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Tasks for grade R5

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1–5. Write ONE word to unite the words in each group. Use the singular form of the words.

Example: Mother, father, brother, sister - FAMILY

- [1] A) ticket B) plane C) book D) trip E) abroad
[2] A) happiness B) excitement C) joy D) sadness E) feeling
[3] A) paw B) whiskers C) wool D) hooves
[4] A) can B) box C) bottle D) plastic bag E) carton
[5] A) sleeve B) pocket C) hood D) button

6–15. Complete the sentences with ONE missing word.

- [6] What ___ you like to eat?
[7] ___ do you live: in a big city or in the country?
[8] She was born ___ 1978.
[9] It is ___ most beautiful dress in my life!
[10] ___ go there! It's dangerous!
[11] He is ___ old to go to school. He is 50 years old!
[12] The ___ is wonderful: it is warm and sunny!
[13] The oranges cost 200 rubles ___ kilo. (use a preposition)
[14] Have you ___ been to London?
[15] If the weather ___ good I will go to the park.

16. Look at the photo. Write your opinion about this natural problem based on the picture (50–150 words, articles and contractions are counted as one word each).



Path of the Panther by Carlton Ward Jr., 2021



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Example: Mother, father, brother, sister - FAMILY

- [1] A) keyboard B) speakers C) monitor D) system unit
- [2] A) glass B) paper C) carton D) plastic E) iron
- [3] A) far B) close C) kilometre D) metre
- [4] A) earthquake B) flood C) volcanic eruption D) tornado
- [5] A) smoke B) garbage C) petrol D) harm

6–15. Complete the sentences with ONE missing word.

- [6] ___ did you go there? What did you want?
- [7] ___ is your favourite food: soup or junk food?
- [8] Look at ___, John! You are so dirty!
- [9] Let's go there ___ foot.
- [10] You ___ be rude with you teacher! It's impolite!
- [11] Where is my ___? It's rainy. I don't want to get wet.
- [12] I bought ___ a nice dress! It's really good.
- [13] The oranges cost 200 rubles ___ kilo. (use a preposition)
- [14] Have you ___ been to London?
- [15] If the weather ___ good I will go to the park.

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California Sea Lion Plays with Mask by Ralph Pace, 2021



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1–5. Write ONE word to unite the words in each group. Use the singular form of the words.

Example: Mother, father, brother, sister - FAMILY

- [1] A) browser B) link C) social networks D) system unit
- [2] A) drawer B) nightstand C) stool D) coach E) chest of drawers
- [3] A) anxiety B) excitement C) irritation D) astonishment
- [4] A) earthquake B) flood C) volcanic eruption D) tornado
- [5] A) letters B) words C) English D) learn

6–15. Complete the sentences with ONE missing word.

- [6] He is not ___ to do it. His parents forbid.
- [7] If the weather was good I ___ go for a walk.
- [8] Which bike do you like: the blue or the red ___?
- [9] We are not the ___ age. He is 15, I'm 12.
- [10] ___ be so shy!
- [11] We have ___ flour to cook a pie. Don't buy any.
- [12] Jack ___ on his parents so much. He can't make a choice himself. Also, he lives on his grandmother's money.
- [13] Could you book a ___ room for me? I don't want to share it with anybody.
- [14] When I come she will have ___ cooking a pie for an hour.
- [15] Gretta is ___ young to drive a car! She's 16.

16. Look at the photo. Write your opinion about this natural problem based on the picture (100–200 words, articles and contractions are counted as one word each).



Garbage Eating Animals by Tilaxan Tilaxan



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1–5. Write one word or phrase to unite the words in each group. Use the singular form of the words.

Example: Mother, father, brother, sister - FAMILY

- [1] A) gills B) scale C) fins D) caviar
- [2] A) drawer B) nightstand C) stool D) coach
- [3] A) daffodil B) carnation C) forget-me-not D) poppy
- [4] A) caravan B) lorry C) ferry D) carriage
- [5] A) cello B) bagpipe C) harp D) bow

6–15. Complete the sentences with ONE missing word.

- [6] He hasn't come ___ with an idea yet. He's still thinking.
- [7] ___ for the bad weather I would go to the park.
- [8] Which bike do you like: the blue or the red ___?
- [9] We are not the ___ age. He is 15, I'm 12.
- [10] He is as ___ as a fiddle. He needn't consult a doctor.
- [11] I want him to feel the same! Let him walk in my ___!
- [12] I know you have bought a new car. Please, give me a ___ to the nearest shop.
- [13] - He has bought a one-way ticket.
 - Why not a ___ one?
 - Because he doesn't know the exact date of his comeback.
- [14] Let's hang out together, ___ we?
- [15] - I can't lose weight...
 - Try ___ down on sugar.

16. Look at the photo. Think of the problem this picture reflects. Write your opinion concerning this topic based on the image (150–200 words, articles and contractions are counted as one word each).



Two Worlds Divided, New York, USA



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1–5. Write one word or phrase to unite the words in each group. Use the singular form of the words.

Example: Mother, father, brother, sister - FAMILY

- [1] A) gills B) scale C) fins D) caviar
- [2] A) crescent B) pentagon C) pyramid D) sphere
- [3] A) daffodil B) carnation C) forget-me-not D) poppy
- [4] A) caravan B) lorry C) ferry D) carriage
- [5] A) cello B) bagpipe C) harp D) bow

6–15. Complete the sentences with ONE missing word.

- [6] Mike always looks ___ on his peers. He considers himself to be the best.
- [7] ___ for the bad weather I would go to the park.
- [8] He won't be ___ to meet you. His leg is broken.
- [9] It was the first time I'd ever ___ out the candles. It was my 10th birthday.
- [10] He is as ___ as a fiddle. He needn't consult a doctor.
- [11] I want him to feel the same! Let him walk in my ___!
- [12] I know you have bought a new car. Please, give me a ___ to the nearest shop.
- [13] - He has bought a one-way ticket.
 - Why not a ___ one?
 - Because he doesn't know the exact date of his comeback.
- [14] Let's hang out together, ___ we?
- [15] - I can't lose weight...
 - Try ___ down on sugar.

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by Gonçalo Lobo Pinheiro, 2022



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1–5. Write one word or phrase to unite the words in each group. Use the singular form of the words.

Example: Mother, father, brother, sister - FAMILY

- [1] A) handicraft B) performance C) visual D) masterpiece E) carving
- [2] A) expenditure B) fee C) mortgage D) wages E) discount
- [3] A) arson B) assault C) theft D) mugging E) shoplifting
- [4] A) caravan B) lorry C) ferry D) carriage E) cab
- [5] A) global warming B) carbon footprint C) landslides D) deforestation

6–15. Complete the sentences with ONE missing word.

- [6] Mike always looks ___ on his peers. He considers himself to be the best.
- [7] You don't earn enough money. Your salary is a ___ in the ocean! Our children need more!
- [8] ___ was her dancing that I decided to ask for her number.
- [9] It was the first I'd ever ___ out the candles. It was my 10th birthday.
- [10] Stop spending so much time in front of your computer. You have only ___ friends in social media. They are fake, not real!
- [11] Anna was ___ up by her mother. Her grandmother decided not to take part in her education.
- [12] Maria is from the UK. She's 16 and she goes to ___ school.
- [13] - He has bought a one-way ticket.
 - Why not a ___ one?
 - Because he doesn't know the exact date of his comeback.
- [14] Lea had ___ from college before his brother moved to Ireland.
- [15] - I can't lose weight..
 - Try ___ down on sugar.

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by Gregg Segal



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1–5. Write one word or phrase to unite the words in each group. Use the singular form of the words.

Example: Mother, father, brother, sister - FAMILY

[1] A) cash-and-carry B) newsagent's C) trading post D) stationer's E) fishmonger's

[2] A) expenditure B) fee C) mortgage D) wages E) discount

[3] A) arson B) assault C) theft D) mugging E) shoplifting

[4] A) table spoon B) salad servers C) chopsticks D) cleaver

[5] A) global warming B) carbon footprint C) landslides D) deforestation

6–15. Complete the sentences with ONE missing word.

[6] Government should raise taxation ___ fuel.

[7] You don't earn enough money. Your salary is a ___ in the ocean! Our children need more!

[8] ___ was her dancing that I decided to ask for her number.

[9] He speaks English and Spanish from his birth. He's a ___ person.

[10] Stop spending so much time in front of your computer. You have only ___ friends in social media. They are fake, not real!

[11] Anna was ___ up by her mother. Her grandmother decided not to take part in her education.

[12] Maria is from the UK. She's 16 and she goes to ___ school.

[13] I don't want a ___ tour. I can't stand listening to somebody's stories about sights. I want to go on my own!

[14] Not ___ I see it with my own eyes will I believe in ghosts.

[15] To ___ it mildly, you are not right... Okay, you are not right at all!

16. Look at the photo. Think of the problem this picture reflects. Write your opinion concerning this topic based on the image (150–200 words, articles and contractions are counted as one word each).



by Alain Delorme