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1. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) I am asking if you would like to rollerblade together tomorrow?
C B) I am asking "if you would like to rollerblade together tomorrow"?
C C) I am asking if you would like to rollerblade together tomorrow.
C D) I am asking "if you would like to rollerblade together tomorrow."

## 2. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) Yes, Jean, you were right about that answer.
C B) Yes Jean, you were right about that answer.
C C) Yes Jean you were right about that answer.
C D) Yes, Jean, you were right, about that answer.

## 3. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) Wherever we go, "people" recognize us.
C B) Wherever we go people recognize us.
C C) Wherever we go; people recognize us.
C D) Wherever we go, people recognize us.

## 4. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) Whenever, Cheryl, is in town she visits her sister.
C B) Whenever Cheryl, is in town she visits her sister.
C C) Whenever Cheryl is in town she visits her sister.
C D) Whenever Cheryl is in town, she visits her sister.

## 5. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) It may not be the correct part, but I bet that it works.
C B) It may not be the correct part; but I bet that it works.
C C) It may not be the correct part-but I bet that it works.
C D) It may not be-the correct part-but I bet that it works.

## 6. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) You are my friend; however, I cannot afford to lend you any more money.
C B) You are my friend; however; I cannot afford to lend you any more money.
C C) You are my friend, however; I cannot afford to lend you any more money.
C D) You are my friend, however, I cannot afford, to lend you any more money.

## 7. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) I favor green and yellow, and purple is her first choice.
C B) I favor green and yellow; and purple is her first choice.
C C) I favor green and yellow; and, purple is her first choice.
C D) I favor green and yellow and purple is her first choice.

## 8. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) This is the point that Einstein made--you cannot fix a problem with the problem.
B) This is the point that Einstein made, you cannot fix a problem with the problem.
C C) This is the point that Einstein made; You cannot fix a problem with the problem.
C D) This is the point that Einstein made: you cannot fix a problem with the problem.

## 9. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) A well made argument was presented for negotiating a peaceful resolution.
C B) A well made argument was presented, for negotiating a peaceful resolution.
C C) A well-made argument was presented for negotiating a peaceful resolution.
C D) A well-made-argument was presented for negotiating a peaceful resolution.

## 10. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) The argument for negotiating a peaceful resolution was well made.
C B) The argument for negotiating a peaceful resolution was well-made.
C C) The argument, for negotiating a peaceful resolution, was well made.
C D) The argument, for negotiating a peaceful resolution, was well-made.

## 11. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) When I noticed that our dog cut it's paw, I called the veterinarian right away.
C B) When I noticed that our dog cut it's paw; I called the veterinarian right away.
C C) When I noticed that our dog cut its paw, I called the veterinarian right away.
C D) When I noticed that our dog cut its paw; I called the veterinarian right away.

## 12. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) Even though its 30 miles to the town where that D.V.M.'s office is, I wanted to take the drive.
C B) Even though it's 30 miles to the town where that D.V.M.'s office is, I wanted to take the drive.
C C) Even though it's 30 miles to the town where that D.V.M.s' office is, I wanted to take the drive.
C D) Even though its 30 miles to the town where that D.V.M.s' office is, I wanted to take the drive.

## 13. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) The friendly looking vet examined our dogs paw and suggested we have it bandaged.
C B) The friendly-looking vet examined our dogs paw and suggested we have it bandaged.
C C) The friendly-looking vet examined our dog's paw and suggested we have it bandaged.
C D) The friendly looking vet examined our dog's paw and suggested we have it bandaged.

## 14. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) Our dog was a semiinvalid for a couple of days until she chewed off the bandage.
B) Our dog was a semi-invalid for a couple of days until she chewed off the bandage.
C) Our dog was a semi invalid for a couple of days until she chewed off the bandage.
C D) Our dog was a semi invalid for a couple of days, until she chewed off the bandage.

## 15. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) The dog has fully re-covered although I will never be the same.
C B) The dog has fully recovered although I will never be the same.
C C) The dog has fully recovered, although I will never be the same.
C D) The dog has fully re-covered, although I will never be the same.

## 16. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) I have learned that it's better to be proactive than to have regrets.
C B) I have learned that its better to be pro-active than to have regrets.
C C) I have learned that its better to be proactive than to have regrets.
C D) I have learned that it's better to be pro-active than to have regrets.

## 17. Choose the correct sentence.

C A) The wealthy became wealthier during the 1990's.
C B) The wealthy became wealthier during the 1990s.
C C) The wealthy became wealthier during the ' 90 's.
C D) The wealthy became wealthier during the 90 s .

Fill in each blank space with the proper article: a, an, or the. [adapted from http://www.colapublib.org/history/eastla/]

At the beginning of the twentieth century, East Los Angeles became a popular immigrant destination. In the early 1900s, Russians, Jews, Japanese, and Mexicans all had a significant presence in the area. Living east of the river and working in nearby factories, or traveling by electric rail into downtown Los Angeles, immigrants and their children helped fuel the prosperity of the growing metropolis. By the onset of World War II, East Los Angeles had almost become an exclusively Latino community, soon reinforced by an influx of Mexican workers who arrived to man the machines in the area's burgeoning war industries.

Choose the conjunction that fits best.

1. I haven't really studied for this exam, $\qquad$ I feel a little nervous.
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unless
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but
2. I told him not to come, $\qquad$ he came anyway.
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3. Do not do anything $\qquad$ you hear from him first.
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unless
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since
$C$
therefore
4. $\qquad$ I was really tired, I took a nap for 15 minutes.
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Although
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Since
C
Unless
5. $\qquad$ she likes to play basketball, her favorite sport is tennis.
C While
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Because
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Since
6. $\qquad$ it was really hot outside, I wore shorts.
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Although
$C$
Since
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Unless
7. He has always done well on exams. This time, $\qquad$ he failed.however
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accordingly
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moreover
8. I won't be able to borrow any more money $\qquad$ I pay off some of my previous debts.

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9. $\qquad$ he wasn't a good player, he had a great game.
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Although
10. The little girl slept $\qquad$ her father played the guitar.
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