INTENSIVE 6

EXTRA PRACTICE 2021

1. Despite the heat Sam kept his jacket on. **OF**

In ..... Sam did not take his jacket off.

2. They allow us to take a one-hour break. **ALLOWED**

We ..... a one-hour break.

3. They allowed us to take our dog inside. **ALLOWED**

We ..... our dog inside.

4. 'If you ask me, you should buy a new coat, Tracy'. Said her mother. **ADVISED**

Tracy's mother ..... a new coat.

5. 'If you take my advice, Paul,' said Lynda, 'you should buy a personal computer'. **ADVISED**

Lynda..... a personal computer.

6. Although Tom eats large amounts of chocolate, he never puts on weight. **SPITE**

Tom never puts on weight ..... large amounts of chocolate.

7. A newly qualified dentist took out Mr. Dupont's tooth. **HAD**

Mr. Dupont ..... by a newly qualified dentist.

8. The hairdresser did Mary's hair last Tuesday. **HAD**

Mary ..... last Tuesday.

9. Your house needs redecorating. **SHOULD**

You ..... redecorated.

10. 'Why don't we go to the gym tonight?' he said. **SUGGESTED**

He ..... to the gym tonight.

Blue jeans

The story of blue jeans goes **(0)** ... **BACK** ... a long way. Even **(13)** ..... Levi Strauss started manufacturing them in San Francisco in 1850, sixteenth-century sailors in Genoa were making trousers out **(14)** ..... a cloth which they named 'gene', after their city. Jeans were thought to be excellent work clothes, as the material didn't wear out easily and was strong **(15)** ..... to allow people to carry tools in their pockets. Then in the 1950s jeans took on a new image when teenagers started to wear **(16)** ..... as a fashion statement.

The jeans of today have changed very **(17)** ..... from their original design. Cotton is still used and most jeans are still blue, **(18)** ..... they were in the beginning when they were dyed using indigo. Back pockets have remained a common feature, too, as **(19)** ..... the metal pins used to strengthen the jeans at certain points.

The **(20)** ..... decades, however, have seen variations in style. In the 1970s, for example, wide-legged 'bell-bottoms' were popular, and then more recently jeans with rips in the knees became fashionable. **(21)** ..... have also been times when it has been trendy for the colour of the jeans **(22)** ..... look faded. Designer jeans have always been popular, but of course they tend to be expensive. Arguably, lesser-known brands can be **(23)** ..... as good quality and bought at **(24)** ..... more reasonable prices.

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