Fill in the blanks with an appropriate conjunction or preposition.
1 missing the train, I reached on time.
In spite of
Though
However
2 I missed the train, I reached on time.
Despite
Though
However
3. I worked hard; I failed the test.
however

though
in spite of
4 she is an atheist, she is a kind hearted woman.
Though
Although
Either could be used here
5 working two jobs she does not earn enough.
Please select 2 correct answers
Despite
Despite of
In spite of

6. I didn't know anyone at the party; that didn't stop me from having a nice time.
however
though
in spite of
7. Tired I was, I went swimming.
as
though
Either could be used here
8. His dad was angry, he had failed his exam.
because

because of
Either could be used here
9. I missed the last bus, I had to walk home.
so
because
then
10 he hadn't applied on time, he could not get the job.
Since
Hence
So

11 she is ill, she cannot go to work.
Because
So
Therefore
12 he could not offer any satisfactory explanation he lost his job.
As
So
Though

Answers

- 1. In spite of missing the train, I reached on time.
- 2. Although I missed the train, I reached on time.
- 3. I worked hard; however, I failed the test.

- 4. Though / Although she is an atheist, she is a kind hearted woman.
- 5. Despite working two jobs she does not earn enough.
- 6. I didn't know anyone at the party; however, that didn't stop me from having a nice time.
- 7. Tired as / though I was, I went swimming.
- 8. His dad was angry, because he had failed his exam.
- 9. I missed the last bus, so I had to walk home.
- 10. Since he hadn't applied on time, he could not get the job.
- 11. Because she is ill, she cannot go to work.
- 12. As he could not offer any satisfactory explanation he lost his job.