Conjunctions are words that connect clauses into sentences. Test your understanding of conjunctions with this grammar exercise.

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate conjunction or relative pronoun.

#### 1. You must not question ...... does not concern you.

what

that

which

### 2. My sister reads ..... she gets some free time.

when

whenever

whatever

3. Ria is confident ..... she will win

#### the race.

that

what

if

4. You have to decide	subject
you want to study.	-

that

what

which

Either which or what

# 5. Aunt Polly suspected ...... Tom was playing some tricks on her.

that

what

which

### 6. ..... she was behaving so strangely was not clear to us.

That

Why

What

### 7. My grandmother can only walk slowly ...... she has arthritis.

so

because

hence

## 8. ..... it tried very hard, the cat could not climb the tree.

Although

Though

Even though

All of these

### 9. ..... you are determined you can succeed in whatever you do.

Whether

lf

Either could be used here

#### 10. The man asked ..... I could help him.

whether

if

Either could be used here

#### 11. She waited in the park ..... her friends arrived.

until

unless

# 12. ..... you give me the keys of the safe, you will be shot.

lf

Until

Unless

#### Answers

- 1. You must not question what does not concern you.
- 2. My sister reads whenever she gets some free time.
- 3. Ria is confident that she will win the race.
- 4. You have to decide which / what subject you want to study.
- 5. Aunt Polly suspected that Tom was playing some tricks on her.
- 6. Why she was behaving so strangely was not clear to us.
- 7. My grandmother can only walk slowly because she has arthritis.
- 8. Though it tried very hard, the cat could not climb the tree.
- 9. If you are determined you can succeed in whatever you do.
- 10. The man asked if / whether I could help him.
- 11. She waited in the park until her friends arrived.
- 12. Unless you give me the keys of the safe, you will be shot.