8 Digital Communication

1 **a. Write words related to the meanings of the following words.**

convey	messages	greeting	feeling
exchange	money	ideas	thoughts
reaction	situation	negative	positive
means	transport	fast	comfortable
talented	gifted	artist	mind

b. Use the following words in meaningful sentences about you.

exchange: I like communicating people for I can exchange the knowledge with them.

means: I use the technology for different means.

talented: I try to benefit from the skills of the talented people.

2 **Complete the following sentences with words from the list.**

> gradually   various   skillful   carve   consequently   access

1. The captain of the ship is so skillful that he was able to avoid the iceberg.

2. People in some poor countries are unable to get access to what they need.

3. Only professional artists are able to carve pictures on metals.

4. The weather is consequently getting hotter these days.

5. Air consists of various gases like Oxygen and Nitrogen.

3 Correct the verbs in the following sentences.

1. It **started** to rain after we **had gotten** to the station.
   (start / get)

2. By the time we .....reached..... the party, all the guests .....had left..... .
   (reach / leave)

3. Why didn't you go to bed after you .....had..... supper?
   (have)

4. Your letter .....came..... five minutes after he .....had left..... .
   (come/ leave)

5. I .....thanked..... my aunt for the flowers she .....had sent..... me.
   (thank/ send).

6. Ali couldn't .....open..... the door because he .....had lost..... his keys.
   (open/lose).

4 Complete the following sentences.

1. After I had woken up, ...I left my bed......

2. I had been in New York for six years before .....I move to Washington......

3. By the time we arrived home, ...My mother had finished preparing the dinner......

5 Choose the correct answers to complete the following story.

One night in winter, I returned home at about 10 p.m feeling (<u>both</u>, although, however) tired and hungry. After I (<u>had eaten</u>, eat, eating) dinner, I (go, <u>went</u>, had gone) straight to my bed. Suddenly, in the middle of the night, I (hear, <u>heard</u>, had heard) a strange noise coming from the living room. (<u>Although</u>, So, When) I was sleepy and scared in the darkness, I summoned all my courage to go downstairs. When I (reach, reaches, <u>reached</u>) the living room, a cat jumped out the window. I started laughing to reassure myself. It was (more terrible, <u>the most terrible</u>, terrible) night I have ever had.