

## General English Exercise

Complete the following sentences using appropriate words or phrases.

1. She is intelligent; ..... she lacks experience.

however

even as

even though

2. They live ..... miles from here.

many

plenty of

lots of

3. His rude remarks made her .....

cry

to cry

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crying

4. I don't speak English well, but I can make myself .....

understand

understood

understanding

5. My mother makes wine ..... .. blackberries.

of

with

out of

from

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6. Could you ..... the kids while I go shopping?

look for

look at

look after

7. He never drives fast because he is afraid  
.....

to crash

of crashing

with crashing

8. I'm ..... working abroad. Could you help me?

interested to

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interested in

interested at

9. They often go hiking ..... going to school.

without

instead of

instead

10. I spent the whole day in bed ..... to work.

instead of to go

instead of going

instead to go

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### Answers

1. She is intelligent; however, she lacks experience.
2. They live many miles from here.
3. His rude remarks made her cry.
4. I don't speak English well, but I can make myself understood.
5. My mother makes wine from blackberries.
6. Could you look after the kids while I go shopping?
7. He never drives fast because he is afraid of crashing.
8. I'm interested in working abroad. Could you help me?
9. They often go hiking instead of going to school.
10. I spent the whole day in bed instead of going to work.