Fill in the blanks with an appropriate conjunction, preposition or transitional adverb. Choose your answers from the given options.

#### 1. We went out ..... the rain.

despite

in spite of

Either could be used here

## 2. She passed the test ..... having a bad teacher.

although

however

despite

All of the above

3. She passed the test ..... she had a bad teacher.

Though, Although, Despite, In Spite Of, And However

although

despite

in spite of

however

## 4. ..... I had a headache, I enjoyed the party very much.

Please select 2 correct answers

Though

Although

However

Either 'though' and 'although'

## 5. It was a good restaurant, ..... expensive.

Though, Although, Despite, In Spite Of, And However

though

however

despite

## 6. The train was late; ..... I managed to arrive on time.

however

though

although

despite

### 7. ..... the train was late, I managed to reach on time.

Although

Despite

However

### 8. They managed to finish the job ..... there was no one to help them.

although

however

despite

in spite of

## 9. They finished the job ..... the fact that they had no one to help them.

Please select 2 correct answers

despite

in spite of

although

Either despite or in spite of

## 10. ..... tired, he went on working.

Though

although

despite

in spite of

## 11. ..... hard I tried, I could not solve the puzzle.

Though

However

Despite

In spite of

# 12. ..... trying hard, I could not solve the puzzle.

Despite

However

Though

Although

#### Answers

- 1. We went out despite the rain.
- 2. She passed the test in spite of / despite having a bad teacher.
- 3. She passed the rest though / although she had a bad teacher.
- 4. Though / although I had a headache, I enjoyed the party very much.
- 5. It was a good restaurant, though expensive.
- 6. The train was late; however I managed to arrive on time.
- 7. Though the train was late, I managed to reach on time.
- 8. They managed to finish the job although there was no one to help them.
- 9. They finished the job despite the fact that they had no one to help them.
- 10. Though tired, he went on working.
- 11. However hard I tried, I could not solve the puzzle.
- 12. Despite / in spite of trying hard, I could not solve the puzzle.