

## Unit 5

### Completion

Complete each statement.

### PART 1: VOCABULARY

Instructions: Choose the correct word or words to complete each sentence.

attracted	destroyed	developed	exploded	focus
forecasts	lightning	path	protected	shelter

1. The earthquake completely \_\_\_\_\_ the house. No one could live in it.
2. In recent years, with new technology, weather \_\_\_\_\_ are getting much more accurate.
3. Anna was not sure how she could become a doctor, so she \_\_\_\_\_ a plan.
4. The smell of the food \_\_\_\_\_ the ants and the other insects.
5. When there is a storm, you will see the \_\_\_\_\_ bolt before you hear the thunder.
6. A small \_\_\_\_\_ went from the street to the front door of the house.
7. The software \_\_\_\_\_ the computer from the virus attack.
8. When the temperature inside the house got extremely hot, the house just \_\_\_\_\_.
9. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the meeting was on how to stop the disease. Nothing else was important.
10. If you hear thunder, you should quickly find \_\_\_\_\_.

**Multiple Choice**

Identify the choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.

**PART 2: WRITING SKILLS**

Instructions: Choose the correct answer for each question.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Which of the following statements about a narrative paragraph is correct?
- It compares two different things.
  - It describes two similar things.
  - It tells a story about something that happened.
  - It tells how to do something.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Which of the following time words and phrases do not show one event that happens before another event?
- before that
  - yesterday
  - previously
  - later
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Which of the following sentences uses the comma correctly?
- On June 5 2002, we came to this country.
  - On June 5, 2002 we came to this country.
  - On June 5, 2002, we came to this country.
  - On June, 5, 2002, we came to this country.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Where does the word because come?
- before the part of the sentence that gives a reason
  - after the part of the sentence that gives a reason
  - after the part of the sentence that describes a cause
  - before the part of the sentence that describes an effect
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Which preposition do you use to show an exact time of day, for example, "6 o'clock"?
- in
  - at
  - on
  - around

- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Where do most writers write about the most important reason in a paragraph that lists reasons?
- first
  - second
  - third
  - last
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Which of the following sentences does not have correct punctuation?
- A very large earthquake happened in San Francisco, California, in 1906.
  - The population of Beijing, China, is huge.
  - I arrived in France on July 4, 2012.
  - The museum in Cairo, Egypt is amazing.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. What question does the word because answer?
- Why?
  - Who?
  - What?
  - When?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Which of the following correctly states what punctuation to use when a time word or phrase comes at the beginning of a sentence?
- Always put a comma after the time word or phrase.
  - Never put a comma after the time word or phrase.
  - Sometimes put a comma after the time word or phrase.
  - Put a semi-colon after the time word or phrase.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Which of the following sentences uses the comma correctly?
- Because of the storm, Jose stayed inside the house.
  - Because, of the storm Jose stayed inside the house.
  - Jose stayed inside the house, because of the storm.
  - Jose stayed inside the house because, of the storm.