

71 – Preview Answers



You choose

Use *to* and one of the verbs below to complete the sentences.

get burned study be late visit wear
start my own business get fit give lose weight

1. I went to the hospital *to visit* my mother.
2. I bought this phrasebook *to study* English.
3. When I went to the beach I put on sunscreen so as not *to get burned*.
4. I bought a new necktie *to wear* to work.
5. Sam joined the gym *to lose weight* and *get fit*.
6. I made a card *to give* to my father for Christmas.
7. I took a taxi to work so as not *to be late*.
8. I quit my job *to start my own business*.



Try these

Write sentences using *so* or *so that* with *can* or *could*. *Answers may vary*

1. I am studying hard. I want to pass my exams.
I am studying hard so that I can pass my exams.
2. Susan is saving money. She wants to travel overseas.
Susan is saving money so she can travel overseas.
3. I studied Japanese. I wanted to be able to read Japanese comics.
I studied Japanese so that I could read Japanese comics.
4. I brought binoculars to the baseball game. I wanted to be able to see the players clearly.
I brought binoculars to the baseball game so I could see the players clearly.
5. We have to hire a babysitter. We want to go out this evening.
We have to hire a babysitter so that we can go out this evening.
6. I have to go to the bank. I want to withdraw some money.
I have to go to the bank so I can withdraw some money.
7. I had to wait two hours in line. I wanted to buy tickets for the rock concert.
I had to wait two hours in line so that I could buy tickets for the rock concert.
8. I keep studying English. I want to get better.
I keep studying English so that I can get better.



How about you? *Answers will vary*

Why are you studying English?

I am studying English so that I can speak to people when I travel abroad.

Think of three things you did this week. Why did you do them?

I played a computer game to relax.

I went to the bank so I could withdraw money.

I took a taxi to get home quickly.