has [ ] reason to doubt the results of the study.
4 The match did not take place because [ ] suitable venue was available.
5 This essay is very good, considering you hardly spent [ ] time on it!
6 [ ] university would offer you a place if you failed all of your exams.

2 Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use the quantifiers below.

all both either every many neither no none very few

1 Nearly all of the applicants were women.
[ ] of the applicants were men.
2 Neither of his parents has a job.
[ ] of his parents are unemployed.
3 We found both of the hotels unsatisfactory.
We didn't find [ ] of the hotels satisfactory.
4 Both of his parents were out last night.
[ ] of his parents was at home last night.
5 There aren't any good reasons to stay here.
There are [ ] good reasons to stay here.
6 He sends birthday cards to each of his cousins.
He sends birthday cards to [ ] cousin.
7 He spent the whole holiday staring at his phone!
He spent [ ] holiday staring at his phone!
8 A large number of his projects have failed.
[ ] of his projects have failed.
9 They didn't publish any of his poems during his lifetime.
[ ] of his poems was published during his lifetime.

3 Circle all of the quantifiers that can go with these nouns.

1 a good deal of / each / lots of / no messages
2 a little / much / several / some people
3 each / either / much / no classroom
4 a large amount of / each / less / a little / lots of confidence
5 a lot of / half / any / many bread
6 every / both / no / little emails
7 none of / either / a few / the whole film
8 loads of / little / many / a large number of time
9 a great deal of / many / half of / no work
10 few / each / all of the / several lawyers

4 Complete the text with the correct option, a or b.



The Behavioural Insights Team (BIT) in the UK has investigated [1]_____ different techniques for encouraging people to make better choices. [2]_____ their studies have led to [3]_____ changes in policy. For example, in the past, [4]_____ offenders were sent letters to remind them that they owed fines, but [5]_____ of them responded – only about 5%. The BIT discovered that when offenders received personalised text messages instead, [6]_____ responded.

The team has also discovered [7]_____ general truths about people's behaviour. For example, [8]_____ people react better to more positive messages. Telling them [9]_____ benefits they will get from exercise is more effective than warning them about [10]_____ dangers of inactivity, even though [11]_____ messages essentially mean the same.

People also seem to attach [12]_____ importance to the behaviour of the people around them. In one study, [13]_____ home-owners were advised that cutting energy use could save them [14]_____ money, while others were told how it would benefit the environment. [15]_____ of the messages was very effective. But a third message which said, '[16]_____ your neighbours are taking steps to save energy,' did have an impact.

	a	b
1	a large amount of	b a large number of
2	a Any of	b Some of
3	a several	b several of the
4	a all	b every
5	a a few	b few
6	a a third of them	b third of them
7	a a few	b few
8	a most	b most of the
9	a all of the	b the whole
10	a all	b all the
11	a both	b either
12	a a great deal of	b a large number of
13	a some	b some of the
14	a a large amount of	b much
15	a Neither	b None
16	a Most	b Most of

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