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Task 1

- The words in the sentences below are jumbled up.
- Your task is to form the correct sentences and write them on the dotted lines. The first word is there for you.
- You have to use each word.
- Do not change the form of the words.
- There is an example (0) at the beginning.

Jumbled sentences

- 0) summer /we /London /going /~~next~~ /are /visit /to
Next _____ *summer we are going to visit London* _____.
- 1) is /world /spoken /~~English~~ /over /all /the
English _____.
- 2) bus /don't /the /~~why~~ /take /we
Why _____?
- 3) excursion /cancelled /haven't /~~they~~ /the
They _____.
- 4) decide /dinner /~~Amy~~ /what /couldn't /for /cook /to
Amy _____.
- 5) about /very /is /new /~~he~~ /job /excited /his
He _____.
- 6) where /ago /is /years /~~this~~ /lived /the /twenty /I /house
This _____.
- 7) tell/do /me /job /~~don't~~ /to /my /how
Don't _____!

Task 2

- You are going to read a reader's letter to a magazine. Some words are missing from the text.
- Choose the most appropriate option (A-D) for each gap (8-17) in the text.
- Write the letter of your choice in the boxes below.
- There is one example (0) at the beginning.

Do husbands ever grow up?

I sometimes feel my husband, Ken is just a big child. He (0) _____ always walked too fast, often (8) _____ me behind. One day we (9) _____ walking home from shopping. Crossing a busy road, he said: "Let's go together." He then (10) _____ behind his back for my hand and marched (11) _____ the road. He realised only on the other side that, (12) _____ me, he'd grabbed hold of a punk-rock girl, accompanied by a boy with orange and pink hair and black makeup around his eyes.

Then this is (13) _____ happened last Friday. I asked him (14) _____ a number-seven sticker – our house number – so I could put it on our dustbin. He came back (15) _____ one.

He said they'd sold out. "I thought about buying a number three and a number four, (16) _____ they add up to seven," he said. "But I thought you'd tell me off for spending twice (17) _____ much money."

Well, you really need to be patient with men.

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|-------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 0) A has been | B has | C had | D would have |
| 8) A living | B letting | C leaving | D losing |
| 9) A could | B had | C were | D did |
| 10) A reached | B has reached | C would reach | D could reach |
| 11) A past | B through | C by | D across |
| 12) A in spite of | B instead of | C including | D in front of |
| 13) A how | B what | C that | D why |
| 14) A should buy | B buying | C to buy | D buy |

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- 15) A for B without C less D with
- 16) A which B though C but D as
- 17) A than B as C so D more

0	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
B										

Task 3

- You are going to read a short article about the traditional British Cheese Roll. Some words are missing from the text.
- Your task is to write the missing words – one word for each gap – on the dotted lines (18-25) after the text.
- There is an example (0) at the beginning.

Cheese roll ends with injuries

In Britain, (0) _____ than 20 people have been injured in an annual cheese-chasing contest. Officials say that's actually good news, (18) _____ usually more people get hurt.

The annual British event involves chasing a cheese wheel down a hill. The contest (19) _____ place outside of Gloucestershire. The contestants have (20) _____ follow an eight-pound roll of cheese down a steep hill. People hurt themselves down the hill, trying to be (21) _____ first to cross the finish line after the cheese. They often end up tumbling head over heels.

This year, three people went to hospital (22) _____ fractured arms or legs and 18 others (23) _____ treated for cuts and bruises.

That is the cost (24) _____ victory, apparently. (25) _____ of this year's contestants left on a stretcher, clutching his cheese to his chest.

- 0) _____ *more* _____
- 18) _____