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# COMPARATIVE GRAMMAR

## ENGLISH/SPANISH

**1<sup>st</sup> Part- 30%: (About Skill 20-23)** Underline the subjects once and the verbs twice in each of the following sentences. Then indicate if the sentences are correct C or incorrect I.

- \_\_\_\_ 1. The contracts signed by the company has been voided because some stipulations were not met.
- \_\_\_\_ 2. Ten miles beyond the river was the farmlands that they had purchased with their life savings.
- \_\_\_\_ 3. Each package that is not properly wrapped have to be returned to the sender.
- \_\_\_\_ 4. She would not have to enter the house through the bedroom window were the keys where they where supposed to be.
- \_\_\_\_ 5. The proposal brought so much new work to the partnership that there was not enough hours to complete all of it.
- \_\_\_\_ 6. The box of disks for the computer have been misplaced.
- \_\_\_\_ 7. It is disconcerting to believe that every possible candidate has been rejected for one reason or another.
- \_\_\_\_ 8. Only once have there been more excitement in this city about a sporting event.
- \_\_\_\_ 9. Bobby has a bigger bicycle than does the other children in the neighborhood.
- \_\_\_\_ 10. If nobody have bought that car from the dealer, then you should return and make another offer.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Part- 30% (About Skill 20-23)** Choose the letter of the word or group of words that best completes the sentence.

1. Among bees \_\_\_\_\_ a highly elaborate form of communication.
  - a. occur
  - b. occurs
  - c. it occurs
  - d. they occur
2. \_\_\_\_\_ heated by solar energy have special collectors on the roofs to trap sunlight.
  - a. A home is
  - b. Homes are
  - c. A home
  - d. Homes



Choose the letter of the underlined word or group of words that is not correct.

\_\_\_\_\_ 3. Each number in a binary system are formed from only two symbols  
A B C D

\_\_\_\_\_ 4. Scientists at the medical center is trying to determine if there is a  
A B C  
relationship between saccharine and cancer.  
D

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. On the rim of the Kilauea volcano in the Hawaiian Islands are a  
A B C  
hotel called the Volcano Hotel.  
D

\_\_\_\_\_ 6. The great digital advances of the electronic age, such as  
A  
integrated circuitry and a microcomputer, has been planted in  
B C D  
tiny chips.

\_\_\_\_\_ 7. There are many frequently mentioned reasons why one out of  
A B  
four arrests involve a juvenile.  
C D

\_\_\_\_\_ 8. Kepler's Laws, principles outlining planetary movement, was  
A  
formulated based on observations made without a telescope.  
B C D

\_\_\_\_\_ 9. Only with two-thirds vote by both houses are the U.S Congress  
A B  
able to override a presidential veto.  
C D

\_\_\_\_\_ 10. Of all the evidence that has piled up since Webster's paper was  
A  
published, there is no new ideas to contradict his original theory.  
B C D

### 3<sup>RD</sup> Part- 40% (About Skill 20-23)

This section tests your ability to recognize correct grammar and structure in English. Choose the word or phrase that best completes each sentence. Mark the correct letter (A, B, C, or D) on your answer sheet.

1. The color of the classroom walls \_\_\_\_\_ bright enough to make the room look larger.  
A. are  
B. is  
C. were  
D. be



2. Most of the information in the reports \_\_\_\_\_ accurate and well-presented.

A. is  
B. are  
C. being  
D. were

3. Not only \_\_\_\_\_ the students finish their essays, but they also presented them confidently.

A. does  
B. do  
C. did  
D. doing

4. Everyone in the research group \_\_\_\_\_ asked to attend the conference next month.

A. have  
B. were  
C. has  
D. are

5. The success of the new English program \_\_\_\_\_ on the students' motivation and participation.

A. depend  
B. depending  
C. depends  
D. dependents

6. A number of applicants \_\_\_\_\_ waiting in the hall for the interview to begin.

A. was  
B. is  
C. were  
D. be

7. Not only \_\_\_\_\_ the teachers review the materials, but they also created new exercises for practice.

A. did  
B. do  
C. were  
D. done

8. Each of the students in the advanced class \_\_\_\_\_ completed the online grammar test.

A. have  
B. has  
C. are  
D. were