



Extra Training

Use of English Task 2144

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. Good and bad manners make up the social rules (A) of a country, though these rules may change as the society develops (B), for example, women were not excepted (C) in pubs at the beginning of the century, now both women and men drink freely (D) in pubs.
2. We couldn't but (A) to come to (B) them after we had heard (C) the news about (D) the latest accident.
3. The window burst opened (A) and we suddenly heard (B) the soft music (C) of the piano (D).
4. They have bought (A) a new three-bedrooms house (B) recently, and now they are trying to buy (C) something very extravagant (D) to furnish it.
5. The exhibition of modern art that took place in (A) the National Museum (B) was said to be (C) very bad. The visitors could find nearly nothing to look for (D).

Part Two. Word Building, Word Usage and Idiomatic expressions

For each of the following tasks choose the word which fits the given situation best.

6. At what age do babies usually start to ____?
1. go 2. come 3. run 4. walk
7. At the end of the match the ____ was 2 : 3.
1. score 2. goal 3. point 4. count
8. The army marched ____ward and reached the border of the country.
1. down 2. for 3. up 4. back
9. Come here and sit ____side me, and we'll have a good jolly chat.
1. in 2. out 3. a 4. be
10. Barking dogs seldom ____.
1. bit 2. bite 3. bitten 4. harm



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