

Worksheet 7

1. Finish the questions to fit the given answers, use 'it' as the subject of the question:

1. How _____ to the airport? – Well, about 30 minutes.
2. What day _____? – It's Monday.
3. Was _____ yesterday? – Yes, in the morning, and then it rained in the afternoon as well.
4. What _____? – It's almost 7 o'clock.
5. Is _____ rain? – No, the weather forecast says it's going to be a nice day.

2. Read the sentences and in each underline the word or words to which the subject 'it' refers:

1. It's dangerous to walk in the road.
2. It didn't take us long to get there.
3. It's a pity that Carol couldn't come to the party.
4. Let's go. It's not worth waiting any longer.
5. It must be difficult for her to get a job.

3. Put the words in brackets in the most appropriate (the most common) order:

1. _____ must be very happy. (his wife, he)
2. _____ were interviewed by the police. (another girl, she)
3. _____ want to move to the country. (my parents, I)
4. _____ agree with me, don't you? (you, Peter)
5. _____ have been very good friends for years. (Carol, I, John)

4. Fill in the appropriate pronouns:

1. _____ left their keys in my office. Do you happen to know who?
2. Everyone should consider _____ decision carefully.
3. I am more intelligent than _____ is. – Well, you're quite right. He's not very bright.
4. Carol is a bit lazy. Other students work more than _____.
5. Nobody except _____ knew the answer. She seems to know everything.
6. Nobody but _____ can give you some advice. He's a real expert.
7. (doctor talking to his patient) Good morning, Mr Bailey. How are _____ feeling today?
8. Do you know that _____ are going to raise taxes again?
9. _____ must take care of the environment more, for example sort out the waste.
10. How is _____ going? – Not bad, but I'm quite busy these days.

5. Supply the pronouns:

1. Your parcel has arrived. _____ was delivered this morning.
2. Jane and I have already eaten. _____ had a meal before we left home.
3. So, you've had a baby! Is _____ a boy or a girl?
4. Who's that? - _____'s my mother. Would you like to meet _____?
5. Whose cat is that? _____'s always in the garden.
6. Who's that man over there? - _____'s our neighbour, Mr Grey.
7. You can invite him to your house. - _____! You must be joking.
8. She is taller than _____ but I am stronger than _____.
9. John is good at sports, isn't he? – Yes, but Mary is better than _____ is.
10. Who is Mr. Thompson? - _____ is my father's colleague.

6. Rephrase the following sentences using 'it' as the subject:

1. Making decisions is difficult. _____
2. Lying in the sun is pleasant. _____
3. Learning languages is very useful. _____
4. Paris is 100 kilometres from here. _____
5. He's certainly arriving today. _____