Language Conventions Year 7 — Practice Exam 1 — Answers & Explanations

Answers to the 15 questions in the free preview.

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1. C. We needed three things: rope, water and a map.
A colon introduces a list after a complete statement.

2. Answer: embarrass
The correct spelling is "embarrass".

3. A. beneath
A preposition shows position or direction. "Beneath" shows where the letter went.

4. Answer: accommodate
The correct spelling is "accommodate".

5. A. The students' books were left behind.
For a plural noun already ending in s, the apostrophe goes after the s.

6. Answer: explanation
The correct spelling is "explanation".

7. D. I was tired, so I went to bed.
A comma splice joins two independent clauses with only a comma; adding a conjunction like "so" fixes it.

8. Answer: necessary
The correct spelling is "necessary".

9. D. Between you and me, the plan is risky.
After a preposition such as "between", the object pronoun "me" is used.

10. Answer: financial
The correct spelling is "financial".

11. B. She likes hiking, swimming, and biking.
Parallel structure keeps items in a list in the same grammatical form; all three should end in "-ing".

12. Answer: environment
The correct spelling is "environment".

13. D. Although it was late, she kept working.
"Although it was late" is a subordinate clause — it cannot stand alone as a sentence.

14. Answer: disappointing
The correct spelling is "disappointing".

15. A. There was one thing she wanted — freedom.
An em dash can be used to add emphasis or a dramatic pause before a key word.

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