

## Grade 11 Module 2

### Prefixes

refundable	<b>non</b> refundable	غير قابل للإسترداد	decisive	<b>in</b> decisive	متردد – غير حاسم
smoking	<b>non</b> smoking	غير المدخنين	formal	<b>in</b> formal	غير رسمي
stop	<b>non</b> stop	مستمر – متواصل	experienced	<b>in</b> experienced	قليل الخبرة
fair	<b>un</b> fair	ظالم – غير عادل	expected	<b>un</b> expected	مفاجئ – غير متوقع

non                      un                      in

1. This is a \_\_\_\_\_ - smoking room, so please put out your cigarette.
2. She spent hours working on her essay so she thought it was \_\_\_\_\_ fair that she got such a low mark for it.
3. She's usually so \_\_\_\_\_ decisive, so it was quite a surprise when she bought two tickets without a second thought.
4. There's no need for you to wear a suit; it will be an \_\_\_\_\_ formal meeting.

non                      un                      in

5. When John started working here, he was young and \_\_\_\_\_ experienced .
6. You won't be able to get your money back as the tickets are \_\_\_\_\_ refundable.
7. After two days of almost \_\_\_\_\_ stop expected rain, we had a sunny day yesterday.
8. We hadn't spoken in years so his phone call was totally \_\_\_\_\_ expected.

### Collocations

play	go	do	go to	belong to/join	collect
football, hockey, pool, tennis, golf, board games	swimming, ice skating, camping, bowling, hiking, cycling	martial arts (karate, taekwondo, etc.), Pilates exercise , aerobics	a running track, the beach, a leisure centre, the gym	a club, an organisation , a gym	coins, postcards, model cars/ aeroplanes , comics

**Fill in the gaps using the given words:**

play      go      do      go to      belong to/join      collect

1. Lisa seems so calm since she started \_\_\_\_\_ exercise again.
2. Brian \_\_\_\_\_ toy cars and owns over 700 of them!
3. Last week, Mary \_\_\_\_\_ a gym because she wants to lose weight.
4. On rainy afternoons, I enjoy \_\_\_\_\_ board games.
5. My family enjoys \_\_\_\_\_ to the sports club together.
6. My teacher wants us to \_\_\_\_\_ the school's writing club.
7. Jack \_\_\_\_\_ karate at his school in the afternoon.
8. Ali \_\_\_\_\_ coins from around the world. It is his hobby.

**play go do go to belong to/join collect**

1. Do you \_\_\_\_\_ **Pilates** in your spare time?
2. At the weekend, we often \_\_\_\_\_ **camping** in the desert.
3. Does anybody want to \_\_\_\_\_ **tennis** with me?
4. Bradley loves to \_\_\_\_\_ **table tennis** and he \_\_\_\_\_ the local table **tennis club**.
5. Jassim \_\_\_\_\_ **postcards** from the places he goes to on holiday.
6. My friends and I \_\_\_\_\_ **the leisure centre** to \_\_\_\_\_ **pool** every Saturday afternoon.
7. Peter has a black belt in \_\_\_\_\_ **karate**. He karate for many years.
8. I want to lose some weight so I think I will \_\_\_\_\_ **a gym** and \_\_\_\_\_ some weightlifting and **aerobics**.
9. Let's \_\_\_\_\_ **camping** on Saturday. It'll be fun.
10. My mother \_\_\_\_\_ **aerobics** three times a week.

<b>jot down</b>	يدون - يكتب	<b>trinket</b>	حلية رخيصة	<b>insist on</b>	يصر على
<b>trespassing</b>	تجاوز - تعدى	<b>overcome</b>	يتغلب على	<b>burst into</b>	يقتحم
<b>jockey</b>	الفارس	<b>odds</b>	خلاف - صعب - احتمالات	<b>in the blink of an eye</b>	في لمح البصر

**jockey burst insist jot down blinking overcame**

1. I carry a notebook so that I can \_\_\_\_\_ any ideas.
2. He \_\_\_\_\_ all obstacles in his path to the top.
3. A person whose job is riding horses in races is \_\_\_\_\_ .
4. The angry man \_\_\_\_\_ into the room.
5. Jack \_\_\_\_\_ on taking us out to dinner to celebrate his promotion.
6. Almost in the \_\_\_\_\_ of an eye, everything we owned had gone forever.

<b>wasteland</b>	أرض خراب / جرداء	<b>essay</b>	مقال	<b>value</b>	قيمة
<b>show up</b>	اظهر - وصل	<b>envy</b>	حسد	<b>gifted</b>	موهوب

**envy Show up wasteland value essays gifted eye**

7. The car was dumped in a stretch of \_\_\_\_\_ in the south of the city.
8. There are heavy \_\_\_\_\_ against people succeeding in such a bad economic climate.
9. We were expecting thirty people to come, but half of them never \_\_\_\_\_ .
10. The necklace had great sentimental \_\_\_\_\_ .
11. Alice always gets good marks in her \_\_\_\_\_. She should become a writer.
12. Schools often fail to cater for the needs of \_\_\_\_\_ children .
13. I couldn't do anything to prevent the accident. It all happened in the blink of an \_\_\_\_\_ .

spade	مجرفة	lecture	محاضرة	clue	خيط - فكرة
tools	أدوات	criticising	ينتقد	hobby	هواية

spade      tools      lecture      focus      clue      hobby

1. Jack used a \_\_\_\_\_ to dig a hole in the garden.
2. Stop \_\_\_\_\_ me. Don't you have anything good to say?
3. My favourite \_\_\_\_\_ is collecting books.
4. Unfortunately, I don't have the right \_\_\_\_\_ to fix the engine.
5. Last night I attended an interesting \_\_\_\_\_ about local history.
6. Kelly doesn't have a \_\_\_\_\_ about how to download files from the Internet.

accused of	يتهم ب	blamed for	يلوم على	divided into	ينقسم الى
focus on	يركز على	share(food)	يشارك	distribute	يوزع

into -on - for - of - distribute - share

1. He **accused** her \_\_\_\_\_ stealing the ring.
2. Can you be quiet? I'm trying to **focus** \_\_\_\_\_ on my report.
3. She **blamed** her brother \_\_\_\_\_ missing the ferry because he had left their tickets at home.
4. Do you want to \_\_\_\_\_ a pizza?
5. Can you \_\_\_\_\_ these flyers outside the station?
6. The school year is **divided** \_\_\_\_\_ two terms.
7. We gather food and then we \_\_\_\_\_ it to the poor.
8. I can't believe Jack **accused** me \_\_\_\_\_ stealing his smartphone.
9. You shouldn't **blame** others \_\_\_\_\_ your mistakes. It's irresponsible.
10. I got really upset when Alice **accused** me \_\_\_\_\_ lying.
11. Please \_\_\_\_\_ your lunch with me. I forgot to bring mine.
12. Can you please \_\_\_\_\_ these books among the other students?

reward	مكافأة	medal(gold - silver)	ميدالية	game(comp.)	لعبة
prize	جائزة	competition	مسابقة	race(bike)	مسابقة

reward      prize      medal      competition      game      race

1. The man received a \_\_\_\_\_ for returning the lost wallet.
2. He won a silver \_\_\_\_\_ at the last Olympics.
3. There is a £1,000 \_\_\_\_\_ for anyone who gives information that will help the police catch the criminal.
4. Karim won first \_\_\_\_\_ in the race.
5. Do you want to play a computer \_\_\_\_\_ after school?
6. They are holding a \_\_\_\_\_ to find the best young scientist.
7. Who came in second place in the bike \_\_\_\_\_?
8. This is such a difficult board \_\_\_\_\_.
9. She won a gold \_\_\_\_\_ at the London Olympics.

leisure (time)	وقت فراغ	pastime	هواية، تسلية	spectators	مشاهدين
occupation	مهنة - وظيفة	fan	مشجع (فريق)	audience	عهد
leap year	سنة كبيسة	time zone	منطقة زمنية	Annual	سنوي
membership	عضوية	Punctual	دقيق في المواعيد	weekly	أسبوعيا

leisure      membership      pastime      occupation      audience

- What is the cost of one-year \_\_\_\_\_ at your gym?
- His favourite \_\_\_\_\_ is playing volleyball.
- He doesn't have much time for \_\_\_\_\_ now that he has started a new job.
- Now that he's not working, Grandpa's main \_\_\_\_\_ is fixing things for friends.
- The \_\_\_\_\_ was great at last night's play.
- When I'm at our beach house in the summer, my favourite \_\_\_\_\_ is searching for seashells.
- He works so hard that he has no \_\_\_\_\_ time.

fan      spectators      Punctual      Fans      weekly

- Martin's an Arsenal \_\_\_\_\_, like his brother.
- There were 30,000 \_\_\_\_\_ at the game.
- Your appointment is at 6 p.m. Please try to be \_\_\_\_\_.
- Maryam is such a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ student. She is never late.
- She writes a \_\_\_\_\_ fashion column for the Evening Standard.
- I am a big \_\_\_\_\_ of Michael Phelps.
- \_\_\_\_\_ of the author waited patiently in line for an autograph.

indecisive	متردد - غير حاسم	honour	شرف - صدق	century	قرن
Calendar	التقويم	decade	حقبة	era	عصر - عهد
Season	فصل	insist on	يصر على	unclear	غير واضح

insisted      calendar      decade      era      annual      indecisive

- My brother, Tony, is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ older than me. It took my parents ten years to have a second child.
- I always write my appointments on my \_\_\_\_\_ so that I don't forget them.
- After years of difficulties, the country entered a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ of hope.
- Harry is very \_\_\_\_\_. He keeps changing his mind.
- The neighbourhood picnic has become a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ event. This year I'm making my famous tuna sandwiches.
- She \_\_\_\_\_ on seeing her lawyer.
- He is widely thought to be an \_\_\_\_\_ leader.

## Test yourself

entertain	يسلي - يستضيف	participants	مشاركون - حضور	convince	يقنع
falcon	صقر - نسر	exhaustion	اجهاد - ارهاق	evidence	دليل
advertise	يعلن - يروج	honour	شرف - صدق	endurance	صبر - تحمل

### Fill in the gaps with the correct answers:

falcon      odds      honour      evidence

- The \_\_\_\_\_ were against him, but he won the tennis match.
- People have been looking for \_\_\_\_\_ of life on other planets for years.
- Winning Saturday's game is a matter of national \_\_\_\_\_.
- Look at how high that \_\_\_\_\_ is flying.

entertain      convince      endurance      participants

- All \_\_\_\_\_ in the race will wear a T-shirt with a number on it.
- Jane tried to \_\_\_\_\_ her brother that it wasn't her who broke his camera, but he didn't believe her.
- Lisa's parents hired a clown to \_\_\_\_\_ the children.
- He thought that taking part in a long-distance race would be a good way to test his \_\_\_\_\_.

trespassing	تجاوز - تعدى	outdoors	الأماكن المفتوحة	Leap year	سنة كبيسة
indecisive	متردد - غير حاسم	punctual	دقيق في المواعيد	jot down	يدون - يكتب
participants	مشاركون - حضور	odds	صعاب - احتمالات	fulfilment	انجاز - رضا

### Choose the correct answers:

- He likes \_\_\_\_\_ activities like scuba diving.  
A. outdoor      B. indoor      C. suspicious      D. spacious
- Winning the race gave me a great sense of \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. humour      B. fulfilment      C. fashion      D. doubt
- It's 29th February today. This year is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ year.  
A. era      B. leap      C. calendar      D. annual
- Let me jot \_\_\_\_\_ your phone number and I'll call you in the evening.  
A. up      B. down      C. on      D. in
- Do you know you are \_\_\_\_\_? This land belongs to Mr Duncan.  
A. displaying      B. defeating      C. trespassing      D. transforming
- All the \_\_\_\_\_ in the race were given a medal for their effort.  
A. spectators      B. supporters      C. audience      D. participants

7. It's not like you to be late. You're usually so \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. agile                      B. remarkable                      C. unique                      D. punctual

8. Will he win the race? What are the \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. reactions                      B. odds                      C. crafts                      D. proof

9. Jack is so \_\_\_\_\_. He can never make up his mind about anything.

- A. unclear                      B. incomplete                      C. indecisive                      D. unexpected

trinket	حلية رخيصة	trespassing	تجاوز - تعدى	outdoors	الأماكن المفتوحة
dull	ممل	show up	يصل - يظهر - يحضر	thirst for knowledge	الرغبة في المعرفة
physically	بدنياً - جسدياً	extroverted	اجتماعي	competitive	تنافسي - منافس

1. Abdelaziz and his son love spending time \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. outdoors                      B. nature                      C. landscape                      D. countryside

2. Let's get out of here before we get accused of \_\_\_\_\_ on private land.

- A. trespassing                      B. non-stop                      C. trinket                      D. speed

3. I know this watch is just a \_\_\_\_\_ but I love it because my grandfather gave it to me when I was a child.

- A. trespassing                      B. non-stop                      C. trinket                      D. gold

4. I don't think many people will \_\_\_\_\_ for the race on Sunday.

- A. overcome                      B. trespass                      C. show up                      D. dull

5. How can you enjoy knitting? It's so \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. overcome                      B. trinket                      C. show up                      D. dull

6. Noora had a \_\_\_\_\_ for knowledge, so she studied sculpture at a famous London college.

- A. burst                      B. first                      C. third                      D. thirst

7. He's a very \_\_\_\_\_ person and loves making new friends.

- A. introverted                      B. extroverted                      C. private                      D. shy

8. Our coach wants players with a \_\_\_\_\_ spirit.

- A. competitive                      B. indecisive                      C. rightful                      D. confused

9. They like to keep \_\_\_\_\_ fit by running twice a week.

- A. occasionally                      B. eventually                      C. physically                      D. accidentally

individual	فردى	take risks	ىخاطر – ىجازف	pursue	ىتابع – ىطارء
unfair	ظالم – غير عاءل	routine	أعمال ىومىة	overcome	ىتغلب على
stimulating	مشجع – محفز	non-stop	مستمى – متواصل	audition	تجربة أداء – السمع

1. She \_\_\_\_\_ her hobbies at the weekend.

- A. pursues      B. chases      C. runs after      D. hunts

2. I prefer \_\_\_\_\_ sports like gymnastics or running.

- A. team      B. individual      C. unique      D. group

3. He's sensible and prefers not to \_\_\_\_\_ risks.

- A. bake      B. break      C. take      D. wake

4. I'm tired of following the same dull \_\_\_\_\_ every day.

- A. example      B. dream      C. headache      D. routine

5. I'm the only one the boss asked to stay and work overtime again. It's so \_\_\_\_\_!

- A. inexperienced      B. unfair      C. unclear      D. informal

6. She performed well in the \_\_\_\_\_, and got a main role in the play.

- A. department      B. proposal      C. audition      D. exam

7. To get to your destination you can take the \_\_\_\_\_ train which goes there directly.

- A. trespassing      B. non-stop      C. trinket      D. dull

8. I really enjoy talking with Sue because we always have very \_\_\_\_\_ conversations.

- A. trespassing      B. stimulating      C. overcome      D. show up

9. He joined a rock climbing group hoping to \_\_\_\_\_ his fear of heights.

- A. trespass      B. stimulate      C. show up      D. overcome

### Word formation

participate	participants	مشاركون - حضور	sand	sandy	رملي اللون
compete	competitor	متنافس - خصم	gift	gifted	موهوب - ذكي
endure	endurance	صبر - ثبات	common	uncommon	نادر - غير مألوف
exhaust	exhaustion	ارهاق - اجهاد	week	weekly	اسبوعياً - كل أسبوع
spectate	spectator	مشاهد - متفرج	gold	golden	ذهبي
prove	proof	دليل - حجة	react	reaction	رد فعل
stimulate	stimulation	حافز - تنشيط	mind	mindless	أحمق - غبي - غافل
holiday	holidaymaker	سائح - في أجازة			

### Complete with the correct form of the words in capitals.

1. The police finally found the \_\_\_\_\_ they were looking for. **PROVE**
2. She was taken into hospital suffering from \_\_\_\_\_ brought on by stress. **EXHAUSTE**
3. When Rita saw the snake, her first \_\_\_\_\_ was to scream. **REACT**
4. The island has long \_\_\_\_\_ beaches fringed by palm trees. **GOLD**
5. They won 4-0 in front of over 40 000 cheering \_\_\_\_\_. **SPECTATE**
6. My younger brother spends his time watching \_\_\_\_\_ TV shows. **MIND**
7. Running a marathon is a test of human \_\_\_\_\_. **ENDURE**
8. Doing crosswords is \_\_\_\_\_ for the brain. **STIMULATE**
9. Schools often fail to cater for the needs of \_\_\_\_\_ children . **GIFT**
10. The beach was filled with \_\_\_\_\_ who had come to relax. **HOLIDAY**
11. This type of plant grows well in \_\_\_\_\_ soil. **SAND**
12. We were \_\_\_\_\_ in a live debate on television. **PARTICIPATE**
13. Accidents due to failure of safety equipment are \_\_\_\_\_ nowadays. **COMMON**
14. Only one \_\_\_\_\_ made a clear jump of the highest fence . **COMPETE**
15. My grandfather does my \_\_\_\_\_ shopping for me. **WEEK**



## GRAMMAR

### The Present Perfect Simple is used:

I – You – We – They → have + p.p

He – She – It → has + p.p

#### 1. to talk about an action which happened in the past, but the exact time is not mentioned.

- I've already sent the email.

حدث تم في الماضي ولم يذكر وقت الحدث

#### 2. to talk about a state which started in the past and continues up to the present.

- Barry has had his bicycle since June.

حدث تم في الماضي وما زال مستمرا في الحاضر

#### 3. to talk about an action that happened in the past and finished, but the results are obvious in the present

- I've just mopped the floor. (it's still wet)

حدث تم في الماضي وله اثر الان

- Mum has hung the clothes on the line.

#### 4. for recently completed actions.

حدث تم منذ فترة صغيرة

- We have just ordered our meal.

#### 5. with adjectives in the superlative form and expressions like *the only/first/second... etc.*

المقارنة العظمى للصفات وكلمات مثل the only/first/second

- It's the first time I've played rugby.

#### for + a period of time (a week/the last week / a year/ five hours/3 moths/ a long time)

- I've had this mobile phone for six years.

#### since + a point in time (last week- summer- month -year – yesterday-1999 – then - lunch)

- I've had this mobile phone since 2015.

#### Present Perfect Simple + **since** + Past Simple

Ali has broken two mobile phones since last week./ I haven't seen him since he travelled .

#### Time expressions

just, yet, already, ever, never, before, always, how long, for, since, recently, lately, once, twice, so far, etc.

have / has gone to . He has gone to Turkey before Corona and didn't come back .

have/has been to . He has been to Turkey for 2 months . He came back last week

**Choose the correct answers:**

**1. They \_\_\_\_\_ their homework yet.**

- A. have done      B. has done      C. haven't done      D. hasn't done

**2. I have stayed here \_\_\_\_\_ last year.**

- A. for      B. ago      C. since      D. just

**3. I have never \_\_\_\_\_ tennis.**

- A. play      B. plays      C. played      D. playing

**4. Frank \_\_\_\_\_ as a secretary for seventeen years**

- A. has worked      B. works      C. is working      D. work

**5. My brother has been travelling \_\_\_\_\_ two months.**

- A. yet      B. since      C. for      D. ago

**6. My father has already \_\_\_\_\_ to London.**

- A. go      B. went      C. going      D. gone

**7. What have you \_\_\_\_\_, Ali ?**

- A. do      B. did      C. done      D. doing

**8. It has not rained \_\_\_\_\_ April.**

- A. yet      B. since      C. for      D. ago

**9. Dan \_\_\_\_\_ sick for three days.**

- A. was      B. has been      C. have been      D. was being

**10. Li and Susan \_\_\_\_\_ four times already and will not give up.**

- A. try      B. tried      C. has tried      C. have tried

**Correct the verbs between brackets:**

1. The old car \_\_\_\_\_ (to be) a piece of junk since I bought it.
2. We \_\_\_\_\_ not \_\_\_\_\_ (to take) this test before.
3. Our father \_\_\_\_\_ never \_\_\_\_\_ (to drive) to California before.
4. Have you \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) lunch yet?
5. You \_\_\_\_\_ (not study) French for ten years.
6. They \_\_\_\_\_ (be) in London for six months.
7. Why \_\_\_\_\_ (you / do) your homework already?

8. She \_\_\_\_\_ (not / play) basketball before.
9. We \_\_\_\_\_ (to learn) English for one hour.
10. He \_\_\_\_\_ (to go) to school here for five years.
11. I \_\_\_\_\_ (to play) the piano since I was eight years old.
12. Li \_\_\_\_\_ (to talk) on the phone for forty-five minutes.
13. Wang, Ted, and Ko \_\_\_\_\_ (to drive) since morning.
14. Andy and I \_\_\_\_\_ (to look) for my keys for two hours.
15. The Colorado River \_\_\_\_\_ (to flow) for centuries.
16. My CD player \_\_\_\_\_ (to skip) since I bought it.
17. Tommy \_\_\_\_\_ not \_\_\_\_\_ (to save) his money for eight years.
18. Nidia \_\_\_\_\_ (to run) in the race for six minutes.
19. He \_\_\_\_\_ (travel) to Paris since 2005.
20. We have Lived \_\_\_\_\_ (lived) in Qatar for 7 years.
21. They have \_\_\_\_\_ (study) English for 2 hours.
22. She \_\_\_\_\_ (clean) the floor recently.
23. I \_\_\_\_\_ (never/visit) Germany.

## Comparisons

## المقارنات

### The comparative form

- of one-syllable adjectives and adverbs and of two syllable adjectives ending in -y is formed by adding -er.

Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
tall	taller than	the tallest
short	shorter than	the shortest
clever	cleverer than	the cleverest

(Adjectives ending in -y change to -i, while those ending in -e take only -r.)

Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
Heavy	heavier than	The heaviest
busy	busier than	The busiest
nice	nicer than	The nicest
large	larger than	The largest

صفات تنتهي بحرف ساكن مشدد قبله حرف متحرك يضاعف الحرف الأخير

Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
hot	hotter than	The hottest
wet	wetter than	The wettest
big	bigger than	The biggest

الصفات الطويلة التي تتكون من مقطعين أو أكثر

Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
expensive	more expensive	The most expensive
quickly	more quickly	The most quickly

Irregular forms الصفات الشاذة

Adjective	Comparative	superlative
Good/well حسن	Better than احسن من	The best الاحسن
Bad/badly سيئ	Worse than	The worst
Many كثير - Much كثير	More than	The most
Little قليل	Less than	The least
Far بعيد	Farther than - Further than	The farthest - The furthest

Adjective	Comparative	superlative
as ..... as	a bit- a little- much – a lot – far	By far – one of – of all- in the ..
not as / so.....as	Slightly- rather - even	I have ever seen /read...

### المقارنة المتوازية ظ الشرطية ( كلما ..... كلما ) Parallel comparison .

- **the + comparative, the + comparative** - The faster you walk, the earlier you'll get there.

- **comparative + and + comparative**

The situation seems to be getting/ becoming worse and worse by the day.

- **as - -** as = are the same

-Ali is as smart as his father.

- **not as /so - -** as = aren't the same

-The book isn't as expensive as we thought.

- **less + adjective/adverb + than**

The package tour to Italy is less expensive than the one to France.

- **the least + adjective/adverb + of/in**

Of all the candidates we interviewed today, I think he is the least suitable for the job.

- **the + comparative, the + comparative** - The faster you walk, the earlier you'll get there.

- **comparative + and + comparative**

The situation seems to be getting worse and worse by the day.

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### Choose the correct answers:

1. The tortoise is \_\_\_\_\_ than the rabbit.

A. slow                      B. slower                      C. slowest                      D. slow as

2. I live in the \_\_\_\_\_ comfortable city in the world.

A. more                      B. most                      C. less                      D. than

3. These computers are \_\_\_\_\_ than those.

A. newer                      B. as new                      C. newest                      D. new as

4. This is the \_\_\_\_\_ hotel I have ever stayed in.

A. amazing                      B. more amazing                      C. amazingly                      D. most mazing

5. This test is \_\_\_\_\_ than the last one.

A. hard                      B. hard as                      C. harder                      D. hardest

**6. This flat is \_\_\_\_\_ than the first one.**

- A. good      B. better      C. best      D. as good

**7. Arabic is \_\_\_\_\_ than English.**

- A. easy      B. easily      C. easier      D. easiest

**8. The plane is faster \_\_\_\_\_ the train.**

- A. that      B. this      C. than      D. these

**9. Hany is as \_\_\_\_\_ his friend, Ahmed.**

- A. old      B. older      C. oldest      D. old as

**10. Playing football is the \_\_\_\_\_ interesting sport for me.**

- A. more      B. most      C. less      D. as

**Correct the verbs between brackets:**

1. July is the \_\_\_\_\_ (hot) month of the year.

3. This is the \_\_\_\_\_ (high) tree in this park.

4. Peter is the \_\_\_\_\_ (good) runner at school.

5. This task is the \_\_\_\_\_ (difficult) in the test.

7. This car is the \_\_\_\_\_ (expensive) here.

8. November is \_\_\_\_\_ (cold) than September.

9. My mobile is \_\_\_\_\_ (expensive) than yours.

10. Online reviews are \_\_\_\_\_ (useful) as asking friends about products.

11. I read online reviews \_\_\_\_\_ (carefully) as he does.

12. The coat was just \_\_\_\_\_ (warm) as it looked.

13. Your car is \_\_\_\_\_ (cheap) than mine.

14. I drive \_\_\_\_\_ (carefully) than my husband.

15. In my opinion, a deer moves \_\_\_\_\_ (graceful) of all the animals.

16. The politician spoke \_\_\_\_\_ (loud) than was necessary.

17. January is \_\_\_\_\_ (cold) month of the year.

18. Andrew is \_\_\_\_\_ (fast) runner on the team.

19. This apartment is \_\_\_\_\_ (convenient) of all the apartments I have seen.
20. Our teacher explains the lessons \_\_\_\_\_ (clearly) than your teacher.
21. When we travel, my suitcase is always \_\_\_\_\_ (heavy) than my husband's.
22. December 21 is the \_\_\_\_\_ (short) day of the year. It is \_\_\_\_\_ (short) than any other.
23. Annie usually gets up \_\_\_\_\_ (early) than her sister.
24. A turtle moves \_\_\_\_\_ (slow) than a rabbit.
25. My computer is \_\_\_\_\_ (fast) as the newer models.
26. He shops online \_\_\_\_\_ (frequently) as I do.
27. This book is \_\_\_\_\_ (interesting) than the one I read last week.
28. Judy goes to the library \_\_\_\_\_ (often) than I do.
29. That gold necklace is \_\_\_\_\_ (expensive) one in the whole store.
30. This is \_\_\_\_\_ (bad) movie I have ever seen.
31. Her dress is \_\_\_\_\_ (pretty) than mine.
32. I like milk \_\_\_\_\_ (good) than coffee.
33. Magazine ads are \_\_\_\_\_ (effective) as newspaper ads.
34. Mark plays the guitar \_\_\_\_\_ (well) as Nancy does.
35. China has \_\_\_\_\_ (many) people than any other country in the world.
36. The Nile is \_\_\_\_\_ (long) river in the world.
37. In Mark's opinion History is \_\_\_\_\_ (difficult) than Geography.
38. Greece is \_\_\_\_\_ (hot) than England.
39. Switzerland is one of \_\_\_\_\_ (rich) countries in the world.
40. People in Africa are the \_\_\_\_\_ (poor) in the world.

## Language function

<b><u>Expressing preference</u></b>	
- I prefer ... to ... because...	- I prefer activities that are...
- I like ... so I would prefer...	- I am ... by nature, so...
I would rather ... than...	- The leisure activity I would choose is ... because...
<b><u>Expressing an opinion</u></b>	<b><u>Signaling non-understanding</u></b>
- I, personally, think/believe/consider/find/feel that...	- Sorry, I don't quite understand what you said.
- It seems to me that...	- I'm afraid I didn't understand that.
- I guess that...	
- The way I see it...	
- If you ask me...	
- In my opinion,...	
<b><u>Asking for repetition</u></b>	<b><u>Asking for definition or clarification</u></b>
- Could you repeat that for me, please?	- Sorry, what does ... mean?
- Could you say that again, please?	- What do you mean by...?
	- Could you explain that to me, please?
	- Sorry, did you say...?
<b><u>Asking someone's opinion</u></b>	<b><u>Expressing comparison</u></b>
- What do you think?	- ... is more interesting than...
- How do you see it?	- ... isn't as exciting/fun as...
- How do you feel about...?	- ... is the most suitable for them because...
- Don't you think that...?	- One of the best/worst things about ... is that...
	- ... would appeal more to ... than to...
	- ... is sure to interest students more than...

### 1. Which of the following BEST expresses an opinion ?

- A. I, personally, believe that --      B. What is your point of view?  
C. May I interrupt you for a second?      D. Hold on. I will be back in a minute.

### 2. Which of the following BEST expresses an opinion ?

- A. - ... is more interesting than...      B. In my opinion, ...  
C. May I interrupt you for a second?      D. Hold on. I will be back in a minute.

### 3. Which of the following BEST expresses preference?

- A. I am sure of it      B. It is impossible to go  
C. It is possible to be true      D. I prefer -----/ I like ----better than --

### 4. Which of the following BEST expresses preference?

- A. I am sure of it      B. I like ... so I would prefer...  
C. It is impossible to go      D. It is possible to be true



**5. Which of the following BEST expresses preference?**

- A. It is impossible to go
- B. I would rather ... than...
- C. In my point of view, we should
- D. Could you repeat that for me, please?

**6. Which of the following BEST expresses non-understanding?**

- A. It is impossible to go
- B. I am afraid I didn't understand that.
- C. In my point of view, we should
- D. How do you see it?

**7. Which of the following BEST expresses repetition?**

- A. In my point of view, we should
- B. Could you repeat that for me, please?
- C. I am afraid I didn't understand that.
- D. I prefer -----/ I like ----better than --

**8. Which of the following BEST expresses clarification?**

- A. I am afraid I didn't understand that.
- B. Could you explain that to me, please?
- C. Could you repeat that for me, please?
- D. How do you see it?

**9. Which of the following BEST expresses comparison?**

- A. \_\_\_ is more interesting than\_\_\_
- B. I am afraid I didn't understand that.
- C. Could you explain that to me, please?
- D. Could you repeat that for me, please?

**10. Which of the following BEST expresses asking someone's opinion?**

- A. I, personally, believe that --
- B. What do you think?
- C. May I interrupt you for a second?
- D. Hold on. I will be back in a minute.

## **Reading 1**

### **The Great Wall of China**

1 If you ever head to China, one of the sights you might stop to see is the Great Wall. The Great Wall of China is one of the Seven Wonders of the world. It runs along the northern historical border of China.

2 Most people think the Great Wall of China is One giant wall, It is not. It is actually a series of walls. They were built to help stop nomads from attacking the country. Later the walls were joined together. This helped make them stronger. It also helped make them last longer. The connected walls also made it easier for people to travel from the eastern to western side of China.

3 Today, the Great Wall of China stretches 3915 miles (6300 kilometers). However, the wall twists and turns. With all of the individual sections it is around 13670 miles (22000 kilometers) long. At its widest point, the wall is 30 feet (9 meters) wide. At its highest point it is 26 feet (8 meters) high. It has become one of the Seven Wonders of the World because it is the longest structure ever built by humans. This is especially impressive because many portions of the wall were built over 2000 years ago!

4 Of course, since it is so old, parts of the wall have started to break apart. One part of the wall that is almost non-existent today was built in the state of Qin. It was built in 200-206 B.C. Because it is broken, the wall isn't so good for travel. However, it is still good for tourists. Near cities like Beijing, the government has worked to restore the wall. This has helped make the wall safe for visitors. The most visited section of the wall is located in Badaling. Over 63 million people a year visit that section of the wall alone.

#### **1. What type of writing is the above text?**

- |                  |                  |
|------------------|------------------|
| A. narrative     | B. persuasive    |
| C. informational | D. argumentative |

**2. What is the main purpose of text?**

- A. to persuade people to visit china
- B. to tell a story about the north of china
- C. to tell a story about the great wall of china
- D. to give information about the great wall of china

**3. Why have the parts of the wall started to break apart?**

- A. The wall is so old.
- B. The wall is so big.
- C. The wall spans across China.
- D. The wall is a series of smaller walls.

**4. What does the underlined pronoun “it” in paragraph (1) refer to?**

- A. The Great Wall of China
- B. The historical borders of China
- C. The sights of China
- D. The Seven Wonders of the world

**5. What does the underlined linker in paragraph (3) “However” express?**

- A. contrast
- B. addition
- C. sameness
- D. enumeration

**6. According to paragraph 2, The writer mentions more than one reason for building the great wall of china. write two of these reasons.**

Reason 1	
Reason 2	

**7. According to paragraph 3, Why is the great wall of china considered one of the seven wonders of the world? give two reasons.**

Reason 1	
Reason 2	

**8. What language features has the writer used in the above text? Give one piece of evidence to support your answer.**

Feature	
Evidence	

## **Reading 2**

Five eggs the size of Ping-Pong balls crack open as the tiny desert tortoises inside break through the shells, the two-inch-long babies immediately crawl off in search of flowers and grasses to eat. These animals may be newly hatched, but they already have survival skills that will allow them thrive in their harsh, sizzling-hot habitats.

2 Desert tortoises live in the deserts of the southwestern United States and northwestern Mexico. During the summer, ground temperatures in parts of their range can hit 140 F. To beat the heat, desert tortoises use their strong forearms and tough nails to dig underground burrows where they can hide from the sun. Some of these tortoise tunnels are up to 32 feet in length. And the burrows can get pretty crowded. As many as 25 desert tortoises might bunk together in one shelter.

3 The animals also dig grooves into on the ground's surface to catch rainwater. After a storm, they'll return to these holes to slurp up the water that's collected inside. Once it's had good drink, a desert tortoise can go up to a year without requiring fresh water again. The reptile stores the water it has consumed in its bladder and can later absorb the liquid when it needs to hydrate.

4 Despite sometimes hanging out in burrows together, desert tortoises are pretty solitary. And sometimes when males come across each other, they 'll fight to establish dominance. The fighting may use horns on their chests to try and knock each other over. The contest ends when one animal flips the other on its back. The losing tortoise can turn right side up by moving its body back and forth until it turns over. But after that, the tortoise knows who's boss. Sounds like a tortoise's shell isn't the only thing about it that's tough!

### **1. What type of writing is the above text?**

- |                  |                  |
|------------------|------------------|
| A. narrative     | B. persuasive    |
| C. informational | D. argumentative |

### **2. What is the purpose of the text?**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| A. To state the habitats of desert tortoises  | B. To give some information about desert tortoises         |
| C. To narrate the story of a desert tortoises | D. To explain how the desert tortoises live in the deserts |

### **3. How long are the tunnels that desert tortoise dig?**

- |       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| A. 30 | B. 32 | C. 34 | D. 36 |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|

**4. Which one of the following statements is not mentioned in paragraph 4?**

- A. The way that the fights ends.                      B. Their males usually have fights.  
C. Losing tortoise tries to turn over.                      D. Winner tortoise feeds on the loser one.

**5. According to the text, what is the original habitat of desert tortoises?**

- A. Asia                      B. Africa                      C. North America                      D. South America

**6. According to paragraph 1, what do the baby desert tortoise search of? Mention two things.**

The 1st thing	
The 2nd thing	

**7. According to paragraph 2, what do the desert tortoises do to beat the heat of the ground temperature? Mention two things.**

The 1st thing	
The 2nd thing	

**8. According to paragraph 3, How can desert tortoise go up to a year without requiring fresh water? Mention two reasons.**

Reason 1	
Reason 2	

**9. According to paragraph 3, why does male tortoise fight each other? What do they use?**

Reason	
use	

## Writing

Write an announcement about a sport event which will take place in Lusail, next Friday. Your announcement should include the facilities and rewards of the race.

[illegible]

Write an announcement about a sport event which will take place in Lusail, next Friday. Your announcement should include the facilities and rewards of the race.

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### **Are you interested in sports events?**

Good time to all of you. There is a great chance. You are invited to attend an exciting sports event which will take place in Lusail, next Friday.

**Activities:** there will be many activities like the long running race and playing football matches.

**Facilities:** there is a bus will be ready to pick up all the participants from Doha to Lusail. Also, you can accompany your friends.

**Rewards:** the winner will be given Al-Ameer cup.

This sport event is only championship for winning and losing something, but it teaches you value of life.

Please send a letter of interest to: [WWWssss@gmail.com](mailto:WWWssss@gmail.com)

For further information call 888888888.

My best wishes. Thank you very much.