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1. Which sentence is punctuated correctly?

- A. My father always said Be careful what you wish for."
 - B. "You know darn well what I mean." Edward shouted.
 - C. "What do you want to do after dinner?" asked Mom.
 - D. "I don't care she said, "what you think about it."
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2. Which sentence has the correct punctuation?

- A. The milk was spilled; all over the place.
 - B. I have three pies; one of them is blackberry.
 - C. After the party was over; the host had to clean his house.
 - D. They had three dogs including one husky; one terrier; and one collie.
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3. Which is the correct form for the contraction *it is*?

- A. its'
 - B. it'is
 - C. it's
 - D. its's
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4.

Joseph lost his wallet on the ride at the amusement park.

Which word does *his* refer to in the sentence above?

- A. Joseph
 - B. lost
 - C. ride
 - D. park
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Karen's rabbit didn't look like he would make it across the road now we know why she named him "Speedy!"

Which would correct the sentence above?

- A. Add a comma before "Speedy."
- B. Add a period between road and now.
- C. Add a comma between road and now.
- D. Add a period after road and capitalize now.

6. 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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7. Which group of words below is a run-on sentence?

- A. Bruce writes poetry. Some of his poems have won awards.
 - B. Cindy takes piano lessons twice a week she practices every day.
 - C. Willie is working very hard to finish all his work for the art show.
 - D. Frankie and Victor are going to participate in the talent show next month.
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8. Which sentence has the correct punctuation?

- A. "Who wants the last piece of pizza, asked Rob.
 - B. "Stop messing with my computer." Bill shouted.
 - C. Mom asked "Where are your hat, gloves, and boots?"
 - D. "Go and get your sister," Dad exclaimed, "so that we can go!"
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9. Which sentence is imperative?

- A. That hurt!
 - B. Stop running down the hall.
 - C. Where did Marsha and Carolyn go?
 - D. Until this year, I had always remembered his birthday.
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10.

Dear Mr. Jones Your car will be ready by tomorrow. Sincerely Bill
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Where do the commas belong in the letter?

- A. after Dear and ready
- B. after Jones and ready
- C. after car and Sincerely
- D. after Jones and Sincerely

Answer Key

1. C) "What do you want to do after dinner?" asked Mom.
2. B) I have three pies; one of them is blackberry.
3. C) it's
4. A) Joseph
5. D) Add a period after road and capitalize now.
6. A) He brought the tray over when I asked him to.
7. B) Cindy takes piano lessons twice a week she practices every day.
8. D) "Go and get your sister," Dad exclaimed, "so that we can go!"
9. B) Stop running down the hall.
10. D) after Jones and Sincerely