## Activity one

# Entry test

- 1. thereby
- 2. namely
- 3. that is to say
- 4. moreover
- 5. in spite of
- 6. nevertheless
- 7. such as
- 8. hence
- 9. besides
- 10. as a rule

### Activity two :

1./j • 2./a • 3./f • 4./h • 5./d • 6./e • 7./c • 8./g • 9./b • 10./i

## – B

- 1. actually
- 2. whereas
- 3. yet
- 4. despite the fact
- 5. namely
- 6. hence
- 7. thereby / hence
- 8. obviously / hence

### **Activity three**

- (1) since / as
- as a result
- however
- namely
- furthermore
- whereas / however
- as / since
- (8) therefore / hence
- such as
- although
- in fact
- besides
- naturally
- thereby / therefore / hence
- hence / therefore

#### Activity four

## THE WORD WEB

- 1. immobile
- 2. anticlockwise
- 3. unaware
- 4. inaccurate
- 5. disabilities
- 6. improbable
- 7. disconnected
- 8. irrelevant
- 9. irresistible
- 10. antifreeze

#### Activity five

#### **Definitions - consists of**

#### 1. The Solar System:

Basically, the solar system consists of the Sun and the objects that orbit it, including planets, moons, asteroids, comets, and other celestial bodies.

#### 2. A Zoo:

Basically, a zoo consists of enclosures and facilities where wild animals are kept for public exhibition, conservation, and study.

#### 3. A Telescope:

Basically, a telescope consists of lenses or mirrors that collect and magnify light from distant objects, allowing us to observe them more clearly.

#### 4. Water:

Basically, water consists of two hydrogen atoms and one oxygen atom (H<sub>2</sub>O), forming a colorless, transparent, and odorless liquid that is essential for all known forms of life.

#### "According to"

- ➢ Which, if any, of the following sentences are correct?
- 1. According to Peter, it will rain tomorrow.
  - **Correct**: This sentence is grammatically correct and uses "**according to**" appropriately to attribute the statement about the weather to Peter.
- 2. According to the first law of thermodynamics, heat and work are interconvertible.
  - **Correct**: This sentence is also correct. It uses "**according to**" to reference a scientific principle.

# 3. According to me, public transport is underdeveloped, the prime minister is going to resign according to the BBC.

- Incorrect: The phrase "according to me" is not commonly used in English. Instead, you could say "In my opinion, public transport is underdeveloped. According to the BBC, the prime minister is going to resign."
- Personal opinions on the given topics using the previous patterns (Basically,... consists of) and (according to):

#### • Global Warming:

Basically, global warming consists of the increase in Earth's average temperature due to human activities like burning fossil fuels and deforestation. According to climate scientists, this leads to more extreme weather events, rising sea levels, and significant impacts on ecosystems and human societies.

#### • Third World Poverty:

Basically, third world poverty consists of a lack of access to basic necessities such as food, clean water, education, and healthcare. According to development experts, addressing this issue requires a multifaceted approach that includes economic development, education, healthcare improvements, and international cooperation.

#### • The Education System:

Basically, the education system consists of institutions and processes designed to impart knowledge and skills to students. According to educators, a robust education system should be inclusive, adaptable, and focused on fostering critical thinking, creativity, and lifelong learning.

#### • Vivisection:

Basically, vivisection consists of performing surgical experiments on live animals for scientific research. According to animal rights advocates, while it has contributed to medical advancements, it raises significant ethical concerns, and there is a growing push for alternative methods that do not involve animal suffering.