

VOCABULARY 3 – EXERCISES CORRECTION

Exercise 1:

1. Kip worked a lot because / for he wanted to become a world champion. Kip worked a lot to / so as to / in order to become a world champion.
2. It was difficult for him to become the best since he suffered from gallstones / It was difficult for him to become the best due to / because of gallstones.
3. Even though / even if / although he suffered from gallstones, he managed to run.
4. Even though / even if / although the doctors said he might die, this didn't stop him from running.
5. He was courageous and determined that's why people admired him.
6. They also admired his dedication to others. They admired his dedication to others as well / too.
7. He set up an orphanage in order to / so as to / to help underprivileged children.
8. He doesn't care for fame contrary to other athletes / Unlike other athletes, he doesn't care for fame.
9. When he was young, he went to school. That's how he became a training instructor.
10. This is Kip Keino, who won the gold medal in Mexico / Kip Keino is the person who won the gold medal in Mexico (in 1968 ;)



Exercise 2:

- a. There have been tensions between the two countries recently yet the summit has not been cancelled.
- b. Although space exploration is very expensive, it corresponds to a fundamental human need to find out more about the universe.
- c. Even if the worldwide economy is slowing down, some countries appear to maintain strong growth.
- d. Despite its popularity in many English-speaking countries, elsewhere most people have not even heard of that sport.
- e. As expensive as their products may be, cult brands still manage to attract customers.
- f. Albeit being short, the economic recession was serious.
- g. The evolution of oil prices is unpredictable. Be that as it may, oil reserves are dwindling.
- h. The Chancellor knew the increase in taxes was unpopular. Even so, he raised them.
- i. The government shut down. That being said, many essential services have to keep on running.