Although prepositions are small words they are very important ones and their correct usage shows your mastery over the language. Complete the following sentences using the most appropriate preposition.

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   to

2. The Japanese are used ———— periodic cyclones and earthquakes.

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3. He is wanting ———— sympathy and understanding.

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4. I warned him ———— her treachery.
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6. He has a zest __________ adventure.

7. I am sure __________ passing this time.

8. As she was ill, we sent __________ a doctor.
9. I am thankful to you ———— your cooperation.

10. He is worthy ———— our reverence and esteem.

11. I am tired ———— repeating this.
12. I am suspicious ————- his true intentions.

Answers
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4. I warned him against her treachery.
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6. He has a zest for adventure.
7. I am sure of passing this time.
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