General Grammar Exercise

Fill in the blanks.

1. My mother ................. in an insurance company.

works
is working
work

2. I usually .................. up at 6 but today I ................. up at 7.

wakes, woke
wake, woke
woke, wake

3. Turn on the lights. Change into passive.
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The lights be turned on.

Let the lights be turned on

The lights be turn on.

4. He works .................

abroad

in abroad

at abroad

5. A/An ...................... is a person who does not believe in the existence of god.

theist

atheist

pagan
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6. He has a deep love ...................... his country.

for

of

on

7. The government is inquiring ..................... the affairs of the company.

at

on

into

8. She takes ......................... her elder sister.
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9. I .................... him for a long time.
   knew
   have known
   had known

10. Abraham Lincoln abolished slavery. Replace abolish with a phrasal verb/idiomatic expression.
   put up with
   put an end to
   put out
11. I always carry an umbrella ……………………… it rains.

- in case
- if
- in case of

12. To give someone a piece of your mind is to ………………………

- praise them
- reprimand them
- express your love for them

Answers

1. My mother works in an insurance company.

2. I usually wake up at 6 but today I woke up at 7.
3. Let the lights be turned on.

4. He works abroad.

5. An atheist is a person who does not believe in the existence of god.

6. He has a deep love for his country.

7. The government is inquiring into the affairs of the company.

8. She takes after her elder sister.

9. I have known him for a long time.

10. Put an end to

11. I always carry an umbrella in case it rains.

12. To give someone a piece of your mind is to reprimand them.