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Inversion

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1. Choose the correct sentence(s).

Select all that apply.

- **A)** Here the circus comes!
- **B)** Here comes it!
- **C)** Here comes the circus!
- **D)** Here it comes!

2. Choose the correct order.

Never _____ _____ _____ _____ more discreet.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** had
- **B)** the butler
- **C)** needed
- **D)** to be

Blank 2

- **A)** had
- **B)** the butler
- **C)** needed
- **D)** to be

Blank 3

- **A)** had
- **B)** the butler
- **C)** needed
- **D)** to be

Blank 4

- **A)** had
- **B)** the butler
- **C)** needed
- **D)** to be

3. Choose the correct order.

So awful _____ _____ that Arthur _____ the essay.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** was
- **B)** the quality

Blank 2

- **A)** was
- **B)** the quality

Blank 3

- **A)** had
- **B)** to rewrite

Blank 4

- **A)** had
- **B)** to rewrite

4. Choose the correct sentence(s).

Select all that apply.

- **A)** In the mountains he roamed.
- **B)** In the mountains roamed he.
- **C)** In the mountains roamed an old man with a long beard.
- **D)** In the mountains, an old man with a long beard roamed.
- **E)** In the mountains an old man roamed with a long beard.

5. Choose the correct sentence(s).

Select all that apply.

- **A)** The sunset was so beautiful that he took 53 pictures of it, but he missed the magic of the moment.
- **B)** So beautiful was the sunset that he took 53 pictures of it, but missed he the magic of the moment.
- **C)** So beautiful was the sunset that he 53 pictures took of it, but he missed the magic of the moment.
- **D)** So beautiful was the sunset that he took 53 pictures of it, but he missed the magic of the moment.
- **E)** So beautiful the sunset was that he took 53 pictures of it, but he missed the magic of the moment.

6. Choose the correct order.

Rarely _____ _____ _____ the journey without any delays.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** had
- **B)** the train
- **C)** made

Blank 2

- **A)** had
- **B)** the train
- **C)** made

Blank 3

- **A)** had
- **B)** the train
- **C)** made

7. Choose the correct verbs.

_____ I _____ a bit more organized, _____ I _____ early tonight.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** have
- **B)** had
- **C)** has
- **D)** (nothing)

Blank 2

- **A)** be
- **B)** been
- **C)** had been

Blank 3

- **A)** would
- **B)** have
- **C)** (nothing)
- **D)** would have finished

Blank 4

- **A)** would have finished
- **B)** would finish
- **C)** have finished

8. Select the correct sentence.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** Seldom have I heard such an accomplished version of Mozart's piano sonata.
- **B)** Seldom I have heard such an accomplished version of Mozart's piano sonata.

9. Choose the correct order.

In the depths of the sea _____ _____.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** lived
- **B)** a large octopus

Blank 2

- **A)** lived
- **B)** a large octopus

10. Create a correct sentence.

So full _____ _____ that _____ _____ _____.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** was
- **B)** my mailbox

Blank 2

- **A)** was
- **B)** my mailbox

Blank 3

- **A)** the server
- **B)** bounced
- **C)** all new messages

Blank 4

- **A)** the server
- **B)** bounced
- **C)** all new messages

Blank 5

- **A)** the server
- **B)** bounced
- **C)** all new messages

11. Choose the correct order.

On no account _____ _____ _____ _____ without notifying the head of department first.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** will
- **B)** you
- **C)** order
- **D)** new toner

Blank 2

- **A)** will
- **B)** you
- **C)** order
- **D)** new toner

Blank 3

- **A)** will
- **B)** you
- **C)** order
- **D)** new toner

Blank 4

- **A)** will
- **B)** you
- **C)** order
- **D)** new toner

12. Select the correct order.

_____ where my swimming goggles are?

Choose the correct option for each gap.

- **A)** Do you know
- **B)** You know
- **C)** Know you

13. Select the correct verbs

_____ Patrick _____ in the mirror before reversing the car, _____ he _____ the wall.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** Have
- **B)** Had
- **C)** Has
- **D)** (nothing)

Blank 2

- **A)** look
- **B)** has looked
- **C)** had looked
- **D)** looked

Blank 3

- **A)** would
- **B)** have
- **C)** (nothing)
- **D)** would have seen

Blank 4

- **A)** would have seen
- **B)** would see
- **C)** has seen

14. Choose the correct order.

So expensive _____ _____ that _____ any!

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** was
- **B)** the popcorn

Blank 2

- **A)** was
- **B)** the popcorn

Blank 3

- **A)** we
- **B)** did not
- **C)** buy
- **D)** (nothing)

Blank 4

- **A)** we
- **B)** did not
- **C)** buy
- **D)** (nothing)

Blank 5

- **A)** we
- **B)** did not
- **C)** buy
- **D)** (nothing)

15. Select the correct verbs

_____ _____ their dinner before we get there?

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** Will
- **B)** They
- **C)** Have
- **D)** Finished

Blank 2

- **A)** will
- **B)** they
- **C)** have
- **D)** finished

Blank 3

- **A)** will
- **B)** they
- **C)** have
- **D)** finished

Blank 4

- **A)** will
- **B)** they
- **C)** have
- **D)** finished

16. Select the order

Little _____ _____ _____ that the mysterious letter was the start of a great adventure.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** did
- **B)** he
- **C)** know

Blank 2

- **A)** did
- **B)** he
- **C)** know

Blank 3

- **A)** did
- **B)** he
- **C)** know

17. Create a sentence with an inverted word order.

_____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** in the garden
- **B)** were
- **C)** all his friends
- **D)** to welcome
- **E)** him
- **F)** home

Blank 2

- **A)** in the garden
- **B)** were
- **C)** all his friends
- **D)** to welcome
- **E)** him
- **F)** home

Blank 3

- **A)** in the garden
- **B)** were
- **C)** all his friends
- **D)** to welcome
- **E)** him
- **F)** home

Blank 4

- **A)** in the garden
- **B)** were
- **C)** all his friends
- **D)** to welcome
- **E)** him
- **F)** home

Blank 5

- **A)** in the garden
- **B)** were
- **C)** all his friends
- **D)** to welcome
- **E)** him
- **F)** home

Blank 6

- **A)** in the garden
- **B)** were
- **C)** all his friends
- **D)** to welcome
- **E)** him
- **F)** home

18. Choose the correct sentence(s).

Select all that apply.

- **A)** Nowhere did the biologist count as many seals in one place.
- **B)** Nowhere the biologist did count as many seals in one place.

19. Create a sentence with an inverted word order.

_____ _____ _____.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** On the lake
- **B)** Were
- **C)** A lot of canoes

Blank 2

- **A)** on the lake
- **B)** were
- **C)** a lot of canoes

Blank 3

- **A)** on the lake
- **B)** were
- **C)** a lot of canoes

20. Choose the correct order.

_____ _____ _____ many first-aid classes?

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** Have
- **B)** Cody and Hannah
- **C)** Attended

Blank 2

- **A)** have
- **B)** Cody and Hannah
- **C)** attended

Blank 3

- **A)** have
- **B)** Cody and Hannah
- **C)** attended