

3. His invention showed that he understood what was going to happen in the future and proved he was \_\_\_\_\_ of his time.

A. in front      B. before      C. ahead      D. forward

4. You have a ticket to the game, \_\_\_\_\_?

A. do you      B. haven't you      C. don't you      D. have you

5. Kumar asked me a question but I don't know what \_\_\_\_\_.

A. is the answer      B. was the answer  
C. the answer is      D. the answer was

**Exercise 6. Circle the correct answers.**

1. Tourist: "Where is the post office?"  
A tourist asked me where \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. the post office has      B. the post office was  
C. is the post office      D. was the post office

2. Mom: "It's 2 a.m.; what are you doing in the kitchen?"  
Mom wanted to know what \_\_\_\_\_ in.  
A. was I doing      B. I do      C. I was doing      D. am I doing

3. Dad: "Why did you come home so late last night?"  
Dad wanted to know \_\_\_\_\_ home very late the night before.  
A. why did I come      B. if I come      C. if I came      D. why I had come

4. Jane: "Have you ever been to Australia?"  
Jane asked me \_\_\_\_\_ to Australia.  
A. if I'm ever going      B. if I'd ever been  
C. have I ever been      D. had I ever been

5. Joe: "Could you sing when you were five?".  
He asked me \_\_\_\_\_ when I was five.  
A. can I sing      B. if I can sing      C. could I sing      D. if I could sing

6. Mother: "When are you going to do your homework?"  
Mother asked me when \_\_\_\_\_ to do my homework.  
A. was I going      B. I was going      C. am I going      D. I'll be going







2. "Are you British or American?" she asked me.  
→ She asked me \_\_\_\_\_.

3. "Have you got a computer?" she asked.  
→ She wanted to know \_\_\_\_\_.

4. "Can you type?" he wanted to know.  
→ He asked \_\_\_\_\_.

5. "Did you come by train?" she wanted to know.  
→ She wanted to know \_\_\_\_\_.

6. "Have you been to Bristol before?" he asked.  
→ He asked \_\_\_\_\_.

7. "Will you be at the party?" he asked her.  
→ He asked her \_\_\_\_\_.

8. "Can you meet me at the station?" she asked me.  
→ She asked me \_\_\_\_\_.

9. "Did you see that car?" he asked me.  
→ He asked me \_\_\_\_\_.

10. "Have you tidied up your room?" the mother asked the twins.  
→ The mother asked the twins \_\_\_\_\_.

**Exercise 9. Choose the correct option to complete each sentence.**

1. She asked me where I \_\_\_\_\_ from.  
A. come      B. coming      C. to come      D. came
2. She \_\_\_\_\_ me whether I liked classical music or not.  
A. ask      B. asks      C. asked      D. asking
3. He asked me who the editor of that book \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. was      B. were      C. is      D. has been
4. He wants to know whether I \_\_\_\_\_ back tomorrow.  
A. come      B. came      C. will come      D. would come

5. I wonder why he \_\_\_\_\_ love his family.  
A. doesn't      B. don't      C. didn't      D. hasn't

6. They asked me how many children \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. if I had      B. had I      C. I have      D. have I

7. Thu said she had been \_\_\_\_\_ the day before.  
A. here      B. there      C. in this place      D. where

8. The student said that the English test \_\_\_\_\_ the most difficult.  
A. is      B. was      C. will be      D. have been

9. He wanted to know \_\_\_\_\_ shopping during the previous morning.  
A. if we had been going      B. that if we had been going  
C. we were going      D. that we were going

10. He asked me \_\_\_\_\_ Robert and I said I did not know \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. that did I know / who were he      B. that I knew / who he had been  
C. if I knew/ who he was      D. whether I knew / who had he been

11. They said that they had been driving through the desert \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. the previous day      B. yesterday  
C. the last day      D. Sunday previously

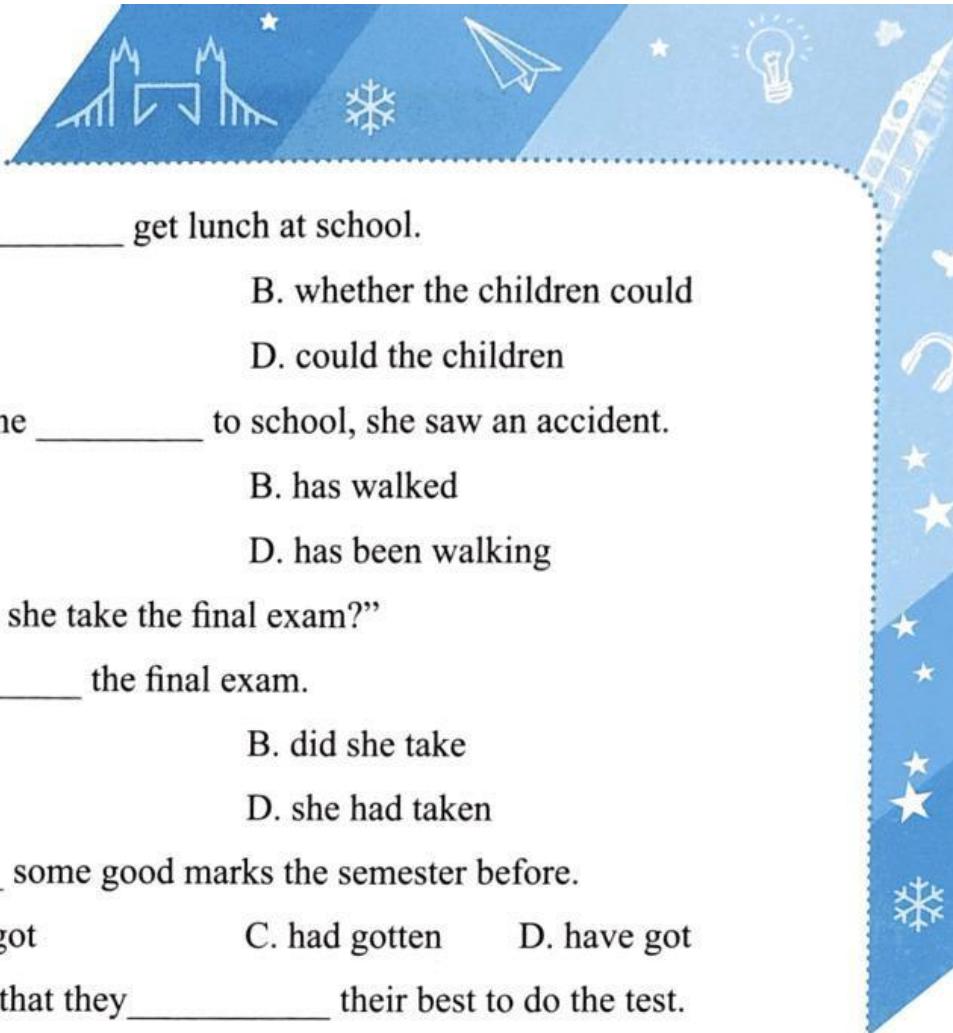
12. He asked the children \_\_\_\_\_ too much noise.  
A. not to make      B. not making  
C. don't make      D. if they don't make

13. The man said that money \_\_\_\_\_ the passport to everything.  
A. will be      B. is      C. was      D. can be

14. The teacher said Columbus \_\_\_\_\_ America in 1942.  
A. discovered      B. had discovered  
C. was discovering      D. would discover

15. John said he \_\_\_\_\_ her since they \_\_\_\_\_ school.  
A. hasn't met – left      B. hadn't met - had left  
C. hadn't met left      D. didn't meet – has left





#### **Exercise 10. Read the passage and answer the following questions.**

## MERCURY

Among eight planets in our Solar system, Mercury is the closest planet to the Sun and it needs only 88 days to complete an orbit around the Sun. According to Greek mythology, Mercury is the messenger of Gods (Hermes). Mercury is a small planet that bears a strong resemblance to the Moon with its little larger size rocky surface and many bowl-shaped cavities. Because of its position in the Solar system, the temperature on the sunny side of Mercury can reach over 800 degrees but -300 degrees is the other side's temperature. Being cooler than only Venus, the hottest planet, the climate on Mercury is extremely severe which makes it hard to visit and explore. Two spacecraft have been sent to Mercury, the first was in 1974 and scientists had to wait three decades to visit Mercury the second time in 2004. Some people believe that there is no water in Mercury but some information collected from Radar showed that ice exists on the Northern pole of this planet. Small Mercury has no moons and no atmosphere because of its too little gravity (38% of the gravity of Earth). There is no report showing life's existence in Mercury yet.