



Extra Training

Current revision
Task 2194

1. Listen to the speakers A-F and choose the sentence that describes the meaning of the spoken texts. One sentence is extra!

1. The speaker is unhappy with his rich classmates' attitude to expensive gifts.
2. The speaker says that his school building is inconvenient because of its size.
3. The speaker feels unhappy about changes in her/his former classmates.
4. The speaker thinks it depends on the person what type of school is better for her/him.
5. The speaker thinks that uniforms give students a tidier look.
6. The speaker thinks private school gives better opportunities to study different subjects.
7. The speaker says that students prefer casual clothes to school uniform.

A	B	C	D	E	F

2-6. Choose the correct item.

2. When you go to the supermarket, make sure you _____ to the shopping list.
3. George _____ money to environmental organisations.
4. It's really easy to make a compost _____ in your garden.
5. Washing machines use a large _____ of water.
6. You have to cut _____ the amount of paper you use.

7-14. Complete the sentences with the correct **passive** form of the verb in brackets.
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7. A prize of £1,000 _____ (award) to the writer of the best short story next week.
8. The Maths problem _____ (not/solve) by all the students yet.
9. The country house _____ (already/sell) to a famous actor.
10. Mr. Jameson _____ (accompany) to the opera by his wife last night.
11. The dance programme _____ (show) on TV at 9:30 pm tonight.
12. The music for *Sleeping Beauty* _____ (compose) by Tchaikovsky.
13. Mary _____ (give) a ticket by the police last week for illegal parking.
14. The successful Chinese film *Hero* _____ (direct) and _____ (produce) by Zhang Yimou.

15-22. Complete the conditional sentences with the correct form of the verb in brackets.

15. You won't have indigestion if you _____ (avoid) spicy foods.
16. I've got a terrible stomachache now! I wish my tummy _____ (not/hurt) so much!
17. If only I _____ (be) skinnier!
18. If we _____ (not/get) lost, we would have been here long ago.

19. I wish my skin _____ (*not/be*) so dry!

20. If I were you, I _____ (*go*) to see a dentist.

21. If only my children _____ (*eat*) more fruit and vegetables.

22. If I _____ (*know*) how to cook, I would make you pasta with red sauce and tuna.

23-27. Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use the given word. Use only one word in each blank.

23. His salary will be € 1,000 a month.

paid He _____ € 1,000 a month.

24. People say he is very rich.

said He _____ very rich.

25. Steven Spielberg directed ET in 1982.

by ET _____ Steven Spielberg in 1982.

26. This publishing house brings out hundreds of books every year.

are Hundreds of books _____ this publishing house every year.

27. The actor amazed the audience with his performance.

was The audience _____ the actor's performance.

28. Complete the sentences with the parts given below. One part is extra!

Fire Crews Hunt Escaped Hamster

Eight firefighters have been called in to help find an escaped hamster. Two crews used a chocolate-covered camera and a vacuum cleaner **A** ___, called Fudgie, at the home of a six-year-old girl in Dunbar, Scotland.

The girl's mother said: 'We came down for breakfast and discovered Fudgie had opened the top lid of her cage and had made her way into the kitchen and we think she has gone **B** ___.'

The fire crews spent five hours trying to recover the pet after it ran down a hole in the kitchen floor. But, the hamster still refused **C** ___.

In the search for Fudgie, the firefighters took the family cooker and gas pipes apart. They also dropped a mini-camera coated with chocolate under the floorboards. They then hoped to take out the hamster using a vacuum cleaner. Despite all their efforts, they failed to find Fudgie.

In the end, the firefighters put another camera down the hole **D** ___, connected to the screen of the family home computer, to see if Fudgie appeared. Besides, the girl and her parents regularly dropped food **E** ___.

At last, after eight days the hamster returned to her cage safe and sound. She crawled from the hole in the kitchen floor early in the morning. It was the girl's father who first found Fudgie **F** ___.

The girl said that day it was like Christmas morning for her. Her parents added that they too felt extremely happy when Fudgie had finally returned.

1. to look after the pet
2. to come out of the hole
3. to try and locate the missing hamster
4. through a small hole in the floor
5. and left it under the floorboards
6. and locked the runaway hamster
7. through the hole for the hamster

A	B	C	D	E	F