Exercises

112.1 Julie, Sarah and Amanda are three friends who went on holiday together. Use the information given about them to complete the sentences using even or not even.

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<th>Julie</th>
<th>Sarah</th>
<th>Amanda</th>
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<td>is usually happy</td>
<td>isn't very keen on art</td>
<td>is almost always late</td>
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<td>is usually on time</td>
<td>is usually miserable</td>
<td>is a keen photographer</td>
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<td>likes getting up early</td>
<td>usually hates hotels</td>
<td>loves staying in hotels</td>
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<tr>
<td>is very interested in art</td>
<td>hasn't got a camera</td>
<td>isn't very good at getting up</td>
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1  They stayed at a hotel. Everybody liked it, ____________.
2  They arranged to meet. They all arrived on time, ____________________________________________________________________________.
3  They went to an art gallery. Nobody enjoyed it, ____________________________________________________________________________.
4  Yesterday they had to get up early. They all managed to do this, ____________________________________________________________________________.
5  They were together yesterday. They were all in a good mood, ____________________________________________________________________________.
6  None of them took any photographs, ____________________________________________________________________________.

112.2 Make sentences with even. Use the words in brackets.

1  Sue has been all over the world. (the Antarctic) ____________________________________________________________________________.
2  We painted the whole room. (the floor) ____________________________________________________________________________.
3  Rachel has met lots of famous people. (the prime minister) ____________________________________________________________________________.
4  You could hear the noise from a long way away. (from the next street) ____________________________________________________________________________.

In the following sentences you have to use not ... even.

5  They didn’t say anything to us. (hello) ____________________________________________________________________________.
6  I can’t remember anything about her. (her name) ____________________________________________________________________________.
7  There isn’t anything to do in this town. (a cinema) ____________________________________________________________________________.
8  He didn’t tell anybody where he was going. (his wife) ____________________________________________________________________________.

9  I don’t know anyone in our street. (the people next door) ____________________________________________________________________________.

112.3 Complete the sentences using even + comparative.

1  It was very hot yesterday, but today it’s ____________________________________________________________________________.
2  The church is 500 years old, but the house next to it is ____________________________________________________________________________.
3  That’s a very good idea, but I’ve got an ____________________________________________________________________________ one.
4  The first question was very difficult to answer. The second one was ____________________________________________________________________________.
5  I did very badly in the exam, but most of my friends did ____________________________________________________________________________.
6  Neither of us was hungry. I ate very little and my friend ate ____________________________________________________________________________.

112.4 Put in if, even, even if or even though.

1  ____________________________________________________________________________ she can’t drive, she has bought a car.
2  The bus leaves in five minutes, but we can still catch it ____________________________________________________________________________ we run.
3  The bus leaves in two minutes. We won’t catch it now ____________________________________________________________________________ we run.
4  His Spanish isn’t very good ____________________________________________________________________________ after three years in Spain.
5  His Spanish isn’t very good ____________________________________________________________________________ he’s lived in Spain for three years.
6  ____________________________________________________________________________ with the heating on, it was very cold in the house.
7  I couldn’t sleep ____________________________________________________________________________ I was very tired.
8  I won’t forgive them for what they did ____________________________________________________________________________ they apologise.
9  ____________________________________________________________________________ I hadn’t eaten anything for 24 hours, I wasn’t hungry.