

I. Complete the Complex Sentences using the correct conjunctions from the word bank (7 points).

since because when if although[x2] by

1. Mom will have finished cooking _____ the time you get here.
2. I did my homework _____ I arrived home.
3. The teacher decided to help her _____ she was a good student.
4. I'm going to the bakery _____ I need to buy some pieces of baguette.
5. Helena bought the iPhone 11 pro _____ she had received the iPhone 11 as a gift last week.
6. Our teacher says that there will be a problem _____ we don't bring the books tomorrow.
7. _____ humans' habits are destructive for the planet, nature will regenerate without us.

I. Read the following text and write a subtopic title for each paragraph. Then, answer the questions below (9 points).

_____ (1 point)

Behavioral addictions or non-substance addictions, like gambling addiction, are a set of behaviors that a person becomes dependent on and craves. While no one doubts the existence of physical addictions to different substances, behavioral addictions are still hotly debated and outright disregarded by many doctors, institutions, and everyday people.

_____ (1 point)

When someone abuses a substance, be it prescription or illicit, their body can grow dependent on the substance to function. After a period of time, this dependence could evolve into cravings for the drug and, eventually, they could become erratic without it.

_____ (1 point)

Certain substances, like opioids and benzodiazepines, are more addictive than others. This is because of the physical reactions they have in the body. There is indisputable, biological evidence of what these kinds of drugs do to peoples' bodies in the long-term. However, non-substance related addictions are another story.

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While there is debate on how society should treat people suffering from addiction, there is no doubt that physical addiction is a thing experienced by thousands of Americans. Behavioral addictions, however, are another thing entirely.

Also known as non-substance addictions or addictive behaviors, there are certain actions out there that people have found to be addictive. These can include: Gambling, Videogames, Internet, Nomophobia, Anorexia, Bulimia, etc.

1. What type of addictions are still debated by experts? (1 point)
2. What happens to a person after a period of time of being dependent on a substance? (1 point)
3. Why are opioids and benzodiazepines more addictive than other substances? (1 point)
4. How do you define a behavioural addiction? (2 points)

II. Past or Past Perfect Tense – Simple: Fill in the correct form.

1. Mary _____ (give) me Tony's address before she left.
2. When the boys arrived at the cinema, the film _____ (already, start).
3. Before we reached the station we saw that we _____ (lose) our way.
4. All the tickets _____ (be) sold before the concert began.
5. They took a shower after they _____ (finish) the game.
6. I asked Mr Green how many books he _____ (read)
7. Mum asked me why I _____ (not tidy) up my room.
8. Bob was sorry that he _____ (told) me the story.
9. Alan watched TV after he _____ (have) lunch.
10. The sun _____ (shine) yesterday after it _____ (be) cold for many weeks.

III. Choose one of the following prompts (a or b) for the writing part: (10 points)

- a) You've lost all memory of the past and cannot remember when exactly anything happened. Your grandchild comes to visit you in the nursing home and writes a letter for you to remember about your life.

- b) What has mankind/science accomplished since your parents were born up to the present?

-120 words (10% tolerance).

-Make sure to use Present Perfect Tense at least 5 times in your text. (2 points)

-Check spelling, punctuation and word choice. (2 points)

-Structure: (6 points)

-If you choose assignment a): date, salutation, introduction, body, closing, signature.

-If you choose assignment b): Title, Introduction, Body, Conclusion.