

Expressing Purpose – Practice 1

Put the words in the correct order.

1. I go / improve / to a class / my English / to
2. my ideas down / I / to write / bought / a book
3. came / a chat / here / they / for
4. an app / testing / your maths / this is / for
5. so that / I'm studying / I'll pass / the exam
6. so I / the bus / missed my / was late / lesson

Choose the correct form. In one sentence both answers are possible.

1. A: Why are you staying up so late?
B: **To study** / **For studying** for my exams.
2. He needs to leave now **so that** / **for** his flight.
3. I was in a hurry **so** / **so that** I forgot my keys.
4. She's gone back to the train station **for finding** / **to find** her bag.
5. This gadget is for **opening** / **to open** tins.
6. I've downloaded a calendar **so that** / **for** I remember my appointments.
7. They left this morning **so that** / **for** a conference.
8. Let's wait here **so that** / **so** we can get a taxi.

Complete the sentences with the words to, for or so that.

1. We're going out _____ do some shopping.
2. He went to the office _____ a meeting.
3. Let's get to the cinema early _____ we get good seats.
4. This app is _____ testing my German vocabulary.
5. I used some glue _____ fix the toy.
6. She called _____ ask if you wanted some help.
7. I need a new car _____ I don't have to go the garage every week!
8. They went to Spain _____ their holidays.
9. We could stop now _____ take a coffee break.
10. I bought this piece of sports equipment _____ I can get healthy.