

Examination Practice

A Choose the correct answer.

- The church has set up a charity with the aim _____ funds for the refugees.
a. of raise b. raising
c. of raising d. to raising
- I took photos of the baby so as _____ them to my friends abroad.
a. to sending b. I could send
c. I can send d. to send
- You should have more confidence _____ yourself if you want to succeed.
a. for b. in
c. at d. of
- They are _____ nice people that everyone likes them.
a. such b. such a
c. so d. a so
- "Look at Sheila! She's so beautiful, isn't she?" "Yeah, she has taken _____ her mother."
a. after b. over
c. on d. up
- She was heavily dressed _____ catching a cold.
a. due to b. despite
c. because of d. for fear of
- He walked in quietly _____ wake up the baby.
a. so as not to b. so as to not
c. so as don't d. so as to don't
- _____ the weather was fine, we decided to go for a swim.
a. As b. Because of
c. While d. Due to
- "You know I have nothing to do with all this mess! Don't put the blame _____ me."
a. in b. on
c. at d. for
- Take a jumper with you in case it _____ colder at night.
a. will get b. would get
c. gets d. getting

B Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given unchanged. You must use between two and five words, including the word given.

- Although the police suspected him, they didn't arrest him.
suspicious Despite _____, the police didn't arrest him.
- However busy she is, she always makes time for exercise.
matter She always makes time for exercise, _____ she is.
- There was so much traffic on the road that I was an hour late.
lot There was _____ on the road that I was an hour late.
- The operation was cancelled because it was considered risky.
due The operation was cancelled _____ involved.
- The puzzle was not easy enough for them to do.
so The puzzle _____ couldn't do it.
- He wants to buy a new computer, so he is saving up.
aim He is saving up _____ a new computer.
- He braked suddenly to avoid hitting the old man.
as He braked suddenly _____ the old man.
- He is proud of his work, but he is not arrogant.
pride Even _____ his work, he is not arrogant.
- That accident was so frightful that I'll never forget it.
such It was _____ I'll never forget it.
- He uses two alarm clocks in order not to wake up late.
that He uses two alarm clocks _____ wake up late.