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1. Just sit back, relax and enjoy _____.
a) you're
b) yourself
c) you
d) yours

 2. When my daughter was studying abroad we emailed _____ nearly every day. It was great to hear her news so regularly.
a) us
b) each other
c) ourselves
d) to each other

 3. The work _____ is really interesting, he just doesn't like the people he works with very much.
a) themselves
b) itself
c) himself
d) it's

 4. You can talk to either your manager or _____ if you have a problem.
a) I
b) myself
c) me
d) my

 5. He's only two but he insists on dressing _____ in the mornings. Sometimes his clothes look a bit odd but I think it's important to encourage him to do tasks without my help.
a) me
b) myself
c) him
d) none of the above

 6. She can't afford to go to the hairdresser so she cuts her hair _____ to save money.
a) her hair herself
b) her hair at herself
c) she hair herself

d) her hair she

ANSWERS:

1. Just sit back, relax and enjoy _____.

a) you're

b) yourself

c) you

d) yours

a) This is short for *you are*. The correct answer is a reflexive pronoun (*myself, herself, yourselves, etc.*)

b) Well done! This is the correct reflexive pronoun.

c) This is a pronoun. You need a reflexive pronoun (*myself, herself, yourselves, etc.*) here.

d) This is a possessive pronoun (*mine, hers, theirs, etc.*). You need a reflexive pronoun (*myself, herself, yourselves, etc.*) here.

2. When my daughter was studying abroad we emailed _____ nearly every day. It was great to hear her news so regularly.

a) us

b) each other

c) ourselves

d) to each other

a) You need a reciprocal pronoun (e.g. *one another*) here.

b) Well done! This is the correct reciprocal pronoun (and it doesn't need a preposition).

c) This is a reflexive pronoun. You need a reciprocal pronoun (e.g. *one another*) here.

d) This is the correct reciprocal pronoun but you don't need a preposition here.

3. The work _____ is really interesting, he just doesn't like the people he works with very much.

a) themselves

b) itself

c) himself

d) it's

a) You need a different reflexive pronoun here. Try again.

b) Correct! This reflexive pronoun is used here to put emphasis on a word (*work*).

c) You need a different reflexive pronoun here. Try again.

d) This is short for *it is*. The correct answer is a reflexive pronoun which is used here to put emphasis on a word (*work*).

4. You can talk to either your manager or _____ if you have a problem.

- a) I
- b) myself
- c) **me**
- d) my

a) You need an object pronoun (*her, him, them, etc.*), rather than a subject pronoun (*I, she, you, etc.*) here.

b) You need a non-reflexive, rather than a reflexive, pronoun here.

c) **Right! An object pronoun is correct here.**

d) You need an object pronoun (*her, him, us, etc.*) rather than a determiner (*her, his, our, etc.*) here.

5. He's only two but he insists on dressing _____ in the mornings. Sometimes his clothes look a bit odd but I think it's important to encourage him to do tasks without my help.

- a) me
- b) myself
- c) him
- d) none of the above

a) You need a reflexive, rather than an object pronoun here.

b) You need a different reflexive pronoun here.

c) You need a reflexive, rather than an object pronoun here.

d) **Correct! None of these answers is right. You need a reflexive pronoun (*myself, herself, yourselves, etc.*) here.**

6. She can't afford to go to the hairdresser so she cuts _____ to save money.

- a) **her hair herself**
- b) her hair at herself
- c) she hair herself
- d) her hair she

a) **Correct. This means she doesn't pay someone to cut her hair for her.**

b) There is an extra word in this answer that you don't need.

c) Most of this answer is right but the first word is wrong.

d) Most of this answer is right but the last word is wrong.

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