

Transformation of sentences

1. Put your tools away, people may fall over them.
Use (lest)
2. I don't mind big cities but I prefer small towns.
Begin: I prefer
3. If she feels worse during the night, give her these tablets
Begin: Should
4. The farm labourer went to bed and at once fell asleep.
Begin: The moment
5. It's a pity it's too late to do anything about it.
Begin: I wish
6. He was unable to take up the post until early the following year.
Begin: Not until
7. This ticket admits two people to the concert.
Begin: Two people
8. 'I am sorry I was so rude to you' he said
Begin: He apologised
9. He could never have imagined that he would become famous.
Begin: Never
10. I am going to inherit Rs. 1 lakh from my father.
Begin: I have

Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

1. Carelessness may result many deaths.
2. The police rounded anti- social elements last night.
3. Courage will carry a man difficulties.
4. We shall discuss this matter a cup of tea.

5. What you say is contrary _____ the factual position.
6. He persisted _____ his evil design.
7. The old man was run _____ by a bus.
8. He was charged _____ the murder.
9. On hearing the news, she was overwhelmed _____ emotion.
10. We should all aim _____ excellence.

Fill in the blanks with correct form of the word given in the brackets.

One day an eagle swooped down from the sky and carried away a tiny baby. The eagle soon placed the baby on a cliff, near it's nest.

It quickly became evident that the baby might never _____ (**recover**).
 A sailor tried to climb the cliff, but his limbs began _____ (**tremble**)
 and he had _____ (**give**) up the attempt. Then a shepherd tried. But after
 a short distance he _____ (**lose**) his footing and fell to the bottom of
 the cliff. At last a woman tried. She put her feet on one shelf of the
 rock, then on another, then on a third. Slowly she climbed higher and
 higher until she _____ (**reach**) the eagle' s nest at the top of the cliff,
 (**take**) the baby in her arms, she began the dangerous _____ (**descend**).
 She moved slowly and carefully. Finally, she stood at the bottom of the
 cliff with the baby safe in her arms. She _____ (**be**) the baby's mother.