1. Do you think __________ of people visit BBC Learning English from home, school or work?
   a) most
   b) the most
   c) majority
   d) the majority

2. Which word is NOT correct? Did you know __________ 20,000 books were lost on the London underground last year?
   a) exactly
   b) just over
   c) around
   d) about

3. Did you know water forms 50 ____ 60% of your body weight?
   a) to
   b) at
   c) from
   d) a

4. Which of the following is the odd one out?
   a) a third
   b) 33%
   c) a half
   d) 1 in 3

5. After a dramatic rise in house prices 2008 saw the trend reverse when prices actually __________.
   a) fall
   b) fell
   c) felt
   d) fallen

6. Which word is the odd one out? The number of students passing the exam __________ dramatically.
   a) increased
   b) rose
   c) went up
   d) declined
ANSWERS:

1. Do you think __________ of people visit BBC Learning English from home, school or work?
   
a) most – 'Most of people' is not correct - you need to say 'most people...'
b) the most – 'The most of people' is not correct - you need to say 'most people...'
c) majority – 'Majority of people...' is not correct.
d) the majority – You could also say 'the vast majority of people...'

2. Which word is NOT correct? Did you know __________ 20,000 books were lost on the London underground last year?
   
a) exactly – Use 'exactly' to say something is not 'more or less' but precisely this number.
b) just over – Which word is incorrect because it's too precise?
c) around – Which word is incorrect because it's too precise?
d) about – Which word is incorrect because it's too precise?

3. Did you know water forms 50 _____ 60% of your body weight?
   
a) to – We write 50 - 60% and say 'fifty to sixty percent'.
b) at – We write 50 - 60%, but how do we say it?
c) from – We write 50 - 60%, but how do we say it?
d) a – We write 50 - 60%, but how do we say it?

4. Which of the following is the odd one out?
   
a) a third – Which word is a fraction which describes more than a third?
b) 33% – Which word is a fraction which describes more than 33%?
c) a half – You could also say 50% or 1 in 2.
d) 1 in 3 – Which word is a fraction which describes more than 1 in 3?

5. After a dramatic rise in house prices 2008 saw the trend reverse when prices actually ________.
   
a) fall – What's the past tense of the verb 'to fall'?
b) fell – This is the past tense of the verb 'fall'.
c) felt – This is the past of the verb 'feel'. What's the past tense of the verb 'to fall'?
d) fallen – This is the past participle of the verb 'fall'. What's the past tense?

6. Which word is the odd one out? The number of students passing the exam ________ dramatically.
   
a) increased – 'Increased' means the same as 'rose' or 'went up'. Which word means the opposite i.e. 'decreased' or 'went down'?
b) rose – 'Rose' means the same as 'increased' or 'went up'. Which word means the opposite i.e. 'decreased' or 'went down'?
c) went up – 'Went up' means the same as 'increased' or 'rose'. Which word means the opposite i.e. 'decreased' or 'went down'?

d) declined – 'Declined' means 'decreased' or 'went down'; the others mean the opposite.

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