Prepositions Or Conjunctions Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate preposition or conjunction.

1. We went out .................... the rain.
   in spite of
   even so
   although

2. ..................... having a headache, I enjoyed the party.
   Despite
   Although
   Even if

3. ......................... I had worked very hard, I failed my exam.
   Although
   Despite
   Even if

4. There is a school .................. my house.
   opposite
   in front of
5. If the bus stop is on the same side of the road as the library, it is .................. the library.

opposite
in front of
Either could be used here

6. If the garage is on the other side of the road as the school, it is .................. the school.

opposite
in front of
before

7. I had no idea .................. she was unhappy.

of
that
of that

8. I wasn’t aware .................. it was too late.

of
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9. She insisted ................. paid at once.

to be
on being
on to be

10. Your chances of getting a job vary according to ................. you live in the city or the country.

whether
if
where

11. I am worried about ................. you are all right.

whether
if
Either could be used here

12. I am not sure ................. she did it.
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how
of how
of

Answers

1. We went out in spite of the rain.
2. Despite having a headache, I enjoyed the party.
3. Although I had worked very hard, I failed my exam.
4. There is a school opposite my house.
5. If the bus stop is on the same side of the road as the library, it is in front of the library.
6. If the garage is on the other side of the road as the school, it is opposite the school.
7. I had no idea that she was unhappy.
8. I wasn’t aware that it was too late.
9. She insisted on being paid at once.
10. Your chances of getting a job vary according to whether you live in the city or the country.
11. I am worried about whether you are all right.
12. I am not sure how she did it.