

Debts: Multiple Choice Grammar Test

It was a (1) _____ walk from the bus to the nursery school where Juanita had left her little daughter this morning on her way to work. Juanita hurried, knowing she was late. The little girl ran toward her as she entered the small playroom in the basement of a private house. (2) _____ the house, like others in the area, was old and in disrepair, the school rooms were clean and cheerful — the reason Juanita (3) _____ the school in preference to others, though the cost was higher and it was hard for her (4) _____. It was obvious from the stillness around that the other children were all gone. Miss Ferroe, who (5) _____ and ran the school, came in and looked (6) _____ at her watch. 'Mrs Nunez, as a special favour I agreed that Estella could stay after (7) _____, but this is too late... Other parents observe the school's closing time.'

'It won't happen again, I promise,' said Juanita. 'Very well. But since you are here, Mrs. Nunez, may I remind you (8) _____ pay the last month's bill for Estella.' 'I really am sorry, Miss Ferroe. It will be paid on Friday. I'll have my paycheck then.' The school fees, Juanita decided, would have to come out of her pay this week, as she had said, and somehow she must manage until the payday after that. She wasn't sure how.

Her wage (9) _____ at the bank was \$83. Out of that there was food to buy for the two of them, Estella's school fees, plus rent of the tiny flat they lived in; also the finance company would demand a payment since she (10) _____ the last. Before Carlos, her husband, left her, simply (11) _____ and disappearing a year ago, Juanita had been naive enough to sign finance papers together with her husband. He (12) _____ suits, a used car, a colour TV on credit, all of which he took with him. Juanita, however, was still paying and the installments seemed to stretch on into a limitless future.

	A	B	C	D
1	three-blocks	three-block	third-block	three-block's
2	Though	Also	Meanwhile	As well
3	choosing	choose	had chosen	has chosen
4	be pay	paid	paying	to pay
5	owning	own	owns	owned
6	point	pointedly	pointed	pointedness
7	the others	other	others	the other
8	of having	having to	of having to	to having to
9	like a teller	as a teller	for a teller	to be a teller
10	had missed	would miss	missing	has missed
11	walk out	walking out	walked out	had walked
12	has bought	bought	had bought	buys

Career: Multiple Choice Grammar Test

There are as many kinds of careers as there are people. They vary greatly in the type of work (1) _____ and in the ways they influence a person's life.

The kind of career you have can affect your life in many ways. For example, it can determine where you live and the friends you make. It can reflect how (2) _____ education you have and can determine the (3) _____ of money you earn. By (4) _____ wise decisions concerning your career, you can help yourself build the life you want.

To make wise career decisions and plans, you need as much information as possible. (5) _____ you know about yourself and career opportunities, the better able you will be to choose a satisfying career.

People differ in (6) _____ they want from a career. Many people desire a high income. Some hope for fame. (7) _____ want adventure. Still others want to serve people and make the world a better place.

Each person has many values, which (8) _____ in strength. For example, money (9) _____ the strongest value for some people — that is, wealth is more important to them than anything else. You can develop an understanding of your values by asking yourself what is most important to you and by examining your (10) _____. For example, is it important to you to work as a member of a team? Or would you rather (11) _____ in charge or work alone? If working alone or being in charge is important to you, independence is probably one of your primary values.

	A	B	C	D
1	involved	involve	involving	is involved
2	most	many	more	much
3	most	plenty	amount	number
4	making	to make	made	being made
5	More	The more	The most	Much
6	that	what	which	some
7	Others	Another	Other	The other
8	are vary	varying	varies	vary
9	are	were	will be	is
10	believes	believe	beliefs	belief
11	been	to be	being	be