Grammar Challenge
So & such
Practice
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2. It was ... it broke down every few weeks.
   a. such an old that
   b. such an old car so
   c. so an old car that
   d. such an old car that

3. We were ... that we ate the food before it was properly cooked.
   a. such hungry
   b. so hungry
   c. such hunger
   d. so a hungry

4. He was ... that he hardly had any friends at all.
   a. so shy
   b. such a shy
   c. such shy
   d. shy so

5. They were ... that they were invited to parties every weekend.
   a. so a popular couple
   b. so popular couple
   c. such popular
   d. such a popular couple

6. The music was ... that I could hardly hear myself think.
   a. so loudly
   b. such loudly
   c. such loud
   d. so loud
Exercise 3: Word Order
Choose the 5 words which complete each sentence:

1. The ... they won the match.

   so  that  play  team  well  such  played

2. It was ... I went to see it again.

   good  a  that  so  such  film  boring

3. ... I could hardly control myself.

   angry  so  such  I  that  felt  angrily

4. She ... that she got a promotion.

   a  so  worker  hard  work  was  such

5. ... he got a pay rise.

   such  so  that  work  he  hard  worked

6. ... we had to go home early.

   we  tired  tiring  were  such  so  that

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1. I ... that I fell asleep on the bus.
   a. was such tired - Wrong – you need to use 'so' plus an adjective.
   b. was tired – Wrong – you need to add 'so'.
   c. **was so tired** - Correct – you have used 'so' with an adjective.
   d. so tired – Wrong – you need to add a verb.

2. It was ... it broke down every few weeks.
   a. such an old that - Wrong – you need to use a noun with 'such'.
   b. such an old car so – Wrong – you need to use 'that' to introduce the result.
   c. so an old car that – Wrong – you should use 'such' with an adjective and noun.
   d. **such an old car that** – Correct – you have used 'such' with an adjective and noun.

3. We were ... that we ate the food before it was properly cooked.
   a. such hungry - Wrong – you need to use 'so' plus an adjective.
   b. **so hungry** - Correct – you have used 'so' with an adjective.
   c. such hunger – Wrong – you need to use 'so' plus an adjective.
   d. so a hungry – Wrong – do not use 'a' with an adjective.
4. He was ... that he hardly had any friends at all.
   a. so shy - Correct – you have used 'so' with an adjective.
   b. such a shy - Wrong – you need to use 'so' plus an adjective.
   c. such shy - Wrong – you need to use 'so' plus an adjective.
   d. shy so – Wrong – the words are in the wrong order.

5. They were ... that they were invited to parties every weekend.
   a. so a popular couple – Wrong – you should use 'such' with an adjective and noun.
   b. so popular couple – Wrong – you should use 'such' with an adjective and noun; and
      you also need an article.
   c. such popular - Wrong – you need to use a noun with 'such'.
   d. such a popular couple – Correct – you have used 'such' with an adjective and noun.

6. The music was ... that I could hardly hear myself think.
   a. so loudly – Wrong – You need an adjective, not an adverb.
   b. such loudly - Wrong – you need to use 'so' plus an adjective.
   c. such loud - Wrong – you need to use 'so' plus an adjective.
   d. so loud - Correct – you have used 'so' with an adjective.

Exercise 3: Word Order

Choose the 5 words which complete each sentence:

1. The team played so well that they won the match.
2. It was such a good film that I went to see it again.
3. I felt so angry that I could hardly control myself.
4. She was such a hard worker that she got a promotion.
5. He worked so hard that he got a pay rise.
6. We were so tired that we had to go home early.