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THE ARTICLE

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Sources: <https://www.bbc.com/sport/football/66629505>
<https://sports.yahoo.com/luis-rubiales-suspended-by-fifa-for-90-days-pending-full-investigation-for-actions-at-world-cup-124910626.html>
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WARM-UPS

1. WOMEN'S FOOTBALL: Students walk around the class and talk to other students about women's football. Change partners often and share your findings.

2. CHAT: In pairs / groups, talk about these topics or words from the article. What will the article say about them? What can you say about these words and your life?

shockwaves / world football / kiss / medal / shocked / resign / sport / social setting / reaction / emotion / apology / legal action / lies / coaching / staff / investigation

Have a chat about the topics you liked. Change topics and partners frequently.

3. SEXISM: Students A **strongly** believe sexism will never disappear; Students B **strongly** believe it will. Change partners again and talk about your conversations.

4. ~ISMS: How bad are these ~isms in your country? How can we fix the problems? Complete this table with your partner(s). Change partners often and share what you wrote.

	How Bad	Fixes
Sexism		
Racism		
Ageism		
Egoism		
Narcissism		
Classism		

5. KISS: Spend one minute writing down all of the different words you associate with the word "kiss". Share your words with your partner(s) and talk about them. Together, put the words into different categories.

6. SPORT: Rank these with your partner. Put the best sport at the top. Change partners often and share your rankings.

- Soccer
- Tennis
- Basketball
- Skiing
- Hockey
- Athletics
- Sailing
- Cycling

VOCABULARY MATCHING

Paragraph 1

- | | |
|-------------------|---|
| 1. reverberating | a. The people who watch or listen to a television or radio programme. |
| 2. in the wake of | b. Exposed to the possibility of being attacked or harmed, either physically or emotionally. |
| 3. audience | c. Having continuing and serious effects. |
| 4. setting | d. Following someone or something, especially as a consequence. |
| 5. consensual | e. The place or type of surroundings where something is positioned or where an event takes place. |
| 6. vulnerable | f. Relating to or involving agreement. |
| 7. impulse | g. A sudden strong and unreflective urge or desire to act. |

Paragraph 2

- | | |
|-----------------------|---|
| 8. maintain | h. All; whole. |
| 9. spur-of-the-moment | i. State something strongly to be true. |
| 10. caught up in | j. Support. |
| 11. backing | k. A serious dispute. |
| 12. entire | l. Done without planning in advance. |
| 13. row | m. Of a sentence imposed but not enforced as long as no further offence is committed within a specified period. |
| 14. suspended | n. Was involved in something that one had not intended to become involved in. |

BEFORE READING / LISTENING

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com//2308/230828-womens-world-cup.html>

1. TRUE / FALSE: Read the headline. Guess if a-h below are true (T) or false (F).

1. Aftershocks were felt at the end of the Women's World Cup. **T / F**
2. Luis Rubiales shocked people looking at a stream on the Internet. **T / F**
3. Jenni Hermoso called the kiss non-consensual behaviour. **T / F**
4. Jenni Hermoso said she was not respected. **T / F**
5. Mr Rubiales said the kiss was a compulsive response to Spain's victory. **T / F**
6. Rubiales apologized for the kiss. **T / F**
7. The Spanish football federation has decided to sue Jenni Hermoso. **T / F**
8. FIFA has suspended Mr Rubiales for a month. **T / F**

2. SYNONYM MATCH: (The words in **bold** are from the news article.)

- | | |
|-------------------------|------------------|
| 1. reverberating | a. falsehoods |
| 2. grabbed | b. protests |
| 3. resign | c. agreement |
| 4. victim | d. until |
| 5. consent | e. stand down |
| 6. maintains | f. echoing |
| 7. emotion | g. whole |
| 8. lies | h. injured party |
| 9. entire | i. passion |
| 10. pending | j. seized |

3. PHRASE MATCH: (Sometimes more than one choice is possible.)

- | | |
|--|-------------------------------|
| 1. shockwaves are reverberating around | a. moment reaction |
| 2. in the wake | b. out-of-place act |
| 3. global television | c. did nothing wrong |
| 4. an impulse-driven, sexist, | d. in the emotion |
| 5. without any consent | e. action |
| 6. Rubiales maintains he | f. Spanish and world football |
| 7. a spur-of-the- | g. an investigation |
| 8. due to being caught up | h. of a kiss |
| 9. They are taking legal | i. audiences |
| 10. pending | j. on my part |

GAP FILL

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com//2308/230828-womens-world-cup.html>

Shockwaves are (1) _____ around Spanish and world football in the wake of a kiss during the medal awards (2) _____ at the Women's World Cup. Spanish football federation president Luis Rubiales shocked global television (3) _____ when he grabbed Spanish forward Jenni Hermoso's head and (4) _____ kissed her on the lips. Rubiales has (5) _____ to resign, despite many calls for him to do so. Ms Hermoso said: "I believe no person, in any work, sport or social (6) _____ should be a victim of this type of non-consensual behaviour. I felt vulnerable and a (7) _____ of an impulse-driven, sexist, out-of-place act, without any (8) _____ on my part." She added: "Quite simply, I was not respected."

setting
ceremony
firmly
reverberating
consent
audiences
victim
refused

Mr Rubiales (9) _____ he did nothing wrong. He said the kiss was simply a spur-of-the-moment (10) _____ due to being caught up in the emotion of Spain's World Cup success. He apologized for the kiss in a (11) _____ statement on Monday. Spain's Prime Minister Pedro Sanchez said the (12) _____ was 'not enough'. Other (13) _____ called for Rubiales to resign. The Spanish football federation are backing Rubiales. They are taking (14) _____ action against Ms Hermoso over her "lies". On Saturday, Spain's entire coaching staff, (15) _____ for manager Jorge Vilda, resigned over the row. Football's world governing body FIFA have provisionally (16) _____ Rubiales for 90 days pending an investigation into the kiss.

legal
press
maintains
suspended
reaction
ministers
except
apology

LISTENING – Guess the answers. Listen to check.

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- 1) Shockwaves are reverberating around Spanish and world football in the wake _____
 - a. off a kiss
 - b. cough a kiss
 - c. of a kiss
 - d. offer kiss
- 2) Luis Rubiales shocked global television audiences when he _____
 - a. grabbed Spanish backward
 - b. grabbed Spanish forwards
 - c. grabbed Spanish four word
 - d. grabbed Spanish forward
- 3) Jenni Hermoso's head and firmly kissed her _____
 - a. on the lips
 - b. in the lips
 - c. at the lips
 - d. by the lips
- 4) I believe no person, in any work, sport or social setting should be a victim _____
 - a. of this hype
 - b. off this type
 - c. of this tape
 - d. of this typed
- 5) I felt vulnerable and a victim of an impulse-driven, sexist, _____
 - a. out-of-place pact
 - b. out-of-place act
 - c. out-of-place tact
 - d. out-of-place fact
- 6) he did nothing wrong. He said the kiss was simply a spur-of-_____
 - a. the-moment reactive
 - b. the-moment reaction
 - c. the-moment react shun
 - d. the-moment re-action
- 7) The Spanish football federation _____
 - a. are forwarding Rubiales
 - b. are siding Rubiales
 - c. are fronting Rubiales
 - d. are backing Rubiales
- 8) They are taking legal action against Ms Hermoso _____
 - a. over her "eyes"
 - b. over her "pies"
 - c. over her "lies"
 - d. over her "prize"
- 9) Spain's entire coaching staff, except for manager Jorge Vilda, resigned _____
 - a. over the low
 - b. over the row
 - c. under the brow
 - d. under the bough
- 10) Football's world governing body FIFA have _____
 - a. provisionally suspension Rubiales
 - b. provisionally suspended Rubiales
 - c. provisionally suspending Rubiales
 - d. provisionally suspender Rubiales

LISTENING – Listen and fill in the gaps

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Shockwaves are reverberating around Spanish and world football in the (1) _____ kiss during the medal awards ceremony at the Women's World Cup. Spanish football federation president Luis Rubiales shocked (2) _____ when he grabbed Spanish forward Jenni Hermoso's (3) _____ kissed her on the lips. Rubiales has refused to resign, despite many calls for him to do so. Ms Hermoso said: "I believe no person, in any work, (4) _____ setting should be a victim of this type of non-consensual behaviour. (5) _____ and a victim of an impulse-driven, sexist, out-of-place act, without (6) _____ my part." She added: "Quite simply, I was not respected."

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COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com//2308/230828-womens-world-cup.html>

1. What does the article say is reverberating around world football?
2. Who did Luis Rubiales shock?
3. What has Rubiales refused to do?
4. What did Jenni Hermoso call Rubiales' behaviour?
5. What did Jenni Hermoso say Rubiales did not do?
6. What kind of reaction did Rubiales call the kiss?
7. What did Rubiales say he was caught up in?
8. Who is suing Jenni Hermoso?
9. Who resigned over this incident (except for the manager)?
10. For how long has Luis Rubiales been suspended by FIFA?

MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com//2308/230828-womens-world-cup.html>

- 1) What does the article say is reverberating around world football?
 - a) statements
 - b) echoes
 - c) shockwaves
 - d) booming laughter
- 2) Who did Luis Rubiales shock?
 - a) global television audiences
 - b) his wife
 - c) his teammates
 - d) the male football team
- 3) What has Rubiales refused to do?
 - a) meet Jenni Hermoso
 - b) resign
 - c) take a demotion
 - d) take a pay cut
- 4) What did Jenni Hermoso call Rubiales' behaviour?
 - a) unexpected
 - b) rude
 - c) understandable
 - d) non-consensual
- 5) What did Jenni Hermoso say Rubiales did not do?
 - a) act out of place
 - b) be sexist
 - c) respect her
 - d) play football
- 6) What kind of reaction did Rubiales call the kiss?
 - a) a quick reaction
 - b) a spur-of-the-moment reaction
 - c) an allergic reaction
 - d) a chemical reaction
- 7) What did Rubiales say he was caught up in?
 - a) traffic
 - b) a scandal
 - c) a messy business
 - d) the emotion
- 8) Who is suing Jenni Hermoso?
 - a) Luis Rubiales
 - b) Spain's football federation
 - c) Spain's football team
 - d) Spain's Prime Minister
- 9) Who resigned over this incident (except for the manager)?
 - a) the players
 - b) Spain's entire coaching staff
 - c) Luis Rubiales' team
 - d) the head of FIFA
- 10) For how long has Luis Rubiales been suspended by FIFA?
 - a) 90 days
 - b) 80 days
 - c) 70 days
 - d) 60 days

ROLE PLAY

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Role A – Soccer

You think soccer is the best sport. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their sport. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): tennis, athletics or skiing.

Role B – Tennis

You think tennis is the best sport. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their sport. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): soccer, athletics or skiing.

Role C – Athletics

You think athletics is the best sport. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their sport. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): tennis, soccer or skiing.

Role D – Skiing

You think skiing is the best sport. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their sport. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): tennis, athletics or soccer.

AFTER READING / LISTENING

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1. WORD SEARCH: Look in your dictionary / computer to find collocates, other meanings, information, synonyms ... for the words 'coach' and 'kiss'.

coach	kiss
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- Share your findings with your partners.
- Make questions using the words you found.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

2. ARTICLE QUESTIONS: Look back at the article and write down some questions you would like to ask the class about the text.

- Share your questions with other classmates / groups.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

3. GAP FILL: In pairs / groups, compare your answers to this exercise. Check your answers. Talk about the words from the activity. Were they new, interesting, worth learning...?

4. VOCABULARY: Circle any words you do not understand. In groups, pool unknown words and use dictionaries to find their meanings.

5. TEST EACH OTHER: Look at the words below. With your partner, try to recall how they were used in the text:

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• wake• global• firmly• calls• type• act	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• wrong• caught• press• enough• entire• 90
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WOMEN'S FOOTBALL SURVEY

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Write five GOOD questions about women's football in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper. When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1 _____	STUDENT 2 _____	STUDENT 3 _____
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.

WOMEN'S FOOTBALL DISCUSSION

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

1. What did you think when you read the headline?
2. What images are in your mind when you hear the word 'sexism'?
3. What do you think of Luis Rubiales' actions?
4. What do you think of women's football?
5. When will sexism disappear from society?
6. How can there be more equality in football?
7. What would you say to Luis Rubiales?
8. Should Luis Rubiales be fired?
9. How big is this news in your country?
10. What advice do you have for Jenni Hermoso?

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WOMEN'S FOOTBALL DISCUSSION

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

11. Did you like reading this article? Why/not?
12. What do you think of when you hear the word 'football'?
13. What do you think about what you read?
14. Is the kiss OK if it was in the spur of the moment?
15. Is it enough that Luis Rubiales apologized for the kiss?
16. Should all the Spanish players refuse to play until Rubiales resigns?
17. What do you think FIFA will decide?
18. What should FIFA do?
19. What three adjectives best describe this story?
20. What questions would you like to ask Luis Rubiales?

DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

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DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

LANGUAGE - CLOZE

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Put the correct words from the table below in the above article.

- | | | | | |
|-----|---------------|--------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1. | (a) up | (b) on | (c) around | (d) surround |
| 2. | (a) wake | (b) woke | (c) wick | (d) wreck |
| 3. | (a) audiences | (b) audios | (c) audience | (d) audacity |
| 4. | (a) firmly | (b) shakily | (c) handily | (d) necessarily |
| 5. | (a) letting | (b) setting | (c) betting | (d) vetting |
| 6. | (a) contents | (b) present | (c) concert | (d) consent |
| 7. | (a) sour | (b) spar | (c) spur | (d) sure |
| 8. | (a) through | (b) over | (c) up | (d) up |
| 9. | (a) press | (b) push | (c) shove | (d) iron |
| 10. | (a) backing | (b) fronting | (c) forwarding | (d) siding |
| 11. | (a) under | (b) over | (c) because | (d) due |
| 12. | (a) pending | (b) sensing | (c) pending | (d) sending |

SPELLING

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Paragraph 1

1. Shockwaves are tebvirragerne around
2. during the medal awards ronemeyc
3. Spanish football fnaerdtieo
4. global television seenuciad
5. this type of non-naconusesl behaviour
6. mepsilu-driven

Paragraph 2

7. a pusr-of-the-moment reaction
8. being caught up in the iotmeno
9. the opagoly was 'not enough'
10. Spain's nreeit coaching staff
11. FIFA have ialrviyoposnl suspended Rubiales
12. pending an avoegitntisin into the kiss

PUT THE TEXT BACK TOGETHER

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Number these lines in the correct order.

- () 'not enough'. Other ministers called for Rubiales to resign. The Spanish football federation are
- () calls for him to do so. Ms Hermoso said: "I believe no person, in any work, sport or social setting should be a victim
- () of this type of non-consensual behaviour. I felt vulnerable and a victim of an impulse-driven, sexist, out-of-place act,
- () Mr Rubiales maintains he did nothing wrong. He said the kiss was simply a spur-of-the-
- () body FIFA have provisionally suspended Rubiales for 90 days pending an investigation into the kiss.
- () president Luis Rubiales shocked global television audiences when he grabbed Spanish
- (**1**) Shockwaves are reverberating around Spanish and world football in the wake of a kiss during
- () without any consent on my part." She added: "Quite simply, I was not respected."
- () backing Rubiales. They are taking legal action against Ms Hermoso over her "lies". On Saturday, Spain's entire coaching
- () in a press statement on Monday. Spain's Prime Minister Pedro Sanchez said the apology was
- () forward Jenni Hermoso's head and firmly kissed her on the lips. Rubiales has refused to resign, despite many
- () moment reaction due to being caught up in the emotion of Spain's World Cup success. He apologized for the kiss
- () staff, except for manager Jorge Vilda, resigned over the row. Football's world governing
- () the medal awards ceremony at the Women's World Cup. Spanish football federation

PUT THE WORDS IN THE RIGHT ORDER

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1. Spanish reverberating around and are Shockwaves world football .
2. awards during A kiss the medal ceremony .
3. do to so . many him Despite calls for
4. A non-consensual this type of behaviour . of victim
5. without consent An any act my on part .
6. did maintains he Rubiales nothing wrong . Mr
7. the Due caught in emotion . to being up
8. for the apologized He kiss a statement . in
9. Ms are legal Hermoso . action against They taking
10. provisionally 90 have suspended FIFA for Rubiales days .

CIRCLE THE CORRECT WORD (20 PAIRS)

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Shockwaves are *revving* / *reverberating* around Spanish and world football in the *take* / *wake* of a kiss during the medal awards ceremony at the Women's World Cup. Spanish football federation president Luis Rubiales shocked *global* / *globally* television audiences when he *grubbed* / *grabbed* Spanish forward Jenni Hermoso's head and firmly kissed her *on* / *in* the lips. Rubiales has *refused* / *refusal* to resign, despite many calls for him to *be* / *do* so. Ms Hermoso said: "I believe no person, in any work, sport or *socially* / *social* setting should be a victim of this type of non-consensual behaviour. I felt vulnerable and a victim of an impulse-driven, *sexism* / *sexist*, out-of-place act, without any *content* / *consent* on my part." She added: "Quite simply, I was not respected."

Mr Rubiales maintains he *had* / *did* nothing wrong. He said the kiss was simply a spur-of-the-moment reaction *dew* / *due* to being caught up *in* / *on* the emotion of Spain's World Cup success. He apologized *at* / *for* the kiss in a *pressed* / *press* statement on Monday. Spain's Prime Minister Pedro Sanchez said the apology was 'not enough'. Other ministers called *by* / *for* Rubiales to resign. The Spanish football federation are *backing* / *bucking* Rubiales. They are *making* / *taking* legal action against Ms Hermoso over her "lies". On Saturday, Spain's *all* / *entire* coaching staff, except for manager Jorge Vilda, resigned over the row. Football's world governing body FIFA have provisionally suspended Rubiales for 90 days *pending* / *spending* an investigation into the kiss.

Talk about the connection between each pair of words in italics, and why the correct word is correct. Look up the definition of new words.

INSERT THE VOWELS (a, e, i, o, u)

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Sh_ckw_v_s _r_ r_v_rb_r_t_ng _r__nd Sp_n_sh _nd w_rld
f__tb_ll _n th_ w_k_ _f _ k_ss d_r_ng th_ m_d_l _w_rds
c_r_m_ny _t th_ W_m_n's W_rld C_p. Sp_n_sh f__tb_ll
f_d_r_t__n pr_s_d_nt L__s R_b__l_s sh_ck_d gl_b_l
t_l_v_s__n __d__nc_s wh_n h_ gr_bb_d Sp_n_sh f_rw_rd
J_nn_ H_rm_s_'s h__d _nd f_rml_y k_ss_d h_r _n th_ l_ps.
R_b__l_s h_s r_f_s_d t_r_s_gn, d_sp_t_ m_ny c_lls f_r h_m
t_d_s_. Ms H_rm_s_ s__d: "_ b_l__v_ n_ p_rs_n, _n _ny
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PUNCTUATE THE TEXT AND ADD CAPITALS

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PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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HOMework

1. VOCABULARY EXTENSION: Choose several of the words from the text. Use a dictionary or Google's search field (or another search engine) to build up more associations / collocations of each word.

2. INTERNET: Search the Internet and find out more about this news story. Share what you discover with your partner(s) in the next lesson.

3. WOMEN'S FOOTBALL: Make a poster about women's football. Show your work to your classmates in the next lesson. Did you all have similar things?

4. RESIGN: Write a magazine article about Spanish football federation president Luis Rubiales resigning. Include imaginary interviews with people who are for and against this.

Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Write down any new words and expressions you hear from your partner(s).

5. WHAT HAPPENED NEXT? Write a newspaper article about the next stage in this news story. Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Give each other feedback on your articles.

6. LETTER: Write a letter to an expert on women's football. Ask him/her three questions about it. Give him/her three of your opinions on it. Read your letter to your partner(s) in your next lesson. Your partner(s) will answer your questions.

ANSWERS

VOCABULARY (p.4)

1. c 2. d 3. a 4. e 5. f 6. b 7. g
8. i 9. l 10. n 11. j 12. h 13. k 14. m

TRUE / FALSE (p.5)

- 1 F 2 F 3 T 4 T 5 F 6 T 7 T 8 F

SYNONYM MATCH (p.5)

1. f	2. j	3. e	4. h	5. c
6. b	7. i	8. a	9. g	10. d

COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS (p.9)

- Shockwaves
- Global television audiences
- Resign
- Non-consensual
- Respect her
- A spur-of-the-moment reaction
- The emotion
- Spain's football federation
- Spain's entire coaching staff
- Ninety days

WORDS IN THE RIGHT ORDER (p.19)

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- A kiss during the medal awards ceremony.
- Despite many calls for him to do so.
- A victim of this type of non-consensual behaviour.
- An act without any consent on my part.
- Mr Rubiales maintains he did nothing wrong.
- Due to being caught up in the emotion.
- He apologized for the kiss in a statement.
- They are taking legal action against Ms Hermoso.
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MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ (p.10)

1. c 2. a 3. b 4. d 5. c 6. b 7. d 8. b 9. b 10. a

ALL OTHER EXERCISES

Please check for yourself by looking at the Article on page 2.
(It's good for your English ;-)