

## Omission | Grammar Exercise

Identify the word that should be removed from the following sentences to make them grammatically correct.

1. They went out despite of the rain.

out

of

the

2. Merlin, who is my youngest sister, she lives in Qatar.

who

she

youngest

3. No matter what that I do, nothing seems to work.

no

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what

that

4. He is at the work and won't be home before evening.

at

the

be

5. It is getting dark. Let us go to home.

getting

let

to

6. I have received the parcel last week.

have

the

last

7. You had better to put the meat in the oven.

had

better

to

8. You have to tell to me exactly how it happened.

to

have

how

9. If something does not work, I usually give to it a kick.

does

to

usually

10. I don't know that how we are going to get over the river.

that

how

over

11. Have you ever tried to get a toothpaste back into the tube?

ever

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a

back

12. We have got our roof blown off in the storm last week.

have

off

the

## Answers

1. They went out despite the rain.
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