

## GRAMMAR

## 1 Tick (✓) A, B, or C to complete the sentences.

1 \_\_\_\_\_ modern printing methods has led to faster rates of publication.  
**A** To introduce       **B** Introduced       **C** The introduction of

2 I'd \_\_\_\_\_ stay at home than go to an overcrowded beach resort.  
**A** better       **B** prefer       **C** sooner

3 My car \_\_\_\_\_ start – can you give me a hand, please?  
**A** wouldn't       **B** doesn't       **C** won't

4 Would you mind \_\_\_\_\_ for a moment?  
**A** I interrupt       **B** I interrupted       **C** my interrupting

5 \_\_\_\_\_ rather go out or stay in tonight?  
**A** Do you       **B** Would you       **C** Are you

6 \_\_\_\_\_ in the car production industry has led to job losses.  
**A** Being automated       **B** Automation       **C** To have automated

7 To do this job you must have excellent \_\_\_\_\_.  
**A** skills to manage time       **B** time management skills       **C** skills for time managing

8 \_\_\_\_\_ head phones is not permitted during the exam.  
**A** The wearing of       **B** To wear       **C** Wearing

9 Grandad \_\_\_\_\_ often fall asleep in front of the television after dinner.  
**A** will       **B** should       **C** have

10 A: Let's go for a drink, \_\_\_\_\_ we?  
 B: Yes, I'd love that!  
**A** will       **B** should       **C** shall

## VOCABULARY

## 2 Tick (✓) A, B, or C to complete the sentences.

1 Many people struggle to make \_\_\_\_\_ due to low wages and high rent.  
**A** ends meet       **B** ends stick       **C** ends touch

2 She decided to quit her job and start a completely new career from \_\_\_\_\_. The business she set up turned out to be a huge success.  
**A** beginning       **B** scratch       **C** zero

3 Despite facing numerous challenges, he felt compelled to complete his education and never \_\_\_\_\_.  
**A** dropped out       **B** graduated       **C** resigned

4 The organization's mission is to provide support and resources to individuals who find themselves on the \_\_\_\_\_ of society.  
**A** margins       **B** verge       **C** outskirts

5 Being a \_\_\_\_\_ eater can make it challenging to find suitable restaurants while traveling.  
**A** funny       **B** frank       **C** fussy

6 The hiking trail is designed for all fitness levels, allowing individuals to hike at their own \_\_\_\_\_ without feeling rushed..  
**A** space       **B** pace       **C** tempo

7 It's essential not to \_\_\_\_\_ material possessions over meaningful relationships.  
**A** prize       **B** treasure       **C** worship

8 It's crucial that your actions \_\_\_\_\_ to your words to maintain trust and credibility.  
**A** match       **B** interfere       **C** correspond

9 In some cultures, \_\_\_\_\_ to authority is highly valued as a sign of respect..  
**A** obey       **B** obedience       **C** obeying

10 The policy applies to all employees, \_\_\_\_\_ of their position within the organization.  
**A** regardless       **B** despite       **C** no matter