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Technical English 4

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Homework Second Written Test

SERIES I. EXPRESS PURPOSE, REASON, OR CONTRAST.

Instructions: Write the correct answers using the words in the box. You may use them more than one time.

Although	In spite	Despite	So that	In order to	Because of	Because
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1. Jamie didn't go to Claire's birthday Although he has been invited.
2. Despite of the law, people continue to drink while driving.
3. In spite the rain, we enjoy the festival.
4. Sorry, I didn't call you Because I lost your phone number.
5. We enjoyed the travel, Despite the weather. It was raining.
6. I phoned Sharon In order to invited her to my birthday.
7. Emma is tired Because she's going to the bed.
8. She's angry Because of your indifference.
9. Because I learned to play on the safe side, so that I don't get hurt.
10. My parents call me last night in order to to congratulate me for my wedding.

Instructions: Choose the correct answer.

- ### SERIES III. RELATIVE CLAUSES.

Instructions: Choose the correct answer(s).

1. This marker, a. which my company bought, is pink.
- a. which d. who g. whose
b. that e. where h. Φ
c. whom f. when
2. The boy d. who is talking to the teacher is my roommate.
- a. which d. who g. whose
b. that e. where h. Φ
c. whom f. when

3. This is the place e.where we first met.

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| a. which | d. who | g. whose |
| b. that | e. where | h. Φ |
| c. whom | f. when | |

4. The boy b.that I talked the last night is Sabrina's brother.

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| a. which | d. who | g. whose |
| b. that | e. where | h. Φ |
| c. whom | f. when | |

5. I read the email b.that you sent me yesterday.

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| a. which | d. who | g. whose |
| b. that | e. where | h. Φ |
| c. whom | f. when | |

6. I had a friend d.who could speak six languages!

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| a. which | d. who | g. whose |
| b. that | e. where | h. Φ |
| c. whom | f. when | |

7. I spoke to a friend g.whose uncle is a lawyer.

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| a. which | d. who | g. whose |
| b. that | e. where | h. Φ |
| c. whom | f. when | |

8. Giant pandas, a.which are endangered, can spend 10 hours a day eating.

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| a. which | d. who | g. whose |
| b. that | e. where | h. Φ |
| c. whom | f. when | |

9. Animals b.that have hair or fur are called mammals.

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| a. which | d. who | g. whose |
| b. that | e. where | h. Φ |
| c. whom | f. when | |

10. The printer, a.which is ancient and needs to be thrown away, can only print in black and white.

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| a. which | d. who | g. whose |
| b. that | e. where | h. Φ |
| c. whom | f. when | |

SERIES IV. REDUCE ADJECTIVE CLAUSES TO ADJECTIVE PHRASES.

Instructions: Read the adjective clauses and reduce them to adjective phrases. Write in the blank space.

1. Hockey is a sport that requires skill, strength, teamwork, and focus.

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2. Children who are as young as three or four can learn to skate.

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3. Hockey is an expensive sport with equipment that often costs over one hundred dollars per piece.

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4. The Stanley Cup playoffs, which are held in different American and Canadian cities, are often sold-out events.

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5. A person who is very athletic likely eats healthy foods.

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SERIES V. PRESENT AND FUTURE REAL CONDITIONALS.

Instructions: Choose the correct answer.

1. If I have time later today, I wil practice a new song in the piano.
a. Have/will
b. Had/would
c. Had/will
2. If the wind blows, the trees move.
a. blow/would move
b. blows/move
c. blows/moves
3. If I drink coffee at 3PM, I don't sleep at night.
a. Drank/would not sleep
b. Drink/don't sleep
c. Drunk/doesn't sleep
4. People get hungry if they don't eat.
a. Get/don't eat
b. Got/would not eat
c. Get/ not eat.
5. If you leave ice cream in the sun, it melts.
a. Left/melts
b. Leave/melt
c. Leave/melts
6. If we don't leave soon, we will miss our train.
a. Don't leave/will
b. Not leave/will
c. Wouldn't leave/would
7. If I am late for work again, I will lose my job
a. Was/would lose
b. Am/will lose
c. Were/will lose
8. Unless the program loads, I won't be able to finish my work.
a. Unless
b. If+does
c. If+does not
d. Unless+does not

SERIES VI. PRESENT AND FUTURE UNREAL CONDITIONALS.

Instructions: Choose the correct answer.

1. If I won the lottery, I would buy a mansion.
a. **Won/would buy**
b. Won/will buy
c. Win/will buy
d. Win/would buy
2. If I were shorter, I would wear heels more.
a. **Were/would wear**
b. Was/would wear
c. Were/will wear
d. Was/will wear
3. If I were a wealthy man, I wouldn't have to work hard.
a. Was/wouldn't have
b. **Were/wouldn't have**
c. Was/don't have
d. Were/don't have
4. If I Listened to music on my phone, I 'd use headphones.
a. Listen/'d use
b. Listen/'ll use
c. **Listened/'d use**
d. Listened/'ll use
5. If I liked skiing, I 'd go to the mountains with you.
a. Like/'ll go
b. **Liked/'d go**
c. Like/'d go
d. Liked/'ll go
6. If I didn't go to their party, they would be offended.
a. **Would be**
b. Will be
c. Will are
7. I would be frightened if somebody pointed a gun on me.
a. **be/point**
b. am/pointed
c. be/ pointed

8. If they were rich, they would travel around the world.

a. Were/would

b. Are/will

c. Are/would

d. Were/will

9. If I won the lottery, I would buy a house.

a. Win/buy

b. Won/buy

c. Won/bought

d. Win/bought

10. If I were you, I would tell her.

a. Were/would

b. Were/will

c. Am/would

d. Am/tell