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PRACTICE 9 - UNIT 8 FILMS

Class: 7/ _____

WRITING

I. Rewrite each sentence or question so it has the same meaning

1. Although Tom was a poor student, he studied very well.

⇒ In spite of _____

2. Mary could not go to school because she was sick.

⇒ Because of _____

3. Although the weather was bad, she went to school on time.

⇒ Despite _____

4. My mother told me to go to school although I was sick.

⇒ In spite of _____

5. Because there was a big storm, I stayed at home.

⇒ Because of _____

6. Tom was admitted to the university although his grades were bad.

⇒ Despite _____

7. Although she has a physical handicap, she has become a successful woman.

⇒ Despite _____

8. In spite of his good salary, Tom gave up his job.

⇒ Although _____

9. Though he had not finished the paper, he went to sleep.

⇒ In spite of _____

10. In spite of the high prices, my daughter insists on going to the movies.

⇒ Even though _____

II. Make one sentence from two. Use the word(s) in brackets in your sentences.

1. I couldn't sleep. I was very tired. (*despite*)

2. They have very little money. They are happy. (*in spite of*)

3. My foot was injured. I managed to walk to the nearest village. (*although*)

4. I enjoyed the film. The story was silly. (*in spite of*)

5. We live in the same street. We hardly ever see each other. (*despite*)

6. I got very wet in the rain. I was only out for five minutes. (*even though*)