

In the following questions each sentence has four underlined words or phrases in italics. The four underlined parts of the sentence are marked (A),(B),(C), and (D). Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order for the sentence to be correct.

1. There are (A) an apple and seven pears on the table (B) laid (C) for the guests. (D)
2. There were not only children present at the party, but (A) a few (B) adults as well. They were sitting in the next room watching the children enjoy (C) themselves. (D)
3. The girl opened the window and enjoyed the fresh morning air (A) that was coming into the room. (B) The sun that shined (C) over the trees seemed to be (D) smiling to her.
4. The news we received (A) were not (B) that we had expected. My mother was upset and the granny began to cry. (C) Only my sister Sylvia was (D) calm and silent.
5. Eliza was an only girl (A) in the class, who didn't pay attention to (B) the boys. She was too busy (C) studying and seldom visited (D) the discos.
6. Julia was dresses (A) in a thin silk dress (B) so fine that everybody in the hall stopped to talk (C) and was looking (D) at her with admiration.
7. "I don't think you'll be able to (A) do the work yourself, (B)" the teacher said to (C) the pupil, "Let me to help (D) you!"
8. There were only two (A) kittens in the basket brought by (B) the mother. One was grey and another (C) was as black as (D) coal.
9. The new girl entered the classroom (A) and the boys followed her with their eyes (B) because she was beautiful (C) than any of the girls in the class. They just couldn't take her eyes off (D) her.
10. Her books are very interesting, but my (A) are even more interesting. (B) I advise you should read them to get a good idea of (C) my interests in Literature. (D)

