SOUTH DAKOTA ENGLISH 10 · UNIT 4

Language and Grammar — Practice Test

South Dakota English 10 • 10 questions

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1 **Which sentence uses effect correctly as a noun?**

A The rain had a strong affect on travel

B The rain had a strong effecting on travel

C The rain had a strong effects on travel

D The rain had a strong effect on travel

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2 **Which group of words is a sentence fragment?**

A Because the bus was late

B The bus was late

C The bus was late, so we waited

D We waited because the bus was late

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3 **Which sentence uses the future perfect tense correctly for an action finished by Friday?**

A By Friday, we will finish the project

B By Friday, we finished the project

C By Friday, we will have finished the project

D By Friday, we finish the project

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4 **Which sentence uses parallel structure with not only and but also?**

- **A** She is not only smart but also she is kind
- **B** She is not only smart but kind also
- **C** She is not only smart but also kindness
- **D** She is not only smart but also kind

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5 **Which sentence avoids a dangling modifier?**

- **A** After reading the book, Ana found the test easy
- **B** After reading the book, the test was easy
- **C** After reading the book, easy was the test
- **D** After reading the book, the test Ana easy

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6 **Which book title uses capitalization correctly?**

A The river school

B The River School

C the River School

D The river School

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7 **Which sentence uses except correctly?**

A Everyone accept Jon attended the meeting

B Everyone expect Jon attended the meeting

C Everyone except Jon attended the meeting

D Everyone accepts Jon attended the meeting

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8 **Which sentence avoids a double negative?**

A Maria does not have no pencils

B Maria does not have any pencils

C Maria does not have none pencils

D Maria never does not have pencils

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9 **How many verbs are in this sentence: Maria reads and writes every day?**

ANSWER _____

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10 **Which sentence uses well correctly as an adverb?**

A She sings good

B She sings well

C She sings goodly

D She sings bestly

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ANSWER KEY

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

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