

Apostrophes, Parentheses, Quotations Exercises

Choose the correct answer from the following options

1. As more and more colleges emphasize the importance of volunteer work, high school students must find creative ways to give back, such as traveling to Thailand to help build and maintain a sanctuary for elephants (a place of refuge or safety) for the dwindling elephant population of 400,000.
 - a. NO CHANGE
 - b. to help construct and keep clean a sanctuary for elephants
 - c. looking to build and maintain a sanctuary for elephants
 - d. to help build and maintain an elephant sanctuary
2. The wild hare that the hunter caught was so large and fluffy that, the local newspaper, commented "This is most definitely the biggest bunny that our city has witnessed, and will probably ever witness."
 - a. NO CHANGE
 - b. fluffy, that the local newspaper commented
 - c. fluffy that the local newspaper commented,
 - d. fluffy that the local newspaper, commented
3. On the first day of instruction, the history professor told his class, "in order to get an A on your essay, you must strictly follow the instructions on the syllabus, with zero deviation from the prompt."
 - a. NO CHANGE
 - b. prompt."
 - c. prompt"
 - d. prompt.
4. After visiting his cousin at Cornell Law School, Cole told his two best friends that "he wanted to study law in college, too," and thereafter he began to research on top law schools.
 - a. NO CHANGE
 - b. that he wanted to study law in college,
 - c. that: "he wanted to study law in college,"
 - d. that: he wanted to study law in college,

5. "I want to eat ice cream!", the spoiled toddler shouted as she marched around the kitchen.
- a. NO CHANGE
 - b. cream!," the spoiled toddler
 - c. cream"! the spoiled toddler
 - d. cream!" the spoiled toddler
6. When Sean told us that "he was going to the car to bring in some stew." we knew dinner was going to be great.
- a. NO CHANGE
 - b. "he was going to the car to bring in some stew"
 - c. "he was going to the car to bring in some stew",
 - d. he was going to the car to bring in some stew
7. In small doses, which one could drink as a beverage during dinner), red wine has been shown to contain antioxidants that are believed to have heart benefits.
- a. NO CHANGE
 - b. doses (which
 - c. doses which
 - d. doses; (which