Choose the correct word or phrase to complete each dialogue.

1 A: I'm thinking about going paintballing this weekend.
B: You **won't / aren't going to** like it – it's quite dangerous.
2 A: Look at Paul!
B: Oh, no! He **will / is going to** fall into the water. Be careful, Paul!
3 A: Shall we get some more snacks for the party?
B: Good idea. **I'll / I'm going to** get them. You stay here.
4 A: **Will you / Are you going to** help me with my homework, please?
B: OK. Just let me finish my sandwich.
5 A: Would you like to see Lady Gaga in concert on the 25th of June?
B: I can't, sorry. My sister **will / is going to** get married that weekend.
6 A: Excuse me. Are you ready to order your food yet?
B: Yes, I think so. **I'll / I'm going to** have the double cheeseburger, please.
7 A: **Shall / Will** I book a tennis court for the morning or the afternoon?
B: The morning. It'll be cooler.
8 A: Manchester are losing 6-0 and there is only one minute left.
B: Oh, dear! They **won't / aren't going to** win today.
9 A: Do you have any plans for the weekend, John?
B: Not really. Maybe **I'll / I'm going to** go to the beach, if it's sunny.
10 A: Promise me you **won't / aren't going to** forget the flowers for Mum.
B: I promise! Don't worry!

Complete the sentences with the correct alternative.

1 John went **hiking / skiing** after it snowed in the mountains last week.
2 Mary loves **snowboarding / horse-riding**, but she hasn't learnt to jump over fences yet.
3 Doing **rock-climbing / sky-diving** must be amazing as you see the ground getting closer and closer.
4 When Mary went **sailing / ice-skating** it was a cold day and the waves were very big.
5 I love the views when I go **hiking / horse-riding**, but I prefer walking down the hills to going up them.
6 Chris and Jane love **ice-skating / skiing** together. Jane loves it when Chris lifts her up and they spin round.
7 Ricky loves **snowboarding / sky-diving** downhill fast and reaching the bottom first.
8 When you go **sailing / rock-climbing** you should test your equipment and wear a helmet.

Complete the sentences with the correct word from the box. You may use each word more than once.

in	off	out	together	up

1 Nuria is working _____ at the gym to get stronger.
2 Sonia and Liz enjoy getting _____ every Friday to talk about their week.
3 Chris didn't stay _____ late watching TV because he was going skiing the next day.
4 Alex loves going _____ every Monday to meet her friends at the drama club.
5 Tomorrow is Saturday, so I'm going to sleep _____ until 10 o'clock!
6 What was the last new hobby that you took _____? Did you like it?
7 We are calling _____ our skiing trip because there isn't enough snow.

Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets in the present simple or present continuous.

1 Because my last class _____ (**finish**) at 6 pm, it's always difficult to get to hockey practice at 6:30.
2 I have to practise my dance steps because I _____ (**enter**) a dance competition on Friday.
3 What time _____ your favourite series _____ (**start**)?
4 I'm running for my bus because it always _____ (**arrive**) on time.
5 Alison is a bit nervous because she _____ (**see**) the dentist tomorrow.
6 I _____ (**meet**) my friend Paul for lunch at 2 pm. Would you like to join us?
7 This summer we _____ (**stay**) in our own city because it's cheaper.
8 The film _____ (**not / begin**) until 7:30 pm so let's buy some popcorn!
9 Hurry up, Zara. The post office _____ (**close**) at 5 o'clock and we need to post these letters.
10 I _____ (**have**) my third driving lesson tomorrow morning because I'm busy in the afternoon.

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Complete the sentences with the correct alternative.

1 Kevin **passed / spent** a few minutes with the instructor before he started climbing.
2 After three hours, Cathy and Emma decided to **take / make** a break from their walk to rest.
3 It's important to **spend / make** time for your friends even when you have a lot of things to do.
4 Monday is a holiday and we **have / go** the whole day off school. What shall we do?
5 Have you ever **tried / had** a go at water-skiing? It's very difficult!

Respond to the questions with complete sentences.

1 How do you feel about watching TV series?
Personally, ...

_____

_____

2 Why do you feel that way?
That's because ...

_____

_____

3 What is something you are not a big fan of? What are your reasons?
I'm not ... because ...

_____

_____

4 How do you like spending your free time?
In my free time ...

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_____

5 What would you like to do in the future?
In the future I would ...

_____

_____

You see this announcement in your school's English-language magazine.

Articles wanted!

WHICH ARE BETTER – INDOOR OR OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES?

Write an article telling us whether you prefer indoor or outdoor activities.

What do you think makes an activity exciting? The best articles will be published next month.

Complete the sentences with the correct alternative.

1 I'm really keen **in / on** skateboarding. I do it every day.
2 I'm not a big **fan / hero** of computer games.
3 **I don't mind / mind** ice-skating. It's OK. Sometimes it can be fun.
4 I prefer reading historical novels **as / why** I can learn about history and enjoy the story.
5 I don't like basketball. That's **why / because** it's boring and I don't understand all the rules.

Write a word from the box to complete the sentences.

absolutely	ask	fan	opinion	that

1 If you _____ me, outdoor activities are more exciting.
2 I'm a big _____ of both indoor and outdoor activities.
3 My view is _____ indoor activities are better.
4 I _____ love all sorts of activities.
5 In my _____, indoor activities are boring.

Complete the second sentence so it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words, including the word given.

1 Although we didn't have much money, we paid to enter the Escape Room. **DESPITE**
We paid to enter the Escape Room _____ much money.

2 It was a new experience, but we answered the first question quickly. **THOUGH**
We answered the first question quickly even _____ a new experience.

3 Although I spent a lot of time on the number puzzle, I couldn't solve it. **SPITE**
In _____ a lot of time on the number puzzle, I couldn't solve it.

4 Anna found the solution, in spite of being bad at maths. **GOOD**
Anna found the solution, despite _____ at maths.

5 We had difficulty solving the word puzzle, but we didn't ask for help. **FACT**
We didn't ask for help despite _____ we had difficulty solving the word puzzle.

6 We didn't get out in time, but we really enjoyed ourselves. **NOT**
We really enjoyed ourselves in spite _____ out in time.

7 In spite of not being successful, we decided to try again. **ALTHOUGH**
We decided to try again, _____ not successful.

8 We weren't very hungry, but we decided to go to a café. **EVEN**
We decided to go to a café _____ were not hungry.

9 The second Escape Room was more difficult, but we solved the puzzles. **IN**
We solved the puzzles _____ second Escape Room being more difficult.

10 Even though Anna found more clues than me, I solved more puzzles. **THAT**
I solved more puzzles, in spite _____ Anna found more clues than me.

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