

# Gap Fills Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate word or phrase.

1. The Minister has ..... to come.

accepted

agreed

Either could be used here

2. In most countries you have to be  
..... 18 to drive a car.

above

over

Either could be used here

3. The boys swam ..... the river.

on

along

over

across

4. .... scientists, smoking can  
cause cancer.

After

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According to

In accordance with

5. The boy jumped ..... the wall.

across

above

over

6. I am interested ..... to fly.

to learn

in learning

at learning

7. I am anxious for my daughter  
..... a good job.

to get

to getting

about getting

8. My ..... jobs were very stressful.

two last

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last two

Either could be used here

9. My husband is six years .....  
than me.

elder

older

Either could be used here

10. I don't remember him .....

well

good

better

11. I could read only the .....  
chapters of the book.

five first

first five

12. He has few reasons for staying,  
.....?

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has he

hasn't he

doesn't he

## Answers

1. The Minister has agreed to come.
2. In most countries you have to be over 18 to drive a car.
3. The boys swam across the river.
4. According to scientists, smoking can cause cancer.
5. The boy jumped over the wall.
6. I am interested in learning to fly.
7. I am anxious for my daughter to get a good job.
8. My last two jobs were very stressful.
9. My husband is six years older than me.
10. I don't remember him well.
11. I could read only the first five chapters of the book.
12. He has few reasons for staying, has he?