

Grammar

1 Circle the correct options to complete the sentences.

- 1 We drove a different way owing to / in order to / with the intention of avoid the traffic.
- 2 Siena has moved to Paris to / with the intention of / so as improving her French.
- 3 Make sure you take some cash with you on holiday in case / owing to / due to you can't use your card.
- 4 Make sure you wear a warm coat, otherwise / in case / so as you'll get cold.
- 5 Julia opened the door and came in very quietly so as / owing to / as a consequence not to wake her parents.
- 6 Since / In case / So as it was such a nice day, we decided to eat our lunch in the park.
- 7 Serena drinks a lot of green tea to / owing to / because of stay healthy.
- 8 Javi loves cats, but he cannot keep one as a pet because of / in case / as a result his allergies.
- 9 The play had already started by the time we arrived at the theatre. Consequently / Owing to / In case, we were not able to take our seats.
- 10 George was not registered with a doctor. Therefore / Owing to / Because, it took him a long time to get an appointment.

2 Choose the correct option, A, B or C, to complete the sentences.

- 1 Bring your charger with you your battery dies.
A in case
B so that
C in order to
- 2 the power cut, the school was closed for the afternoon.
A Due to
B As a result
C Because
- 3 Olivia's father works at one of the biggest theatres in London., she gets to see a lot of plays.
A In order to
B So
C As a result
- 4 stay fit and healthy, you should exercise at least three times a week.
A In order to
B So as
C For the purpose of
- 5 there was nothing interesting on television, we decided to play board games.
A Because of
B Since
C In case
- 6 we don't leave now, we'll miss the last train.
A In case
B So as
C If
- 7 Joel is studying business opening his own hairdressing salon.
A to
B with the intention of
C in order to
- 8 Tony has decided to study Spanish he is hoping to travel to South America.
A for the purpose of
B because
C so as

9 A lot of flights have been delayed this weekend., we decided to stay for one more day.
A For this reason
B With the intention of
C So as

10 Pete always rides his bike to work he does not have to spend money taking the bus.
A in order to
B if
C so that

3 Circle the correct options in the text.

Firoz has recently taken up climbing as a hobby. He joined a climbing club at his local sports centre (1) **with the intention of / to / so as** getting fit and meeting new people. He's been going there for a year now and, (2) **in case / as a result / so**, he is fitter, stronger and has a new group of friends. They often go to the mountains at the weekend (3) **so that / in order to / with the intention of** they can climb around beautiful scenery. They go there regularly (4) **if / because / so as** the mountains are only a short drive from the city. (5) **To / For the purpose of / Owing to** stay safe, they always stay together, and don't go off on their own. They always take plenty of warm clothes (6) **in case / if / so as** the weather turns cold. One weekend when Firoz and his friends were climbing, it started snowing. They ended up having to go back (7) **because of / for / in case** the poor visibility. On another occasion, one of his friends fell (8) **because / because of / so** the surface of the rock he was climbing was slippery. He broke his ankle and, (9) **so as / as a consequence / otherwise**, was not able to go climbing again for a long time. Firoz is always very careful when he is climbing (10) **if / because / so that** he does not get injured. He would hate to have to stop doing his favourite activity!

Vocabulary

4 Complete the sentences by writing the missing letters. There is one space for each missing letter.

- 1 The computer engineer g_v_a_d_e_o_s_t_t_o_n of how to install the new software.
- 2 My family and I are not planning to travel during the school holidays. We are just planning to s_p_d_q_u_l_y t_m_t_o_e_h_r at home.
- 3 When I visit my grandparents, I really enjoy l_k_n_g t_r_o_h their a_b_m_ of old photographs.
- 4 Sally has been in bed with chicken pox for a week now. I have sent her some new comic books to c_e_r_h_r_u_.
- 5 It took the judge and jury nearly three days to r_a_h_a_v_e_d_t.
- 6 It had been a difficult year for the company, so the manager decided to give all staff an extra day of holiday to b_o_t_m_a_.
- 7 Sandra found it really difficult being away from home, but she p_a_b_v_f_e on t_h_n_ and tried to enjoy herself.
- 8 My housemate Clara and I b_d_ with e_c_o_e_r over our love of cooking Italian food.
- 9 This course will t_k_you t_o_u_h the s_e_s of setting up your own business.
- 10 Luckily, my whole family g_v_me e_o_u_g_e_n_t when I decided to leave school and get a job in a restaurant.

5 Choose the correct option, A, B or C, to complete the sentences.

- 1 James' Spanish is a bit, as he hasn't spoken it for a number of years.
A rusty
B proficient
C bilingual
- 2 Gema's is Catalan.
A set phrase
B mother tongue
C command
- 3 Marc managed to Swedish pretty quickly after moving there.
A switch between
B pick up
C speak accurately
- 4 My aim is to be in French so that I can work in Paris.
A rusty
B proficient
C fluency
- 5 Even if you do not always, people will still understand you.
A pick up
B switch between
C speak accurately
- 6 Teresa's daughter speaks English and Portuguese. I'm impressed by how easily she can the two languages.
A switch between
B pick up
C mother tongue
- 7 It is useful to learn a few in Mandarin for shopping and travelling.
A command
B mother tongue
C set phrases

8 Borja has an excellent of English.
A mother tongue
B command
C set phrase

9 Pierre is attending an English and French school.
A articulate
B proficient
C bilingual

10 For someone so young, Kevin is highly He gave a brilliant speech at the school prize giving.
A articulate
B bilingual
C rusty

6 Circle the correct options to complete the sentences.

- When you first move to a new city, it can be difficult to **get / make** friends.
- I've been feeling really lazy this winter. I really need to go out and **make / get** some exercise.
- Salma needs to walk a bit further to get to her new school, but that shouldn't **do / get** her any harm.
- Toby is trying to **make / get** his driving licence before the summer.
- If you want to **do / make** a complaint, you need to contact the general manager.
- I'm not sure how the interview went, but I hope I'm successful. I really **did / made** my best.
- The hotel was luxurious. We were able to **do / make** use of all the facilities, including the swimming pool and gym.
- I'm going into the centre this evening so that I can **make / do** some shopping before we leave tomorrow.
- We need to pay a deposit now, but we will **get / make** it back at the end of the trip.
- Yvonne **got / made** the difficult decision to stop studying for her Masters and find a job instead.