Preparation Course the TOEFL® Test

Exercise

Directions: *Listen carefully to the short conversations and questions. Then, choose the best answer to each question. You should be particularly careful of **who** does **what**.*

1. (A) Susan is going to graduate next week.
   (B) Susan's brother is returning to his hometown.
   (C) Susan will be there when her brother graduates.
   (D) Susan's brother is coming to her graduation.

2. (A) The children did not want to practice.
   (B) The instructor did not give them enough practice.
   (C) The children practiced most of the time.
   (D) The instructor made his guitar by himself.

3. (A) The man is putting the child to sleep.
   (B) The child is worried about the sleeping man.
   (C) The man is afraid he might wake up the child.
   (D) The child is speaking softly to the man.

4. (A) The professor attended that afternoon's lecture.
   (B) The students refused to attend the lecture.
   (C) The professor was ordered to give the lecture.
   (D) The students were told to go to the lecture.

5. (A) Jeff has been sent to a foreign university.
   (B) Jeff has just returned from a German university.
   (C) Jeff's dean approved his acceptance to a German student.
   (D) Jeff's dean made a trip to a German university.

6. (A) The librarian was rather reserved with the students.
   (B) The man will ask the librarian to reserve the books.
   (C) The librarian asked the students to return the book.
   (D) The man can have the books for two days.

7. (A) The president appointed Bob as the new president.
   (B) Bob became president for one more year.
   (C) The students denied Bob the position of president.
   (D) Bob will try again in the presidential election next year.

8. (A) The doctor decided to take a week off from work.
   (B) Ross was told he wasn't too weak to attend lectures.
   (C) The doctor was too weak to examine Ross' condition.
   (D) Ross took his doctor's advice to rest for a week.

9. (A) Andrew will receive an inheritance from his aunt.
   (B) Andrew's aunt mentioned his name before she died.
   (C) Andrew was lucky to have such a benefit.
   (D) Andrew had a strong will to help his dying aunt.

10. (A) The cab driver waited for Sandy at the corner.
    (B) Sandy cornered the waiting taxi driver.
    (C) The waiting taxi driver was mad at Sandy.
    (D) Sandy waited for a taxi at the corner.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Supplementary Exercise

Directions: *Listen carefully to each short conversation and the question. Then, choose the best answer to each question.*

1. (A) Tom assisted the professor in her research.
   (B) The professor assisted Tom to be the best in class.
   (C) Tom would like to be the best by assisting the professor.
   (D) The professor would like Tom to assist her.

2. (A) Jimmy was told to leave his old apartment.
   (B) Jimmy told the landlady that he would pay his rent.
   (C) The landlady looked for Jimmy to ask him to pay his rent.
   (D) The landlady told Jimmy to move to her new apartment.

3. (A) Gina is going to live in California with her grandmother.
   (B) Gina loves spending her holidays with her grandmother.
   (C) Gina's grandmother from California often visits Gina.
   (D) Gina's grandmother loves to visit California.

4. (A) Gregory knows Professor Moore well.
   (B) Gregory will fail Professor Moore's course.
   (C) The professor will give Gregory a chance.
   (D) The professor will be teaching Gregory.

5. (A) Professor Morrison is helping Jack rewrite the paper.
   (B) The woman will rewrite Jack's paper.
   (C) Jack was told to rewrite his final paper.
   (D) The man should help Jack rewrite the paper.

6. (A) The woman will explain the lesson to the man.
   (B) The man is going to explain the lesson to James.
   (C) James is going to explain the lesson to the speakers.
   (D) The woman is going to explain the lesson to James.

7. (A) She asked the man to buy the book.
   (B) Roy borrowed her book yesterday.
   (C) She will borrow the man's book.
   (D) Roy will buy her the book.

8. (A) Patricia is helping Donald with the project.
   (B) Patricia is helping the woman with the project.
   (C) The man is helping Patricia with the project.
   (D) The woman asks the man to help her finish the project.

9. (A) She's going to hold a party at Melissa's place.
   (B) She will throw a party at Melissa's house.
   (C) Melissa is going to prepare the party for the woman.
   (D) Melissa is going to have a birthday party.

10. (A) Brian painted the woman's room.
    (B) Brian painted the man's room.
    (C) The woman and the man made Brian's room nice.
    (D) The room's decoration is nice.

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