



Extra Training

Mistakes Task 687

In the following questions each sentence has four underlined words or phrases in italics. The four underlined parts of the sentence are marked (1),(2),(3), and (4).

Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order for the sentence to be correct.

1. We are suppose (1) to read all of the seven chapters (2) and answer (3) the questions for tomorrow's class (4).
2. The (1) news of the president's treaty negotiations with the foreign government were (2) received with mixed emotions (3) by the citizens of both governments (4)
3. We thought he is (1) planning to go on vacation (2) after (3) the first (4) of the month.
4. There are (1) a large supply of pens (2) and notebooks in the storeroom (3) to the left of (4) the library entrance.
5. Mrs. Stevens, with (1) her cousins from (2) New Mexico, are (3) planning to attend (4) the festivities.
6. Hummingbirds are the only birds (1) capable to fly (2) backward as well (3) as forward (4) up, and down.
7. Stuart stopped to write (1) his letter because (2) he had to leave (3) for the hospital (4).
8. They asked me what did happen (1) last night (2), but I was unable (3) to tell them (4).
9. She must retyping (1) the report before (2) she hands it (3) to the (4) director of financing.
10. Joel (1) giving up smoking (2) has caused him to gain (3) weight and become irritable (4) with his acquaintances.

