Grammar training

Revision

Complete the sentences with the correct option.



1 ***a) a few b) a little c) few d) little e) any f) some g) no***

- I had _____ time before my meeting, so I stopped for coffee.
- There were very _____ students in class today because of the flu outbreak.
- We didn't bring _____ food to the picnic because we thought others would.
- I made _____ sandwiches in case anyone is hungry.
- They showed very _____ enthusiasm for the idea, so we dropped it.
- _____ books were found in the abandoned library, it was completely empty.
- We got _____ great news today — we're going on a trip!

2 ***a) can b) may c) mustn't d) must e) should f) shouldn't***

- _____ I sit here, or is this seat taken?
- He _____ run very fast — he's the fastest in our school.
- We _____ leave early to avoid traffic, but it's not a big deal if we're late.
- You _____ touch this wire — it's dangerous!
- We _____ waste time arguing — let's just solve the problem.
- You _____ wear a helmet when riding a motorbike — it's the law.

3 ***a) would rather b) had better c) had better not d) would stop e) had stopped f) would rather not***

- They _____ be late again, or the coach will bench them.
- I wish my brother _____ borrowing my clothes.
- I _____ stay home tonight than go to that boring party.
- You _____ take an umbrella — it looks like rain.
- We _____ stay at that hotel again — it was noisy and dirty.
- We wish we _____ at that cute café — now we're starving.

4 ***a) travel b) will travel c) travels d) would have travelled e) would travel***

- If the weather is good this weekend, we _____ to the mountains.
- If Sam hadn't been sick, he _____ to Berlin with us.
- If I had more free time, I _____ around Asia.
- If people_____ too often, they feel jet-lagged.
- If she _____ with a baby, she always takes extra clothes.