Read the passage carefully. Then fill in the blanks with one suitable word from the list below to complete the passage. Use each word ONCE only.

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Nowadays, we have many fast ______ convenient ways to communicate or send messages to others. Among the most popular and easiest ways are ______ SMS using the mobile phone and by email ______ the computer. Messages are sent at the click ______ a button. Within seconds we can reply ______ the receiver.

People long ago did not _______ such facilities. Sending messages from one person to another _______ from one place to another took a long time. During the war, soldiers on the battlefields used hand-held flags ______ send messages across the battlefields. _______ alphabet signaling system was based on the waving of a pair of hand-held flags in a specific pattern, ______ invented by a Frenchman named Claude Chappe ______ 1790.

______blind people read using a system of dots called the Braille system. The dots _______slightly raised on the book or paper. They read by feeling the dots _______ their fingers. Braille _______ not a language. Rather, _______ is a code by which languages such as English or Spanish may ______ written and read. The Braille system was invented in 1829 by ______ Frenchman called Louis Braille. His invention opened ______ the world to the blind _______ they can read and communicate with the rest of the world.

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