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Extra Writing Skills Practice

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Compare and contrast

A. Complete each statement with the correct connecting word.

1. My friend Tom has long hair, ____ I have a buzz cut.
a. while b. also c. like
2. ____ my sister, I prefer more classic styles.
a. Similarly b. While c. Like
3. Ellen likes to wear wild and crazy colors, ____ I prefer more subdued, elegant colors.
a. also b. but c. like
4. My younger brother has tacky taste in clothing, and my older brother does ____.
a. however b. also c. while
5. I like Italian designers; ____, I can't afford their clothing.
a. also b. similarly c. however
6. The president of the company wears flashy suits, and my boss does ____.
a. too b. while c. like
7. What was trendy then is now old-fashioned; ____, today's fashions will go out of style.
a. similarly b. however c. whereas
8. I like to dress down in casual, comfortable clothes, ____ my wife likes to dress up in the latest fashions.
a. similarly b. also c. whereas
9. My mother dresses very elegantly; ____, my father likes to wear fine suits.
a. however b. too c. similarly
10. People used to wear a lot of bright colors; ____ darker colors are now more popular.
a. similarly b. however c. too