

# Parallelism

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Balance the sentence, if necessary

1. In preparation for the train heist, the outlaws obtained ropes and ladders, disguised themselves in black clothing, and ~~then also~~ devised a foolproof escape plan.
2. If you are interested in learning about Italian cinema, ~~one~~ you should watch the film *La Strada*.
3. The ballerina was neither committed to a single performance style nor was she willing to ally herself with only one dance troop. CORRECT
4. Many students would agree that actually traveling the world is more exciting than ~~when you simply read~~ simply reading about faraway places.
5. In recent times, some investment bankers have been more interested in amassing wealth than in ~~how following~~ scrupulous ~~the~~ business practices ~~they follow~~ are.
6. To say that Meredith works out “now and then” is ~~underestimating~~ to underestimate her devotion to health and fitness.
7. Norman yearned not only to write innovative poetry, but also he yearned to create experimental sculptures and architectural designs. CORRECT
8. Walking through the old house was like ~~a return~~ returning to all my childhood fears.
9. The Caribbean heritage festival attracted traditional dancers, community service organizers, and documentaries by directors from around the world. CORRECT
10. Richard is worried not only about how his teachers perceive him, but also about how his peers ~~reacting~~ react to his personality.
11. Delilah prefers the music of the Rolling Stones to the music ~~which was made by~~ of the Beatles.

12. Visitors discovered that the performance art exhibit was not only innovative, but also ~~it educated~~ educative.
13. My uncle purchased steaks and sausage links, set up his new deck furniture, and ~~he also~~ sent out invitations for his Friday cookout.
14. Compared to its competitors, the new bistro is more spacious and ~~it is~~ more efficiently managed.
15. Linda is neither comfortable speaking in front of others nor ~~is she~~ capable of making her points succinctly.

Answer the following questions using one of the options given

1. D
2. C
3. B
4. B
5. C