MODULE 10: CONJUNCTIONS

Exercise 1: Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

1 Many students work to earn money_____their parents are rich

A. because of **B.** despite **C.** however **D.** although

2 The residents of the village are living a happy life_____they lack modem facilities.

A. despite **B.** although **C.** therefore **D.** because of

3 Backpacking is best suited for those who are in good physical condition

A. without being required to walk several miles **B.** so that it would require walking several miles

C. so as not to require walking several miles **D.** as it may require walking several miles.

4 My uncle tries to spend time playing with his children_____he is very busy.

A. because of **B.** although **C.** despite **D.** moreover

5 Children are encouraged to read books_____they are a wonderful source of knowledge.

A. because of **B.** in spite of **C.** because **D.** although

6 Solar energy is not widely used_____it is friendly to the environment.

A. since **B.** although **C.** in spite of **D.** because of

7 Family members reach out to one another and share_____happy and sad time together.

A. between **B.** both **C.** either **D.** whether

8 Take time to do what needs to be done____that the family will have time to do fun things together, too.

A. so **B.** such **C.** now **D.** given

9 Parents should start teaching them how to manage more complicated duties_____children graduate from toddlerhood and move toward preschool.

A. yet **B.** when **C.** and **D.** so

10 The conductor_____gives the musicians non-verbal signals_____with his hands or by using a small stick called a baton.

A. whether **B.** either **C.** neither **D.** both

Exercise 2: **For each of the sentences, write a new sentence as similar as possible in meaning to the original one, using the word given in CAPITALS. This word must not be altered in any way.**

1. The government adopted the laws to regulate emission. They wanted to reduce air pollution. (SO THAT)

=>_____

2. To reduce releasing polluted air into environment, the government encourages people to replace gasoline- fueled with zero- emission vehicle. (WITH A VIEW TO)

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=>_____

3. People like driving cars instead of taking public transportation. Using the car is easy to move. (BECAUSE)

=>_____

4. The development of artificial intelligence helps reduce the workload of human. It also causes great harm. (ALTHOUGH)

=>_____

5. If we don't go home before night, we will be locked out. (OTHERWISE)

=>_____

6. Although he has a physical handicap, he becomes a successful businessman. (DESPITE)

=>_____

7. You can take anything from my store, but you have to pay for them. (PROVIDING THAT)

=>_____

8. Declining mortality rate is one of reasons which cause overpopulation. (OWNING TO)

=>_____

9. Tom doesn't want to become a doctor and neither does his sister.(NEITHER ...NOR)

=>_____

10. If you continue play truant, you will be expelled from the school. (OR)

=>_____

11. Playing sport helps me keep fit. It also prevents various health problems such as high blood pressure. (NOT ONLY...BUT ALSO)

=>_____

12. Both Lina and her friend like independent learning, which helps them study better. (ACCOMPANIED BY)

=>_____

Exercise 3: **Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.**

1. Laura practised playing the instrument a lot. She could hardly improve her performance.

A. Hardly had Laura practised playing the instrument a lot when she could improve her performance.

B. Had Laura practised playing the instrument a lot, she could have performed much better.

C. However much Laura practised playing die instrument, she could hardly perform any better.

D. As soon as Laura practised playing the instrument a lot, she could perform much better.

2. Last night she worked very hard. She wanted to finish the report on time.

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A. Last night she worked very hard so as to finish the report on time.

B. Last night she worked very hard although he wanted to finish the report on time.

C. However hard she worked last night, she finished the report on time.

D. No matter how hard she worked last night, she finished the report on time.

3. The singer performed the traditional song beautifully but she didn't pass the audition.

A. The singer's performance of a traditional song was too traditional to pass the audition.

B. The singer performed the traditional song beautifully, yet she didn't pass the audition.

C. The singer performed the traditional song beautifully enough to pass the audition.

D. The traditional song she performed was so beautiful that she did not pass the audition.

4. You should take in more fruits and vegetables instead of eating too much fast food.

A. Eating too much fast food day and taking in more fruits and vegetables are advisable.

B. Don't take in more fruits and vegetables, just eat too much fast food instead.

C. Eating too much fast food helps you take in more fruits and vegetables.

D. Taking in more fruits and vegetables is better than eating too much fast food.

5. My brother can't pass the entrance examination. He is very hard-working.

A. My brother can't pass the entrance examination even though he is very hard working.

B. My brother can't pass the entrance examination but he is very hard-working.

C. My brother can't pass the entrance examination despite he is very hard-working.

D. My brother can't pass the entrance examination despite a fact that he is very hard-working.

6. Mark didn't arrive in time to watch the musical Swan Lake.

A. Mark was so late that he can't watch the musical Swan Lake.

B. Mark wasn't too early to watch the musical Swan Lake.

C. Mark wasn't early enough to watch the musical Swan Lake.

D. Mark wasn't enough early to watch the musical Swan Lake.

7. Family members share fun as well as sorrow and help heal one another's hurts.

A. As family members share fun as well as sorrow, they also help heal one another's hurts.

B. Family members share fun as well as sorrow so that they can help heal one another's hurts.

C. Not only do family members share fun as well as sorrow, but they also help heal one another's hurts.

D. Family members do not share only fun as well as sorrow, but they also help heal one another's hurts.

8. Salt is vital. It extracts and gets rid of acids.

A. It's vital for salt to extract and get rid of acids.

B. Salt is vital as it extracts and gets rid of acids.

C. Extracting and get rid of acids is vital to salt.

D. Salt extraction and getting rid of acids are vital.

9. We stayed in that hotel despite the noise.

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A. Because the hotel is noisy, we stayed there.

B. We stayed in the noisy hotel, and we liked it.

C. Although the hotel was noisy, we stayed there.

D. Without the noise, we would have stayed in the hotel.

10. I was so busy. I couldn't come to her birthday party.

A. I came to her birthday party so I was too busy.

B. I was too busy to come to her birthday party.

C. I was busy enough to come to her birthday party.

D. Her birthday party made me really busy.

11. She intended to study music in New Jersey. Accidentally she left and studied music in New York.

A. She left her hometown in New Jersey in order to study music in New York.

B. After studying music in New Jersey, she studied music in New York.

C. She left New Jersey with the intention to study music in New York.

D. She was going to study music in New Jersey but then studied in New York.

12. He died in 1960. He received the bravery award in 1970.

A. After his death, he received the bravery award in 1970.

B. Because he died in 1960, he received the bravery award in 1970.

C. He died in 1960 so he received the bravery award in 1970.

D. Before his death, he received the bravery award in 1970.

13. You have to finish your homework if you want to go to the party.

A. Finish your homework, and you cannot go to the party.

B. Unless you finish your homework, you can go to the party.

C. Finish your homework, otherwise you can go to the party.

D. Finish your homework, or else you cannot go to the party.

14. Although he was very tired, he agreed to play tennis.

A. Tired as though he was, he agreed to play tennis.

B. Tired though he was, he agreed to play tennis.

C. Tired, he agreed to play tennis.

D. So tired was he that he agreed to play tennis.

15. He sang very badly. Everyone left the room.

A. Everyone left the room so he sang badly.

B. He sang very badly so everyone left the room.

C. He sang badly as a result of everyone leaving the room.

D. He sang so badly but everyone left the room.

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