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**EXERCISES**

**1 Some of these sentences need a/an. Correct the sentences where necessary.**

1 Joe goes everywhere by bike. He doesn’t have car. ……………………………………

2 Helen was listening to music when I arrived. ……………………………………..

3 We went to very nice restaurant last weekend. ……………………………………..

4 I brush my teeth with toothpaste. …………………………………….

5 I use toothbrush to brush my teeth. …………………………………….

6 Can you tell me if there’s bank near here? …………………………………….

7 My brother works for insurance company. ……………………………………

8 I don’t like violence. …………………………………….

9 When we were in Rome, we stayed in big hotel. …………………………………….

10 If you have problem, I’ll try and help you. …………………………………….

11 I like your suggestion. It’s interesting idea. ……………………………………

12 Can you smell paint? ……………………………………

13 I like volleyball. It’s good game. ……………………………………

14 Lisa doesn’t usually wear jewellery. ……………………………………

15 Jane was wearing beautiful necklace. ……………………………………

16 Does this city have airport? ……………………………………

**2 Put in a/an or the.**

1 This morning I bought ….. book and …… magazine. ….book is in my bag, but I can’t remember where I put ……magazine.

2 I saw ……. accident this morning. ……car crashed into ……tree. ……driver of …..car wasn’t hurt, but ……car was badly damaged.

3 There are two cars parked outside: ……blue one and …..grey one. ……blue one belongs to my neighbours. I don’t know who ……owner of ……grey one is.

4 My friends live in ……old house in …..small village. There is …..beautiful garden behind ….house. I would like to have ……garden like that.

**3 Put in *a/an or* the where necessary.**

1 Would you like apple? ………………………………………

2 Paul plays tennis. He’s very good player. ……………………………………….

3 There isn’t airport near where I live. ………………………………………

4 Nearest airport is 70 miles away. ………………………………………

5 We live in small apartment in city centre. ………………………………………

6 There’s shop at end of street I live in. ………………………………………

**4 Which is right?**

a Where is university / the university? Is it near here?

b Neil left school and got a job. He didn’t want to go to university / the university.

c In your country, what proportion of the population study at university / the university?

d This is a small town, but university / the university is the biggest in the country.

2 a My brother has always been healthy. He’s never been in hospital / the hospital.

b When my friend was ill, I went to hospital / the hospital to see her.

c When I was visiting my friend, I met Lisa, who is a nurse at hospital / the hospital.

d I saw an accident. A woman was injured and was taken to hospital / the hospital.

3 a Why is she in prison / the prison? What crime did she commit?

b There was a fire at prison / the prison. Firefighters were called to put it out.

c Do you think too many people are sent to prison / the prison?

4 a John’s mother is a regular churchgoer. She goes to church / the church every Sunday.

b John himself doesn’t go to church / the church.

c The village is very nice. You should visit church / the church. It’s interesting.

**5 Make one sentence from two. Use who/that/which.**

1 A girl was injured in the accident. She is now in hospital.

The girl who was injured in the accident is now in hospital.

2 A waiter served us. He was impolite and impatient.

The…………………………………………………………………

3 A building was destroyed in the fire. It has now been rebuilt.

The …………………………………………………………………

4 Some people were arrested. They have now been released.

The …………………………………………………………………

5 A bus goes to the airport. It runs every half hour.

The ………………………………………………………………….

**6 Are these sentences right or wrong? Correct them where necessary.**

1 I don’t like stories who have unhappy endings. stories that have

2 What was the name of the person who phoned? OK

3 Where’s the nearest shop who sells bread? ………………………

4 Dan said some things about me they were not true. ……………………….

5 The driver which caused the accident was fined £500. ………………………..

6 Do you know the person that took these pictures? ………………………..

7 We live in a world what is changing all the time. ………………………..

8 Gary apologised for what he said. ………………………..

9 What was the name of the horse what won the race? ………………………..

**7 These sentences all have a relative clause with a preposition. Put the words in the correct order.**

1 Did you find (looking / for / you / the books / were)?

Did you find the books you were looking for ?

2 We couldn’t go to (we / invited / to / were / the wedding).

We couldn’t go to………………………………………….. …………..

3 What’s the name of (the hotel / about / me / told / you)?

What’s the name of ……………………………………………………..?

4 Unfortunately I didn’t get (applied / I / the job / for).

Unfortunately I didn’t get ………………………………………………….

5 Did you enjoy (you / the concert / to / went)?

Did you enjoy ……………………………………………………………..?

6 Gary is a good person to know. He’s (on / rely / can / somebody / you).

Gary is a good person to know. He’s ………………………………………...

7 Who were (the people / with / were / you) in the restaurant yesterday?

Who were ………………………………………………............. in the restaurant yesterday?

**8 Complete the sentences using who/whom/whose/where.**

1 We helped some people whose car had broken down.

2 A cemetery is a place ……………..people are buried.

3 A pacifist is a person …………….believes that all wars are wrong.

4 An orphan is a child ……………..parents are dead.

5 What’s the name of the hotel ……………..your parents are staying?

6 This school is only for children …………first language is not English.

7 The person from ………….. I bought my car is a friend of my father’s.

8 I live in a friendly village …………. everybody knows everybody else.

**8 Are these sentences OK? Correct them (and put in commas) where necessary. If the sentence is correct, write ‘OK’.**

1 Anna told me about her new job that she’s enjoying very much.

Anna told me about her new job, which she’s enjoying very much.

2 My office that is on the second floor is very small.

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3 The office that I’m using at the moment is very small.

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4 Sarah’s father that used to be in the army now works for a TV company.

…………………………………………………………………………………………………...

5 The doctor that examined me couldn’t find anything wrong.

…………………………………………………………………………………………………

6 The sun that is one of millions of stars in the universe provides us with heat and light.

………………………………………………………………………………………………….

**9 Which is right?**

1 She didn’t tell nobody / anybody about her plans. (anybody is correct)

2 The accident looked bad, but fortunately nobody / anybody was seriously injured.

3 I looked out of the window, but I couldn’t see no-one / anyone.

4 The exam is very easy. Nobody / Anybody can pass it.

5 ‘What’s in that box?’ ‘Nothing / Anything. It’s empty.’

6 The future is uncertain. Nothing / Anything is possible.

7 I don’t know nothing / anything about economics.

8 ‘Who were you talking to just now?’ ‘No-one / Anyone. I wasn’t talking to no-one / anyone.’

**10 Complete the sentences with some- or any- + -body/-thing/-where.**

1 I was too surprised to say anything .

2 There’s ………………at the door. Can you go and see who it is?

3 Does ……………….mind if I open the window?

4 I can’t drive and I don’t know ………………. about cars.

5 You must be hungry. Why don’t I get you …………………. to eat?

6 Emma is very tolerant. She never complains about …………………… .

7 There was hardly ……………… on the beach. It was almost deserted.

8 Let’s go away. Let’s go …………….. warm and sunny.

9 I’m going out now. If ………………. asks where I am, tell them you don’t know.

10 Why are you looking under the bed? Have you lost ………………. ?

11 This is a no-parking area. ………………. who parks their car here will have to pay a fine.

12 Quick, let’s go! There’s ………………coming and I don’t want …………….to see us.

13 They stay at home all the time. They never seem to go ……………… .

14 Jonathan stood up and left the room without saying ………………….. .

15 ‘Can I ask you ……………… ?’ ‘Sure. What do you want to ask?’

16 Sarah was upset about ………………and refused to talk to ………………… .

17 I need to translate………………. . Is there here who speaks English?

18 Sue is very secretive. She never tells ……………. …………….. . (2 words)