

Semicolons

Answers:

Section 1

- 1) I want to wear the red shirt; my favorite colour is red.
- 2) Janie easily got an A on the test; she studies very hard.
- 3) I hope I get a lot of presents; today is my birthday.
- 4) The war is imminent; the armies are ready.

Section 2

- 1) I am really tired; however I cannot get to sleep.
- 2) I am wearing a sweater and a jacket; still I am cold.
- 3) Our mission seemed impossible; nevertheless we tried our best to accomplish it.

Section 3

- 1) The store will be closed on the following days: Thursday, Dec. 24th ; Friday, Dec. 25th ;
Saturday, Dec. 26th ; and Sunday Dec. 27th.
- 2) The company hired three new employees: Robert, who was 42 years old; Juan, who was 28 years old; and Dana, who was 24 years old.