

Choose the best answer a, b, c or d to complete the sentence.

1. I almost missed my flight \_\_\_\_\_ there was a long queue in the duty-free shop.  
a. although    b. since    c. despite    d. because of
2. I want to be well-groomed \_\_\_\_\_ other people think nice things about me.  
a. in order to    b. so as not    c. so that    d. as soon as
3. \_\_\_\_\_ she is young, she is very independent.  
a. Although    b. Because    c. In order that    d. In spite of
4. \_\_\_\_\_ I met the Gills, I had been gardening for nearly ten years.  
a. As soon as    b. Although    c. After    d. Before
5. \_\_\_\_\_ he had finished his studies, he went to America.  
a. While    b. Before    c. After    d. Until
6. You'll never guess what happened \_\_\_\_\_ I left my room.  
a. as long as    b. as soon as    c. while    d. as far as
7. \_\_\_\_\_ they're expensive, they last forever and never go out of style.  
a. When    b. As soon as    c. Even though    d. Because
8. She went back to live with her mother \_\_\_\_\_ she did not earn enough money to live in her own house.  
a. although    b. so that    c. in order to    d. because
9. They were driving to Dallas \_\_\_\_\_ they caught an accident.  
a. when    b. while    c. before    d. as soon as
10. \_\_\_\_\_ she was asleep, thieves broke in and stole her handbag.  
a. In order that    b. Although    c. Because of    d. While