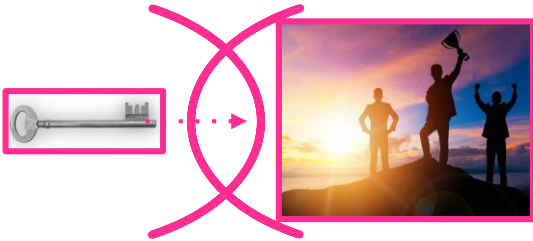




A : Mr. Nelson, do you have a minute?
I have something to discuss with you.

B : Oh, hey Nick. You know what? I have a meeting in 10 minutes. **Why don't you come again () 5 p.m.?**



A : I just watched a Ted talk and it was very inspiring.

B : What was it about?

A : The title is called "Grit: The power of passion and perseverance". **It talks about how grit is the key () success, instead of money, education background or even talent.**



A : I'm sorry Miss, but your driving license is invalid.

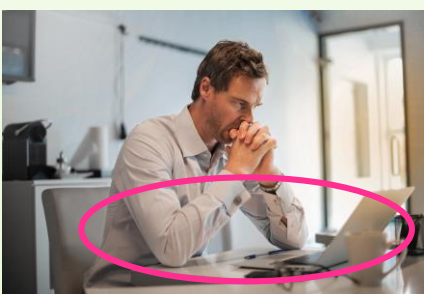
B : What? No way. I just got it 4 years ago. I thought I only had to renew it every five years.

A : **The first license is only valid () three years, not five years.**



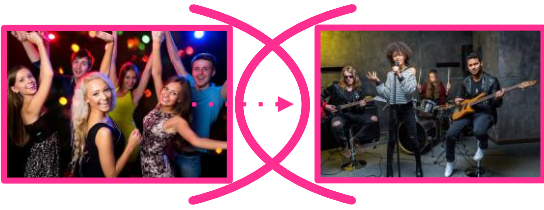
A : I heard Shawn is laid off. Poor him. **He supports a big family () six.** How would he support his family?

B : It is a devastating situation. I hope he could find another job really soon.



A : Mr. Johnson, the head of purchasing, made a huge mistake by purchasing 1 million pairs of unqualified sneakers. Now the CEO is pissed.

B : Oh no. I can't believe it. **How long has he been () this job?**



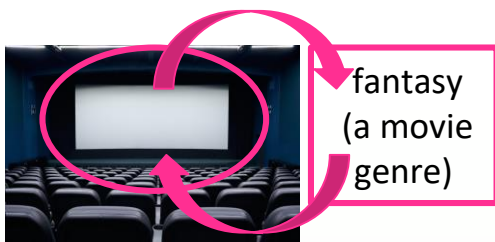
A : Good morning. How was your weekend?

B : I had a great time. I went ()
a **live band show** where people dance
() **music** together.



A : You know, my birthday is coming up.
So, what are you giving me ()
my birthday?

B : I'm keeping it a secret. You will know.



fantasy
(a movie
genre)

A : What kind of movie do you want to see?

B : **I feel like seeing a movie** ()
fantasy.



A : Are you ok? Your face is so pale.

B : I don't feel very well.
I feel sick () **the stomach.**
I think I may throw up.



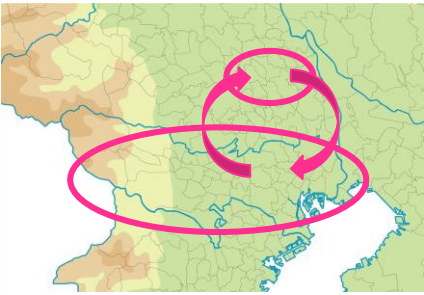
A : As the best man. **I would like to make a toast** () **the groom.** John, you are one of the kindest and most loving persons I've ever met and it has been an honor knowing you for almost 20 years. I wish you and Emily nothing but happiness. **Here is** () **John.** Cheers.

B : Mike. Thank you so much for your moving speech.



A : Since I'm leaving () London tomorrow, on my last day here, I would like to say thank you to all of you who have been by my side, supporting me.

B : We will miss you, Mr. Donald. It has been a pleasure working with you.



A : I heard that it is normal for Tokyo people to spend an hour commuting to work. Is it true?

B : Yeah. Take me as an example. **I live in a town 10 kilometers north () Tokyo.** So it takes me like 80 minutes to go to work every day.



A : What is your favorite season?

B : Definitely summer. **Flowers are () their best and I can go swimming in the ocean.**



A : Is Jane here?

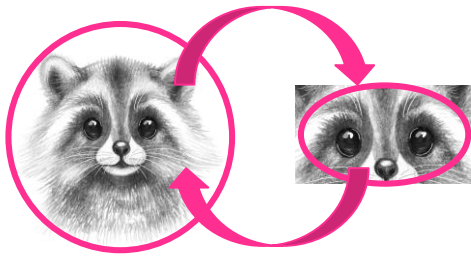
B : **She went () the drugstore for some aspirins.** She is having a headache. I think she will come back in like 10 minutes.



A : **Mr. Wilson, I'm from the local workers union and I'm here to speak () your employees.**

B : Yes, I'm all ears.

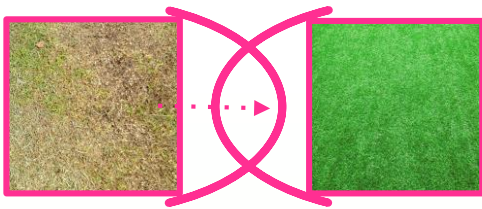
A : There have been several reports that you ask your employees to work even on weekends.



A : Hey, Sheldon, what are you drawing?
 B : Oh, I'm just doodling some animal portraits.
 A : Wow! You are very good! **Especially the eyes () the animal are very authentic.**



A : Happy anniversary. Can you believe it has been 10 years already?
 B : **Yeah, I can still remember the day I met you () the park 10 years ago.** You were the most beautiful woman I have ever seen. **It was love () first sight.**



A : The grass in the front yard is pretty much dead. Should we do something about it?
 B : Don't worry. **It will get back () normal again when it rains.**



A : I saw on the news that there might be a new welfare tax coming up.
 B : We have to pay more tax? I am barely making it. **So, are you () or against the new welfare tax then?**
 A : **If the tax could be put into good use, such as free medical fees for all citizens, I'm all () it.**



A : I need to report a robbery.
 B : Can you describe the situation to me?
 A : **I was walking toward my car, and out of nowhere, a man robbed me () my bag.**



We are () the table and ready to eat.



Sleeping is important () health.



I've studied French () three years.



I like the atmosphere () Chinese tea ceremony.



I became a licensed lawyer () the age of 30.



It's five () twelve.
Five minutes until midnight!



What can I do () you?



It's just the tip () the iceberg.



Stop texting me () midnight!



() my surprise, my colleagues threw me a birthday party in the office.



He has a talent () jazz music.



I drink four cups () coffee every day.



She aimed () the target and released the arrow.



In Osaka, we keep () the right when riding an escalator.



Here is something () you.



He is a veterinarian, a doctor () animals.



She can't stop smiling () the cute puppy.



We cheered () this success.



Waiting () a call.



He is a good friend () mine.



He managed to repair the computer () the second attempt.



Stand back () back.



My kids wait () the bus by themselves all the time.



She has a baby () eight months.



Why are you mad () me?



Count () three and then open your eyes.



Do you have any questions () the interview?



() 300 persons, only 12 passed the test.