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BURSA ULUDAĞ ÜNİVERSİTESİ
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BİREYSEL ÇALIŞMA MERKEZİ

Material No: W/2

C) Correct the paragraph. There are 7 mistakes.

My Town

There are millions of cities in the world, but my town is special to me. I live in Newquay, which is a small town on the atlantic coast in the south of England. has got great beaches, and it the best place to surf in the UK. There are lots of surf schools where you can learn how to surf. I go to the surf school on Fistral Beach. I love Newquay because there are lots of other things to do as well as surfing. If you like water sports, you can go kayaking or water-skiing. If you like animals you can also visit the Blue Reef Aquarium and see lots of different fish and even sharks. You can also go horse riding on the beach or visit Newquay Zoo. There lots of other attractions like mini-golf and bowling. I hope you come and see newquay for yourself

D) Identify each sentence as a simple (S), compound (CD) or complex (CX) sentence. If the sentence is compound or complex, insert a comma (,) where necessary.

1. _____ Joe waited for the train but it was late.
2. _____ My parents and I like a big breakfast on Sundays.
3. _____ Mary and Samantha left early so I didn't see them at school today.
4. _____ While I was sunbathing on the beach my friend was swimming in the sea.
5. _____ I have been on rather too many planes and trains recently.
6. _____ We drove up to Helsinki in two and a half days.
7. _____ Until you are 18 you can not have a driving license.
8. _____ I promised to call mom as soon as I got home.
9. _____ Everyone but Simon liked the new director.
10. _____ The little boy was asleep just a few minutes ago but now he is wide awake.
11. _____ I have got four sisters and each of them is quite different from the others.
12. _____ You can come with me or you can stay with your brother at home.
13. _____ When a tool or device breaks down you should read the user's manual.
14. _____ I think she doesn't respect you at all.
15. _____ Before you leave home make sure that you turn off the lights.
16. _____ After the lunch break Sally decided to have a coffee.
17. _____ Austria and the Czech Republic are two examples of landlocked countries located in Central Europe.



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18. _____ The child ate up all the dishes but the fish.
19. _____ My friend and I went down to the canteen and had a coffee.
20. _____ Because John was late for the class he apologized to the teacher.

E) In each item, identify each sentence as a cause (C) or a result (R). Then combine them into a compound sentence using so.

1. _____ I never brush my teeth.
_____ I have 5 cavities.

2. _____ He is suffering from lung cancer now.
_____ George used to smoke a lot.

3. _____ The ocean is extremely polluted.
_____ Coral reefs die.

4. _____ She got a promotion and became the manager.
_____ Betty completed each task perfectly.

5. _____ Dinosaurs died out.
_____ A large meteor hit the Earth.

6. _____ The weather forecast called for rain.
_____ He took his umbrella.

7. _____ The ice-cream in the freezer melted.
_____ The electricity went out for most of the day.

8. _____ I took lessons from a professional music teacher.
_____ I learned to play the drums well.

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_____ Maria didn't follow the instructions of the recipe correctly.



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F) Identify each group of words as a complete sentence (S) or a fragment (F). If it is a complete sentence, add correct capitalization and punctuation.

1. _____ because he gave in the assignment rather late.
2. _____ henry is going to quit his job because he has problems with his boss
3. _____ because there are changes in classifications pluto is no longer a planet
4. _____ kate picked up the baby because he was crying
5. _____ because we liked the main course we also ordered dessert
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7. _____ tsunamis happen because tectonic plates shift.
8. _____ fred got a speeding ticket because he was driving fast
9. _____ i had to clean the floor because i spilled my coffee
10. _____ because the surface of the Earth is heated unevenly.

ANSWER KEY: A)

- __6__ *She goes home back at around 4.*
- __7__ *Carol has dinner with her family at around 7.*
- __3__ *Then she takes the 7 o'clock train and arrives at school at around 7.30.*
- __10__ *She knows that she doesn't have a very interesting routine, but she is happy.*
- __5__ *After lunch, she attends one of her afterschool activities like chess club or drama club.*
- __1__ *Carol is a very busy teacher.*
- __4__ *She has four lessons in the morning, and then she has a lunch break.*
- __8__ *After dinner, she usually watches TV, surfs the Internet or reads fashion magazines.*
- __2__ *She gets up at 6 and leaves home at 6.45.*
- __9__ *She often goes to bed before 11.*

B) *Carol and Tom are very busy teachers. They get up at 6 and leave home at 6.45. Then they take the 7 o'clock train and arrive at school at around 7.30. They have four lessons in the morning, and then they have a lunch break. After lunch, they attend one of their afterschool activities like chess club or drama club. They go home back at around 4. Carol and Tom have dinner with their family at around 7. After dinner, they usually watch TV, surf the Internet or read fashion magazines. They often go to bed before 11. They know that they don't have a very interesting routine, but they are happy.*



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Maria didn't follow the instructions of the recipe correctly, so the cake didn't come out as expected.

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