Conjunctions Exercise

Fill in the blanks.

1. …………………………. she saw us, she rushed towards us.
   
   When
   
   As soon as
   
   Either could be used here

2. ………………………….. I had invited all of them, none of them turned up.
   
   Though
   
   However
   
   If

3. She earns a lot of money; ……………………………, she spends hardly anything.
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4. ………………………….. they are poor, they cannot afford to buy a home.

Because
As
Since
All of the above

5. The postman came ………………………….. I was mowing the lawn.

as
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6. ………………………….. she put in her best efforts, she could not succeed.

Although

However

Even if

7. ………………………….. I had warned him, he didn’t listen to me.

Though

As

If
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8. ………………………….. you work hard enough, you will succeed.
   
   If

   As

   Either could be used here

9. ………………………….. she has a university degree, she is unemployed.
   
   Though

   As

   Since

10. She was upset ………………………….. she had failed the test.

   because
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though

so

11. Hardly had I reached the station ................................ the train left.

when

before

Either could be used here

12. ....................................... she was hungry, she refused to eat anything.

Though

As

Since
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Answers

1. When / as soon as she saw us, she rushed towards us.

2. Though I had invited all of them, none of them turned up.

3. She earns a lot of money; however, she spends hardly anything.

4. Because/as/since they are poor, they cannot afford to buy a home.

5. The postman came when I was mowing the lawn.

6. Although she put in her best efforts, she could not succeed.

7. Though I had warned him, he didn’t listen to me.

8. If / as you work hard enough, you will succeed.

9. Though she has a university degree, she is unemployed.

10. She was upset because she had failed the test.

11. Hardly had I reached the station when/before the train left.

12. Though she was hungry, she refused to eat anything.