I. Use the word given in capitals at the end of each line to form a word that fits in the space in the same line. There is an example at the beginning (0):

FLORIDA

When the famous *(0) explorer* **(EXPLORE)**, Columbus claimed Florida for Spain in 1492, he had never (1) _____**(LAY)** eyes on it. The area's most important early (2)_____(**VISIT)** thus set a pattern that has continued for centuries.There is a general (3) _____**(BELIEVE)** amongst people, apparently quite (4) _____ **(CONNECT)** with whether or not they've been there themselves, that Florida is a good place to go.In fact, it is almost (5) _____**(POSSIBLE)** not to enjoy yourself in Florida today,given the wonderful (6) _____**(SELECT)** of facilities available to tourists. Someof the world's most popular tourist (7) _____ **(ATTRACT)** are located in the state whose (8) _____ **(SAND)** beaches welcome 40 million people each year. These days it seems (9) _____ **(POINT)** to describe Florida's geography andclimate. After all, few people would have (10)_____ **(DIFFICULT)** in finding it on amap and most would know what weather to expect there.

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

1. You must write all your personal details on this form.
FILL You must _____ with all your personal details.

2. I'd love to go on holiday in March, but that's my busiest month.
WISH I _____ go on holiday in March, but that's my busiest month.

3. 'Harry, I think you should cancel the concert if this rain continues,' John said.
ADVISED John _____ the concert if the rain continued.

4. Not many students attended Dr Brown's lecture on politics.
NUMBER Only _____ students attended Dr Brown's lecture on politics.

5. City residents are going to organise a campaign to reduce street noise.
BE A campaign to reduce street noise _____ by city residents.

6. After the accident Brenda was confused and did not recognise her brother.
SO After the accident Brenda _____did not recognise her brother.

7. Peter hasn't seen his aunt Lucy for years.
SAW It's_____ his aunt Lucy.

8. The police said John had stolen the money.
ACCUSED The police _____ the money.

9. Tania has a mobile phone because her son may need to contact her.
IN CASE Tania has a mobile phone _____ to contact her.

10. The reasonGloria didn't tell usthe truth is that she was afraid of our reaction.
IF Gloria would have told us the truth_____ afraid of our reaction.

11. The students organised a show but they postponed it due to lack of funds.
PUT The students organised a show but they _____ of lack of funds.

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III. Read the text below and think of the word which best fits each space. Use only one word in each space:

It's not always easy to decide which sport to (1) _____ up. When choosing, it isimportant to remember that excellence in sports results (2)_____ a number of factors. For some sports, the body shape and structure with (3) _____ you are born are important. Top runners are typical examples of individuals (4) _____ have selected a sport because of their natural body type. Many other sports are more dependent (5) _____ training and technique, and anyone following a well-structured and appropriate training programme should do well.

The aim of all sports training (6) _____ to improve fitness and skills, and to develop training programmes that are both safe (7) _____ effective. To do (8) _____ properly, an understanding of (9) _____ physicaldemands of sport is needed. All sports require a combination of strength, speed, endurance, agility and flexibility to varying degrees. (10)_____ is important is how these elements are combined to build up the skills of the sport (11) _____ question. Other factors to be (12)_____ into account in a training programme are diet, the importance ofavoiding injuries, your general state of health, and the nature and role (13) _____ other team players. Bearing (14) _____ considerations in mind, anyone prepared to work (15) _____ it can expect to progress to a very reasonable competitive level, even (16) _____ only a few people will go on to break world records.

IV. Read the text below and decide which answer best fits each space:

TREES FOR LIFE

Trees are amongst the biggest and longest-living things on Earth, some dating back longerthan the oldest buildings. But (1) _____ being nice to look at, trees also (2)_____ an importantrole in improving the quality of our lives.

On a world-wide (3) _____forests help to slow down the effects of global warming by usingup the gas (4) _____as carbon dioxide and giving (5)_____ the oxygen we need to breathe. At local neighbourhood level, trees also (6) _____ important environmental benefits. They offer shade and shelter, which in (7) _____ reduces the amount of energy needed to heat and cool (8) _____buildings; at the same time, they also remove other impurities from the air we breathe.

Urban trees are especially important because for many people they provide the only daily (9)_____ with the natural world. What's (10)_____urban trees also provide a home for birds, small animals and butterflies. (11)_____ the trees we would lose the pleasure of seeing thesecreatures in our cities. Regrettably, (12)_____ trees in cities are now coming under (13)_____. There is a limit to the level of pollution they can (14)_____ and, down at street level, theirroots are being seriously (15)_____ by the digging needed to make way for modern telephone, television and other cables.

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V. Put the verbs in brackets into the correct form:

Last week police ***(1)*** _____ ***(to arrest)*** Paul Dawson. They ***(2)*** _____ ***(to suspect)*** him of being the leader of a gang of robbers who ***(3)*** _____ ***(to steal)*** art treasures from museums and homes since last January. Prior to his arrest, Dawson ***(4)*** _____ ***(to spend)*** two years in prison for theft. They ***(5)*** _____ ***(to release)*** him only 16 months ago. The police ***(6)*** _____ ***(to try)*** to find the gang's hideout for months. They feel sure they ***(7)*** _____ ***(to arrest)*** the rest of the gang by the end of the month. This ***(8)*** _____ ***(to be)*** the biggest art theft operation to be uncovered since 1974 when police ***(9)*** _____ ***(to catch)*** a gang who ***(10)*** _____ ***(to steal)*** over a million pounds worth of paintings from galleries all over the country.

VI.Translate the Russian words into English and write them down in the gaps provided:

1. He tore up my photo,_____***(что)*** upset me greatly.
2. He did nothing_____***(кроме)*** complain the whole time he was there.
3. I know, that she applies this ointment_____***(через день)***.
4. The Stones have always treated us_____(***дружелюбно)***.
5. Of all British cars this one uses_____***(меньше всего)*** petrol, it also needs _____***(меньше всего)*** repairs.
6. Paul's father_____***(предложил)*** to pick us up after the party.
7. Patience and hard work will_____***(сделают)*** wonders.
8. I'll_____***(сделаю)*** you an offer you can't refuse.
9. I want a bag_____***(которая подходит)*** these shoes.
10. Don't_____***(поднимай)*** your voice, please.

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