CONNECTING WORDS: REASON

Instructions: Choose the correct word or phrase in brackets to fill the space.

1. (because / because of)

   We stayed inside _____ the storm.

2. (since / because of)

   I wanted to stay longer _____ I was really enjoying the party.

3. (as / due to)

   Amanda stayed at home _____ her illness.

4. (due to / as)

   Her lateness was _____ a terrible traffic jam.

5. (since / owning to)

   _____ flights are cheaper in the winter, we decided to travel then.

6. (as / because of)

   _____ she hated cats, she wasn't happy when her husband bought three.

7. (owing to / as)

   John didn't go to work _____ his illness.

8. (because / due to)

   _____ Lucy was very tired, she went to bed early.

9. (because / owing to)

   _____ his late night, John missed his train.

10. (for / owing to)

    Lucy was very unhappy, _____ she missed James.