

Cloze Practice Paragraph

Can we see **(1)** the earth is a globe? Yes, we can, when we watch a ship that sails out to sea. If we watch closely, we see that the ship begins **(2)** The bottom of the ship disappears first, and then the ship seems to sink lower and lower, **(3)** we can only see the top of the ship, and then we see nothing at all. What is hiding the ship from us? It is the earth. Stick a pin most of the way into an orange, and **(4)** turn the orange away from you. You will see the pin disappear, **(5)** a ship does on the earth.

1.

- A. If
- B. Where
- C. That
- D. whether
- E. when

2.

- A. being disappeared
- B. to be disappeared
- C. to have disappeared
- D. to disappear
- E. having disappeared

3.

- A. Until
- B. Since
- C. After
- D. by the time
- E. unless

4.

- A. Reluctantly
- B. Accidentally
- C. slowly
- D. Passionately
- E. carefully

5.

- A. the same
- B. Alike
- C. just as
- D. by the way
- E. similar to

Close Test Passage 2

After months of colder weather, the days get longer, the buds **(1)** in the trees, birds sing, and the world **(2)** a green dress. Spring passes **(3)** summer. Everyone knows that summer will not **(4)** The power of all the wisest men and women in the world cannot keep it for us. The corn becomes ripe, the leaves turn brown and then drop to the ground, **(5)** the world changes its green dress for a dress of autumn colors.

1.

- A. fall off B. take up C. put off
- D. come out E. bring down

2.

- A. looks after B. puts on
- C. carries on D. comes round
- E. deals with

3.

- A. Into B. By C. from
- D. On E. out of

4.

- A. Forego B. evaluate
- C. Succumb D. Last E. evolve

5.

- A. Yet B. therefore
- C. Since D. whereas
- E. And

Cloze Passage Paragraph 3

The postal service is the government agency (1) ----- handles the mail. Its job is (2) ----- letters and packages to people and businesses all over the world. Its goal is to see that your mail gets to its destination (3) ----- possible. People (4) ----- the postal service to deliver important letters and even valuables, (5) ----- time and to the right person.

1.

- A. the fact that B. whether
 C. of which D. That E. in that

2.

- A. being delivered B. to be delivered
 C. to have delivered D. having delivered
 E. to deliver

3.

- A. less quickly B. too quickly
 C. so quickly that D. as quickly as
 E. the most quickly

4.

- A. back out B. check out
 C. come in D. figure out
 E. rely on

5.

- A. To B. For C. at
 D. On E. Over

Cloze Test Passage 4

Petroleum, or crude oil, is one of the world's (1) ----- natural resources. Plastics, synthetic fibres, and (2) ----- chemicals are produced from petroleum. It is also used to make lubricants and waxes. (3) ----- , its most important use is as a fuel for heating, for (4) -- --- electricity, and (5) ----- for powering vehicles.

1. A. as important B. most important
 C. so importantly D. less importantly
 E. too important
2. A. Much B. a lot
 C. Plenty D. Many E. less
3. A. Therefore B. However
 C. Moreover D. Hence E. Rather
4. A. Generated B. to generate
 C. being generated D. generate
 E. generating
5. A. Decisively B. exclusively
 C. Especially D. favourably
 E. Notably

Cloze Practice Paragraph 5

Starting a **(1)** data entry business is easier than trying to work from job to job. Having a business means that people will come to your business whenever they need a service you **(2)** This also means that instead of having to always **(3)** for jobs on freelancing websites, you will be able to have clients come to you as needed. One important thing to **(4)** when starting a data entry business is that customer service is really important. It's hard to get anywhere in the data entry field if you don't provide your customers with all the services they need. It's important that you take your time to really care for your customers completely. Once you are ready to start your data entry business it's time to start building a great team. You want to have a team that can do a **(5)** range of tasks so that your business can fill customer's needs. You want to always test your team before giving them the task of working with a client.

1. A. Complete B. half complete
 C. Blank D. Intact E. enhaustive
2. A. Bid B. advance
 C. Refuse D. Offer E. pitch
3. A. Assign B. apply
 C. After D. Appeal E. demand
4. A. Forgive B. remember
 C. Discount D. Fail E. forget
5.
 A. Narrow B. broad
 C. wide D. open
 E. restricted

Cloze Practice Paragraph 6

It's nearly spring and it's time to grow plants. Of course, not all plants are **(1)**in season. This makes it very **(2)** to pick the best plants to grow. The good news is that there are tons of choices. Do you know that plants can grow in nearly every climate? It's true that some plants are picky but most are super **(3)** and only require water, dirt and of course sun. This spring is the **(4)** time to start your own garden. There are three amazing plants that work in every single climate. The first is spinach. Spinach is very easy to grow because it **(5)** water well and can stand different levels of heat. The second is carrots. There are many types of carrots you can grow. Most carrots are very quick to grow and also handle all types of climates as well. The third is tomatoes. There are tons of different types of tomatoes. It's easy to find the perfect tomato for any location. Go plant some plants!

1. A. Actually B. today
 C. currently D. actively
 E. now
2. A. Easy B. fun
 C. Stressful D. difficult
 E. giddy
3. A. Flexible B. picky
 C. Divine D. cranky
 E. difficult
4. A. Worst B. best
 C. Perfect D. better
 E. fun
5. A. Losses B. gets rid of
 C. Removes D. Shakes
 E. Holds

Cloze Practice Paragraph 7

In summer people **(1)** to grill because the sun is high and the days are much longer. Grill safety is an important element to having a great grill party. There are many important **(2)** to remember. The first is **(3)** a grill that is safe and will last at long time outdoors. Buying a grill can be a challenging but it can also be fun. There are gas grills and charcoal grills as well. For safety, be sure to keep all the grill supplies away from children if you get a charcoal or a gas grill. Gas grills **(4)** cost more money over time since you need to buy more gas. The food made with a gas grill also has a different flavor. The good news is that many modern grills work both with charcoal or gas! The second factor is to make sure you have cleaning supplies and the right tools for your grill. You should have **(5)** tools that keep your hands and arms safe from getting burnt. You should also have supplies that allow you to keep your grill clean after use. This summer, enjoy grilling with safety and fun.

1.

- A. Hate B. enjoy
- C. Love D. Passionate E. loathe

- 2 A. Goodies B. particular
- C. Influence D. factors
 - E. aid

3.

- A. getting B. losing
- C. Grab D. get
- E. acquire

4. A. Largely B. normally
- C. Never D. exactly
 - E. seldom

5.

- A. the common B. silly
- C. the wrong D. the incorrect
- E. the right

ANSWERS FOR QUESTIONS

SET NO.	SET1	SET 2	SET 3
1	C	D	D
2	D	B	E
3	A	A	D
4	C	D	E
5	C	E	D

SET 4	SET 5	SET 6	SET 7
B	A	C	C
D	D	D	D
B	B	A	A
E	B	C	C
C	C	C	E