

PET PRACTICE 8

BECAUSE- BECAUSE OF- DUE TO ALTHOUGH- IN SPITE OF- DESPITE

I. Rewrite these sentences

1. **Although she was ill, she still went to school.**

→ Despite _____

2. **I like this picture because it is beautiful.**

→ I like this picture because of _____

3. **Because it was difficult, I gave up quickly.**

→ Due to _____

4. **Although the test was difficult, I managed to finish it on time.**

→ In spite of _____

5. **Because you had helped me, I passed the test.**

→ Due to _____

6. He was careless, so he had an accident.

→ Because of _____

7. He stayed up late although he was very tired.

→ Despite _____

8. Because Jim works hard, he earns a lot of money.

→ Because of _____

9. She didn't get the job although she had all the qualifications.

→ In spite of _____

10. Because he behaved impolitely, we were mad at him.

→ Because of _____

11. Although it was raining heavily, they continued playing soccer.

→ Despite _____

12. Because it snowed badly, we couldn't go to school yesterday.

→ Because of _____

13. Because there was bad traffic, we went to the meeting late.

→ Because of _____

14. Because she is friendly, we all really like hanging out with her.

→ Due to _____

15. Although there was an accident, we still went to school on time.

→ In spite of _____

16. Although Nam is not an intelligent student, he can learn very fast.

→ Despite _____

17. Because Hoa was rich, she could buy that house.

→ Because of _____

II. Choose

1. She passed the exam_____ she didn't study much.

- A. despite C. although
B. in spite of D. because

2. _____ the weather was great, they went for a walk in the park.

- A. Because C. Because of
B. Although D. Despite

3. He decided to go on the trip _____ feeling unwell.

- A. although C. despite of
B. in spite of C. due to

4. _____ being tired, he stayed up late to finish his work.

- A. Despite C. Although
B. Because of D. In spite

5. _____ the difficulties, they managed to complete the project on time.

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| A. Due to | C. Because |
| B. Despite | D. Although |

6. _____ it was very late, he stopped working.

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| A. Because of | C. Due to |
| B. Because | D. Although |

7. _____ there was strong wind, we decided to fly a kite.

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| A. Although | C. Because of |
| B. Because | D. In spite of |

8. _____ the cat is small, it is very brave.

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| A. In spite of | C. Despite |
| B. Because | D. Although |

9. _____ the movie was long,
they stayed until the end.
A. Because C. Although
B. Despite D. Due to
10. _____ she is a vegetarian, she
cooks meat for her family.
A. Although C. In spite of
B. Because of D. Because
11. _____ the long hours, she
completed the project on time.
A. In spite C. Although
B. In spite of D. Because of
12. He passed the exam _____ not
studying much.
A. in spite of C. because of
B. although D. despite of

**13. They had a wonderful vacation
_____ the bad weather.**

A. in spite of

C. due to

B. despite

D. Both A & B

**14. _____ the challenges, they
managed to succeed.**

A. Because of

C. Due to

B. Although

D. Despite

**15. _____ his fear of flying, he
didn't join the overseas trip.**

A. In spite of

C. Because of

B. Because

D. Although

**16. We stopped playing tennis
_____ the rain.**

A. due to

C. because

B. because of

D. Both A & B

**17. It was all _____ her that we
got into trouble.**

- A. because of
B. in spite of

- C. because
D. although

18. He can't drive _____ his illness.

- A. due to C. in spite of
B. because D. although

19. He found working in Japan difficult _____ the language problem.

- A. because C. although
B. because of D. in spite of

20. _____ his poverty, he always buys unnecessary things.

- A. Because of C. although
B. Despite D. Because

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