Simple Present - Test 2

A - Put in the correct verb forms.

1) She might __________ at Gatwick airport.
   a) arrive
   b) arrives
   c) arrivs

2) Anne and Peggy __________ too late.
   a) am
   b) are
   c) be
   d) is

3) What time __________ the film begin?
   a) do
   b) dos
   c) does

4) They __________ wear school uniform.
   a) don't
   b) doesn't
   c) don't

5) The lesson __________ at 8.30.
   a) start
   b) starts

6) The museum __________ open on Mondays.
   a) does'nt
   b) doesn't
   c) don't
   d) doesn 't

7) He __________ be at home by 10 o'clock.
   a) schould
   b) should

8) It __________ rain later.
   a) may
   b) mays

9) I usually __________ to bed at 11 o'clock.
   a) go
   b) goes
   c) gos

10) Tomorrow __________ Sunday.
    a) am
    b) are
    c) be
    d) is

B - Rewrite the sentences using long or contracted forms.

1) He cannot come with us.     ______________________________________

2) We're late.       ______________________________________

3) She need not come.     ______________________________________

4) I'm not Spanish.      ______________________________________

5) They are in the attic.     ______________________________________

6) She does not like rice.     ______________________________________

7) They don't walk to school.    ______________________________________

8) He isn't from Peking.     ______________________________________

9) That is a pity.      ______________________________________

10) You shouldn't eat so much meat.   ______________________________________
C - Which answers are correct?

1) What are typical signal words for the Simple Present?
   a) just
   b) normally
   c) seldom
   d) two weeks ago
   e) usually
   f) yet

2) Which verb forms are correct?
   a) she agrees
   b) she annoys
   c) she cries
   d) she hurrys
   e) she kissis
   f) she rushes
   g) she teachs
   h) she worrys

3) Which actions are in the Simple Present?
   a) actions happening at the moment of speaking
   b) actions beginning in the past in still continuing
   c) recently completed actions
   d) one actios follows after the other
   e) things in general
   f) fixed arrangements, scheduled events
   g) repeated actions

4) Which sentences/questions are in the Simple Present?
   a) Are you Greek?
   b) Do you have a brother?
   c) I don't usually have lunch at school.
   d) Martin has been to Montreal.
   e) Peggy was on holiday.
   f) The largest number of people lives in Brooklyn.
   g) We have two cars.

D - Negate the sentences.

1) Dave believes in ghosts. ___________________________________________
2) We are from Nigeria. ___________________________________________
3) The phone rings. ___________________________________________
4) She flies to Sofia every April. ___________________________________
5) They hate fish. ___________________________________________
6) The sun goes around the earth. __________________________________
7) The banks close at 2 o’clock. ___________________________________
8) She wants to become a superstar. ________________________________
9) Jane and Sue teach Spanish. ___________________________________
10) Anne has lunch at home. ______________________________________
**E - Form questions.**

1) can / I / to get / you / a glass of water ______________________________________
2) may / I / to come in __________________________________________
3) you / to speak / any Roman language ______________________________________
4) your parents / to wait up for you __________________________________________
5) what / can / we / to do / to find / the stolen bike ______________________________________
6) who / to help / Roger / in the shop *(Wer hilft Roger im Laden?)*

7) who / to help / Roger / in the shop *(Wem hilft Roger im Laden?)*

8) how / you / to feel __________________________________________
9) Pat / not to come / with us __________________________________________
10) why / not to clean / you / your shoes ________________________________________

**F - Put in the verbs in brackets into the gaps.**

1) They ____________________ a nice garden. *(to have)*
2) She ____________________ to lose weight. *(to try)*
3) Hawaii ____________________ in the Pacific Ocean. *(to be)*
4) My aunt often ____________________ queues. *(to jump)*
5) Ally ____________________ his handwriting. *(can/not/to read)*
6) We sometimes ____________________ around the shops. *(to look)*
7) I ____________________ travelling. *(to enjoy)*
8) Water ____________________ when it ____________________. *(to expand) (to freeze)*
9) David usually ____________________ French on the telephone. *(to speak)*
10) Stan ____________________ Pat and Steve ____________________ rather popular. *(to gather) (to be)*

**G - Ask for the underlined parts.**

1) They usually go on holiday in July. __________________________________________
2) Mel works in an office. __________________________________________
3) He works 60 hours a week. __________________________________________
4) The child plays the trumpet. __________________________________________
5) We write to four pen friends. __________________________________________
6) I like cycling because it’s fun. __________________________________________
7) Susan is 25 years old. __________________________________________
8) Jerry comes from Leeds. __________________________________________
9) Pamela does not like squash. __________________________________________
10) Lisa talks about Danny. __________________________________________