

May Test II

1) Rewrite the sentences. Use (not) as ... as

a) The National gallery is bigger than the Tate gallery
The Tate gallery _____

b) The bars by the beach close later than the bars in the town
The bars in the town don't close _____

c) The meals in the restaurant are better than in the café
The meals in the café are _____

d) Sting is the most dedicated Singer in the music business
There isn't _____

e) There are more students in my school than in yours
There are not _____

2) Fill in the correct form of the word

- a) It was very clear which was her _____ (INTEND)
- b) It's your _____ to study for the test. (OBLIGUE)
- c) The woman gave the police a complete _____ of the burglar. (DESCRIBE)
- d) You need a _____ to fish in the lake. (PERMIT)
- e) I think we deserved an _____ about last night. (EXPLAIN)
- f) They have to find a _____ for that problem. (SOLVE)
- g) There is no _____ between these two t-shirts. (DIFFER)
- h) You have a lot of work. You should hire an _____ (ASSIST)

3) Report the following sentences

- a) "Is that your dad?" she asked him

- b) "Do you have vegan options?" Linda asked the waitress

- c) "Who is out there?" the scared woman shouted

- d) John was disappointed with Luka and asked "What is happening with you?"

- e) "Is that Linda in the pool?" he asked me.

4) If clauses. Fill in the gaps

- a) If she _____ (touch) a fire, she _____ (get) burned.
- b) If I _____ (study) today, my mother _____ (let) me go to the party tonight.
- c) If babies _____ (be) hungry, they _____ (cry)
- d) If I _____ (go) to school, I _____ (wear) my uniform.
- e) Susan _____ (come) to the party if you _____ (invite) her.
- f) If he _____ (continue) to work hard, he _____ (be) the best in class.
- g) You _____ (pay) a higher insurance if you _____ (buy) a sport car.
- h) If you _____ (go) to Australia, _____ (send) me a postcard.

5) Complete the text with the appropriate connector

Having been employed as an accountant for five years in a small printing company, I have gained considerable experience and _____ I very much enjoy my work, I would like now to work for a larger organization. _____ I can take on a role with more responsibility, I would like to apply for the job of management accountant that you are advertising on your website. I have taken eight of the Institute of Accountants' exams and have received very good grades (see attached cv). _____ I still have another six exams to take before I can become a member of the Institute Accountants. _____, it is very important to me that I am able to continue my programme of studies in my new job.

6) Paraphrasing

a) As it got darker, we have more difficult seeing. **HARDER**

The darker _____ it was for us to see.

b) He learned to drive when he was eighteen. **BEEN**

He _____ since he was eighteen.

c) Take the mobile because the car might break down. **CASE**

Take the mobile _____ down.

d) Take my advice and stop smoking. **WERE**

If _____ stop smoking.

e) John will only answer if you ring the doorbell twice. **UNLESS**

John _____ you ring the doorbell twice.