# ERROR CORRECTION

## **EXERCISE 1**

Read the text below and correct the underlined errors.

#### **FOREST**

A forest is a complex ecosystem (0) <u>consist</u> mainly of trees that buffer the earth and support numerous other life forms. Forests are essential for life on earth as trees are important components (1) <u>in</u> the environment. They clean the air, cool it on hot days, conserve heat at night and act as sound absorbers. They also (2) <u>gave</u> us oxygen, fuel, food and medicine. Forests keep the ecological system (3) <u>on</u> balance. In addition, they are home to thousands of wildlife. Yet throughout the history, humans have been chopping down forests to meet their own (4) <u>need</u>. The (5) <u>decrease</u> in the world population has led to rapid depletion of the forests. Deforestation has caused soil erosion, landslides, floods, (6) <u>lose</u> of flora and fauna and a change in the rainfall pattern. The secondary forests that appear in cleared (7) <u>area</u> are loss of less use. Many industrialised countries have sound forest management policies to ensure the (8) <u>renew</u> of the forests.

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## **EXERCISE 2**

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# Why breakfast is the most important meal of the day?

Good morning everyone. I am here today to talk about why breakfast is the most important meal of the day. Breakfast (0) <u>are</u> the moment where you literally 'break the fast'. This is why it's been commonly dubbed as "the (1) <u>more</u> important meal" of the day. Being the first meal of the day, breakfast (2) <u>help</u> to set the pace of the day by providing one with energy. A good, healthy breakfast provides you with the fuel that you need to (3) **got** through the day. By skipping breakfast, you are likely to experience feelings of fatigue throughout the day. Breakfast (4) <u>energizing</u> the body. People who have breakfast show an increase in physical activity (5) <u>hence</u> their mornings than people who skip it. There are some reasons (6) <u>what</u> we should have breakfast. Starting your morning with breakfast will boost your metabolism (7) <u>or</u> keep your blood sugar levels stable during the day. In a nutshell, a morning meal is necessary not only for your body (8) <u>and</u> for the brain as well. That is all for my talk. Thank you for listening.

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## **EXERCISE 3**

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#### **CHARITY RUN 2019**

Sendayan Sports Club (0) <u>organise</u> 'Charity Run' in conjunction with International World Health Day on 7<sup>th</sup> April 2019. The purpose of this charity run was to (1) <u>rises</u> money for the local orphanage. The event was originally scheduled to start (2) <u>in</u> 6.30 a.m. but the flag-off only (3) <u>take</u> place at 7 a.m. due to the rain. A total of 578 participants throughout the school took part in the event. Participants (4) <u>was</u> charged a RM15 registration fee that includes mineral water (5) <u>but</u> a t-shirt. The winners were (6) <u>present</u> with medals and hampers by the Sendayan Sports Club Manager, Datuk Kamarul bin Arifin. Besides, a health (7) <u>checks</u> booth was set-up to provide free health check-up to anybody who was interested to join. Overall, 'Charity Run' (8) is a huge success. It is hoped that such beneficial and meaningful events will continue to be held in the future.

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