**II. Bài tập luyện tập câu phức trong Tiếng Anh**

**Exercise 1: Choose the correct answer**

1. I almost missed my flight \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ there was a long queue in the duty-free shop.

A. although

B. since

C. despite

D. because of

2. They decided not to go out for a meal \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ they were too tired

A. so

B. because

C. but

D. if

3. They were driving to Dallas \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ they caught an accident.

A. when

B. while

C. before

D. as soon as

4. I want to be well-groomed \_\_\_\_\_\_other people think nice things about me.

A. in order to

B. so as not to

C. so that

D. as soon as

5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_I met the Gills, I had been gardening for nearly ten years.

A. As soon as

B. Although

C. After

D. Before

6. In spite of his hard work, he could not finish the job.

A. As hard as he work

B. Though he worked hard

C. Despite he worked hard

D. Although hard work

7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ she was asleep, thieves broke in and stole her handbag.

A. In order that

B. Although

C. Because of

D. While

8. All people should join hand in protecting the environment \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we can gain better health.

A. in order that

B. when

C. because

D. even though

9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her poverty, she feels happy

A. Although

B. Because

C. If

D. In spite of

10. Tony went to work although he didn’t feel very well.

A. that he did not feel very well

B. despite of the fact not feeling well

C. because he did not feel very well

D. despite not feeling very well

**Exercise 2: Rewrite the following sentences**

1. Hoa was born in Doc So craft village. She knows the process of making pottery. (BECAUSE)

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2. I was not enjoying the party. I wanted to leave early. (AS)

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3. I attended a knitting workshop last Sunday. I don’t know how to knit a scarf. (ALTHOUGH)

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4. The artisan moulded the cooper to make a bronze drum. (SO THAT)

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5. You want to knit a hat for your friend. You should watch tutorials on YouTube. (BEFORE)

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6. I was cleaning out my cupboards. I found these photos. (WHILE)

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7. I told the absolute truth. No one would believe me ( BUT)

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8. I’m learning Japanese. I like learning Japanese. (AND)

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**Xem đáp án**

1. Because Hoa was born in Doc So craft village, she knows the process of making pottery.

2. I wanted to leave early as I wasn’t enjoying the party.

3. Although I attended a knitting workshop last Sunday, I don’t know how to knit a scarf.

4. The artisan moulded the cooper so that I could make a bronze drum

5. Before you want to knit a hat for your friend, you should watch tutorials on YouTube

6. While I was cleaning out my cupboards, I found these photos.

7. I told the absolute truth, but no one would believe me

8. I’m learning Japanese and I like it.

**Exercise 3: Mark the letter a, b, c or d to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences**

1. Elizabeth was writing a note to her friend. The train arrived.

A. Elizabeth was writing a note to her friend as soon as the train arrived.

B. After the train arrived, Elizabeth was writing a note to her friend.

C. The train arrived while Elizabeth was writing a note to her friend.

D. Elizabeth was writing a note to her friend whenever the train arrived.

2. The water is very cold in January. We go swimming anyway.

A. When the water is very cold in January, we go swimming anyway.

B. As the water is very cold in January, we go swimming anyway.

C. The water is very cold in January if we go swimming anyway.

D. Although the water is very cold in January, we go swimming anyway.

3. The water was very rough. The lifeguards made all of the swimmers leave the water.

A. Since the water was very rough, the lifeguards made all of the swimmers leave the water.

B. The water was very rough so that the lifeguards made all of the swimmers leave the water.

C. The water was very rough because the lifeguards made all of the swimmers leave

D. The lifeguards made all of the swimmers leave the water though the water was very rough.

4. Mike goes jogging two miles every morning. Then he gets ready for work.

A. Mike goes jogging two miles every morning after he gets ready for work.

B. Mike goes jogging two miles every morning before he gets ready for work.

C. Mike goes jogging two miles every morning as soon as he gets ready for work.

D. Mike goes jogging two miles every morning when he gets ready for work.

5. Ticket prices might be more expensive. Going to the movies is still much cheaper than going to a concert.

A. Ticket prices might be more expensive then going to the movies is still much cheaper than going to a concert.

B. Ticket prices might be more expensive that going to the movies is still much cheaper than going to a concert.

C. Going to the movies is still much cheaper than going to a concert since ticket prices might be more expensive.

D. Going to the movies is still much cheaper than going to a concert although ticket prices might be more expensive.

6. We went to Dong Xuan Market. We flew back to Ho Chi Mirth City at 7pm.

A. We went to Dong Xuan Market while we flew back to Ho Chi Minh City at 7pm.

B. Before we flew back to Ho Chi Minh City at 7pm, we went to Dong Xuan Market.

C. We went to Dong Xuan Market in order that we flew back to Ho Chi Minh City at 7pm.

D. As we went to Dong Xuan Market, we flew back to Ho Chi Minh City at 7pm.

7. You need to plan your trip to South America carefully. You don’t spend all your money too quickly.

A. You need to plan your trip to America carefully so that you don’t spend all your money too quickly.

B. You need to plan your trip to America carefully although you don’t spend all your money too quickly.

C. You need to plan your trip to America carefully as you don’t spend all your money too quickly.

D. Even though you need to plan your trip to America carefully, you don’t spend all your money too quickly.

8. Richard is very wealthy. He can afford to buy almost anything he wants.

A. Although Richard is very wealthy, he can afford to buy almost anything he wants.

B. Richard is so wealthy that he can afford to buy almost anything he wants.

C. Richard is very wealthy so that he can afford to buy almost anything he wants.

D. Richard can afford to buy almost anything he wants, but he is very wealthy.

9. I have tried hard but I can’t earn enough money.

A. Although I have tried hard, but I can’t earn enough money.

B. Although I have tried hard, I can’t earn enough money.

C. In spite of I have have tried hard, I can’t earn enough money.

D. Despite I have tried hard, but I can’t earn enough money.

10. She stayed at home because her mother was sick.

A. Despite her sick mother, she stayed at home.

B. Because of her sick mother, she stayed at home.

C. In spite of her sick mother, she stayed at home.

D. A & C are correct

11. Although he took a taxi, Bill arrived late for the concert.

A. Bill arrived late for the concert because he takes a taxi.

B. Bill arrived late for the concert because of the taxi.

C. In spite of taking a taxi, Bill arrived late for the concert.

D. Although Bill took a taxi, he can’t come to the concert in time.

12. In spite of his suffering from a bad cold, he went to school.

A. Although William suffers from a bad cold, William went to school

B. Although William suffered from a bad cold, he went to school

C. William went to school although he is suffering from a bad cold.

D. William went to school; he suffered from a bad cold although.

**Exercise 4: Make one sentence from two, use suitable conjunctions**

1. Jim was absent from class yesterday. He was suffering from a bab cold.

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3. Mary heard her fingers yesterday.She was reparing dinner.

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4. At 4 pm yesterday, my mother was cleaning the house. I was looking after my younger brother.

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5. They decided to go on an excursion. They want to get away from work stress.

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6. My father taught me how to use the computer. Before that, I didn’t know how to use it.

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7. I arrive at the station. I will call you right after.

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8. My brother is very out-going. I am quiet reserved.

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9. Mr Peter was walking home.He was robbed of his wallet.

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10. I don’t have a pet. My mother doesn’t allow me to have one.

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**Exercise 5: Combine the sentences using the words in brackets**

1. There are modern knitting machines. The artisans in my village like using traditional looms. (although)

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2. We have to follow more than ten stages. We can make a simple conical hat (so that)

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3. We were visiting an old building. They were going to a traditional market. (while)

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4. Many children like to go to Bat Trang Ceramic village. They can make their own pottery there (as)

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5. Linda didn’t go to school yesterday. She was ill. (because)

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**Exercise 6: Complete the sentences with the apporiate subordinating conjuctions from the word box**

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| even though | before | since | until |
| because | when | whenever | while |

1. Samantha is happy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ she won the championship.

2. Jean cleaned the table \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her mom did the dishes

3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Dan was sick, he went to work.

4. Samantha can’t relax \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her exams are over

5. Liza hasn’t seen her aunt \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ she was a teenager

6. Patricia visits the zoo \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ she loves animals

7. We put away out toys \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Mom returns from work.

8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Brian watered all the plants, I didn’t have to

9. We were surprised \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the magician pulled the rabbit out of the hat.

10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Mom goes shopping, she brings a treat for me.

**Exercise 7: Rewrite the sentences keeping the same meaning**

1. Although she didn’t want to see the Lord of the Rings, she enjoyed it in the end.

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2. They visited Madrid although they didn’t have time to visit El Prado.

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3. Although it was raining, we decided to go anyway.

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4. The English actor Oliver Reed was often rude to people although he was always kind to animals.

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5. Although he behaved badly, he wasn’t punished.

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6. Although he had a good salary, he was unhappy in his job.

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**Exercise 8: Complete each complex sentence using an approriate subordinating conjuntion from the word box.**

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| where | if | because | while | whereas |

1. Ross took care of our garden \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we were away.

2. I thought Kia is a rude person, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in fact she was very kind.

3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ there is a will, there is a way.

4. We waited at the airport \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the flight took off.

5. Jake didn’t play today \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ he had a toe injury.

**Exercise 9: Rewrite the sentences, using because**

1. Kevin has failed many times, so he disappointed.

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2. I had not eaten for 24 hours. I was very hungry.

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3. He ate all the fruits. The fruits were ripe.

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4. He hadn’t finished the letter. He didn’t go to sleep.

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5. He is dismissed. He was late for the work very often

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**Exercise 10: Fill in the blanks with the correct subordinator**

1. The sick man went to Paris …………… he could be treated there.

2. Jack won’t come …………… he has finished his homework.

3. Unfortunately, the ambulance reached …………… the injuried man had died.

4. …………… Lucy goes, she makes friends.

5. …………… Tim was smart, he couldn’t pass the test.

6. The students started talking …………… the teacher left the class.

7. …………… his severe illness, he kept on going to work every day.

8. Somebody called me …………… I was having a shower.