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Transactional Writing — Practice Test

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1 **A teapot pours tea into a cup on the kitchen table. Which sentence is in the passive voice?**

- A The teapot sits on the kitchen table
- B Grandma poured the tea into the cup
- C The tea was poured by Grandma.
- D Grandma is pouring tea for everyone

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2 **A bicycle with a flat tyre waits by the gate. Which word is a verb in this sentence: The boy mended the bicycle quickly?**

- A mended
- B bicycle
- C the
- D quickly

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3 **What makes a conclusion effective?**

A it asks a new question

B it repeats the title

C it introduces a brand new argument, never mentioned before

D it restates the main point clearly

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4 **Which sentence has a subordinate clause at the end?**

A It rained.

B We stayed in because it rained.

C Because it rained, we stayed in all day.

D We stayed in.

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5 **Which sentence uses a comma correctly in a date?**

A On Monday 3 June we left for London.

B On Monday, 3 June, we left.

C On Monday, 3 June we left.

D On Monday 3 June, we left.

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6 **Which sentence is a question?**

A Are you coming?

B Come here.

C You are coming.

D You are coming to the park today.

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7 **What is the main purpose of a letter?**

A to list facts for an examination

B to tell a fictional story

C to print a newspaper

D to communicate with someone

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8 **What is the rule of three?**

A three pages of writing

B three spelling mistakes

C three ideas in a list for impact

D three questions in a row with no answers

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9 **Which sentence uses an apostrophe correctly with a name?**

- **A** Sams bike is new and very fast indeed.
- **B** Sams bike is new.
- **C** Sam's bike is new.
- **D** Sam,s bike is new.

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10 **Which phrase is the most formal?**

- **A** give me
- **B** I would be grateful if
- **C** I need it now, please, as soon as possible
- **D** I want you to

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ANSWER KEY

1. C
2. A
3. D
4. B
5. B
6. A
7. D
8. C
9. C
10. B

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