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LEA 11B Grammaire

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a) Translate the following sentence into English.

I. Euro tunnel, the company that operates the undersea rail link between England and France is reported to have reached an agreement with some of its bankers.

B) *Underline* the correct sentence and explain in English the use of "as...as" in the following examples (30 words maximum):

- a. Despite his disability, he tried to lead *as normal a life as possible*.
- b. Despite his disability, he tried to lead *as normal life as possible*.
- c. She was *as patient a teacher as anyone could have had*.
- d. She was *as patient teacher as anyone could have had*.

C) **Réécrire les phrases en commençant par le mot souligné**

- 1 / They are digging a tunnel under the river.
- 2 / They made Paul manager of the firm.
- 3 / On that small island one will always find accommodation.
- 4 / They would never hear of Jane again, in that case.
- 5 / They are blaming Peter for something he is innocent of.

D) **Mettre les verbes à la forme appropriée**

- 1 / You (be) here very long, haven't you ?
- 2 / She says she (marry) him as soon as he (release) from prison.
- 3 / Mary said she (see) Helen the day before.
- 4 / As I stood considering the walls of solid stone, I could not help (strike) with the foolishness of that institution which treated me as if I were flesh and blood and bones to be locked up.
- 5 / "Don't let me (disturb) you" he said.
- 6 / What might appear when the hazy curtain (withdraw) ?
- 7 / When (lose) King Harold the battle ?