

Name: _____

Date: _____

1.

My family had a busy day last Saturday. First, we ate breakfast at home. Then, we went to a movie. Later, we went out to dinner. The last thing we did was stop for ice cream.

What sequence (transition) words are used in this paragraph?

- A. at, to, for
 - B. ate, went, stop
 - C. first, then, later
 - D. home, movie, dinner
-

2. Where is the BEST place to look to find another word for *beautiful*?

- A. an atlas
 - B. a thesaurus
 - C. a magazine
 - D. an encyclopedia
-

3. When Maria is reading a story, she finds a word she does not understand. She should look for help in

- A. an atlas.
 - B. a thesaurus.
 - C. a dictionary.
 - D. a magazine.
-

4. In a report or research paper, which appears FIRST?

- A. the title page
 - B. the body of text
 - C. a list of references
 - D. the table of contents
-

5.

First, she bought a paintbrush and some paint. _____ , she got some special paper to paint on.

Which word should go in the blank?

- A. For
- B. Then
- C. Barbara
- D. Painting

Table of Contents

| | |
|-------------------------|---------|
| Flowers for Your Garden | page 12 |
| Yummy Vegetables | page 25 |
| Trees for Shade | page 39 |
| Grass | page 48 |
| Pine Trees | page 54 |
| Weeds and Insects | page 67 |

6.

You would like to learn about pine cones. Where in this book will you find this information?

- A. page 12
- B. page 48
- C. page 54
- D. page 67

7. Which information could you find in an atlas?

- A. the meaning of a word
- B. maps of different places
- C. an article about dinosaurs
- D. lists of words with similar meanings

8.

Henry wanted to build a track for his trains. First he cleaned up his room so he would have a place to build it. Then he found all his track pieces and he worked hard to put them together. Henry was very excited about his new track when he was all done.

What are the sequence words used in this paragraph?

- A. First, Then
- B. done, very
- C. Henry, track
- D. cleaned, found

9. Which resource would be MOST helpful to you if you needed to find information about how to take care of a goldfish?

- A. an atlas
 - B. the Internet
 - C. an almanac
 - D. the telephone book
-

10.

The restaurant across town has the best food. The hamburgers are the best, because everything is fresh. Also, the fries are awesome, but the onion rings are my favorite. All of the food in the restaurant across town is great.

Which of these sentences from the paragraph starts with a sequence (transitional) word?

- A. The restaurant across town has the best food.
- B. The hamburgers are the best, because everything is fresh.
- C. Also, the fries are awesome, but the onion rings are my favorite.
- D. All of the food in the restaurant across town is great.

Answer Key

1. C) first, then, later
2. B) a thesaurus
3. C) a dictionary.
4. A) the title page
5. B) Then
6. C) page 54
7. B) maps of different places
8. A) First, Then
9. B) the Internet
10. C) Also, the fries are awesome, but the onion rings are my favorite.