Year 6 English Grammar and Punctuation Test 5

1. **Draw lines** to match the words to the correct prefix.

   - super
   - freeze
   - auto
   - market
   - anti
   - biography

2. **Add ‘a’ or ‘an’** to the sentence below.

   I need to get [ ] loaf of bread, [ ] pint of milk and [ ] orange from the shops.

3. The sentence below is missing dashes. **Add a pair of dashes** so that the sentence is punctuated correctly.

   My favourite sandwich filling egg mayonnaise is also my Mum’s favourite.
4. **Use a prefix** at the start of each verb to make it mean the opposite.

- respect
- understand
- activate

5. Read the sentences below. **Tick one box** to show which sentence uses a colon correctly.

- We’ve chosen two cities to visit London: and Paris. □
- We’ve chosen: two cities to visit London and Paris. □
- We’ve chosen two cities: to visit London and Paris □
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6. **Circle the adverb** in this sentence.

    I might go swimming, or perhaps I’ll go tomorrow instead.
7. **Rewrite** the sentence below in the active voice.

Bread is baked and sold by the baker.

8. Read the passage below. **Tick one** adverbial which would complete it.

I think it might be best if we travelled to the airport on the train. **, if we** go in the car we won’t have to carry the cases as far.

As a consequence

In contrast

On the other hand
9. Which option completes the sentence below so that it uses the subjunctive mood? **Tick one.**

I wish [ ] able to come to your party, but I’m afraid I will be busy.

- I was
- I will be
- I would be
- I were

10. Which list uses colons and semi-colons correctly? **Tick one.**

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