

GRAMMAR

Choose or fill in correct answer:

1. I can see her . She at the corner (**WAIT**).
2. She.....me because I speak too quickly. (**NOT UNDERSTAND**)
3. Everybody.....to class at nine o'clock (**COME**).
4. He.....a letter to his boss at the moment (**WRITE**).
5. George.....well when he is not tired (**WORK**)
6. He..... His eyes are open (**NOT SLEEP**)
7. We usually have a great dinnerChristmas Day.
8. The tragedy happened Monday.
9. I walk my dogthe evening.
10. I sugar in coffee. (**TAKE / USUALLY**)
11. Living in can be expensive. **a European city/an European city/ the European city**
12. Did the plane..... on time? **set off/take off/switch off**
13. We don't off here . It's the next station. **come/get/go**
14. Please let me for the meal. I have enough money. **depend/look/pay**
15. There aren't people in the supermarket. **some/much/any**

VOCABULARY

Choose or fill in correct answer:

warm– fantastic – terrible – boring — noisy- expensive – freezing – cheap

KATIE: What did you think of the hotel ? – I thought it was really quite nice.

HANNAH: Really ? I thought the food was absolutely (1)

KATIE: I enjoyed going to the museum. I found it really (2)

HANNAH: Oh no ! I thought it was extremely (3).....

KATIE: I got some quite nice things at the market.

HANNAH: I didn't buy anything at all. It was much too (4).....

5. What's the name of that..... you were singing earlier (**SING**).
6. I started playing the piano , but I don't think I have much..... talent (**MUSIC**)
7. When you were young did you ever play with other..... in your neighbourhood (**CHILD**)
8. Alan wants to be an..... but I don't think he's got much talent (**ACT**)
9. You have to practice a lot if you want to work as a..... (**MUSIC**)
10. My friend wants to become a..... football player (**PROFESSION**)

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1. Even though I like England, I (1) (**ALWAYS WANT**) to work abroad, but until recently I (2) (**NEVER THINK**) I really would. A few months ago, however, I (3) (**SEE**) an ad on the Internet for a job in Switzerland , which (4) (**LOOK**) really promising. I (5) (**FILL**) in the application form and (6)..... (**SEND**) it off. I (7) (**RECEIVE**) an email yesterday. It (8) (**SAY**) that the managers (9) (**WANT**) to see me for an interview. I (10) (**SPEND**) the last 24 hours in panic, packing things and arranging everything for my flight to Switzerland.
2. New York City is (11) of the largest cities in (12) world. It is also one of the most densely populated , with an estimated 8 million inhabitants. Manhattan is the (13) popular part of New York with tourists and has many interesting sights. There is also a large number (14) businesses in this area of the city , including the head offices of some of the world's leading companies. New York's subway system provides transport for more (15)..... a third of the city's workforce. New York is also regarded as the centre of entertainment. Broadway is the scene of many box-office hits, Carnegie Hall is one of the most famous concert halls in the world and the city is also home of several opera and ballet companies.

VOCABULARY

Choose correct answer:

accidents - advice - care - crash - exit - helmets - places - problems - professionals - repaired - run - share - situations - skate - track

There are some very good (1) in Central Park to go in-line skating. There is a 6-mile long (2) and the roads there are pretty good. They were last (3)..... in 1994, and you can skate pretty fast there. If you can do it in under half an hour, you're really good. (4) need about 6 minutes for it.

But remember: do not skate clockwise. Many (5) happen because people do not remember that and (6) into each other. Please also remember that you (7)..... the park with bikers, joggers and pedestrians. At the 72nd Street exit from Central Park beginners can get (8) on how to stop with their skates. Just look for guys in red shirts with white crosses on their back, black shorts and of course,

(9)..... They are usually there on weekend afternoons from mid-April to the beginning of November. Have fun skating in Central Park, but please take (10) as well.

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AT - BY - FOR - IN - OF - ON - TO - WITH

1. I was shocked..... Sam's behaviour.
2. The commander was charge of all the troops in the region.
3. She knocked over the vase mistake.
4. They worked hard but didn't come up a solution the problem.

CAN - COULD - MUSTN'T - CAN'T - MUST - MUST HAVE - DON'T HAVE TO - NEED

5. I understand. You explain it to me again.
6. My grandfather speak 4 languages. He was really talented.
7. We've got plenty of time . You hurry.
8. I stop smoking.
9. Drivers drink alcohol.
10. He when we (**SLEEP, ARRIVE**)
11. When you in I..... my report (**COME, WRITE**)
12. He at 9 o'clock (**STILL SLEEP**)
13. How long is the _____ from Rome to Paris ? (**FLY**)
14. I have a very good _____ with both my parents (**RELATION**)
15. Pulling my front tooth didn't hurt. – It was completely _____ (**PAIN**).

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4. I can tell from your _____ that you're not really happy (**EXPRESS**)
5. We offer free _____ for purchases over € 100 (**DELIVER**).
6. James hasn't had a lot of _____ lately, so I hope he'll do well with his new company (**SUCCEED**).
7. It is _____ colder today that it was yesterday (**CERTAIN**).
8. What _____ is he ? Spanish or Portuguese ? (**NATION**)
9. You have the _____. – You can either go by bus or walk (**CHOOSE**).
10. My best friend has a great _____. (**PERSON**).

GRAMMAR - MULTIPLE CHOICE TEST

When I (1).my job two years ago I (2). love it. The truth is that I have a very high salary and the office is very close to home, but the problem is that since the day I started I (3)..... very few free weekends and I always work until very late in the evening. I often have to cancel plans with friends (4)work or I miss family celebrations, and I'm usually very tired and stressed. I'm not sure I can keep (5) this. I don't sleep enough, and I don't eat (6), because I don't have (7)to cook.

Apart from that, sport has always been very important in my life. I like being fit, and (8)..... sport is the way I have to feel well and reduce stress. (9), nowadays I don't have (10) time to exercise. With all these bad habits, I feel that I am putting my health at risk.

I really need some advice. What would you do if you (11) me? My salary is very high, and I can walk to work, but I feel horrible; I don't have a social life and I don't have a healthy life. Two years ago, before taking this job, I was much (12)..... and very happy. Now I am 28 and I have a lot of money in my bank account, but nothing else. The problem is that the jobs that (13) in the area where I live don't pay much, and I'm afraid of making a decision (14) I might regret.

So, what do you think? (15) I quit my job?

Choose the best answer: A, B or C.

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| 1. A. started | B. was starting | C. have started | |
| 2. A. did | B. used to | C. did use to | |
| 3. A. have | B. have had | C. had | |
| 4. A. so | B. because of | C. because | ..... |
| 5. A. doing | B. do | C. to do | ..... |
| 6. A. good | B. healthily | C. healthy | ..... |
| 7. A. many time | B. enough time | C. time enough | ..... |
| 8. A. doing | B. to do | C. do | ..... |
| 9. A. Although | B. Because | C. However | ..... |
| 10. A. some | B. any | C. no | ..... |
| 11. A. would be | B. were | C. are | ..... |
| 12. A. fitter | B. more fit | C. fiter | ..... |
| 13. A. offer | B. offered | C. are offered | ..... |
| 14. A. who | B. where | C. which | ..... |
| 15. A. Do | B. Might | C. Should | ..... |

VOCABULARY

GOING GREEN

There is an (1) _____ (**ARGUE**) that (2) _____ (**RECYCLE**) may have some unforeseen negative effects. Of course, it would be a major (3) _____ (**ACHIEVE**) if we were able to increase (4) _____ (**AWARE**) to the threat of the environment caused by (5) _____ (**POLLUTE**) and the (6) _____ (**BURN**) of fossil fuels. However, if the public's only (7) _____ (**INVOLVE**) in ecological issues is taking their newspapers and bottles to a recycling point, we may only be creating the appearance of (8) _____ (**IMPROVE**).

If they have to drive any (9) _____ (**DISTANT**) to the recycling point, for example, it might mean the (10) _____ (**CONSUME**) of more energy than is saved. In addition, if people feel that they are making their contribution to the environment, they might not put so much pressure on large organisations to encourage the development of safer, less damaging forms of production.