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1. Which sentence uses the past tense of *study*?

- A. Leslie studied while I finished my chores.
- B. His best friend studies for three hours every night.
- C. The law student was studying in the library until midnight.
- D. My sister was studious and earned the highest grade in her math class.

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2.

Turn off the computer when you are finished.

Which describes the sentence above?

- A. imperative
- B. declarative
- C. exclamatory
- D. interrogative

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3. Which sentence uses the past tense of BRING?

- A. He brought the tray over when I asked him to.
- B. Omar said he was bringing the new kitten with him.
- C. After I called, my uncle brung my sweater back to me.
- D. Elizabeth told me she would bring it as soon as possible.

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4. Which is a sentence fragment?

- A. Sandpaper is scratchy.
- B. Her dog's favorite treat is popcorn.
- C. Along the far wall, over to the right.
- D. In the morning she will finally know the answer.

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5.

Marilee sharpened her pencil carefully before taking the test.

The underlined word in this sentence is an adverb. An adverb is

- A. a modifier of the verb in a sentence.
  - B. a modifier of the noun in a sentence.
  - C. the action that is taking place in a sentence.
  - D. the name of a person, place, or thing in a sentence.
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6. Which word can take the place of the underlined words in the sentence below?

Where are the children's toys?

- A. they
  - B. their
  - C. them
  - D. my
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7.

I hear that your mother is coming to Matthews for a week. While she is here, will you be showing her all the sights? When Sara's aunt came last year, she took her to the site that will be used by our new mall. We will probably go their tonight because there stores are really cool. You can go to the clothing stores where you can find something that you would like to wear.

Which pair of underlined words in the paragraph is used incorrectly?

- A. hear, here
  - B. their, there
  - C. sight, site
  - D. where, wear
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8. Which sentence has the correct punctuation?

- A. It's paint was wet.
  - B. Dont look now, but I think he's coming.
  - C. The line is long, so don't go in the cafeteria!
  - D. I never remember my cousins birthday.
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9. Which sentence contains an adverb?

- A. The young teacher surprised the class.
  - B. Tonya rode her bike to the old house on the corner.
  - C. John knew he would have to run really fast to win the race.
  - D. The blue sky made me think of the ocean and my last trip to the beach.
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10.

The news of his arrival was on nearly every television set.

The underlined word in the sentence above is the

- A. subject.
- B. modifier.
- C. predicate.
- D. object.

**Answer Key**

1. A) Leslie studied while I finished my chores.
2. A) imperative
3. A) He brought the tray over when I asked him to.
4. C) Along the far wall, over to the right.
5. A) a modifier of the verb in a sentence.
6. B) their
7. B) their, there
8. C) The line is long, so don't go in the cafeteria!
9. C) John knew he would have to run really fast to win the race.
10. B) modifier.