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Практическое пособие ставит своей целью оказание помощи студентам в овладении специальной лексикой и навыками перевода текстов. Разноплановые тексты и задания помогут овладеть навыками необходимыми для успешной сдачи тестирования. Адресовано слушателям подготовительных курсов.

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## **ВВЕДЕНИЕ**

Предлагаемое практическое пособие предназначено как для использования на академических занятиях по английскому языку абитуриентами, обучающимися на факультете довузовской подготовки, на подготовительных курсах, так и для самостоятельной работы учащихся старших классов общеобразовательных средних школ, абитуриентов, а также учителей английского языка.

Раздел 1 данного пособия включает в себя тестовые задания по артиклю, раздел 2 – по имени существительному, раздел 3 – задания на составление предложений, раздел 4 – исправление ошибок, раздел 5 – задания по словообразованию, раздел 6 – задания по предлогам и фразовым глаголам, раздел 7 – составление разделительных вопросов к предложениям, раздел 8 – лексические упражнения по коммуникативной и межкультурной компетенции, раздел 9 – перевод выделенных фрагментов с русского языка на английский, раздел 10 – морфологические задания для самоподготовки, раздел 11 – примеры вариантов репетиционного тестирования, включающие в себя текстовые фрагменты и задания к ним, раздел 12 – страноведческие тесты.

Целью подготовки практического пособия является оказание помощи абитуриентам в овладении грамматическими навыками и умениями, а также способствует расширению словарного запаса и накоплению необходимой информации о фактах истории, культуры и традиций страны изучаемого языка. Данная информация будет полезна абитуриентам при самостоятельной подготовке к централизованному тестированию.

Развитию соответствующих умений и навыков будет способствовать текстовый материал с тестовой проверкой понимания.

Весь материал подобран в соответствии с учебной программой по английскому языку для слушателей подготовительного отделения, подготовительных курсов УО «ГГУ им. Ф. Скорины» 2007 года издания.

Большинство тестовых заданий и грамматических упражнений рассчитано на словарный запас, соответствующий требованиям учебной программы по английскому языку для средней общеобразовательной школы.

## Unit 1 Articles

### Ex.1 Choose the right article

1 Our journey starts in one of the most fascinating areas of ... West Africa.

- 1) the            2) an            3) a            4) –

2 I was in ... pain after I twisted my ankle.

- 1) a            2) –            3) an            4) the

3 He spent ... first few years after ... college working in ... hospital in Brazil.

- 1) –, the, a            2) the, the, the            3) –, –, the            4) the, –, a

4 Captain Cook, ... English explorer, arrived in ... New Zealand in ... 1760s.

- 1) an, the, the            2) an, –, –            3) the, –, the            4) the, –, –

5 His knowledge of ... Amazon River made him a valuable guide for tourists.

- 1) –            2) an            3) a            4) the

6 They say they are making ... steady progress towards a peace settlement.

- 1) –            2) a            3) the            4) an

7 Once upon ... time ... little girl lived with her mother in ... dark forest.

- 1) a, the, –            2) –, a, the            3) a, a, a            4) the, a, –

8 ... Columbus was one of ... first people to cross ... Atlantic.

- 1) –, –, –            2) –, the, the            3) The, the, –            4) The, –, the

9 The expeditions to ... Antarctic attracted participants from all over the world.

- 1) the            2) –            3) a            4) an

10 His opinions has ... effect on many laws that are still in force today.

- 1) –                                      2) the                                      3) a                                      4) an

11 Grizzly bears are ... mammals, and it is not uncommon for them to be seen near ... garbage cans in ... national parks.

- 1) the, the, –    2) the, the, the    3) the, –, –    4) –, –, –

12 I'm flying to Italy on ... Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September, and ... plane arrives at ... Rome Airport at 11.00.

- 1) –, the, –                                      2) –, the, the                                      3) the, the, –                                      4) the, a, the

13 The trip that I took last year to ... Sahara Desert was the only vacation I had.

- 1) a    2) an    3) the    4) –

14 Private schools existed only for ... very rich, and there were very few public schools then.

- 1) a    2) an    3) the    4) –

15 ... success in some careers often depends on ... support of ... friends and relatives.

- 1) –, –, –    2) –, the, –    3) A, the, –    4) The, –, –

16 The grizzly bear, which can grow up to ... eight feet tall, has been called ... most dangerous animal of ... North America.

- 1) the, the, –    2) –, the, the    3) –, the, –    4) an, –, the

17 Paul spent half of his life in ... Far East.

- 1) a    2) an    3) the    4) –

18 ... Nile flows right through the city.

- 1) a    2) an    3) the    4) –

19 ... shop assistant didn't know how much ... sweater was because ... price tag was missing.

- 1) –, the, the    2) The, a, a    3) A, a, –    4) The, the, the

20 Some of ... important visitors flying in from ... northern Italy next week. Can you meet them at ... Birmingham Airport?

1) the, the, – 2) –, the, the 3) the, –, – 4) –, –, the

21 ... Seychelles are in the Indian Ocean.

1) a 2) an 3) the 4) –

22 Jack recovered from his accident and is now out of ... danger.

1) – 2) the 3) an 4) a

23 ... appearance of ... room can be improved by adding ... flourishing green plants.

1) The, a, the 2) The, the, – 3) An, a, – 4) –, the, the

24 ... wind is blowing dust all ... way from ... West Africa.

1) The, the, the 2) A, –, – 3) A, the, the 4) The, the, –

25 Did you visit ... Pyramids when you were in Egypt?

1) the 2) – 3) a 4) an

26 ... Chinese are famous for their traditional food and their silk.

1) a 2) an 3) the 4) –

27 ... philosophers seem to think that ... life is ... mystery.

1) –, the, the 2) The, a, – 3) The, –, – 4) –, –, a

28 ... Arctic is the large area of ... land surrounding ... North Pole.

1) –, the, the 2) the, – the 3) the, –, – 4) –, the, –

29 Until recently, California was one of the largest producers of oranges in ... southern America.

1) a 2) an 3) the 4) –

30 She has already received several awards for ... research she has been doing over the last two years.

1) a 2) an 3) the 4) –

31 ... city that has ... world's largest football stadium is ... Rio de Janeiro.

1) A, the, – 2) The, the, the 3) The, the, – 4) –, the, –

32 We took ... trip around London on top of ... double-decker and saw ... most of the famous sights.

- 1) the, the, – 2) a, the, the 3) the, a, the 4) a, a, –

33 Wildlife experts in ... California desert are using various methods to protect some of the endangered species.

- 1) a 2) an 3) the 4) –

34 The reporter managed to receive ... permission to take photos inside the church.

- 1) a 2) an 3) the 4) –

35 I feel that ... hundred miles ... hour is too fast even on ... motorway.

- 1) a, the, the 2) a, an, a 3) the, an, the 4) –, an, a

36 Among ... five Great Lakes, only ... Lake Michigan is located entirely within ... territorial boundaries of the United States.

- 1) –, the, the 2) –, the, – 3) the, –, the 4) the, the, –

37 After several unsuccessful attempts, Robert Pearly reached ... North Pole in April, 1909.

- 1) a 2) an 3) the 4) –

38 The company's sales representative claims that their software is in ... great demand all over the world.

- 1) a 2) an 3) the 4) –

39 It was ... unexpected disappointment for him to receive ... rejection letter from ... university.

- 1) an, the, a 2) an, a, the 3) –, the, – 4) –, the, the

40 ... Queen is going to visit Bath next week to open ... new hospital which has been built in ... Wellington Square.

- 1) The, the, – 2) –, the, the 3) –, a, – 4) The, a, the

41 On ... foggy November morning I was slowly driving along the country road.

- 1) a 2) an 3) the 4) –



42 When we went to Paris we saw ... Eiffel Tower and ... Louvre.

- 1) the, the                    2) -, -                    3) -, the                    4) the, -

43 We still hope ... political parties will be able to settle ... difference by ... peaceful means.

- 1) the, the, -    2) -, the, the            3) the, -, -            4) the, -, the

44 Our train leaves from ... Platform 5.

- 1) a                    2) an                    3) the                    4) -

45 They decided to go to ... Lake District on ... holiday.

- 1) -, -                    2) the, the                    3) -, a                    4) the, -

46 Parents do a lot for ... sake of their children and children often take it for ... granted.

- 1) the, -                    2) -, a                    3) the, the                    4) -, -

47 Who gave him ... permission to leave the class early?

- 1) a                    2) an                    3) the                    4) -

48 ... Mall is wide avenue leading from ... Trafalgar Square to ... Buckingham Palace, the residence of the English Kings.

- 1) The, -, -                    2) -, the, the                    3) -, -, -                    4) The, the, the

49 In ... night she rang her daughter and in ... despair told her everything.

- 1) the, -                    2) -, the                    3) -, -                    4) the, a

50 After leaving school Mark took ... course in business studies at college.

- 1) a                    2) an                    3) the                    4) -

51 I was born in ... North of England but the family soon moved to ... Lewes, which is in ... East Sussex.

- 1) the, -, the    2) the, -, -                    3) -, -, -                    4) -, -, the

52 On ... top of all, one child was in ... bed with ... pneumonia.

- 1) the, -, the    2) -, a, -                    3) the, the, the    4) -, -, -

53 A department store is a shop which sells ... wide range of goods.

- 1) a                      2) an                      3) the                      4) –

54 ... Prime Minister's residence is in ... Downing Street, close to ... Whitehall.

- 1) –, the, the    2) The, –, a              3) The, –, the              4) A, –, –

55 Usually, it is ... matter of discussing things till we reach ... agreement.

- 1) the, the              2) –, –                      3) –, the                      4) a, an

56 The company promised ... good salary for the right person.

- 1) a                      2) an                      3) the                      4) –

57 M. Thatcher, who was ... Prime Minister of Great Britain, is now known as ... Baroness Thatcher of Kesteven.

- 1) a, a                  2) a, the                  3) the, –                  4) –, the

58 Usually, it is ... matter of discussing things till we reach ... agreement.

- 1) a, an              2) –, the              3) the, the              4) –, –

59 You must ask ... permission before taking any photographs inside the church.

- 1) a                      2) an                      3) the                      4) –

60 ... Great Wall of China is said to be ... only man-made structure seen from ... space.

- 1) –, the, the    2) The, the, –              3) –, the, –              4) The, –, the

61 ... farmer's day begins at ... sunrise.

- 1) –, a                  2) The, the                  3) –, the                  4) A, –

62 That shop is selling wedding dresses at ... half price.

- 1) a                      2) an                      3) the                      4) –

63 ... Balearic Islands lie to ... south of Spain.

- 1) The, the              2) –, –                      3) The, –                      4) –, the

64 "I trust you to tell me ... absolute truth, whatever it is", he said in ... low and hurried voice.

- 1) the, a      2) an, a      3) -, -      4) the, -

65 ... TV documentaries don't interest him at all.

- 1) A      2) An      3) The      4) -

66 We've decided to go to ... Canary Islands on holiday. Last year we went to ... Crete and liked ... people there very much.

- 1) -, the, the    2) the, the, the    3) -, the, -      4) the, -, the

67 They went for ... sail in windy weather and soon they found themselves in ... difficulty.

- 1) a, -      2) -, the      3) the, -      4) a, a

68 They sold their house at ... profit.

- 1) a      2) an      3) the      4) -

69 Ferguson has travelled everywhere from ... Central Asia to ... Arctic.

- 1) -, -      2) the, the      3) -, the      4) the, -

70 ... cases of tuberculosis are on ... increase.

- 1) -, -      2) The, -      3) The, an      4) -, the

71 ... peace treaty to mark the end of ... war is usually signed in ... neutral country.

- 1) A, a, a      2) The, -, the      3) A, the, -      4) -, the, the

72 ... Niagara Falls is a famous American waterfall on ... Niagara River and actually consists of two waterfalls separated by ... Goat Island.

- 1) -, the, -      2) The, -, the      3) The, -, -      4) -, the, the

73 I agree to ... certain extent that seeing ... TV advertisement suggests your feeling ... need to buy something.

- 1) the, -, the    2) -, a, -      3) -, the, -      4) a, a, the

74 There isn't ... grain of ... truth in the story about ... house being inhabited by ghosts.

- 1) the, the, a    2) a, -, the    3) a, a, a    4) -, -, a

75 The Queen's tour of ... Caribbean will include ... Cayman Islands and ... Bermudas.

- 1) -, the, -    2) -, -, the    3) the, -, -    4) the, the, the

76 ... latest official report says that at least half ... nation's monuments in England are in ... desperate need of repairs.

- 1) -, a, the    2) The, the, -    3) The, -, a    4) A, the, a

77 Six months have passed from ... start of ... strike, but there is still no end in ... sight.

- 1) -, the, a    2) the, the, -    3) a, a, -    4) -, the, the

78 ... Singapore is a small country in ... south-east Asia, consisting of ... number of islands.

- 1) -, the, a    2) The, -, the    3) The, the, the    4) -, -, a

79 ... patient's condition is giving ... cause for ... concern.

- 1) A, -, the    2) -, a, -    3) The, the, a    4) The, -, -

80 Wasn't it Goethe who once said that ... meal should please ... eye first and then ... stomach?

- 1) -, an, a    2) a, the, the    3) the, an, a    4) a, -, -

81 We went to ... island of Sicily last summer and this year we have decided to go to an island again: either to ... Crete or ... Canaries.

- 1) an, the, the    2) the, -, the    3) -, -, -    4) an, -, -

82 I have ... suspicion that ... local authority may be planning to close ... school.

- 1) a, the, the    2) -, the, -    3) the, -, the    4) a, a, -

83 ... good weather put him in ... excellent mood for ... breakfast.

- 1) -, -, the    2) The, an, -    3) A, an, the    4) -, the, a

84 ... Appalachian Mountains is a range of mountains in ... eastern North America which runs from Newfoundland to ... central Alabama.

- 1) The, -, -            2) -, -, the            3) The, the, the    4) -, the, the

85 Frankly speaking, I didn't have ... heart to tell ... children we couldn't keep ... puppy any longer.

- 1) -, the, a            2) the, -, -            3) a, -, the            4) the, the, the

86 It is ... common knowledge that ... contract must be studied in ... detail before signing it.

- 1) a, the, a            2) the, the, -            3) -, a, -            4) -, the, the

87 ... Sierra Nevada is a mountain range which includes ... Yosemite National Park and whose highest point is ... Whitney.

- 1) The, the, the            2) -, -, the            3) The, -, -            4) -, the, the

88 ... city council came to ... agreement after five days of ... heated discussions.

- 1) The, an, -    2) -, -, the            3) The, the, the    4) A, the, -

89 On that day he wasn't in ... good mood, so he got into ... argument with ... guy at the bar.

- 1) the, -, the    2) -, the, the            3) the, the, -            4) -, -, -

90 Go along ... Buckingham Palace as far as ... Green Park, then cross ... Piccadilly Circus and you'll get to Dover Street

- 1) the, -, the    2) -, the, the            3) the, the, -            4) -, -, -

91 She is doing ... research into ... connection between ... crime and poverty.

- 1) a, the, the    2) the, a, the            3) the, the, -            4) -, the, -

92 ... hotel provides ... modern shoe-cleaning service for ... guests.

- 1) -, the, -            2) -, -, the            3) The, a, the            4) A, the, the

93 Last year will her mum and dad Linda visited ... Prince of Wales Tower and ... Museum of Natural History and then left for ... Cape Breton Island.

- 1) –, the, the    2) the, –, –    3) the, the, –    4) –, –, the

94 Exploring ... local countryside on one of the donkeys which are ... familiar sight in this rural region was absolutely out of ... question.

- 1) a, a, –    2) the, –, a    3) the, the, –    4) the, a, the

95 ... shark can smell ... blood at ... distance of half a kilometer.

- 1) A, the, –    2) The, –, the    3) –, a, –    4) –, –, the

96 One of the smallest islands in the world is ... Run, which is a small piece of ... rock in a remote part of ... East Indies.

- 1) the, a, –    2) –, the, –    3) –, a, –    4) –, –, the

97 He signed with ... despair at ... thought of all ... opportunities he had missed.

- 1) –, the, the    2) –, a, –    3) a, the, the    4) the, a, –

98 We were driving through ... heavy rain when ... windscreen wipers stopped working, so we were in ... urgent need of repair.

- 1) a, the, the    2) a, –, the    3) the, the, the    4) –, the, –

99 Soho is a district in ... West End of London, between ... Piccadilly Circus and ... Leicester Square.

- 1) the, the, –    2) the, –, –    3) –, the, the    4) –, –, the

100 You should bear in ... mind that before ... plan is carried out, you'll have to study it in ... detail.

- 1) the, a, a    2) –, the, –    3) –, a, the    4) the, the, –

### Ex.2 Choose the right article

1 ... Constitution is ... highest law in ... United States which describes ... powers of ... federal government and ... powers of state governments.

- 1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

2 Since ... 1960s there has been increased interest in ... Welsh language among ... Welsh.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

3 ... reigning monarch is not only ... head of ... state but also a symbol of ... unity of ... nation.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

4 ... function of ... monarch is politically important in ... United Kingdom.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

5 ... Prime Minister is ... leader of ... political party which has a majority in ... House of Commons.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

6 ... hotel where they held ... wedding reception was called ... Grand Hotel.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

7 ... Sahara is ... greatest desert in North Africa.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

8 ... Tate Gallery is quite far from ... Science Museum, so you'd better take a bus.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

9 ... Statue of Liberty was presented to ... American people by ... French.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

10 ... ship, ... Queen Elizabeth II, sailed down ... English Channel an hour ago.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

11 ... environment is in danger now.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

12 We are going on an expensive holiday to ... Bahamas.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

13 ... Smiths haven't arrived in ... Netherlands yet.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

14 ... rays of ... Sun are very strong in ... South.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

15 ... main river of ... USA is ... Mississippi which flows into ... gulf of Mexico.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

16 We are going to hire ... car to ... beautiful lake in the North of the country.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

17 Bill usually wears ... old pair of jeans and ... cotton shirt.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

18 Do you have ... reason for arriving so late?

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

19 He said he was going to France for ... holiday and promised to send me ... postcard with his French address as soon as he found ... place to stay.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

20 My teacher taught me to speak with ... American accent.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

21 John isn't really ... friend of mine, only ... colleague.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

22 It was ... tasty dinner and we had ... good time together.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

23 I realized how rich he was, when I heard that he owned ... Picasso.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.



24 Could you give me ... piece of advice? – What ... surprise! You've asked me to do you ... favour!

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

25 It's ... good idea to be well dressed when you go to ... interview.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

26 I'd like to buy ... hat and ... new coat.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

27 Are you ... lawyer? – No, I am ... teacher of ... French.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

28 ... child can transfer from ... school in one state to ... school in another without any serious difficulty.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

29 It's ... pleasure to go for ... walk on ... Sunday evening and have ... cup of coffee in ... café.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

30 Would you like to have ... smoke? – I've told you ... hundred of times that I've given up smoking.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

31 Higher education in the USA is provided by ... colleges and ... universities.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

32 The relationship between ... man and ... nature has become one of the problems facing ... civilization today.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

33 ... Ecology, a vital philosophical issue, stands at the crossroads of ... politics, ... science and ... economics.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

34 One form of ... air pollution is ... acid rain.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

35 In the future ... children won't go to ... school every day – they will be able to study at ... home using a computer.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

36 Some people think that ... China will be a very important world power and ... Chinese will be the world language.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

37 Soon ... people will do their shopping by a computer and all ... housework will be done by ... robots.

38 1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

39 What ... awful weather. But nevertheless we have to go to ... college.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

40 I hate ... rudeness – it really annoys me.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

41 In ... modern society, even children suffer from ... stress.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

42 ... Halloween and “Guy Fawkes Night”, which take place in autumn, are ... important celebrations in ... Britain.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

43 ... people have raised a lot of questions on ... television about ... drug problems.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

44 ... Parliament has two parts: the House of Commons and the House of Lords.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

45 If you go to ... Moscow by ... train, it will take you ten hours.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

46 The train is due to arrive at ... platform 2.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

47 Being one of ... states that made ... great contribution to ... defeat of ... Nazi invaders, ... Belarus became one of ... founders of ... UN in 1945.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

48 ... guitar is my brother's favourite musical instrument. He plays ... guitar quite well.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

49 ... rich and ... poor fought courageously against ... enemy and one ... victory.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

50 Would you like to listen to ... radio or watch ... television? – I'd like to go to ... theatre.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

51 ... Earth is round and it spins, therefore we have ... days and ... nights.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

52 It's ... second time he has gone to ... Philippines.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

53 When ... police arrived, there was nobody at ... place of robbery.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

54 "... Knowledge will forever govern ... ignorance," said Madison, ... fourth president and ... early proponent of ... press freedom.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

55 ... public's right to know is one of ... central principles of ... American society.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

56 ... Supreme Court of ... USA consists of ... chief justice and eight associate justices.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

57 ... Most schools in ... United States are ... public schools paid for by ... tax money and free to those who attend them.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

58 Some careers do not require going to ... college or ... university, but ... young Americans believe that having ... degree will help them to obtain ... higher salary on their first job.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

59 I've caught ... cold and have ... headache today.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

60 They pay me ... hundred ... week. I'd like to find ... new job.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

61 He promised to give ... call in ... hour.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

62 ... hobby is not ... holiday. ... good game is ... good thing, but it is not ... same thing as ... hobby. ... hobby is not half ... day, but half ... lifetime.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

63 There is ... hotel not far from here. We'll have ... good rest if we stay there.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

64 ... London has 13 railway termini from which ... trains leave every minute to ... different places all over ... country.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

65 ... Heathrow Airport is one of ... largest in ... England.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

66 ... USA lies on ... southern half of ... North America, with additional territory in ... Alaska and ... Hawaii.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

67 ... Oxford University was founded in ... 12<sup>th</sup> century.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

68 ... St. James Park and ... Green Park lie close together, with ... Buckingham Palace between them.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

69 He got ... bronchitis and was taken to ... hospital.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

70 ... Fleet Street is known all over ... world as ... home of ... British journalism.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

71 ... three most famous buildings in ... England are ... Westminster Abbey, ... Tower of London and ... St. Paul's Cathedral.

1) the; 2) a; 3) an; 4) -.

## Unit 2 Noun

### Ex.1 Choose the right variant

1 ... offices are being refurnished now.

1) Mr. Brown and Miss Green                      3) Mr. Brown and Miss Green's

2) Mr. Brown's and Miss Green      4) Mr. Brown's and Miss Green's

2 He enjoys drawing ... attention to himself.

1) other people's                                      3) other peoples'

2) others' people                                      4) other's people

3 A few days ago I received ... letter from Julia.

1) a ten-page's                                      3) a tenth-page



12 During the organ recital in Westminster Cathedral ... music sounded especially majestic.

- 1) Bach and Mozart
- 2) Bach's and Mozart's
- 3) Bach and Mozart's
- 4) Bach's and Mozart

13 One of the boys used ... phone to call an ambulance.

- 1) passer-bys'
- 2) passers'-by
- 3) a passer-by's
- 4) a passer's-by

14 This car is our ... .

- 1) editor-in-chief
- 2) editor's-in-chief
- 3) editor's-in-chief's
- 4) editor-in-chief's

15 ... daughter was to blame for the accident.

- 1) The owner of the restaurant
- 2) The owner's of the restaurant
- 3) The owner of the restaurant's
- 4) The owner's of the restaurant's

16 The police agreed that it was the ... fault as he had crossed the street on the red light.

- 1) passer's-by
- 2) passer-by
- 3) passer-by's
- 4) passer's-by's

17 The ... wife was wearing a plain white dress with a string of pearls.

- 1) governor-general
- 2) governor-general's
- 3) governor's-general
- 4) governor-generals'

18 She can't think of ... problems but her own.

- 1) anyone else
- 3) anyone's else

2) anyone else's

4) anyone's else's

19 At the ... which is round the corner, you can find newspapers and magazines in different languages.

1) news' agents

3) new's agent

2) newsagent's

4) newsagents'

20 The flat you are renting belongs to my ... parents.

1) sister's-in-law

3) sister-in-law's

2) sister-in-law

4) sister-in-law's

### Unit 3 Word order

#### Ex.1 Make up sentences

Put the words in the right order to make up a sentence

1 about / Chinese / going / how / tonight / to / restaurant / the?

2 name / tailor / a / me / the / tell / can / you / good / of?

3 well / are / dressed / always / very / you.

4 Brighton / I / go / often / car / London / to / from / by.

5 children / street / watched / the / Peter / the / cross.

6 room / one / there / on / the / was / a / side / of / piano.

7 fire / we / the / down / armchairs / in / before / sat / the.

8 which / girls / painted / they / the / pictures / to / hoped / sell.

9 is / exciting / tennis / golf / than / more.

10 third / studio / floor / old / the / was / of / on / brick / the / house / an.

11 playing / team / well / is / football / the / very.

12 children / fun / are / birthdays / for / great.

13 a / doll / her / birthday / the / lovely / on / girl / got.



14 very / porters / carrying / busy / to / the / are / luggage / train / the.  
15 journey / shall / I / a / comfortable / have / very.  
16 years / England / have / in / I / for / three / been.  
17 the / is / nothing / there / bicycle / wrong / with.  
18 letter / careless / was / it / to / very / lose / that / of / you.  
19 apologies / misunderstanding / our / for / please / accept / the.  
20 thinks / what / is / never / he / to / afraid / say / he.  
21 phone / while / I / it / kind / you / was / of / to / me / ill / was.  
22 the / most / ever / met / I have / person / is / intelligent / she.  
23 a / and / get / home / seven / in / the / light / have / I / at / evening /  
supper / usually.  
24 went / the / to / sister / six / at / my / younger / school / of / age.  
25 air / to / they / fresh / going / to / are / get / some / the / park.  
26 is / he / what / think / I / ashamed / said / of / he.  
27 happy / am / progress / are / I / making / with / you / the.  
28 both / forward / we / next / are / holiday / on / to / looking / going  
/ month.  
29 third / is / time / the / been / that / this / have / week / you / late.  
30 terribly / causing / much / am / sorry / I / trouble / for / you / so.  
31 leaving / all / are / hear / that / to / you / surprised / we / are.  
32 city / is / easy / the / for / first / driving / big / in / time / a / not.  
33 older / is / much / she / than / looks / really / she.  
34 football / it / watching / than / I / playing / prefer / rather.  
35 parents / on / always / I / well / with / got / have / my.  
36 was / anything / couldn't / I / that / so / surprised / I / say.  
37 nervous / sleep / I / the / so / couldn't / I / exam / before / that /  
was.

- 38 difference / words / there / between / is / the / no / two.
- 39 friends / arrived / have / with / since / anyone / you / made / you?
- 40 afford / too / they / a / abroad / holiday / to / poor / were.
- 41 suits / time / I / that / at / come / can / you / any.
- 42 looking / the / to / match / we / some / are / for / curtains / wallpaper.
- 43 experience / was / in / six / spending / India / months / interesting / an.
- 44 advice / I / able / the / decision / because / right / of / good / was / to / make.
- 45 is / old / idea / how / I / she / have / no.
- 46 sure / you / decision / the / you / are / making / are / right?
- 47 today / is / what / do / for / know / weather / the / you / forecast?
- 48 useless / much / of / foolish / it's / things / you / so / on / spend / money / to.
- 49 smoking / give / mother / to / me / wants / my / up.
- 50 because / encouraged / teachers / at / the / I / well / work / school / me / hard / to / did.
- 51 sixty / although / he / playing / about / football / he / still / is / enjoys.
- 52 stormy / a / for / weather / walk / the / was / too / to / go.
- 53 Jurassic Park / full / and / films / interesting / are / characters / exciting / of / events.
- 54 centre / buildings / several / destroyed / the / large / earthquake / in / the / city.
- 55 Mr. Winkle / to / skates / on / trying / his / was / put.
- 56 the / was / had / most / that / play / I / boring / ever / seen.
- 57 idea / ask / to / a / it / the / was / good / way / him.

- 58 entertain / ago / people / a / years / how / themselves / to / hundred / knew.
- 59 music / likes / very / classical / father / much / my.
- 60 any / to / send / son / money / didn't / I / elder / pocket / my.
- 61 think / a / do / suitable / you / this / party / for / dress / is?
- 62 children / ever / do / fruit / for / breakfast / eat / the?
- 63 at / seldom / the / weather / is / this / time / cold / the / year / of.
- 64 was / born / two / morning / o'clock / baby / the / in / the / at.
- 65 much / the / in / very / myself / I / countryside / enjoyed.
- 66 have / to / before / never / this / I / theatre / been.
- 67 in / seldom / they / tennis / winter / play.
- 68 morning / the / office / he / to / taxi / came / by / that.
- 69 doesn't / to / often / she / the / shopping / go / alone / supermarket.
- 70 time / he / on / always / come / his / to / does / classes?
- 71 children / very / some / quickly / learn / languages.
- 72 car / hasn't / for / driven / years / he / a / few / a.
- 73 ago / for / left / two / Sweden / she / years / her / hometown.
- 74 small / in / yours / house / our / is / comparison / with.
- 75 Monday / haven't / we / since / played / together / last / tennis.
- 76 you / out / weekend / often / at / the / go / do?
- 77 work / by / goes / car / always / Tom / to.
- 78 few / next / London / am / to / going / week / I / for / days / a.
- 79 usually / nine / breakfast / take / I / because / I / have / seldom / an / at / early / lunch.
- 80 has / for / just / she / station / left / the.
- 81 the / rains / part / it / seldom / of / in / country / this.

- 82 the / children / am / the / zoo / taking / afternoon / to / I / this.  
83 Pat / work / usually / from / her / does / way / shopping / on.  
84 summer / out / go / of / town / do / sometimes / you / in?  
85 worse / yesterday / than / answer / is / it / today / your / was.  
86 week / Ann / her / to / writes / letter / parents / every / a.  
87 never / to / South / goes / summer / he / in / the.  
88 ambulance / hospital / in / to / took / they / him / an.  
89 he / always / much / smoke / does / so?  
90 takes / in / a / bath / he / the / evening / always / hot.  
91 she / often / her / is / for / late / lectures?  
92 o'clock / usually / at / walk / five / in / goes / for / evening / he / a / the.  
93 he / work / his / goes / never / is / by / Tom / late / for / when / bus.  
94 breakfast / have / you / usually / do / fruit / or / for / vegetables?  
95 than / less / sister / beautiful / she / her / is.  
96 didn't / meeting / to / the / Wednesday / students / come / last / the.  
97 if / I / he / wonder / there / was / too.  
98 six / generally / day / we / have / a / lessons.  
99 London / lived / my / have / parents / always / in.  
100 for / two / went / Spain / I / holidays / ago / to / years.  
101 come / so / often / does / late / he / home?  
102 still / concert / going / the / is / on.  
103 seaside / the / I / never / to / have / before / been.  
104 yet / finished / breakfast / haven't / my / I.  
105 sometimes / with / you / play / do / your / tennis / friends?  
106 can / your / easily / she / help / do / it / without.

- 107 often / out / go / friends / you / how / with / do / your?  
108 her / much / than / Ann / taller / is / friend.  
109 a lot of / school / today / learned / at / we / things / new / have.  
110 year / the / haven't / last / since / been / I / to / theatre.  
111 in / sometimes / do / watch / you / films / English?  
112 doesn't / well / mother / as / father / speak / English / as.  
113 long / English / have / how / you / studied?  
114 some / do / mind / if / questions / you / I / ask / you?  
115 outer space / signals / get / radio / they / sometimes / from.  
116 decided / for / a / look / Gary / to / job / better.  
117 this / plate / to / please / pass / John.  
118 sings / beautifully / song / that / Jane.  
119 want / buy / a / to / I / lemonade / of / bottle.  
120 friends / his / seen / he / hasn't / years / two / for.  
121 homework / now / children / doing / the / their / are.  
122 told / I / them / about / yet / accident / haven't / the.  
123 Tom / out / the / usually / does / evening / go / in?  
124 me / to / take / airport / this / can / the / you / evening?  
125 you / the / why / go / to / never / do / cinema?  
126 summer / Tom / a / twice / usually / tennis / week / plays / in.  
127 you / holiday / have / this / had / a / yet / year?  
128 you / building / seen / ever / have / this / before?  
129 him / anything / I / take / to / want / from / don't.  
130 new / first / boy / the / notice / car / the / where / did?  
131 the / secretary / managing / with / not / was / his / satisfied / direc-  
tor.

- 132 use / the / they / to / computer / are / when / going / new?
- 133 plays / he / when / wears / he / football / shorts.
- 134 is / hard / strong / a / blowing / is / wind / it / and / raining.
- 135 letter / don't / to / post / forget / tomorrow / the.
- 136 punished / bullying / was / younger / Sam / for / the / pupils.
- 137 you / able / when / fluently / be / to / English / will / speak?
- 138 hasn't / before / ever / he / seen / man / this.
- 139 what / like / most / subject / of / you / all / did?
- 140 who / find / dictionary / this / you / will / help / to?
- 141 he / has / anything / him / told / nobody / says.
- 142 too / I / this / short / skirt / think / that / is.
- 143 this / holiday / our / summer / for / we / go / shall / where?
- 144 a / take / every / tablet / hours / four.
- 145 have / people / many / how / the / accepted / invitation?
- 146 travelling / through / countries / were / we / three.
- 147 Mr. Brown / to / at / want / look / did / what?
- 148 look / I / from / hearing / forward / to / you.
- 149 the / second / on / bedrooms / floor / are / the.
- 150 you / the / enjoy / programme / did / TV?
- 151 like / very / parties / much / to / doesn't / long / get?
- 152 would / I / some / like / tea / more.
- 153 uniform / at / I / wear / school / have / a / didn't / to.
- 154 room / they / like / didn't / hotel / the.
- 155 made / teacher / us / the / poem / by / learn / heart / the.
- 156 forget / the / before / you / them / cook / to / don't / peel / potatoes.
- 157 there / Paul / that's / over.

- 158 where / you / is / do / the / know / swimming pool?
- 159 very / is / at / good / jokes / Dave / telling.
- 160 and / quickest / these / easiest / is / e-mail / the / communicating / form / of / days.
- 161 basket / few / only / a / there / cherries / left / are / the / in.
- 162 him / anything / I / take / to / want / from / don't.
- 163 you / painting / seen / ever / have / this / before?
- 164 correct / is / completely / always / her / homework.
- 165 person / just / really / met / a / we / have / nice.
- 166 tasty / wasn't / the / food / enough.
- 167 things / usually / forget / never / I.
- 168 quietly / nobody / so / that / he / spoke / could / him / hear.
- 169 in / the / evening / out / often / go / we.
- 170 day / a / factory / 24 hours / works / this.
- 171 a / take / ever / don't / you / break?
- 172 before / crossing / always / road / carefully / look / the.
- 173 early / I / took / and / taxi / arrived / a.
- 174 she / working / twelve / still / at / was / library / in / the?
- 175 for / is / hard / her / Jane / studying / examinations.
- 176 many / voted / people / for / not / him.
- 177 can / about / history / the / tell / what / you / this / of / me / town?
- 178 have / the / I / is / friend / she / best.
- 179 people / don't / meat / are / vegetarians / who / eat.
- 180 tell / where / the / you / can / me / garage / is / nearest?
- 181 I / behaved / am / very / afraid / stupidly / you.
- 182 lent / the / me / Laura / very / money / unwillingly.

- 183 today / library / time / does / the / what / close?
- 184 Robert / doing / nine / was / what / before?
- 185 threw / Mr. Brown / out / the / window / package / of / the.
- 186 happened / to / last / what / their / night / house?
- 187 very / answered / the / rudely / shop-assistant / woman / the.
- 188 forget / a / send / don't / me / post-card / to.
- 189 sure / the / tell / Emma / I / truth / am / didn't / me / whole.
- 190 to / computer / show / use / can / the / you / how / me?
- 191 didn't / birthday / for / her / know / Tracy / give / what / boyfriend / his / to.
- 192 you / ever / to / parents / have / rudely / your / spoken?
- 193 shall / for / what / have / today / dinner / we?
- 194 Spain / in / always / they / dinner / the / late / in / have / evening.
- 195 have / some / coffee / my / I / milk / can / in?
- 196 gives / birthday / always / on / flowers / her / Tom / some / her.
- 197 got / he / very / test / the / for / good / a / mark.
- 198 always / in / he / interested / has / football / your?
- 199 went / train / London / she / yesterday / to / by.
- 200 your / take / may / because / umbrella / it / rain.
- 201 was / for / Robert / his / awarded / a / bravery / medal.

#### **Unit 4 Error correction**

**Ex.1 Read the sentences below and underline the word which should NOT be there**

- 1 For as such a good cook, he doesn't make very good desserts.
- 2 If her photograph it gets chosen she'll win \$100.



- 3 Helen did a so good job in her exams last week.
- 4 Tracy worked hard all morning to finish her research paper up on time.
- 5 A badly written article can affect on the image of an entire magazine.
- 6 He doesn't understand that why it's important to be at work on time.
- 7 Brett was very much angry when he found out Molly had lied to him.
- 8 Some children who eat such a lot of fast food that they become overweight at a young age.
- 9 The train to Reading is faster than by the bus.
- 10 By the way, I really like of your new hairstyle.
- 11 Tell him the news when you will see him.
- 12 Make sure you call me when you get to home.
- 13 I really like the vanilla ice cream, especially on top of apple pie.
- 14 If you feel that her decision it was unfair, then you should complain.
- 15 I told Mark he could join with us on our trip this weekend.
- 16 If you need to anything else, let me know.
- 17 I've never been visited to a foreign country.
- 18 I went for shopping with my sister yesterday.
- 19 I hope to go to university after I finish the school.
- 20 My French penfriend is staying with me while she is being here.
- 21 I'd like to order another of salad, please.
- 22 There weren't as many of people there as I had expected.
- 23 He never admits he is in wrong, even when he's made an obvious mistake.

- 24 Doctors say you should do some form of the exercise every day.
- 25 I'm trying to save up enough money for to buy a new car.
- 26 If the jacket doesn't fit properly, then you should return it back.
- 27 She wrote an article that it was published in the local newspaper.
- 28 I must go straight to home after my English lesson.
- 29 She phoned to say us how much she enjoyed our party last night.
- 30 I joined up a band because I really enjoy playing live music.
- 31 Mary told to Jim that his remarks had upset her.
- 32 After about an hour, the bread will be ready made to take out of the oven.
- 33 I asked my boss for half of an hour off work.
- 34 It's not worth to worrying about such an unimportant matter.
- 35 Why didn't you tell her about that we're having a party on Saturday?
- 36 I'm not sure what is to do for my brother's birthday.
- 37 There are lots of well-known artists and musicians who living in New York.
- 38 She's been teaching at that college for many of years.
- 39 He has been doing the same job for several years before now.
- 40 My telephone number is very easy to remember it.
- 41 I have tomorrow day off work, so I can go to the beach with you!
- 42 I don't think so that he will come.
- 43 My mother told to me that I must help her with the housework.
- 44 My friend asked if I would like to go on a bicycle trip with all them.
- 45 The meal which was so awful that we couldn't eat it.
- 46 Let's get something for to eat before we go to the cinema.

- 47 I missed getting my train because I woke up late.
- 48 I hardly couldn't see the screen very well because it was so far away.
- 49 He left from the house without telling anyone where he was going.
- 50 If there's anything I can do for you, please don't hesitate to ask it.
- 51 You can't have any dessert until you will finish the rest of your meal.
- 52 I took a book with me in case that I had to wait a long time.
- 53 You won't have any difficulty to finding a job if you are suitably qualified.
- 54 There are several of beautiful places in the area.
- 55 Go down this road until you have get to the next corner, and then turn left.
- 56 The office where I work at is not very far from the city centre.
- 57 I must get home by six o'clock, so I had better to leave now.
- 58 It isn't a good idea to walk through the park on your own self after midnight.
- 59 Many of the travel agencies in town they offer very cheap flights at this time of year.
- 60 Most schools they have computer labs where students can surf the Internet.
- 61 "It's time for you went to bed", she told her children.
- 62 It's much more fun to go on holiday with the friends than to travel alone.
- 63 He was swam to the other side of the pool in less than three minutes.
- 64 There were six short films shown at the party that we all enjoyed them.
- 65 My teacher suggested that I bring up my painting to school.

- 66 I want to have the report be ready next week.
- 67 At the interview, the manager told me that I was the just right person for the job.
- 68 I'd like to go and visit my sister in London about for two weeks.
- 69 It's bit of strange seeing you here after such a long time.
- 70 Wherever you will go on holiday, make sure you take lots of pictures!
- 71 He's been much the more relaxed since he came back from holiday.
- 72 The book I have just finished reading which was so sad that I actually cried at the end.
- 73 We've got plenty of apples enough, so we can make a pie.
- 74 You must to do as you have been instructed.
- 75 It's a too long way to walk to the nearest supermarket.
- 76 The car he drives is the same like as the one we have got.
- 77 I am like my job so much that I can't think of anywhere else I'd like to work.
- 78 I asked her to come also with us to the cinema, but she didn't want to.
- 79 I like to read books rather than watch on television.
- 80 I realized I'd forgotten to bring my purse, so I had to return back home to get it.
- 81 Please turn off the lights when you leave from the room.
- 82 I don't think Emma's dress really suits for her.
- 83 It is easy to do well at school as if you put your mind to it.
- 84 The book that he had written by received excellent reviews in all the newspapers.
- 85 I'm afraid I haven't got much of money to lend you.

- 86 She insisted on that she would take the train to York.
- 87 I'm very much tired, so I'm going to go to bed.
- 88 I don't think so that you'll be able to find any shops open at this time.
- 89 This film is just like as the one we saw last week.
- 90 You should let me to know if you want any help with your project.
- 91 Even though of the facts were obvious, she insisted on asking everyone for their opinion.
- 92 I had to reserve for a table at the restaurant a week in advance.
- 93 This computer manual is far too much complicated for me to understand.
- 94 Rent in this city is very expensive, since that a lot of people want to live here.
- 95 You'd better wear a scarf as well as a coat too.
- 96 My holiday was not that long enough for me to do all I wanted.
- 97 Where would you like to go for eat lunch?
- 98 I went out with friends last night, and we had a such great time.
- 99 My friend has recommended a perfect place to stay at when we go on holiday.
- 100 I've never heard such a strange music before.

**Ex.2 Find the mistake in one of the fragments**

- 1 I think you should stop (1) to work (2) and leave at five o'clock as (3) everyone else (4).
- 2 There (1) was a long drought (2) in the South America (3) in the summer (4) of 1993.
- 3 This recent advances (1) in technology, we are now able (2) to do (3) powerful computers as small as a cigarette packet.

- 4 I've been thinking (1) about the proposal, and I've decided (2) I will like (3) to join you after all (4).
- 5 When the satellite is launched (1) next week, scientists will be able to (2) investigate the rings around Saturn in more detail (3) then ever before (4).
- 6 In spite the fact (1) that food manufacturers (2) have improved food safety, precooked foods (3) may still be (4) a source of food poison.
- 7 I think Sandra is wasting (1) her time to try (2) to learn German, as (3) she's obviously got (4) no gift for languages.
- 8 He's got (1) a very direct manner, so (2) don't be surprising (3) if the first time you meet him, he asks you how much (4) you earn.
- 9 It was thoughtless of you (1) to go out without telling (2) myself (3) where you'd gone. (4)
- 10 You should (1) try to show a bit more consideration (2) for other people instead thinking (3) about yourself (4) all the time.
- 11 Sue's very confident (1) and finds it (2) easily to talk to people she's never met (4) before.
- 12 Mike persisted in doing (1) everything himself (2), even though (3) it was quite clear that he wasn't capable of doing anything proper (4).
- 13 After a six-hours delay (1) at the airport, they boarded the plane only to find (2) there was (3) no food (4) for their journey.
- 14 He got extremely angrily (1) when he saw (2) the damage (3) that had been done (4) to his car.
- 15 You must be a real optimist if you think (2) that they are going to borrow (3) you all that (4) money.
- 16 They were disappointed with (1) the hotel what (2) had looked (3) better (4) in the brochure.
- 17 It's very sad that they've got (1) so many problems, but (2) I don't know what can I do (3) about (4) it.

- 18 It may interest (1) you to know that the film you were talking (2) about is on TV (3) the next week (4).
- 19 It (1) came like (2) a complete shock to (3) Stephen when they told him he'd lost (4) his job.
- 20 Mark feels (1) that he has let (2) his parents over (3) by failing (4) all his exams.
- 21 I couldn't believe my luck when I realized (2) that my (3) was the winning (4) ticket.
- 22 I sympathize with (1) your complain (2) but unfortunately (3) there's (4) nothing I can do about it.
- 23 Despite of the fact (1) that I had little (2) experience with computers (3) I got the job I had applied for (4).
- 24 At my first (1) job interview I was asked (2) why did I want (3) the job of a clerk (4).
- 25 One of the interviewers (1) was (2) a very pleasant smiling woman who nodded encouraging (3) every time (4) I had answered.
- 26 The play had such sad ending (1) that almost everyone (2) in the audience (3) was crying (4).
- 27 We could only (1) get tickets in the front row (2) so (3) we were too closely (4) to the screen.
- 28 Have you heard (1) the latest (2) album of this (3) heavy metals group (4)?
- 29 You can't hardly (1) trust what (2) you read (3) in film reviews (4) in the press.
- 30 The critics (1) often have (2) so strange (3) taste (4) in films and plays.
- 31 Even the most experienced (1) performers suffer from stage fright (2) and may genuinely believe (3) they have forgotten (4) all the lines.
- 32 By the way (1), would you like (2) going out (3) somewhere at the weekend (4).

- 33 Computers are designed (1) to do so many (2) essential tasks that (3) we have become depending on (4) them.
- 34 The airline says (1) there are sometimes delays, so it's worth to phone them (2) at the airport (3) to check the flight is on time (4).
- 35 If you like water sports (1) your visiting (2) Lake Eildon (3) will certainly be enjoyable (4).
- 36 Vienna is the place (1) to visit (2) for music-lovers and its cafes (3) are famous by their delicious (4) cakes and pastries.
- 37 The new campsite (1) and sports centre are locating (2) just outside the town (3) in glorious countryside (4).
- 38 They got on so well with (1) their neighbours that they decided (2) taking down (3) the fence between their gardens (4).
- 39 As (1) it was (2) no room (3) for my suitcases downstairs I put them in the attic (4).
- 40 How about (1) to go (2) for a walk (3) this afternoon before dinner (4).
- 41 They tell me (1) Martin has been sent (2) on a business trip (3) nearly every month (4) last year.
- 42 If you have made up your mind (1) to buy a new house (2) you must buy (3) some (4) with a garden.
- 43 Don't you know that there is (1) against the law (2) to park (3) on a double yellow line (4).
- 44 He was very angry with us (1) but (2) he wasn't lost (3) his temper (4).
- 45 It is (1) no point (2) in making (3) so much fuss about their departure (4).
- 46 I have lots of friends (1), but (2) both of them (3) are away (4) just now.
- 47 I'm going (1) to the office collecting (2) some files I left (3) on my desk the other day (4).



- 48 I assure you that Margie's elder sister (2) is the kinder person (3) I have ever known (4).
- 49 I live (1) on a sixth floor (2) of a tall building (3) in the centre (4) of the capital.
- 50 Despite of being late (1) I was still (2) the first (3) to arrive (4) at the party.
- 51 This is (1) David Lee, who's (2) record has been in the top ten (3) for over 18 weeks (4).
- 52 I know he doesn't like (1) being (2) by his own (3) in the dark (4).
- 53 The bad weather (1) spoilt (2) all our (3) enjoying (4) of the holiday.
- 54 We are all (1) going to stay (2) here from (3) the time being (4).
- 55 All these clothes (1) are out off (2) date, so (3) I must buy some new things (4).
- 56 I have (1) two TV-sets (2), but (3) unfortunately, either of (4) them are broken.
- 57 Sorry I didn't turn up (1) yesterday but I attended (2) the meeting (3) in behalf of my boss (4).
- 58 Nearly each student (1) is to take part (2) in the competition (3) on Friday fortnight (4).
- 59 It (1) was such a bored (2) party that (3) we left after only half an hour (4).
- 60 When you fly (1) from the Europe (2) to the Middle East (3), America or Asia the flight will be longer than four hours (4).
- 61 Take an umbrella (1) if you go (2) to the seaside in autumn as it is (3) very unlikely (4) to rain.
- 62 There are homeless people in most (2) of the worlds' (3) big cities (4) nowadays.
- 63 A few years later (1) they decided closing (2) the hotel because it had never been (3) very profitable (4).

- 64 I remember quite well (1) that we had a lovely sunny (2) weather the whole (3) time we were (4) there.
- 65 The number (1) of women in law is very different (2) than (3) what (4) it was 50 years ago.
- 66 Do you think there's (1) somewhat (2) cooler today than the day before (4) yesterday?
- 67 Everyone (1) in my class accept (2) Sue has the flu (3) and is not feeling (4) very well.
- 68 As (1) I was laying (2) in bed I could hear the voices of people (4) in the street.
- 69 There are streets in Quebec that are too narrow (1) for large cars (2) pass (3) each other (4) easily.
- 70 The basketball game (1) what (2) I saw (3) was extremely exciting (4).
- 71 In the Bronte family (1), there were (2) six children, three of which (3) became famous novelists (4).
- 72 Those watches (1) are (2) extremely accurate (3) but they don't look very nicely (4).
- 73 Has anyone (1) heard whom (2) the new principal (3) will be (4)?
- 74 The car (1) and it's owner (2) were taken (3) to the nearest (4) garage.
- 75 Our coach was surprised (1) at my losing (2) so much weigh (3) over the summer (4).
- 76 The sets (1) for the play (2) were painted (3) by two people, Carmen and I (4).
- 77 Taking him by the hand (1), she led (2) the crying child (3) at home (4).
- 78 A number (1) of trees in the neighbourhood (2) was struck (3) in the storm (4) last night.
- 79 The number (1) of candidates for (2) the students Council are (3) surprisingly (4) large.

- 80 Cheese and crackers (1) are (2) a good snack (3) after school (4).
- 81 Lake Superior (1) is the larger (2) freshwater (3) lake in the world (4).
- 82 Everyone (1), including (2) the musicians, were lined up (3) for the final (4) curtain call.
- 83 Our teacher says (1) there is (2) over one million (3) species of animals (4) on Earth.
- 84 The local news (1) are on (2) from six to seven (3) o'clock every evening (4).
- 85 Do you know that the bat (1) is the only mammal that (3) could fly (4)?
- 86 What you (1) said her (2) was very helpful (3), I assure (4) you.
- 87 We waited (1) until dawn (2) before left (3) for (4) the roads were icy.
- 88 Wendy has broken (1) the school's (2) high-jump (3) record last week (4).
- 89 Without your help (1) we would never (2) have make (3) the final decision (4) in that matter.
- 90 Our school team (1) losed (2) the last (3) basketball game by only two points (4).
- 91 The day (1) after I gave (2) her the necklace (3), it had broken (4).
- 92 That group must have sing (1) that song at least (2) a hundred times (3) by now (4).
- 93 Which (1) children's book (2) won the Newbery Medal (3) this year (4)?
- 94 I've just learned (1) that the eldest street (2) in London, England (3), is Walting Street (4).
- 95 The closest (1) planet of the sun (2), Mercury, is about one third (3) the size (4) of the earth.
- 96 Who is the author (1) of Great Expectations (2), a novel (3) written during Victoria reign (4) in England?

- 97 In (1) about ten minutes time (2), the bread (3) will have risen (4) enough.
- 98 The lift (1) started to raise (2) before I pushed (3) the button for my floor (4).
- 99 Domestic cats (1) that traveled (2) with their owners, came to the New (3) World during the 1600's (4).
- 100 That perfume (1) smells (2) rather strongly (3), don't you think so (4)?
- 101 If you say (1) your lines too (2) rapid (3) no one will understand (4) you.
- 102 The fog (1) is so thick (2) that I can't hardly (3) see the road (4).
- 103 I can tell you (1) this movie (2) isn't nothing (3) like what (4) I expected.
- 104 No matter what is being discussed (1), Gloria's opinions (2) are always quite different (3) from her sister (4).
- 105 Our apartment is more spacious (1) than the Browns (2), or does it (3) only seem so (4)?
- 106 He decided to go to bed (1) as early as that (2) because he wanted to get a good (3) nights sleep (4).
- 107 I thought he was lying (1), but he turned down (2) to be telling (3) the truth (4).
- 108 Who did left (1) all this (2) rubbish at the front (3) door (4)?
- 109 We watched (1) the plane (2) to take off (3) from (4) the waiting lounge.
- 110 He had (1) no sooner (2) got to work then (3) the boss asked him why he hadn't sent in (4) the report yet.
- 111 The dietician (1) advised her eating (2) more fruit and vegetables (3) instead of (4) biscuits and chocolate.
- 112 She is prepared (1) to invest a large number (2) of her money (3) in bank shares (4).

- 113 Don't you think (1) that three years are (2) a long time (3) to be away from (4) your family?
- 114 The children were so exciting (1) when they saw the tide (2) on the sea that (3) they screamed (4).
- 115 How about (1) you go (2) for a ride (3) this afternoon together with those friends of yours (4)?
- 116 The movie seems (1) taking (2) you instantly (3) into outer space (4).
- 117 Sue prefers on buying (1) fast film (2) because she can take pictures with it (3) in poor light (4).
- 118 Approximately ten million (1) people (2) in the world have the same (3) birthday like (4) you.
- 119 Fifty years ago twenty-five cents (1) were (2) the price of a gallon of petrol (4).
- 120 Over the centuries (1) the introduction of new words (2) from many living and dead foreign languages have greatly enriched (3) the English language (4).
- 121 The choir director (1) and band leader (2) are retiring (3) next year (4).
- 122 Neither the umbrella (1) nor our raincoats (2) was (3) enough to keep us dry (4).

## Unit 5 Word formation

### Ex.1 Nouns

- 1 In England you can leave school at the age of 16 and you can marry with your parents' (*permit*).
- 2 Doctors say that a good (*laugh*) and tears are very good for fighting stress.
- 3 (*Spain*) conquered South America in the 16<sup>th</sup> century.
- 4 The teachers and parents spoke out against (*violent*) on TV and cinema screen.

- 5 People in different countries have their own customs, traditions, languages and (*believe*).
- 6 In Hindi (*marry*) ceremonies, the bride and the bridegroom are joined with a white cloth.
- 7 She's got an enormous (*various*) of flowers in her garden.
- 8 Being stuck in traffic queues is always hours of (*bore*) and wasted time.
- 9 He's hardly ever upset and his (*cheerful*) is always the same.
- 10 Most women really want (*equal*) in their family relationships.
- 11 Remember that your examination paper should not be more than 200 words in (*long*).
- 12 You are to leave the room key at the (*receive*) desk when you leave the hotel.
- 13 The proud (*own*) of a new camera, Bobby eagerly snaps shots of his family.
- 14 The (*enter*) to the hotel is rather grand with statues on both sides.
- 15 These formulas are meaningless to all but (*mathematics*).
- 16 I am surprised at his parents' (*generous*) in giving Jack so much pocket money.
- 17 (*Divide*) 1 in the football tournament contains ten teams from as far as Southampton and Glasgow.
- 18 They have installed in the (*major*) of their aircraft large cupboards above the seats.
- 19 Please, remember to take your (*member*) card with you.
- 20 I find (*cook*) books impossible to follow when I want to make some special dish.

## Ex.2 Adjectives

- 1 In a (*stress*) situation she has got a (*nerve*) habit to bite her nails.

- 2 You have to follow the rules of a (*civil*) society.
- 3 Their main feeling was joy at having achieved such a (*glory*) success.
- 4 The novel has got a number of (*memory*) episodes and has been made into a success film.
- 5 He chose a train with (*reserve*) seats.
- 6 Will you talk in a more (*sense*) way and explain yourself clearly?
- 7 There are no completely (*rely*) methods of predicting earthquakes have been found yet.
- 8 You must not enter this area unless you are wearing (*protect*) clothing.
- 9 The home team took the lead early in the match, forcing the other team to play a mainly (*defend*) game.
- 10 Hundreds of men in the town have lost jobs and are unable to find (*suit*) employment.
- 11 (*Scotland*) football fans didn't behave as they should.
- 12 The pop group is now touring some (*province*) towns.
- 13 (*Number*) remarks have been made on this project.
- 14 The hotel has got an (*impress*) restaurant with a marble floor and an old fireplace.
- 15 There was a (*consider*) amount of affection between them even though they did not show it.
- 16 Cereals are not only (*health*), but highly (*enjoy*) and nutritious.
- 17 Mark enjoys the pleasure of being (*create*), solving problems and producing things.
- 18 You can see there hundreds of (*colour*) birds in (*love*) natural surroundings.
- 19 His words were rude and (*offend*) to polite people.
- 20 I doubt if our proposal will be (*accept*) to them.

- 21 *Verbs*
- 22 How does the village life (*comparison*) with life in town?
- 23 Jupiter is a giant ice-ball (*round*) by an atmosphere of various gases.
- 24 The windows were open and the bedroom was (*frost*) with cold.
- 25 They built a dam to (*deep*) the water supply.
- 26 What about the regular medication that the doctor has (*prescription*) you?
- 27 Reading a detective story doesn't (*requirement*) much of your mental or emotional commitment.
- 28 If policemen talk to witnesses in a gentle way it will (*courage*) them to say more.
- 29 I fully (*intention*) to finish my essay on time, but my mother fell ill.
- 30 I can't (*identical*) some words and their meanings in the text.
- 31 He is considering whether or not to (*application*) for that job.
- 32 Do you find it hard to (*definition*) the first word in each pair of words?
- 33 He works for a company which (*production*) software.
- 34 I have to (*revision*) a lot of material for the examination.
- 35 When Sheila was singing, Ramon (*company*) her on the guitar.
- 36 Let's (*pretence*) we are cowboys.
- 37 If you (*multiplication*) 4 by 3 you will get 12.
- 38 What method will you use to (*solution*) this problem?
- 39 Silence sometimes (*implication*) consent.
- 40 The woman was (*satisfaction*) with the doctor's suggestion to go somewhere peaceful.
- 41 I do (*apology*) for the loss of your film.



### Ex.3 Adverbs

- 1 He waited until everybody was asleep, then opened the door (*care*) and listened.
- 2 Human immune functions are (*biology*) controlled.
- 3 Civilizations are (*act*) engaged in reshaping the world for their use.
- 4 There has been a casting of (*theatre*) talented students.
- 5 I was not (*person*) involved in that matter.
- 6 The company is in financial difficulties and (*consequence*) has to sack some workers.
- 7 Wars between Catholics and Protestants in Ireland (*origin*) started as far back as the 16<sup>th</sup> century.
- 8 The bridge over the river was (*danger*) shaky.
- 9 A lot of changes have taken place within a (*relate*) short time.
- 10 Epidemics of flu have (*drama*) increased in recent years.
- 11 The topic covered in this lesson is not (*emotion*) attractive for the pupils.
- 12 His success was (*large*) due to his dedication and hard work.
- 13 Christmas and Easter are (*nation*) observed in most countries.
- 14 They set off in (*horror*) bad weather.
- 15 The conflict was (*peace*) settled down.

### Ex.4 Negative Words

- 1 Somebody has to look after him, because he is as (*help*) as a baby.
- 2 Mr. Hawk is always late which causes (*convenient*) to other people.
- 3 I could see the driver's (*patient*) in the traffic queue as he was shouting and looking at his watch all the time.

- 4 He was afraid to oversleep the morning flight and spent a (*rest*) night in his car at the airport.
- 5 This area has got hundreds of miles of beautiful and absolutely (*spoil*) coastal scenery.
- 6 Showing yourself better than those around you is wrong and culturally (*accept*), I think.
- 7 The (*modest*) behaviour of some pop stars on and off stage irritates the public.
- 8 Absence of some luxury goods such as a car or a big house is a source of (*satisfy*) for some people.
- 9 No matter how hard I try I can't get the idea what words are (*count*) like *water* or *furniture*.
- 10 The microscope reveals minute details in structures which were previously thought to be (*divide*).
- 11 The (*safety*) working conditions endanger workers' lives.
- 12 European explorers had bitter (*agree*) with the Native Americans.
- 13 The Senators at that time in Rome were very powerful as their decision were (*limit*) by law.
- 14 You have to add some conclusions, otherwise the report looks (*complete*).
- 15 He makes spelling mistakes because he is (*attention*).

### **Ex.5 Mixed word formation**

- 1 A strong painkiller is the most (*effect*) way of getting rid of a headache.
- 2 You should consider your options (*care*) before making a decision.
- 3 Many youth (*organize*) offer summer enrichment programs.
- 4 The mayor won by an overwhelming (*major*) in last week's elections.

- 5 The two countries have overcome many of their (culture) differences.
- 6 Everyone should have basic (know) of first and procedures.
- 7 The (compete) winner will spend two weeks in France.
- 8 Our (correspond) over the years has helped us build a good friendship.
- 9 It is our (oblige) to protect the environment.
- 10 The (entertain) committee is organizing a spring carnival.
- 11 Education can help (broad) your horizons.
- 12 The sudden (close) of the travel agency left many people stranded abroad.
- 13 Recent statistics show that (employ) is unfortunately on the rise again.
- 14 A grant was given for the (construct) of a new sports facility.
- 15 He will be leaving (short) for a business trip overseas.
- 16 The police made an (announce) about the arrest this morning.
- 17 A new (advertise) campaign started yesterday to promote recycling.
- 18 Unfortunately, she wasn't (qualify) and didn't get the job.
- 19 It is his (intend) to run for office next year.
- 20 Scientists have (recent) discovered another planet in our galaxy.
- 21 The children were very (enthusiasm) about their trip to the zoo.
- 22 Even though Simon was very (wealth), he was not a happy man.
- 23 David Jenkins' (late) book has already become a best seller.
- 24 We need to find a (solve) to our economic problems.
- 25 Jane's daughter had a sudden (grow) spurt when she started school.
- 26 My mother's (encourage) has been a great help in my life.

- 27 It is (normal) very easy to find a taxi in this city.
- 28 Painting the exterior of the house improved its (appear) immensely.
- 29 Travelling by train is far more (comfort) than travelling by bus.
- 30 The decision will (hope) benefit both companies.
- 31 Safety in the workplace has become an issue of great (import).
- 32 It is (extreme) likely that we will see man land on Mars in the near future.
- 33 It is sad that so many older people are afraid and (lone) in today's society.
- 34 Being very (ambition), he graduated with top honours at a very young age.
- 35 As an international (journal), he gets to travel to many exotic places.
- 36 Their (decide) to sell the business after all these years was very difficult.
- 37 She is one of the most (high) paid actresses in the world.
- 38 Jordan had an (incredible) successful career and became very famous.
- 39 We watched the clown's antics with great (amuse).
- 40 Some people consider it (luck) to put a silver coin in your shoe.
- 41 The children clapped (happy) when their mother brought out the dessert.
- 42 His musical (able) became apparent when he was quite young.
- 43 As far as she was (concern), the discussion was closed.
- 44 The audience showed their (approve) by booing the actors.
- 45 Many (Europe) countries now use the Euro as their official currency.

- 46 John's grade were poor at first but showed some (improve) by high term.
- 47 Her high-heeled shoes were quite (suite) for the rocky road.
- 48 His (perform) as Hamlet was a huge success.
- 49 Their terrible (judge) of the situation resulted in disaster.
- 50 Regular exercise and correct diet are essential for a (health) life-style.
- 51 His misleading statements lead to (confuse) among the voters.
- 52 The five fighters moved into (act) as soon as the alarm sounded.
- 53 Despite years of research, it is still (clear) what causes the disease.
- 54 Prices have increased sharply in (relate) to rising production costs.
- 55 There are (count) books written about diet and exercise.
- 56 Sunscreen offers protection against the (harm) effects of the sun's rays.
- 57 The presidents of both countries signed an important trade (agree).
- 58 His (choose) of music was not to my liking.
- 59 Karl Lagerfeld is my favourite fashion (design).
- 60 She doesn't have the right (qualify) to become a nurse.
- 61 Computer databases give companies (value) business information.
- 62 The office receives a (deliver) of parcels every day.
- 63 We have a lot of (free) in our choice of courses next year.
- 64 The party (decorate) were bright and colourful.
- 65 Some unusual stamps are (special) rare and expensive.
- 66 There is a famous saying in business that the (custom) is always right.
- 67 Our travel (arrange) were cancelled at the last minute.
- 68 The famous actor's visit was (expect) and a great surprise.

- 69 The council (meet) continued until the early hours of the morning.
- 70 There is a great (vary) of flowers growing in our garden.
- 71 The company's financial (direct) proposed a plan to cut spending.
- 72 The (inhabit) of Los Angeles have become used to the smog.
- 73 There have been (impress) developments in technology in the century.
- 74 When the plant closed, the (lose) of jobs created many problems.
- 75 Many small businesses are sadly (able) to compete in today's markets.
- 76 For your own safety, it is (advice) to wear a seat belt at all times.
- 77 Much (prepare) is necessary before all diplomatic visits.
- 78 Many actors get (nerve) before performing on stage.
- 79 Despite his nervousness he won the 100 metre race (easy).
- 80 This magazine has some very (use) suggestions about cookery.
- 81 Nowadays, people (general) use credit cards to shop.
- 82 Exercise helps you lose weight, and has (addition) health benefits.
- 83 He has a (tend) to laugh loudly at the wrong time.
- 84 The clerk's attitude was not only (help) but also very rude.
- 85 We often wonder about the (exist) of life on other planets.
- 86 A lot of money was spent on the (develop) of the space programme.
- 87 It was (amaze) easy to learn how to ice skate.
- 88 It is a (relative) short trip from here to Mark's house.
- 89 The library is within walking (distant) of the school.
- 90 Medical researchers had the subjects under (observe) for many months.
- 91 The (true) is sometimes difficult to find.

- 92 The two girls had a strong and lasting (friend).
- 93 Progress in computer technology has been (believable) fast.
- 94 I'm sure the library has the (refer) books you need.
- 95 Jack was (enormous) disappointed when he failed his driving test.
- 96 Getting accurate (inform) is important to journalists.
- 97 It is still (certain) whether or not the Loch Ness monster really exists.
- 98 The (discover) of this fossil indicates the species is older than we thought.
- 99 There are still many (explore) areas on our planet.
- 100 A new police (investigate) into the crime proved that he was innocent.
- 101 There are some minor (differ) between the latest model and the old one.
- 102 The flat mates had a terrible (argue) about paying the bills.
- 103 The city is a major (industry) centre, with thousands of factories of all sizes.
- 104 Local (reside) are angry about the opening of a rubbish dump nearby.
- 105 We saw the most (beauty) sunset in Florida last year.
- 106 It's (reason) to expect to get your way all the time.
- 107 Everyone has a (responsible) to keep our city clean.
- 108 There is a (possible) that she will be studying abroad next year.

## **Unit 6 Prepositions**

1 Erik is taking summer school classes ... Harvard University.

1) in                      2) at                      3) from                      4) to

2 The Chinese use symbols that stand ... different words and ideas.

1) with                      2) behind                      3) for                      4) in

3 We crowded ... the telephone as we were all eager ... news ... my father's progress.

1) over, of, for                      3) near, for, for  
2) at, with, of                      4) around, for, of

4 I was never very good ... any sports ... school ... badminton.

1) in, in, except                      3) at, for, besides  
2) at, at, except                      4) for, in, besides

5 It was obvious that the boys had nothing ... common.

1) for                      2) by                      3) of                      4) in

6 I'm not going to turn ... his invitation to spend a holiday in Cyprus.

1) out                      2) down                      3) away                      4) up

7 He pushed hard against the door and finally it gave... .

1) off                      2) up                      3) in                      4) at

8 There's plenty ... room ... improvement ... our work.

1) -, of, for                      2) of, in, of                      3) -, to, of                      4) of, for, in

9 If you help me ... this work I'll do something ... you ... return.

1) on, to, in                      2) with, for, in                      3) in, for, by                      4) about, to, at

10 My younger brother has a real talent ... painting.

1) in                      2) for                      3) at                      4) to

11 The shop assistant talked me ... buying this suit, although I didn't particularly like it.

1) off                      2) out                      3) of                      4) into

12 Can you make ... what is written ... that sign ... there?

1) up, of, -                      3) in, about, -                      3) off, on, in                      4) out, on, over

13 She's been put ... charge ... children's activities ... the summer camp.



1) in, with, in      2) in, of, at      3) on, of, in      4) with, for, at

14 What's the speed limit ... a British motorway?

1) at      2) in      3) of      4) on

15 He had promised to play in the match, but he didn't come and let the whole team ... .

1) down      2) in      3) off      4) by

16 There are all sorts ... wonderful inventions in the world and many of them are taken ... granted.

1) for, in      2) of, for      3) of, on      4) in, for

17 I've been ... work for months. I filled ... lots of forms but all my applications were turned ... .

1) without, in, on      3) without, -, up  
2) out of, in, down      4) out of, out, back

18 Susan smiled ... him and waved.

1) over      2) to      3) at      4) on

19 We were provided ... pencils and paper to write the test.

1) by      2) for      3) with      4) in

20 I was ... time ... my dentist's appointment, but the dentist was still busy ... another patient.

1) on, for, with      2) at, for, with      3) on, at, about      4) in, at, for

21 ... her jeans and T-shirt Jane felt ... place ... the expensive restaurant.

1) With, off, at      2) In, out of, in      3) In, for, at      4) With, of, in

22 His business partner lives ... 42 Rosemont Avenue.

1) at      2) in      3) on      4) to

23 David carried ... working despite feeling very sleepy.

1) on      2) out      3) off      4) over

24 ... the end ... the day she was so tired that she was desperate ... some peace and quiet.

- 1) At, of, for      2) At, in, of      3) For, of, with      4) By, of, to

25 After trying ... her favourite dress, she realized that she had to let it ... because she'd put ... weight

- 1) on, in, on      2) -, off, up      3) on, out, on      4) on, in, up

26 Your English is much better, but there's always room ... improvement.

- 1) in      2) for      3) of      4) to

27 Parents always try to bring ... their children to be thoughtful.

- 1) off      2) up      3) back      4) out

28 I wonder if you are interested ... going camping ... us ... next weekend.

- 1) in, with, -      3) with, to, at  
2) for, to, on      4) about, with, over

29 Look ... ! There's a dog trying to cross the road. Slow ... please or it may be run ... .

- 1) up, down, across      3) out, off, into  
2) over, up, through      4) out, down, over

30 The trees along this street are usually decorated with coloured lights ... special occasions.

- 1) on      2) in front of      3) at      4) in

31 The old cottage has been turned ... a very attractive gallery.

- 1) into      2) up      3) on      4) over

32 Jane doesn't approve ... wearing real fur, but Ida doesn't agree ... her ... that.

- 1) at, to, with      2) of, to, about      3) of, with, on      4) for, with, to

33 Mandy Dickson set ... a one-day workshop which is aimed ... ordinary people who don't feel able to control ... their tempers.

- 1) up, to, down      2) on, to, over      3) off, at, with      4) up, at, –

34 The use of perfume can be traced back ... ancient Egypt.

- 1) in                      2) to                      3) through              4) for

35 The play was put ... for a week because the leading actress was ill.

- 1) up                      2) on                      3) off                      4) by

36 The school summer courses focus ... providing fun and entertainment ... young teenagers aged ... 13 and 17.

- 1) on, for, between                      3) on, to, among  
2) at, to, in                                  4) in, with, between

37 There's plenty ... room ... improvement ... his work.

- 1) of, of, to                      2) –, in, of                      3) for, in, of                      4) of, for, in

38 Letters of application for this post should be completed ... handwriting.

- 1) with                      2) in                      3) by                      4) of

39 We didn't have to book ... advance at the hotel.

- 1) of                      2) by                      3) in                      4) for

40 I was ... time ... my dentist's appointment, but the dentist was still busy ... another patient.

- 1) in, for, with                      2) of, in, to                      3) on, for, about                      4) in, at, about

41 I don't approve ... smoking ... public places, it's not fair ... non-smokers.

- 1) of, at, of                      2) of, in, to                      3) for, at, for                      4) with, in, for

42 The earthquake resulted ... 59 deaths and massive property damage.

- 1) in                      2) at                      3) with                      4) by

43 In connection ... the question we would like to meet you on Thursday.

- 1) on                                      2) at                                      3) with                                      4) to

44 They became annoyed ... Sam, who kept breaking ... their conversation.

- 1) by, to                                      2) with, into                                      3) on, through                                      4) at, away

45 What have you got to say ... response ... the charges made ... you?

- 1) in, to, against                                      3) on, with, against  
2) in, for, for                                      4) on, to, by

46 I sometimes mistake Clare ... her sister on the phone.

- 1) on                                      2) for                                      3) by                                      4) with

47 ... theory, volcanic eruptions are difficult to classify.

- 1) With                                      2) On                                      3) For                                      4) In

48 He remarked ... the difference ... security measures ... the two airports.

- 1) on, on, between                                      3) to, at, in  
2) on, in, at                                      4) at, of, with

49 He puts his success ... being ... the right place ... the right time.

- 1) on, at, at                                      3) down to, in, at  
2) for, in, in                                      4) on, at, in

50 Many people now rely ... the Internet for news.

- 1) to                                      2) on                                      3) for                                      4) at

51 The school buses have been inspected ... safety.

- 1) in                                      2) for                                      3) on                                      4) with

52 Freda and Cecil Brown's parents were ... debt and the children had been put ... children's home until their family was ... difficulties.

- 1) on, to, out of                                      3) in, in, out of  
2) by, in, without                                      4) under, to, without

53 Parents and teachers share the responsibility ... the children.

1) for                      2) on                      3) from                      4) before

54 I am in great need ... money.

1) to                      2) with                      3) of                      4) for

55 The reason ... my dislike to the film is that I don't see any connection ... the book and the film at all.

1) for, between              2) of, to                      3) on, in                      4) to, with

56 'I'll pay you ... for that!' shouted Johnny to a friend who had played a trick ... him.

1) off, with                      2) away, at                      3) back, on                      4) on, for

57 This kind of food is high ... fat.

1) on                      2) of                      3) in                      4) for

58 She showed a talent ... acting at an early age.

1) at                      2) in                      3) for                      4) on

59 ... our surprise the bill came ... over a hundred dollars ... all.

1) By, at, in                      2) To, by, at                      3) To, to, in                      4) At, on, at

60 He was obviously hoping they would approve ... his suggestion, but for some reason they turned it ... .

1) of, down                      2) -, of                      3) on, away                      4) at, back

61 How can they accuse him ... cheating?

1) on                      2) of                      3) for                      4) in

62 He had a wonderful talent ... telling genuine jewelry from artificial.

1) of                      2) in                      3) on                      4) for

63 I have wide experience ... word processing and I am sure I will have little difficulty ... the duties the job includes.

1) in, with                      2) of, on                      3) in, for                      4) of, at

64 I know I can always turn ... Kate for comfort and I am sure she'll never let me ... .

1) for, out                    2) at, up                    3) to, down                    4) to, off

65 You should insure your camera ... theft.

1) for                    2) of                    3) against                    4) off

66 He was fined for parking his car ... a no-parking place.

1) in                    2) to                    3) on                    4) by

67 I am writing ... reply to your advertisement ... secretaries to work ... your central offices.

1) at, for, at    2) in, for, in    3) to, on, at    4) for, about, in

68 He waited excitedly ... the platform ... his friend's train to pull ... .

1) at, to, in    2) on, to, up    3) at, for, down    4) on, for, in

69 The best surgeon operated ... Taylor's knee.

1) in                    2) on                    3) –                    4) at

70 She has announced her retirement ... the sport.

1) out of                    2) off                    3) from                    4) of

71 He doesn't care ... what anyone says and often puts their business ... risk.

1) for, in                    2) of, under                    3) –, at                    4) at, to

72 Everyone was taken ... when the manager stood ... and walked ... the assembly-room.

1) up, on, off                    3) over, in, from

2) aback, up, out of                    4) on, up, away

73 I knew it wouldn't be easy when I decided ... a career in nursing.

1) for                    2) in                    3) on                    4) at

74 Can I exchange this shirt ... a different one, please?

1) on                    2) to                    3) onto                    4) for

75 They put the blame ... me ... what has happened ... him.

1) on, for, to                    3) at, in, to

2) at, for, with

4) on, of, with

76 Mary apologized ... her strict criticism and advised them to look ... the problem again and find a way ... it.

1) of, at, off

3) for, into, out of

2) for, at, of

4) of, on, from

77 We all share some of the blame ... the accident.

1) in

2) on

3) for

4) to

78 He did the work ... the best of his ability.

1) at

2) on

3) with

4) to

79 Don't be so rude ... Jeremy and you needn't show that you are superior ... him.

1) to, to

2) with, to

3) at, with

4) to, of

80 I took you ... your brother ... a distance. You look so alike.

1) for, from

2) on, in

3) after, at

4) over, on

81 It wasn't common ... people to get a holiday ... work ... Christmas Day in the past.

1) to, off, at

2) for, from, on

3) to, of, on

4) for, at, at

82 We'll be satisfied ... a respectable result ... tomorrow's match ... Nigeria and Ireland.

1) with, in, between

3) to, with, against

2) for, of, among

4) with, on, with

83 I am writing ... reply ... your advertisement ... secretaries to work in your central offices.

1) on, for, of

3) in, to, for

2) to, to, on

4) with, for, about

84 I felt really let ... when he didn't turn ... our date.

1) out, up, at

3) out, on, for

2) down, in, to

4) down, up, for

85 Visitors ... tropical resorts still stay out ... the sun too long, even though they have had plenty of warnings ... the dangers of the sun rays.

1) of, at, of

3) to, in, about

2) in, on, against

4) to, by, for

86 The octopus shelters itself ... larger fish ... surrounding itself ... a cloud of black ink.

1) from, by, with

3) out of, with, over

2) of, on, by

4) off, in, at

87 The talks continued late ... the night ... an effort to clear ... the remaining difficulties.

1) till, at, away

3) into, in, up

2) at, with, out

4) to, with, off

88 Great improvements ... public health have been brought ... by advances ... medical science.

1) at, up, for

3) to, in, towards

2) of, up, at

4) in, about, in

89 The flat he rented for his short holiday was ... the sea, close ... local shops and within easy walking distance ... the beach.

1) at, by, on

3) in, to, to

2) by, to, of

4) by, at, from

90 The Congress was bound to agree ... the President ... the increase ... federal taxes.

1) with, on, in

3) with, over, by

2) to, at, of

4) to, to, on

91 The preference ... travelling by plane in recent years has led ... an improvement ... the quality of service offered during a flight.

1) in, for, of

3) of, by, of



2) for, to, in

4) to, for, to

92 The negotiations went ... several weeks before they eventually came ... an agreement.

1) up, to, for

3) in, for, with

2) on, for, to

4) on, since, with

93 They say it's impossible to capture the beauty of rainforest ... film or describe it ... someone who has never been ... one.

1) in, for, in

3) on, to, to

2) in, to, at

4) on, for, at

94 If you find an item purchased here ... sale anywhere else ... a lower price, we will make ... for the difference.

1) on, for, out

3) for, for, –

2) for, by, –

4) on, at, up

95 Contrary ... popular belief, sleepwalking is more common ... children and often happens as a response ... stress.

1) with, in, on

3) to, in, to

2) for, with, to

4) to, of, on

96 According to the statistics, two ... three marriages break ... and end ... divorce.

1) in, out, with

3) of, in, by

2) out of, up, in

4) from, down, to

97 ... contrast to Europe, countries close ... the equator suffer most ... thunderstorms.

1) In, at, from

3) With, for, of

2) By, to, from

4) By, with, of

98 Now I have signed ... computer lessons and I am learning how to use my computer ... designing things, but I am getting a bit bored ... them.

1) up to, in, about

3) in at, for, of



1) of, by, to

3) on, on, in

2) in, on, at

4) on, by, for

106 At the big shop ... Shaftesbury Road, the staff are busy ... getting prepared ... their latest display.

1) on, in, to

3) in, -, for

2) at, with, to

4) on, of, for

107 I didn't want to go ... details ... the phone, so we arranged a meeting in my office ... the next day.

1) out for, over, on

3) through, on, at

2) into, on, for

4) into, over, to

108 The government is looking ... various proposals ... cutting ... the number of cars on our roads.

1) at, for, down

3) on, on, away

2) upon, at, off

4) up, to, on

109 Marinea is a delightful holiday resort ... the town, ideal ... those wishing to spend a quiet week or two ... the seaside.

1) outside, for, at

3) in, for, on

2) out of, to, on

4) out of, to, at

110 ... days of wondering what to give Nick as a present, it occurred ... Ben to give Nick a ticket ... a pop concert.

1) After, to, for

3) For, to, to

2) In, for, for

4) On, for, on

111 I was very conscious ... the fact that Margaret felt ill ... ease ... the company of strangers.

1) by, to, at

3) of, at, in

2) with, at, about

4) about, on, with

112 I put Jane's moodiness ... the stress she had been ... the last few weeks.

- 1) down on, in, during                      3) down to, under, over  
2) for, at, within                              4) on, with, in

113 Most people feel shy ... some time or another and shyness usually comes ... being unsure ... yourself.

- 1) in, of, in                                      3) for, from, in  
2) at, from, of                                  4) at, of, for

114 Tom is studying ... a degree ... politics ... Harvard University.

- 1) to, at, at                                      3) at, in, in  
2) for, in, at                                      4) in, on, in

115 ... our surprise the bill came ... over a hundred dollars ... all.

- 1) To, at, in                                      3) To, to, in  
2) For, in, at                                      4) At, up to, at

116 Extensive research is being carried ..., which will hopefully result ... finding a cure ... this disease.

- 1) on, at, against                              3) out, in, for  
2) out, for, of                                      4) on, with, of

117 They were suspected ... stealing ... the company and the detective accused them ... the theft.

- 1) of, for, with                                      3) of, from, of  
2) for, of, of                                      4) in, in, with

118 Insuring pets ... sickness or accidents is becoming a fast growing business ... an effort to cope ... huge vet bills.

- 1) for, by, with                                      3) from, with, for  
2) of, in, for                                      4) against, in, with

119 I see no reason ... her quitting the job and switching over ... something she's been absolutely ignorant ... .

- 1) of, on, at                                      3) for, -, in

2) for, to, about

4) of, for, at

120 As things turned ... in the first days of football, a major football game was often preceded ... a long correspondence ... lengthy arguments about the rules.

1) up, with, for

3) out, to, of

2) of, -, in

4) out, by, with

## Unit 7 Question tags

### Ex.1 Give the right variant

- 1 Elderly people seldom enjoy going out, (не так ли)?
- 2 Helen had hardly ever seen him so angry, (не так ли)?
- 3 She never receives visitors, (не так ли)?
- 4 That kind of crime never happens these days, (не так ли)?
- 5 As far I know, he arrives on time, (не так ли)?
- 6 They aren't going to visit us next Monday, (не так ли)?
- 7 Nothing special happened, (не так ли)?
- 8 That's your wife over there, (не так ли)?
- 9 This method is never used in modern laboratories, (не так ли)?
- 10 Teenagers generally enjoy sport, (не так ли)?
- 11 I think he is Norwegian, (не так ли)?
- 12 I suppose there is little we can do about it, (не так ли)?
- 13 I don't think it will rain, (не так ли)?
- 14 That hardly counts, (не так ли)?
- 15 I suppose there are scarcely any problems left, (не так ли)?
- 16 I suppose nobody likes it, (не так ли)?

- 17 Nobody phoned, (не так ли)?
- 18 I suppose you are hungry, (не так ли)?
- 19 I think he is rather hardworking, (не так ли)?
- 20 I hope nobody has failed the test, (не так ли)?
- 21 He is unlikely to do it by himself, (не так ли)?
- 22 They are unlikely to find new evidence, (не так ли)?
- 23 I think there's hardly any time left, (не так ли)?
- 24 The factory is unlikely to reduce its workforce at least in the near future, (не так ли)?
- 25 Nobody has been told about the meeting, (не так ли)?
- 26 I don't think anyone else is coming, (не так ли)?
- 27 Nobody believes that he is really Roger Tichborne, (не так ли)?
- 28 Nobody's heard about Nick since he left school, (не так ли)?
- 29 I don't think anybody has been arrested, (не так ли)?
- 30 I think he hardly ever goes to bed before midnight, (не так ли)?

## Unit 8 Speech patterns

### Choose the right variant

1. Haven't you finished your work?
  - a) No, I haven't.
  - b) Yes, I haven't.
2. You haven't forgotten to send a Christmas card, ...
  - a) haven't you?
  - b) have you?
3. Do you mind if I switch on the TV set?
  - a) I'm afraid not.
  - b) Not at all. Go ahead.
4. Shall I start?
  - a) Yes, you will.
  - b) Please, do.
5. Hello. May I introduce myself? I'm Susan.

- a) Pleased to meet you.  
b) Yes, you can.
6. See you on Wednesday.  
a) Yes, see you then.  
b) Yes, you do.
7. What sights would you like to see if you came to London?  
a) I would go to see Trafalgar Square.  
b) I like go to see Trafalgar Square.
8. What do you say if you haven't heard a remark and want it to be repeated?  
a) If you please?  
b) I beg your pardon?
9. Would you like to join us?  
a) I don't.  
b) I'd love to.  
c) It doesn't matter.
10. I've got a splitting headache.  
a) I'm sorry to hear that.  
b) I'm afraid not.  
c) I think so, too.
11. Do you know where the cinema is?  
a) Oh, it's on the tip of my tongue.  
b) Not really.  
c) I don't, either.
12. I'm sorry I'm late.  
a) That's my problem.  
b) That's all right.  
c) That's great.
13. Excuse me, is anyone sitting here?  
a) No, neither.  
b) Yes, of course.  
c) The more, the better.
14. I didn't know John was married.  
a) So did I.  
b) Did he really?  
c) Didn't you?
15. I like your new car.  
a) The same to you.  
b) I'm afraid not.  
c) You must be joking.

16. Let me give you some advice.
- a) No, you needn't.
  - b) Go ahead.
  - c) Sorry, I won't.
17. How are you feeling?
- a) I feel it's nice.
  - b) Not at all.
  - c) Fine, thank you.
18. May I use your computer?
- a) Please.
  - b) Yes, you may.
  - c) Don't mention it.
19. Have a happy journey.
- a) I'm sure I will.
  - b) Thank you.
  - c) Glad to hear it.
20. He hasn't been very well, has he?
- a) No, he has.
  - b) Yes, he hasn't.
  - c) No, he hasn't.
21. Remember me to Aunt Polly.
- a) I will. Thanks.
  - b) Don't mention it.
  - c) I will remember.
22. The game is so boring.
- a) Let's hope for the best.
  - b) I couldn't agree more.
  - c) Not a bad idea.
23. Could you give me a lift?
- a) Not yet.
  - b) Sure.
  - c) Yes, I could.
24. Have a nice weekend.
- a) The same to you.
  - b) Glad to hear it.
  - c) Yes, it's nice.
25. Sorry to have kept you waiting.
- a) Not at all.
  - b) You are welcome.
  - c) That's all right.



26. It's nearly time for lunch, isn't it?  
a) Yes, it is.  
b) Yes, it's nearly.  
c) Yes, there is.
27. Thank you very much.  
a) Sorry.  
b) Excuse me.  
c) It's a pleasure.
28. What do you say if you have to push past people?  
a) Sorry.  
b) Good-bye.  
c) Don't mention it.
29. You don't remember his name, do you?  
a) Yes, I don't.  
b) No, I don't.  
c) No, I do.
30. Don't worry. There's plenty of time.  
a) Is it?  
b) Isn't there?  
c) Is there?
31. ...? – No, you needn't. You can do it tomorrow.  
a) Must I do it now?  
b) Can I do it now?  
c) May I do it now?
32. Let's go for a walk.  
a) Can we?  
b) Shall we?  
c) Let us not?
33. ...? – I am very well, thank you.  
a) How do you do?  
b) How are you getting on?  
c) How are you?
34. Mrs. Brown, may I introduce Mr. Black to you? Mr. Black, this is Mrs. Brown.  
a) How nice!  
b) How do you do!  
c) It's very kind of you.
35. How long have you lived here?  
a) For two years.  
b) In two years.

- c) Since two years.
36. What about a game of chess?
- a) That's all right.
  - b) I should think so.
  - c) I'd love to, but I have a bad headache.
37. Shall we go out?
- a) Yes, we have to.
  - b) Yes, let's.
  - c) No, we must.
38. You don't like coffee.
- a) Yes, I don't.
  - b) No, I do.
  - c) Oh, yes, I do.
39. It's too late.
- a) You mustn't go out.
  - b) You mustn't to go out.
  - c) You haven't to go out.
40. Thanks for your help.
- a) Certainly.
  - b) You are welcome.
  - c) All right.
41. Aren't you going to leave early?
- a) No, I don't.
  - b) Yes, I am not.
  - c) No, I am not.
42. I really have to go now.
- a) So you are.
  - b) What a shame!
  - c) Not in the least.
43. He wasn't late last time, was he?
- a) No, he was.
  - b) Yes, he wasn't.
  - c) No, he wasn't.
44. Pat has left a message for you.
- a) Hasn't she?
  - b) Oh, has she?
  - c) Does she?
45. Where's the bus stop?
- a) There is.
  - b) Over here.

- c) Over there.
46. Who's coming for the weekend?
- a) Laura has.
  - b) Laura is.
  - c) Laura's.
47. Excuse me, is this seat taken?
- a) I'm afraid, I don't.
  - b) Yes, please.
  - c) Yes, I suppose so.
48. Would you like me to drive you home?
- a) Never mind.
  - b) Yes, please. That's very kind of you.
  - c) That's a good idea.
49. Can you play chess?
- a) Yes, I can a little.
  - b) Yes, I can little.
  - c) Yes, I am playing a little.
50. Lovely day, isn't it?
- a) Yes, that's all right.
  - b) Yes, it's my pleasure.
  - c) Yes, much better than yesterday.
51. Do you mind closing the window? It's cold in here.
- a) I don't mind.
  - b) No, not at all.
  - c) No, here you are.
52. Has Mary returned yet?
- a) She has returned last Sunday.
  - b) She didn't return yet.
  - c) Yes, she came back last Sunday.
53. Where are you from?
- a) I am from school.
  - b) I am from the States.
  - c) No, I'm not British. I'm American.
54. How do you do.
- a) Good, thank you.
  - b) Good evening.
  - c) How do you do.
55. Alan, can I have a word with you?
- a) That's all right.
  - b) Yes, you could. Is anything the matter?

- c) Of course. Is anything the matter?
56. Would you like to join us?
- a) Yes, I shall.
  - b) Yes, I am.
  - c) Yes, I'd love to.
57. Have you heard the news about Martin?
- a) Yes, I heard it already.
  - b) Yes, I've already heard it.
  - c) Yes, I've heard it yesterday.
58. What do you do, James?
- a) I'm a doctor.
  - b) I'm a football fan.
  - c) I'm English.
59. Hello, Tom! How are you?
- a) I'm well, thank you.
  - b) Not good, thank you.
  - c) How are you?
60. Doesn't he always come on time?
- a) No, he isn't.
  - b) Yes, he doesn't.
  - c) No, he doesn't.
61. I've seen this film before. And you?
- a) I have seen it last year.
  - b) I haven't seen it yet.
  - c) I didn't see it yet.
62. The children are asleep.
- a) You don't have to make noise.
  - b) You mustn't make noise.
  - c) You needn't make noise.
63. Could I speak to James, please?
- a) Yes, you could.
  - b) That's right. He's there.
  - c) Hold on a moment. I'll see if he's there.
64. Aren't they going to buy a new car?
- a) No, they don't.
  - b) No, they aren't.
  - c) Yes, they aren't.
65. I haven't seen him lately. And you?
- a) I've seen him last night.
  - b) I saw him last week.

- c) I didn't see him since last week.
66. This is Jane.
- a) What do you do?
  - b) Hello. Pleased to meet you.
  - c) I'm fine, thank you.
67. How are you?
- a) How do you do?
  - b) I'm fine, thanks.
  - c) Hello.
68. The students are taking an exam.
- a) since 9 o'clock
  - b) for an hour and a half
  - c) the day after tomorrow
69. Do you think you'll like it here?
- a) Yes, I think.
  - b) I'm sure I'll like.
  - c) I'm sure I will.
70. You look worried, Paula. Is anything wrong?
- a) Yes, anything is wrong.
  - b) No, I'm not wrong.
  - c) No, not really.
71. What is your sister?
- a) She's nice.
  - b) She's very good-looking.
  - c) She's a student.
72. Pass me the pepper, please.
- a) Here you are.
  - b) That's all right.
  - c) It's over there.
73. Have you ever been to Paris?
- a) From time to time.
  - b) Never.
  - c) Sometimes.
74. I don't like pop-music.
- a) So do I.
  - b) Neither do I.
  - c) I too.
75. How do you ask about the weather?
- a) What's the weather like?
  - b) What the weather is like?

- c) What does the weather like?
76. What time do you get up as a rule?
- a) At half past seven.
  - b) In thirty past seven.
  - c) At seven o'clock and a half.
77. Would you like to go out tonight?
- a) Yes, I like to.
  - b) Yes, I'd love to.
  - c) Yes, I love to.
78. Your English is very good!
- a) Well, I'm studying English for six years.
  - b) Well, I've studied English for six years.
  - c) Well, I studied English since six years.
79. What does Bill look like?
- a) He is quite well.
  - b) He is very tall and strong.
  - c) He likes tennis.
80. Have you ever been to Ireland?
- a) No, I wasn't.
  - b) Not at all.
  - c) No, never.
81. He has had two car accidents lately.
- a) That's all right.
  - b) It doesn't matter.
  - c) I'm sorry to hear that.
82. What's your cousin?
- a) She's Mary.
  - b) She's a doctor.
  - c) That is her.
83. How do you like your tea, strong or weak?
- a) It's strong, please.
  - b) Both.
  - c) Not too strong, please.
84. I hope you will excuse me for being late.
- a) Yes, I will.
  - b) Yes, you may.
  - c) That's all right.
85. Thank you very much for your help.
- a) All right.
  - b) Never mind.

- c) You are welcome.
86. Would you like a cup of tea?
- a) No problem at all.
  - b) No, not at all.
  - c) Yes, a cup of tea would be lovely.
87. Pat and Jane have enjoyed the trip.
- a) So enjoyed I.
  - b) So have I.
  - c) So did I.
88. Sorry for being late.
- a) Nothing.
  - b) That's all right.
  - c) It's my pleasure.
89. So you didn't contact him, after all.
- a) Yes, I didn't, sorry.
  - b) I am sorry I didn't.
  - c) No, I contacted. Why?
90. Shall I help you?
- a) No, you mustn't.
  - b) No, you shouldn't.
  - c) No, you needn't, thank you.
91. How are you?
- a) And how are you?
  - b) Fine, thanks.
  - c) I'm good, thank you.
92. Will you have to stay in bed?
- a) Yes, I stay.
  - b) Yes, I have.
  - c) I'm afraid so.
93. Did you enjoy the party?
- a) Yes, it was great fun.
  - b) Yes, I enjoyed.
  - c) Yes, it was very funny.
94. Would you like something to eat?
- a) No, I don't.
  - b) No, thank you. I've just had my lunch.
  - c) Not at all, thank you.
95. What would you like to do at the weekend?
- a) I don't like the weekend.
  - b) I like to do a lot.

- c) I'd like to see a football match.
96. What's that man?
- a) He's John.
  - b) Yes, it's a man.
  - c) He's a teacher.
97. Have you ever been to Scotland?
- a) No, never.
  - b) Not already.
  - c) Yes, never.
98. I'm happy to see you again.
- a) Me, too.
  - b) I too.
  - c) I also.
99. Do you speak English?
- a) Yes, I speak.
  - b) So do I.
  - c) Yes, I do.
100. Shall I open the window?
- a) Do, please.
  - b) Don't open.
  - c) Open, please
101. Come and see us this Saturday.
- a) Yes, I come.
  - b) Thank you, I will.
  - c) Yes, I'd like.
102. Can I speak to Mike, please?
- a) Here you are.
  - b) You are welcome.
  - c) Just a moment, please.
103. Hello, is that Judy?
- a) Yes, she is speaking.
  - b) Yes, I am.
  - c) Yes, speaking.
104. Can I use your phone?
- a) Yes, go ahead.
  - b) Not at all.
  - c) That's all right.
105. Would you like to watch the football match?
- a) Yes, I'd love to.
  - b) Yes, I like to.



- c) No, I don't.
106. See you later then. Bye!
- a) I'll see you too. Bye!
  - b) Bye! And thanks for everything!
  - c) OK! See you later.
107. Did you have a nice holiday?
- a) Yes, I had fine.
  - b) Yes, I enjoyed.
  - c) Yes, I did.
108. Shall we walk?
- a) Yes, we shall walk.
  - b) I'd rather not. I'm not feeling very well.
  - c) Not in the least.
109. Are you leaving?
- a) Yes, please.
  - b) Yes, I must be off.
  - c) Not at all.
110. You must be tired.
- a) Not in the least.
  - b) Yes, I must.
  - c) That's all right.
111. I was impressed by the performance.
- a) I was too.
  - b) So was I.
  - c) I was also.
112. Have you got a car?
- a) No, I haven't.
  - b) Yes, I get.
  - c) I don't.
113. How are you?
- a) How do you do?
  - b) I'm a student.
  - c) Very well, thanks.
114. You don't like this sort of music, do you?
- a) Yes, I don't.
  - b) No, I don't.
  - c) No, I do.
115. I didn't get a holiday this year.
- a) So did I.
  - b) Neither did I.

- c) I didn't too.
116. I'm not keen on dancing.
- a) Don't you?
  - b) Aren't you?
  - c) Are you?
117. May I take the day off tomorrow?
- a) No, you needn't.
  - b) No, you couldn't.
  - c) I'm afraid not.
118. So you don't think much of the play.
- a) Yes, I don't.
  - b) No, I do.
  - c) No, I don't.
119. How's the old man?
- a) He's 65.
  - b) He's much better.
  - c) Mr. Smith is the old man.
120. He hasn't got a big family.
- a) His friend hasn't too.
  - b) Neither has his friend.
  - c) Neither hasn't his friend.
121. Do you know the time of the next train?
- a) I'm afraid I don't.
  - b) No, I'm sorry.
  - c) I'm sorry I can't.
122. Would you like some milk?
- a) No, thank you.
  - b) I am afraid I can't.
  - c) I am afraid I wouldn't.
123. Where's the nearest post-office?
- a) Turn left and then right.
  - b) It's about two kilometers.
  - c) It opens at nine o'clock.
124. Why did he leave so early?
- a) I've no idea.
  - b) Yes, he did.
  - c) I'm sorry I don't.
125. What do you do?
- a) I'm an engineer.
  - b) I like chess.

- c) I'm from England.
126. Could you pass me a glass?
- a) You are welcome.
  - b) Here you are.
  - c) I'd like to.
127. Have you ever been to the mountains?
- a) Not still.
  - b) Not yet.
  - c) No yet.
128. What does Shirley look like?
- a) She's like her sister: tall and pretty.
  - b) She likes many things.
  - c) She likes her brother.
129. Is Jane at home?
- a) No, but Pat isn't.
  - b) No, but Pat is.
  - c) Yes, and Pat is either.
130. It's 11.30, isn't it?
- a) Yes, it's thirty after eleven.
  - b) Yes, it's thirty to twelve.
  - c) Yes, it's half past eleven.
131. Do you like poetry?
- a) Well, I am afraid I don't.
  - b) Well, I'm afraid it's not a good idea.
  - c) Well, I don't really like them.
132. Shall we go out tonight?
- a) Yes, we go.
  - b) Yes, let's.
  - c) Yes, you shall.
133. What is Tom like?
- a) He likes tea.
  - b) He isn't very sociable.
  - c) He isn't very well, I'm afraid.
134. Are both Fred and Charles good at English?
- a) Fred's as good as Charles.
  - b) Fred's more better than Charles.
  - c) Fred's much better than Charles.
135. I enjoyed the trip very much.
- a) Neither do we.
  - b) Neither did we.

- c) So did we.
136. What do you do?  
a) I'm fine, thank you.  
b) I'm doing well, thank you.  
c) I'm a dentist.
137. I'm terribly sorry I've said that.  
a) Oh, that's O.K.  
b) It's my pleasure.  
c) Not at all.
138. Would you like an ice-cream?  
a) Yes, please.  
b) Yes, I like.  
c) Yes, I do.
139. He should have bought the tickets beforehand.  
a) I'm awfully sorry.  
b) That's a pity.  
c) That's just what I was going to say.
140. Did you enjoy your stay there?  
a) Never mind.  
b) Yes, very much.  
c) That's all right.
141. Would you like to join us?  
a) I shall.  
b) Sure.  
c) Not at all.
142. Is it far from here?  
a) As far as I know.  
b) It's five minutes' walk.  
c) It's five minutes.

## Unit 9 Translate the fragment into English

### Ex.1 Translate into English the fragment in parentheses

- 1 Her parents often complain because she comes home (*поздно*).
- 2 Ralph (*положил*) his hand on my shoulders.
- 3 He is fond of (*произносить*) speeches in public.

- 4 The letter (*сообщает*) she has won the first prize.
- 5 I listened hard but could (*услышать*) nothing.
- 6 She (*поднялась*) from her chair and went towards the door.
- 7 The city is (*известен*) for its museums.
- 8 We (*сделали*) our best to help our friends.
- 9 As children, we were (*воспитаны*) to respect our elders.
- 10 They made an urgent (*сообщение*) on the radio.
- 11 She has (*добилась*) progress in all subjects.
- 12 The sun (*всходит*) in the east.
- 13 It is a very (*дружеская*) company to work in.
- 14 You have to be a pretty good (*повар*) to get a job as a chef.
- 15 It must be a month (*с тех пор, как*) we last had a meal together.
- 16 She (*предприняла*) an attempt to break the world record.
- 17 We can stay (*до*) the weekend.
- 18 She was dressed in the (*самой последней*) fashion.
- 19 We are sorry about the noise we (*устроили*) last night.
- 20 I don't think you should buy this dictionary. You can (*взять*) one from the library.
- 21 What did the newspaper (*сообщать*) about the accident?
- 22 They announced the (*отмена*) of the flight this morning.
- 23 The lesson was so (*скучным*) I nearly fell asleep.
- 24 Everyone was tired (*кроме*) John.
- 25 Annie does not live here (*больше*). She moved last year.
- 26 The sky (*потемнело*) and it started to rain.
- 27 I play chess (*хуже*) than my son does.
- 28 She felt (*счастливо*) because she liked her new job.

- 29 All of us (*включая*) me will go to the party.
- 30 I'll (*приготовлю*) some coffee if you want some.
- 31 Don't forget (*принять*) your medicine.
- 32 I'll go and (*принести*) the others so that we can start the meeting.
- 33 This coffee tastes (*восхитительный*).
- 34 He (*поднял*) the lid of the box.
- 35 She looks just like her sister but she is (*намного*) younger.
- 36 They have lived next door to us since they (*переехали*) here in 1987.
- 37 Read the letter (*вслух*). I want to know what Mary says.
- 38 He can't (*терпеть*) people being late.
- 39 Don't (*повышать*) your voice, please.
- 40 She was (*удивленной*) when she heard this news.
- 41 The boys are (*выше*) – they need new beds.
- 42 I managed (*убедить*) the story was true.
- 43 Of the runners, Mike can run (*гораздо*) faster.
- 44 I arrived at the station (*поздно*).
- 45 Do (*как*) usual and you'll make a good impression.
- 46 We hope the fog will (*подняться*) soon.
- 47 I'll (*делать*) you an offer you can't refuse.
- 48 Smoking (*вредит*) to your health.

## Unit 10 Self- training tests

### Ex.1 Nouns and Agreement

- 1 (*These / This*) scissors (*be*) broken. – You are right. (*These/This*) pair of scissors (*be*) broken.

- 2 What *(be)* the news today? – No news *(be)* good news.
- 3 Can you explain why my best trousers *(have/has)* a hole in *(them/it)*?
- 4 I can't say that billiards *(be)* a game I've ever been very interested in.
- 5 There *(be)* one potato and two onions in the recipe.
- 6 The police *(arrest)* all the fans already.
- 7 Do you always take *(much/many)* luggage when you travel?
- 8 I don't need *(this/these)* money – take *(it/them)* back.
- 9 On my way home I bought two *(fish/fishes)*.
- 10 Your evidence *(be)* very important for us. Thank you.
- 11 I am sure that money *(be)* the source of all *(evil/evils)* in life.
- 12 Every week her both *(child)* go to a *(sport/sports)* club.
- 13 The outskirts of the city *(be)* a very nice place to live.
- 14 *(The boy/The boy's)* clothes *(be)* dirty, he has been playing out of doors. His new jeans *(be)* torn too.
- 15 Two hours *(be)* long enough to look around the museum.
- 16 The Belarusians belong to the ancient European *(people/peoples)* that inhabit the present day territory of Belarus and blended with the tribes that migrated here from Europe and Asia at different *(time/times)*.
- 17 We have been invited to *(Bill and Ann's / Bill's and Ann's)* wedding.
- 18 *(The Prince of Wales's / The Prince's of Wales)* plane landed in India an hour ago.
- 19 I will finish my English course in three *(year's / years')* time.
- 20 *(Knowledge / Knowledges)* of languages *(be)* the gateway to wisdom.
- 21 The bicycle is a very popular *(mean/means)* of transport in China.

- 22 *(The Rose/Roses) (be)* approved by Congress as the National Flower of the USA.
- 23 Friendship, stability and trust *(be)* frequently mentioned as criteria for worthwhile relationships among people.
- 24 *Bread and butter (be)* his only food for breakfast now.
- 25 *A woman* with two children *(wait)* for you downstairs.
- 26 *Kindness* as well as justice *(be)* to be our guide in life.
- 27 *The students* as well as their teacher *(be present)* at the meeting yesterday.
- 28 Neither praise nor *blame (seen)* to affect him.
- 29 Neither Jane nor *her friends (go)* to the disco tonight.
- 30 Either Bill or *his wife (be going)* to meet you tomorrow.
- 31 Either my friend or *I (be)* mistaken in answering this question.
- 32 Not only Sam but also *his parents (arrive)* tonight.
- 33 The exam being difficult, three students have failed it. *(None/Neither)* of these students *(pass)* the exam yet.
- 34 My father and brother *(plant)* bushes in our garden the whole day yesterday.
- 35 Economics *(be)* a subject often studied by future *(politicians/politics)*.

## **Ex.2 Pronouns**

- 1 There was *(something/anything)* strange about the way she spoke. I understood *(something/anything/nothing)* had happened, but *(nobody/anybody)* asked her about *(nothing/anything)*.
- 2 Please come in and sit down. Can I offer you *(something/anything)* to drink?
- 3 Where can I get *(some/any)* more information about this discovery?



- 4 The flats cost too (*many/much/a lot*) money nowadays. (*Which/Who*) of you has bought (*that/those*) one?
- 5 I've got (*a new/a little*) friends (*who/which*) live in (*this/these*) suburbs.
- 6 John and Mary Smiths lived in (*their/theirs/there*) comfortable house overlooking the sea.
- 7 (*Everybody/All*) knows that smoking is bad for (*you/your/yours*) health. What is (*more/much/most*) it can be very expensive.
- 8 Why are (*them/you/us*) so late? – (*I/Me/He*) have missed (*my/mine*) bus and have to walk. – You should have waited for (*another/the other*) bus.
- 9 You look really tired. I think you should take a break for (*few/ a few/ a little*) days.
- 10 (*It/ It's/ Its*) seems that (*everyone/each*) we met didn't speak Dutch.
- 11 She couldn't get into (*her/hers*) house last night, because she had lost (*her/hers*) keys.
- 12 (*Your/Yours*) brain power can be improved by life's (*little/a little*) luxuries according to research by Pr. Fred Gage.
- 13 Have you got (*any/many/a few*) luggage? – Not (*much/many*).
- 14 You can cash (*these/this*) cheques at (*any/some*) bank.
- 15 Someone rang. – (*It/She/Her*) was Vicky. – Will she give (*another/the other*) call?
- 16 Everybody said (*him/I/they*) enjoyed (*himself/herself/themselves*) at the party.
- 17 (*There/It*) is a new restaurant in King Street. (*There/It*) is very good, but the problem is that (*there/it*) has been a rise in the cost of dishes, and (*there/it*) has become very expensive.
- 18 Nobody phoned, did (*he/she/they*)?
- 19 No one in the class did (*his/her/their*) homework, did (*he/she/they*)?

- 20 There are two hotels in the town. You could stay at (*any/either*) of them. (*Neither/None*) of the hotels is expensive.

### Ex.3 Adjectives and Adverbs

- 1 The hotel was surprisingly cheap. I'd expected it to be (*expensive*).
- 2 I am worried. The situation isn't so good. It could be (*good*).
- 3 Health and happiness are (*important*) than money.
- 4 I'd like to have a (*reliable*) car than this one. Of two evils one should choose the (*little*).
- 5 Let me know if you hear any (*far*) news.
- 6 I hope your headache is (*good*) now. – No, it is getting (*bad*) and (*bad*).
- 7 The (*warm*) the weather, the (*good*) I feel.
- 8 The (*young*) you are, the (*easy*) is to learn.
- 9 My (*old*) brother is a doctor. He is 3 years (*old*) than me.
- 10 When you are travelling, the (*little*) luggage you have to carry the (*good*) for you.
- 11 The (*much*) I think about this plan, the (*little*) I like it. I'm (*disappointed/disappointing*) in it.
- 12 Mr. Brown's (*old*) son is 25. He is 12 years (*young*) than my father.
- 13 What's (*interesting*) book you have ever read?
- 14 Do you remember what (*happy*) day of your life was? – It's an (*interesting/interested*) question.
- 15 Petrol is twice as (*expensive*) as it was a few years ago. Prices are growing (*quickly*) than salaries.
- 16 Mrs. Green is (*old*) than she looks. She isn't as (*young*) as she looks. She always looks (*beautiful/beautifully*).
- 17 Your new flat is much (*comfortable*) than the old one.

- 18 She speaks English (*perfect*). She speaks (*perfect*) English.
- 19 How are you today? – I'm very (*well/good*), thanks.
- 20 The present rate of unemployment is a lot (*high*) than it was in the 1970s.
- 21 Do you agree with the saying "Actions speak (*loud*) than words"?
- 22 Recently visitors have found that Tokyo has (*cheap*) train fares and (*cheap*) shops than comparable cities in Europe have.
- 23 In future the government will spend (*less/fewer*) on healthcare because there will be a cure for (*most/less/few*) diseases.
- 24 People are generally (*prosperous*) nowadays than during the cold war era.
- 25 The (*little*) men think, the (*much*) they talk.
- 26 I could hardly keep awake – it was (*boring*) film I had ever seen.
- 27 She comes top in all the exams – she must be (*intelligent*) girl in the class.
- 28 The day when I passed my driving test was (*good*) in my life.
- 29 My brother is (*lucky*) person I have ever known. He is always winning prizes in lotteries.
- 30 You (*hard*) ever write to me. Why don't you write a bit (*often*)? – I am as (*busy*) as a bee now. The (*much*) I work, the (*little*) spare time I have.

#### Ex.4 Nouns, articles, numerals, adjectives, adverbs

A – заполните пропуски в предложениях A1 - A30 из предложенных вариантов

(a, b, c, d)

A1 I had \_\_\_ strange experience the other day

a. —      b) a    c) the    d) an

A2. Would you like \_\_\_ ice

- a. —        b) a    c) the    d) an
- A3.     I go out in all \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) weathers    b) weather    c) the weather    d) a weather
- A4.     Try not to make \_\_\_\_\_ noise
- a. —        b) a    c) the    d) an
- A5     All the \_\_\_\_\_ were sunk.
- a) crafts'    b) craft's    c) craft    d) crafts
- A6     \_\_\_\_\_ Vietnamese are noted for their cookery
- a. —        b) a    c) the    d) an
- A7     The present government, which \_\_\_\_\_ been in power Long,  
\_\_\_\_\_ trying to control inflation.
- a) hasn't, is    b) haven't, are    c) wasn't, has    d) weren't, have
- A8     The government, who \_\_\_\_\_ looking for a quick victory,  
\_\_\_\_\_ calling for a general election soon.
- a) is, are    b) are, is    c) are, are    d) is, is
- A9     The military \_\_\_\_\_ surrounded the building
- a) has    b) have    c) is    d) are
- A 10    Darts \_\_\_\_\_ becoming more and more popular.
- a) are    b) have    c) has    d) is
- A 11.    \_\_\_\_\_ Atkinsons are coming to dinner
- a. —        b) a    c) the    d) an
- A12.    We've had two very cold Januar \_\_\_\_\_ in a row.
- a) ys    b) ies    c) ys'    d) ies'
- A 13.    Three weeks \_\_\_\_\_ a long time to wait for an answer.
- a) are    b) is    c) be    d) were
- A 14.    Cheese and wine \_\_\_\_\_ a popular meal in France.

a) are b) is c) be d) were

A 15 My \_\_\_\_\_ father is a pilot

a) sister-in-law b) sister-in-laws c) sister's-in-law d) sister-in-law's

A 16 We need a ladder. We can borrow our \_\_\_\_\_.

a) neighbour's b) neighbour c) neighbours d) a neighbour's

A 17. Would you mind going to \_\_\_\_\_ for me?

a) the chemists b) the shemists' c) the chemist's d) chemists

A 18 "Hamlet" is play of \_\_\_\_\_.

a) the Shakespeare' b) Shakespeares c) Scakespeares' d) Shakespeare's

A 19 This is \_\_\_\_\_ very good coffee. Is it Brazilian?

a) a b) — c) the d) an

A 20 It's \_\_\_\_\_ Dickens novel.

a. — b) a c) the d) an

A 21 My boss is such \_\_\_\_\_ idiot!

a. — b) a c) the d) an

A 22 Do you mean \_\_\_\_\_ Richard Burton, the actor?

a. — b) the c) a d) an

A 23 We traveled all over Europe by \_\_\_\_\_ bus

a. — b) the c) a d) an

A 24 This winter isn't cold, \_\_\_\_\_.

a) too b) as well c) either d) neither

A 25 About 10 percent of forest \_\_\_\_\_ cut down every year.

a) was b) be c) is d) are

A26 50 percent of the houses \_\_\_\_\_ urgent repair.

a) need b) needs c) needing d) be need

A 27 I find horror films \_\_\_\_.

- a) depressed b) depressing c) depress d)depressful

A 28 The \_\_\_\_ mother phoned the police.

- a) worried b) worrying c) worryed d)worred

A 29 I want two \_\_\_\_.

- a) dozen apple b) dozens apple c) dozens apples d) dozen apples

A 30 There were \_\_\_\_ at the stadium.

- a) thousand of fans b) thousands of fans c) thousand of fan d) thousands' of fans

*B. Образуйте производное слово, подходящее по смыслу предложения.*

B 1 One can \_\_\_\_ lose his way in the forest. easy

B 2 He thinks that his ideas are more \_\_\_\_\_. progress

B 3 He has packed all things \_\_\_\_\_ into the bag. care

B 4 There's a \_\_\_\_\_ of rain, but never nund. possible

B 5 This word is a \_\_\_\_\_ word. science.

*Переведите на английский язык слова, данные в скобках.*

B 6 A special television programme (идёт) \_\_\_\_ now.

B 7 The water rose dangerously (высоко) \_\_\_\_\_.

B 8 They say cats are (намного спокойнее) \_\_\_\_\_ than dogs.

B 9 I could (едва ли) \_\_\_\_ see her in the dark.

B 10 Is she (ещё) \_\_\_\_ waiting for him?

### **Ex.5 Give the right variant**

- 1 He just (to take) to hospital with a broken leg.
- 2 Last year Helen was staying with her brother while her house (to repair).
- 3 The police officer said that every house in that street (to search) already by the police.
- 4 By the time she qualifies, she (to study) law for 5 years.
- 5 (The, A, -) hereditary principle still operates in Great Britain and the Crown (to pass) on the Sovereign's (older, elder, eldest) son.
- 6 (May, Can, should) you imagine what you will do with the money if you (to win) a lottery? – I (not to know) but if it (happen), I will be one of (happy) (man, people) in the world.
- 7 They (to drive) in the car for many hours before they (to come) to the crossroads.
- 8 Somebody is walking behind us. I think that we (to follow).
- 9 11 o'clock is ... time when I'm allowed to come home a) late; b) later; c) the least; d) the latest.
- 10 Good luck with your new job in Italy! I'm sure you (to tell) already what you have to do when you arrive.
- 11 .... people go to the cinema these days, they prefer to see films at home. a) fewer; b) little; c) less; d) the least.
- 12 I (to tell) this story last week.
- 13 Ann (to laugh) at when she said it.
- 14 I wonder when they (to come) back.
- 15 He added that he (to tell) the hotel (to be) full at that time.
- 16 By the time Nick was 5, Nick (to teach) himself to read by studying newspapers.
- 17 Although they will never make a fortune? For the last 10 years they (to make) a reasonable living from the hotel.
- 18 He (to look) at when he spoke.
- 19 Mr. Brown will be angry unless you (to stop) that noise.

- 20 Mr. Brown company is always (busy) in July than in (any/some) other month.
- 21 John (not to be), there for 5 minutes when he (to tell) all (late, the latest, the latter) news.
- 22 Papers usually (to deliver) at 8 in the morning, they (to look) through at the moment, and you (to get) them soon.
- 23 Everybody (to know) that John and Nick (to be) friends since their childhood.
- 24 We arrived (in, to, at) the hotel and we (to show) to our rooms.
- 25 I (to wait) here while the article (type).
- 26 If Nick (to come) he (to tell) funny stories again.
- 27 Do you prefer fresh or tinned (fruit/fruits)?
- 28 I saw Sarah (to get off, out, on, along) the train.
- 29 Nancy works in (a, the,-) hospital.
- 30 Don't rush (with, at, out) conclusions.
- 31 My train (to leave) at 15<sup>20</sup>
- 32 We usually have (a, -, the) late breakfast
- 33 I'm not sure if uncle James (to be) somewhere in the (home, house), but if he (to be) in, explain everything to him.
- 34 What .... The contents of this play of this play? (to be)
- 35 She is spending (a, -, the) summer in France.
- 36 They usually set (out, off, about) (fruit/fruits).
- 37 For how long ... the children (to do/to make) the translation of the text when Father arrived?
- 38 I would go in for sport. If I (to be) you.
- 39 If I have time I (to help) you
- 40 I (to wish) I (to be) rich. I could buy a car.



## Unit 11 Tests with texts

### Test 1

A1. Each of... has a new bulb.

- 1) this lamps 2) these lamp 3) these lamps 4) this lamp

A2. ... is over.

- 1) A month's holiday 2) A months holiday 3) A monthes' holiday 4) A month holidays

A3. Ben Nevis isn't... mountain in the world is it?

- 1) higher 2) most high 3) the most high 4) the highest

A4. ... train for Cardiff leaves in an hour.

- 1) the next 2) the nearest 3) a nearer 4) a next

A5. The film made Maria very... .

- 1) depress 2) depressed 3) depressing 4) deprest

A6. My father is in his ... .

- 1) fifty 2) fiftieth 3) fifties 4) fifteens

A7. He closed the door behind ... .

- 1) heself 2) himself 3) hissself 4) itself

A8. A good speaker can say much in ... words.

- 1) fewest 2) a few 3) least 4) a little

A9. If the milkman ... tell him to leave two bottles.

- 1) came 2) comes 3) will come 4) is coming

A10. I was just about to leave when I... my briefcase.

- 1) had remembered 2) had been remembered 3) was remembered 4) remembered

A11. I'll look after the children while you... dinner.

- 1) will make 2) will be making 3) are making 4) will be made

A12. She nearly choked on her sandwich as she... very fast.

1) is eating 2) had been eating 3) has eaten 4) was eating

A13. Eventually this scientific theory ... to be false.

1) has been proved 2) had proved 3) was proving 4) is proving

A14. Paul failed his driving test because he... enough.

1) didn't practise 2) wasn't practised 3) hasn't practised 4) hadn't been practising

A15. Much better results ... by the athlete before he joined our club.

1) had shown 2) have shown 3) were being shown 4) had been shown

A16. The new highway ... sometime next month.

1) is completing 2) will complete 3) will be completed 4) will have completed

A17. A new line of the Minsk Metro... now.

1) is been constructing 2) is constructing 3) is being constructed 4) is being constructing

A18. He didn't pay the bill and now the electricity... .

1) hasn't been disconnected 2) has been disconnected 3) had disconnected 4) was disconnecting

A19. Mary asked me if I ...

1) knew where Jane was writing her report. 2) know where was Jane writing her report. 3) know where Jane was writing her report. 4) knew where Jane is writing her report.

A20. The poem is dull and boring. I'm glad we ... learn it by heart.

1) don't have to 2) can't 3) are not able to 4) haven't to

A21. The witness saw the lorry ... into the back of the car before it burst into flames.

1) to crash 2) crash 3) crashed 4) has crashed

A22. On hearing the news she burst... .

1) to laugh 2) out to laugh 3) to laughing 4) out laughing

A23. If Tom ... the lottery he would stop working.

1) is winning 2) wins 3) won 4) would win

A24. My car is ... that I can't get any spare parts for it.

1) so old 2) such old 3) too old 4) old enough

A25. ... letter was in a sealed envelope; it was obvious that nobody had read it.

1) A 2) The 3) - 4) An

A26. We usually go to... cinema in New Street.

1) a 2) the 3) - 4) an

A27. He was taken to... hospital when he broke his leg.

1) a 2) the 3) - 4) an

A28. The trees rose... the houses.

1) across 2) ahead 3) above 4) up

A29. I hate being laughed... .

1) to 2) on 3) at 4) with

A30. He pushed hard against the door and finally it gave... .

1) off 2) up 3) in 4) at

A31. ... he has lost a lot of blood he is in a stable condition.

1) as soon as 2) although 3) despite 4) in spite of

A32. I am going to the swimming pool tonight. Shall I... the kids with me?

1) take 2) bring 3) carry 4) fetch

A33. The road... towards the top of the mountain.

1) led 2) laid 3) lied 4) let

A34. You have... your children very well they are polite and helpful.

1) carried out 2) learnt 3) brought up 4) studied

A35. His ... surprised all of us.

1) generousness 2) generous 3) generosity 4) generity

A36. What is the... of all this?

1) conclution 2) conclusion 3) concluding 4) concludence

A37. He is a man of ... abilities.

1) excepted 2) exceptional 3) exceptive 4) exceptant

A38. This plan has been... in newspapers.

1) criticised 2) criticated 3) criticalized 4) critified

A39. The word "money" is an... noun and it's not used in the plural.

1) incountable 2) discountable 3) uncountable 4) imcountable

*Укажите номер подчеркнутого фрагмента в котором допущена ошибка.*

A40. I have to remember (1) you that (2) our business with that company (3) is very important to us (4).

1) 1 2) 2 3) 3 4) 4

A41. I explained what had happened (1) but they totally (2) refused to accept (3) that (4) I said.

1) 1 2) 2 3) 3 4) 4

A42. When seeing (1) near the horizon the moon appears (2) larger (3) than when it is overhead (4).

1) 1 2) 2 3) 3 4) 4

*Выберите реплику-стимул подходящую к предложенной ответной реплике.*

A43. How do you do?

1) How are you?

2) This is John Gibbs our visiting teacher.

3) I am having problems at present.

4) How's life?

A44. Yes please.

1) Shall I read it to you?

2) She is never pleased with anything.

3) I've invited Carol for dinner.

4) I'm sorry I am late.

A45. I am sorry.

1) Have you ever been to Canada?

2) Are you ready to start?

3) What's the problem this time?

4) Your dog was barking again all night.

*Выберите правильный вариант из предложенных.*

A46. Great Britain is a ....

1) union 2) republic 3) monarchy 4) federation

A47. What building houses the Big Ben bell?

1) The Tower of London 2) St. Paul's Cathedral 3) The Westminster Palace 4) St. James's Palace

A48. ... defeated the French fleet off Cape Trafalgar.

1) Duke of Wellington 2) Fr. Drake 3) Captain Cook 4) Lord Nelson

*Выберите вариант ответа, соответствующий содержанию текста.*

A49. Katie Boswell is

1) working in a company.

2) Caroline's sister.

3) an astrologer.

*Прочитайте текст и выполните задания к нему.*

§1. They both became directors in the same department and the same sales promotion company when they were in the mid-20s. They both used to spend their weekends running. They have both suffered neck injuries. What is more, both Katie Boswell and Caroline Palmer were born in the early morning of the same day. They are what astrologers call 'time twins'.

§2. If, as astrologers assert, the hour of birth really does determine the personality and fate of a human being, there must be thousands of time twins such as Katie and Caroline. They do have their differences, but then, they were born two hours and three thousand miles apart. Genuine time twins have to be born within half an hour and several miles of each other.

§3. Now, for the first time, an astrologist and a statistician have teamed up to launch a project which they hope will decide the question of whether time twins really do share common personalities and common fates. They are appealing for help from people who were born on six specific dates to see what they have in common. So far they do not have any firm conclusions because they need to have a much larger sample.

§4. The enormous increase of interest in astrology in recent years has coincided with a close scrutiny of astrology by modern science. Surprisingly, the conclusions are that there may, after all, be some connection between planetary events and earthly events, and that certain character types are born when their appropriate planet is visible.

§5. For example, Michel Gauquelin compared the occupations of famous people with the positions of the planets when they were born. Gauquelin's results could not be explained by coincidence alone. He concluded that the planet Mars induces the birth of scientists and athletes; Jupiter tends to induce the birth of future soldiers and actors; Saturn - the birth of doctors; and the moon, the strongest influence, seems to specialize in politicians.

§6. Believers do not suggest that the planets create artists and scientists, only that they 'tell' a baby who will have a career in art or science exactly when to be born. It seems that the moon and the four planets closest to earth are strong enough to influence the sensitive human brain.

§7. The stars, on the other hand, are too far away. Character generalizations according to star signs have been found to be inaccurate. For example, one scientist studied the birth dates of more than 2,000 famous painters and musicians to see if Libras really did excel in artistic fields. He found they did not.

§8. If researchers do prove the existence of great similarities in time twins then we may look forward to the birth of a new, more accurate astrology, based on the position of the planets alone.

A50. Time twins are people born

- 1) on the same date, in the same place.
- 2) in the same place, at the same time.
- 3) on the same date, at the same time.

A51. Scientists are looking to see if time twins

- 1) really do exist.
- 2) are born on six dates.
- 3) have anything in common.

A52. In recent years astrology has

- 1) become less popular.
- 2) had some scientific support.
- 3) been ignored by scientists.

A53. The nearest planets

- 1) have a stronger influence than stars.
- 2) can turn people into artists.
- 3) have no influence on people.

*Определите, к какому параграфу текста относится каждое из следующих утверждений. Укажите номер выбранного варианта.*

A54. Statistics can help astrologists to solve some problems.

- 1) § 2

2) § 3

3) § 4

A55. There is a great number of 'time twins' like Katie and Caroline.

1) § 1

2) § 2

3) § 6

A56. Stars cannot always explain the character.

1) § 5

2) § 6

3) § 7

A57. So far they do not have any firm conclusions ... (§ 3)

1) Так далеко они не зашли в своих выводах ...

2) Поэтому они так далеки от точных выводов...

3) До сих пор они не пришли к каким-либо точным выводам...

A58. They both used to spend their weekends running (§ 1).

1) Они обе часто делали пробежки по выходным дням.

2) Они обе проводили выходные дни в бегах.

3) У них обеих есть привычка бегать по выходным дням.

A59. ... then we may look forward to the birth of a new, more accurate astrology ... (§ 8)

1) ... тогда мы сможем заглянуть вперед, предвосхищая рождение новой, более точной астрологии ...

2) ...тогда мы можем ожидать рождения новой, более точной астрологии ...

3) ... тогда будем иметь право предсказывать будущее вплоть до появления новой, более точной астрологии ...

A60. The stars, on the other hand, are too far away (§ 7).



- 1) Звезды по другую сторону находятся далеко друг от друга.
- 2) Звезды, если посмотреть с другой стороны, находятся также на далеком расстоянии.
- 3) Звезды, с другой стороны, расположены слишком далеко.

## Test 2

*Выберите правильный вариант из предложенных.*

A1.... easy to spend and difficult to save.

- 1) Money are 2) The money is 3) Moneys are 4) Money is

A2. It's important to be sensitive to other ... feelings.

- 1) peoples' 2) people' 3) peoples's 4) people's

A3. The journey was twice... we had expected.

- 1) long as 2) so longer as 3) as longer as 4) as long as

A4. I don't think it matters ... which seat I choose.

- 1) a little 2) in the least 3) less 4) lesser

A5. When I have a cold I feel... .

- 1) so miserably 2) such miserably 3) so miserable 4) such miserable

A6. When I got to the theatre they were already playing ... .

- 1) act two 2) second act 3) the act second 4) the act two

A7. A friend of ... is staying with us now.

- 1) my 2) myself 3) mine 4) my own

A8. Unfortunately we found only ... mushrooms in the wood.

- 1) few 2) a little 3) little 4) a few

A9. If you are ready I... how the equipment operates.

- 1) will explain 2) have explained 3) am explaining 4) am explained

A10. I... in my cabin listening to the gentle sounds of waves.

1) lied 2) lain 3) lay 4) laid

A11. I see you have no idea what... about.

1) I talking 2) do I talk 3) I'm talking 4) I'm talk

A12. When the train... through the French countryside it suddenly stopped because of the engine problems.

1) had been passed 2) has passed 3) was passed 4) was passing

A13. Since my brother became Mayor he ... present at 30 official dinners at least.

1) was 2) has been 3) had been 4) is

A14. How nice to see you again. What... since we last met?

1) did you do 2) have you been doing 3) had you been doing 4) were you doing

A15. When I came downstairs my shoes ... and my suit brushed.

1) were cleaning 2) cleaned 3) had cleaned 4) had been cleaned

A16. Drivers ... for exceeding the speed limit.

1) fine 2) are fined 3) fined 4) are fining

A17. When I came into the room she... interviewed.

1) was still 2) still was 3) still was being 4) was still being

A18. I'm sure David... made a fortune before he is forty.

1) will have 2) will be 3) will have been 4) would have

A19. Harry asked me ... .

1) what time did I want to leave for the airport. 2) what time wanted I to leave for the airport. 3) what time I want to leave for the airport. 4) what time I wanted to leave for the airport.

A20. This medicine... be kept out of the reach of children.

1) ought 2) need 3) must 4) has

A21. He... me some money but I refused.

1) offered having lent 2) offered lending 3) offered to lend 4) offered lend

A22. Would you mind... me the salt?

1) to pass 2) pass 3) passing 4) to be passing

A23. Tim wishes he ... big muscles and some talent.

1) has 2) was having 3) had 4) has had

A24. He drives ... that nobody can keep up with him.

1) so fast 2) such fast 3) fast enough 4) enough fast

A25. I've got... cat called Tom.

1) a 2) the 3) - 4) an

A26. The Americans fought the Japanese in ... Pacific.

1) a 2) the 3) - 4) an

A27. We got caught in... rain on the way home.

1) a 2) the 3) - 4) an

A28. He has been unemployed... 2002.

1) in 2) since 3) from 4) till

A29. This film is similar... the one we watched last week.

1) - 2) to 3) with 4) for

A30. Nobody refused to work overtime... fear of losing their jobs.

1) in 2) with 3) at 4) for

A31. I won't be able to attend the conference ... I haven't finished my report yet.

1) as 2) till 3) so 4) as soon as

A32. Those who agree please... your hands.

1) rise 2) lift 3) raise 4) stretch

A33. You ought to... more efforts at school.

1) do 2) have 3) try 4) make

A34. The trees cast long... on the lawn.

1) shades 2) shadows 3) sheds 4) shells

A35. Last night Joe was arrested on ... of robbery.

1) suspect 2) suspectence 3) suspicion 4) suspectness

A36. I send you... from all of us.

1) greets 2) greetings 3) greetnesses 4) greetances

A37. We've completely run out of ... oil.

1) cooked 2) cooking 3) cookery 4) cook

A38. Noisy traffic ... our way of life.

1) threats 2) threatens 3) threatifies 4) threatificates

A39. Seven o'clock on Saturday is a very ... time for an appointment.

1) inconvenient 2) imconvenient 3) illconvenient 4) disconvenient

*Укажите номер подчеркнутого фрагмента в котором допущена ошибка.*

A40. Although (1) Gina often complains (2) that she is short of money (3) she actually has a good-paid job (4).

1) 1 2) 2 3) 3 4) 4

A41. Maria saw two white (1) lamps while she was shopping (2) but she couldn't choose (3) among (4) those.

1) 1 2) 2 3) 3 4) 4

A42. The mail will go (1) there by train (2) unless it doesn't go (3) by air or other means (4).

1) 1 2) 2 3) 3 4) 4

*Выберите реплику-стимул, подходящую к предложенной ответной реплике.*

43. Very well thank you.

- 1) You still owe me some money.
- 2) How are you getting on?
- 3) Here is your passport.
- 4) You've dropped some ink on the carpet.

A44. No, it's out of the question.

- 1) May I drive your car?
- 2) Do you know the way to the British Museum?
- 3) Which way did she go?
- 4) It's the best way to Youngstown.

A45. That's all right with me.

- 1) You were a great help. Thank you.
- 2) Do you mind if we change the schedule?
- 3) I was lucky to get the tickets for the play.
- 4) Let me carry your bag.

*Выберите правильный вариант из предложенных.*

A46. The Queen of Great Britain is also the Queen of ... .

- 1) Australia
- 2) China
- 3) The USA
- 4) India

A47. Ch. Wren's masterpiece is ... .

- 1) St. Paul's Cathedral
- 2) Westminster Cathedral
- 3) Buckingham Palace
- 4) the Tower of London

A48. Sir. W. Churchill was a famous ... .

- 1) admiral
- 2) politician
- 3) actor
- 4) scientist

*Выберите вариант ответа соответствующий содержанию текста.*

A49. Spanish clothing and fashion sectors

- 1) need the support from the French and Italian fashion industries.

2) are fast developing sectors of the textile industry.

3) compete successfully with the similar sectors of the fashion leading countries.

§ 1. Fashion has always been important to the Spanish but until recently they haven't had a home-grown fashion industry and have imported most of their clothing. All that is changing now, however. The Spanish government is busily promoting the clothing and fashion sectors of the textile industry. Their ultimate goal is to make their fashion products so well regarded on the international market because of their quality, that this success will spread to other product areas and export markets.

§ 2. Spain is starting from scratch when you compare it with fashionable competitors like Italy and France. But there is activity everywhere. The government has set up organizations to support the fashion industry, organising projects such as combined efforts between fashion designers and people in business. The country holds fashion fairs twice a year, the Cibeles in Madrid, and the Gaudi in Barcelona. There is also a children's fair in Valencia which further demonstrates Spaniards' creative progress to international fashion buyers.

§ 3. The government is trying to create an environment where fashion and textile designers have an opportunity to prosper. Talented companies and designers can succeed in Spain but although there is much creativity, there is a lack of managerial experience. Some people still do not believe enough is being done, and point to Italy where they believe there are far better chances for designers to succeed. One highly regarded Spanish designer is now manufacturing her entire line of clothing in partnership with an Italian company. The problem, as some see it, is that the amount of money being provided by the Spanish government is still not enough. People in the fashion industry know they will not be able to make an impression in foreign countries unless government funding is increased.

§ 4. Nevertheless, much progress is being made. While the exclusive salons are in the larger cities, studios and boutiques are opening throughout Spain and many Spaniards are already involved in exporting their clothes. Through their own efforts, designers are beginning to open shops in France, Italy and Japan. But most fashion houses are quite small, and they are finding it difficult to create the industrial and financial links needed for growth and expansion.

§ 5. Many designer products are hard to make, expensive to market and sometimes difficult to sell. But they create a better image for the industry, and you end up with higher quality products in general. One international critic thinks that the relative youth of the Spanish industry could create fresh and lively fashions, well able to compete with the industries in fashion leading countries.

A50. The Spanish government is ultimately trying to achieve

- 1) an increase in clothing sales.
- 2) a change in the manufacturing ability of the textile industry.
- 3) all Spanish products being considered of high quality.

A51. To show their advances in fashion the Spanish are

- 1) holding regular fashion shows.
- 2) sending designers to work abroad.
- 3) teaching business people how to design.

A52. The people involved in fashion are afraid of

- 1) the strong competition.
- 2) not having enough money to expand abroad.
- 3) not being able to influence foreigners.

A53. A lot of fashion businesses are finding it hard to make partnerships because

- 1) they are too small to find good partners.
- 2) there are too many fashion stores abroad today.
- 3) there are few industries wanting to expand.

*Определите, к какому параграфу текста относится каждое из следующих утверждений. Укажите номер выбранного варианта.*

A54. The French and Italians are ahead of the Spanish in terms of fashion design.

- 1) § 2
- 2) § 3
- 3) § 4

A55. There are still more chances for a talented designer to succeed in Italy.

- 1) § 2
- 2) § 3
- 3) § 5

A56. Some fashion designers have started to establish shops and boutiques at home and abroad.

- 1) § 3
- 2) § 4
- 3) § 5

*Выберите правильный вариант перевода в соответствии с содержанием текста.*

A57. Spain is starting from scratch when you compare it with fashionable competitors like Italy and France (§ 2).

1) Поскольку Испания начинает с самого начала, она не может конкурировать с такими модными странами, как Италия и Франция.

2) В отличие от таких модных стран, как Италия и Франция, Испания начинает все с начала.

3) По сравнению с такими конкурентами в мире моды, как Италия и Франция, Испания начинает с нуля.

A58. Some people still do not believe enough is being done (§ 3).

1) Некоторые люди все еще недостаточно верят, что что-то делается.

2) Некоторые люди все еще считают, что делается недостаточно.

3) Тем не менее, некоторые люди недостаточно уверены, что что-то делается.

A59. There is also a children's fair in Valencia which further demonstrates Spaniards' creative progress to international fashion buyers (§ 2).

1) Выставка детской одежды проводится также и в Валенсии, которая еще более наглядно демонстрирует движение испанцев в сторону зарубежной моды.

2) Выставка детской одежды в Валенсии и дальше демонстрирует покупателям зарубежной моды творческие успехи испанцев.



3) Проводится также выставка детской одежды в Валенсии что еще более наглядно демонстрирует зарубежным покупателям модной одежды творческий прогресс испанцев.

A60. While the exclusive salons are in the larger cities studios and boutiques are opening throughout Spain (§ 4).

1) В то время как эксклюзивные магазины-салоны находятся в более крупных городах ателье и бутики открываются по всей Испании.

2) Пока шикарные магазины-салоны расположены в крупных городах ателье и бутики открываются в провинциальных районах.

3) Поскольку в крупных городах имеются шикарные магазины-салоны в остальных частях Испании открываются ателье и бутики.

### Test 3

*Выберите правильный вариант из предложенных.*

A1. All we had for lunch... .

1) was a bread and cheese 2) were a bread and cheese 3) was bread and cheese 4) were bread and cheese

A2. See you at... on Saturday night.

1) John 2) Johns' 3) Johns 4) John's

A3. Your eyes are... your stomach.

1) more big than 2) more bigger than 3) biggest than 4) bigger than

A4. Nancy's broken finger has become... .

1) more bad 2) much worse 3) much worser 4) more worse

A5. The sausages smell... don't they?

1) so well 2) so good 3) such good 4) such well

A6. There are .... kinds of macaroni in Italy.

1) three hundred 2) three hundreds 3) three hundred of 4) three hundreds of

A7. I don't have to buy school things. Only when I lose things I have to buy them ... .

- 1) herself 2) myself 3) mine 4) yourselves

A8. Jim and Emma are my friends but ... of them lives near me.

- 1) nobody 2) none 3) no 4) neither

A9. I have a car but I ... it very often these days.

- 1) didn't use 2) haven't used 3) am not used 4) don't use

A10. The naughty boy... the balloon with a pin.

- 1) bursted 2) bursting 3) burst 4) was burst

A11... to thank you for the present you sent me.

- 1) I am called 2) I calling 3) I'm calling 4) I've been called

A12. When I... to Chris on the phone this morning the line suddenly went dead.

- 1) have been talking 2) had been talking 3) was talking 4) have talked

A13. My parents ... married for twenty years. They are happy.

- 1) are 2) were 3) have been 4) had

A14. Who... my scarf? It looks a bit dirty.

- 1) had been wearing 2) had worn 3) has been wearing 4) wore

A15. Two rooms ... for her by her travel agent before the departure.

- 1) were booking 2) was booked 3) had been booked 4) had booked

A16. The passengers leaving for London ... to register.

- 1) requested 2) are requested 3) have requested 4) are requesting

A17. At the same time all the other students... in Room 305.

1) were examining 2) have examined 3) were being examined 4) were been examined

A18. By midmorning the fog will... and we'll be able to set off.

- 1) be lift 2) have lifted 3) lift 4) have been lifted

A19. John asked his colleague if ...

- 1) he would pick him up at the airport.
- 2) he will pick him up at the airport.
- 3) would he pick him up at the airport.
- 4) would he picked him up at the airport.

A20. Why ... he take the blame on himself? It's not fair.

- 1) can 2) may 3) should 4) ought

A21. Then I heard... with relief when he saw the small amount of money he had to pay.

- 1) his sigh 2) him to sigh 3) his to sigh 4) him sigh

A22. This water isn't fit... .

- 1) to drinking 2) to being drunk 3) for drinking 4) for drinking it

A23. If Mike took some exercise he ... so unfit.

- 1) won't be 2) wouldn't be 3) were not 4) was not

A24. Don't spend all your money now as you may need some ... .

- 1) later 2) lately 3) late 4) more lately

A25.... apple a day keeps the doctor away.

- 1) A 2) The 3) - 4) An

A26. ... Easter Island is in the Pacific Ocean.

- 1) a 2) the 3) - 4) an

A27. He is trying to find a job but there aren't many jobs available at... present.

- 1) a 2) the 3) - 4) an

A28. Don't lean... the window it may break.

- 1) out 2) of 3) against 4) about

A29. I haven't heard... James for months. I wonder how he is doing.

1) about 2) of 3) from 4) off

A30. I'm falling behind... my work at school.

1) - 2) at 3) from 4) with

A31. I enjoy watching tennis on TV ... I prefer playing it.

1) despite 2) because 3) in spite 4) although

A32. He usually has a three... dinner.

1) dish 2) course 3) plate 4) meal

A33. I can walk miles in these... shoes.

1) cosy 2) comfortable 3) convenient 4) suiting

A34. My brother and I are physically... but our personalities are completely different.

1) like 2) same 3) alike 4) equal

A35. She played the piano well at the .... last night.

1) competence 2) competitor 3) competition 4) competission

A36. Somewhere in the... the bell rang.

1) distant 2) distantly 3) distance 4) distancy

A37. The disease is highly ... so he's in an isolation ward now.

1) infectful 2) infected 3) infectinate 4) infectious

A38. My work doesn't ... me intellectually.

1) stimule 2) stimulate 3) stimulize 4) stimuly

A39. ... expressions are not usually used by educated people.

1) unstandard 2) instandard 3) non-standard 4) imstandard

*Укажите номер подчеркнутого фрагмента в котором допущена ошибка.*

A40. I'm sorry but I'm so busy (1) that I can't help (2) you doing (3) the washing up (4) at the moment.

1) 1 2) 2 3) 3 4) 4

A41. Anything (1) that (2) goes wrongly (3) will be (4) your responsibility.

1) 1 2) 2 3) 3 4) 4

A42. According to (1) the meteorologists the hurricane supposed (2) to hit (3) Florida around midnight (4)

1) 1 2) 2 3) 3 4) 4

*Выберите реплику-стимул, подходящую к предложенной ответной реплике.*

A43. So long.

1) How long does it take you to get to the swimming-pool?

2) Good-bye. See you soon.

3) Jack is already half an hour late.

4) The river runs across three European countries.

A44. Do, please.

1) Do accept my apology.

2) Shall I turn the TV down?

3) Could you do me a favour?

4) We don't want to seem impolite.

A45. Don't mention it.

1) I'm afraid you were not right.

2) He refused to cooperate.

3) I am really grateful to you.

4) I beg your pardon.

*Выберите правильный вариант из предложенных.*

A46. Elizabeth II became the Queen of Britain in ... .

1) 1902 2) 1952 3) 1992 4) 2002

A47. What is the colour of the cross on Britain's flag?

1) White 2) Blue 3) Red 4) Yellow

A48. Which of them is regarded as Scotland's national poet?

1) W. Scott 2) W. Shakespeare 3) R. Burns 4) R. Kipling

*Выберите вариант ответа соответствующий содержанию текста.*

A49. How did the writer know that the objects were dinosaur eggs?

1) Because there were so many of them.

2) Because he touched one.

3) Because of their shape.

*Прочитайте текст и выполните задания к нему.*

§ 1. Red dust covered our van as we drove up the Green Dragon Mountain in China. The road was dreadful, and our van shook so much that eventually one of the doors fell off. I didn't mind though, as I was fascinated by the pale, oval shapes I kept seeing. There were far too many of them to be fossils, or so I thought. We stopped to investigate. I picked one up and felt the unmistakable surface of a dinosaur egg shell.

§ 2. Suddenly villagers began to crowd around our group and joyful children led us through the narrow streets of the village, which were lined with modest houses, to a site that contained even more eggs. The reason for their excitement soon became evident. In 1991, while building a foundation, a farmer discovered some prehistoric eggs, and soon enthusiastic collectors were buying the eggs for a dollar a piece, a significant sum of money in rural China.

§ 3. The eggs were then taken to North America where even the smallest ones were sold for up to 1.200 dollars. After hearing that celebrities such as Steven Spielberg had bought eggs, buyers at an auction went wild and paid an amazing 78.000 dollars for a nest of ten eggs.

§ 4. Chinese officials soon became alarmed and began to stop the exportation of the eggs, declaring them 'national treasures'. In 1993 the authorities stopped smugglers taking 3.000 eggs out of the country. The eggs are now housed at the Institute of Cultural Relics and are guarded by locals who were hired to protect them.

§ 5. It is not just the eggs that have excited scientists, it's the chance that one will contain an embryo that can be identified, enabling them to confirm which species of dinosaur the egg came from. Scientists have been lucky a few times, but since most embryos are just a mixed-up set of bones that have separated and fallen into the bottom of the egg, other factors such as size, shape and texture are used to give them names.

§ 6. The study of embryos could reveal more about the link between dinosaurs and their descendants, such as birds and certain species of lizards. This could determine whether some dinosaurs were warm-blooded and how they protected and cared for their eggs and young. The most interesting idea is that of cloning, or reproducing a dinosaur using DNA, a scenario featured in the book and film Jurassic Park. This, however, seems to be rather unlikely, as few scientists believe that cloning a dinosaur will ever be possible. Dinosaurs live only in our imaginations, a place where their magnificence will never die.

A50. The villagers considered the original price of the eggs to be ...

- 1) fairly low.
- 2) unfair.
- 3) rather high.

A51. Why did lots of people suddenly want to buy the eggs?

- 1) They were a good investment.
- 2) Famous people had bought some.
- 3) They were of scientific value.

A52. What did the Chinese authorities decide to do?

- 1) Smuggle the eggs out of the country.
- 2) Prevent people from taking the eggs out of the country.
- 3) Sell the eggs.

A53. What does 'them' in line 16 refer to?

- 1) The scientists.
- 2) The eggs.

3) The authorities.

*Определите, к какому параграфу текста относится каждое из следующих утверждений. Укажите номер выбранного варианта.*

A54. Eggs of a dinosaur were found in the village by chance.

1) § 1, 2) § 2, 3) § 3

A55. Long ago there existed different types of dinosaurs.

1) § 1, 2) § 2, 3) § 5

A56. Dinosaurs are closely linked with some of the animal species that appeared later.

1) § 4, 2) § 5, 3) § 6

*Выберите правильный вариант перевода в соответствии с содержанием текста.*

A57. Red dust covered our van as we drove up ... (§ 1)

1) Красная пыль покрывала нашу машину, потому что мы ехали вверх ...

2) Красная пыль покрывала нашу машину, когда мы ехали вверх ...

3) Красная пыль покрывала нашу машину так же, как когда мы ехали вверх ...

A58. I didn't mind though (§ 1).

1) Однако я этого не заметил.

2) Однако я не стал над этим раздумывать.

3) Однако меня это не беспокоило.

A59. It's not just the eggs that have excited scientists, it's the chance that one will contain an embryo ... (§ 5)

1) Интерес ученых вызвали не сами яйца, а то, что какое-либо из них, возможно, содержит эмбрион ...

2) Это не просто яйца, которые заинтересовали ученых, это шанс, что кто-нибудь получит эмбрион ...



3) Не все яйца заинтересовали ученых, а именно то яйцо, в котором случайно сохранился эмбрион.

A60. This, however, seems to be rather unlikely, as few scientists believe that cloning a dinosaur will ever be possible (§ 6).

1) Представляется, однако, маловероятным, что некоторые ученые верят в возможность клонирования динозавров.

2) Это, однако, представляется маловероятным, до тех пор пока хотя бы некоторые ученые не будут считать клонирование динозавров возможным.

3) Это, однако, представляется маловероятным, поскольку немногие ученые верят в то, что клонирование динозавров будет когда-либо возможным.

## **Unit 12 Great Britain and the USA quiz**

### **Test 1 The United Kingdom**

*Choose the correct answer from the variants listed below*

1. What is the official name of the country whose language you study?
  - a) Great Britain
  - b) England
  - c) The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern
2. How many countries does the United Kingdom consist of?
  - a) four
  - b) three
  - c) two
3. What is the capital of Scotland?
  - a) Manchester
  - b) Edinburgh
  - c) Cardiff
4. What is the capital of Wales?
  - a) Edinburgh
  - b) Cardiff

- c) Liverpool
5. What is the capital of Northern Ireland?
- a) Cardiff
  - b) Belfast
  - c) Dublin
6. What is the state system of the United Kingdom?
- a) a constitutional monarchy
  - b) a parliamentary republic
  - c) a limited monarchy
7. What is the symbol of the United Kingdom?
- a) a bald eagle
  - b) Britannia
  - c) a rose
8. What is the name of the British national flag?
- a) the Union Jack
  - b) the Saint Andrew's cross
  - c) the Saint David's cross
9. What is the emblem of England?
- a) a shamrock
  - b) a red rose
  - c) a leek
10. What is the emblem of Scotland?
- a) a daffodil
  - b) a dragon
  - c) a thistle
11. What are the emblems of Wales?
- a) a shamrock, a clover and a red hand
  - b) a rose and the Saint George's cross
  - c) a dragon, a daffodil, a leek, a dove
12. What is the emblem of Northern Ireland?
- a) a shamrock
  - b) a red rose
  - c) a thistle
13. What chambers does the British Parliament consist of?
- a) the Senate and the House of Representatives

- b) the House of Lords and the House of Commons
  - c) the Cabinet of Ministers and the Shadow Cabinet
14. Who presides in the House of Lords?
- a) the Lord Chancellor
  - b) the Speaker
  - c) the Prime Minister
15. Who presides in the House of Commons?
- a) the Lord Chancellor
  - b) the Speaker
  - c) the Chancellor of the Exchequer
16. Where does the British Premier live and work?
- a) at 10, Downing street
  - b) in the Houses of Parliament
  - c) in Buckingham Palace
17. What natural resources bring the most profits to the British economy?
- a) coal reserves
  - b) oil reserves
  - c) water resources
18. In what sector of the economy does the majority of the population work?
- a) in primary industries
  - b) in secondary industries
  - c) in tertiary industries
19. What is the fastest way to cross the English channel?
- a) through the Channel Tunnel (the Chunnel)
  - b) by boat
  - c) by ferry
20. What is the most important airport in Great Britain?
- a) Heathrow Airport
  - b) Gatwick Airport
  - c) Stansted Airport
21. What is the most famous place of pagans' sun worship in England?
- a) a temple to the goddess Minerva in Bath
  - b) Stonehenge on Salisbury Plain

- c) Dartmoor National Park
22. What is the main cathedral of the Anglican Church?
- a) St. Paul's Cathedral
  - b) Canterbury Cathedral
  - c) Salisbury Cathedral
23. What is the official religion in the United Kingdom?
- a) Catholicism
  - b) Orthodoxy
  - c) Protestantism
24. What is the school-leaving age in the United Kingdom?
- a) 16
  - b) 13
  - c) 18
25. Which of the following stages of British education is not obligatory?
- a) nursery school
  - b) primary school
  - c) secondary school
26. What is the top secondary school in Great Britain?
- a) Chiswick Community School
  - b) Eton
  - c) Harrow
27. What is the highest mark in British schools?
- a) A
  - b) C
  - c) G
28. Further education comprises...
- a) comprehensive schools
  - b) universities and colleges of higher education
  - c) work related courses and colleges that do not provide higher education
29. What do we call the following pattern of tuition: six months in college and six months in industry?
- a) "sandwich" courses
  - b) further education
  - c) full-time tuition

30. What universities have the highest academic reputation in the United Kingdom?
- a) Oxford University and Cambridge University
  - b) London University and Bristol University
  - c) Red Brick Universities
31. What is the first degree awarded by universities?
- a) a doctor's degree
  - b) a bachelor's degree
  - c) a master's degree
32. At a British university or college a tutor is...
- a) a person who examines students and gives them marks
  - b) a person who has the highest rank of the teachers in a department and delivers lectures
  - c) a member of a staff who teaches small groups of students and gives them help and advice
33. What are the best English resorts?
- a) Bristol and Southampton
  - b) Brighton and Bath
  - c) Leeds and Bradford
34. What is the tallest building in England?
- a) the Tower of London
  - b) the Canary Warf tower
  - c) Hampton court palace
35. What place in England is called a kind of Disneyland?
- a) Hampstead Heath
  - b) Alton Towers
  - c) Windsor Safari Park
36. What is the London residence of Queen Elisabeth II?
- a) the Tower of London
  - b) Windsor Castle
  - c) Buckingham Palace
37. Where is Nelson's Column stands?
- a) in Parliament Square
  - b) in Trafalgar Square
  - c) in Piccadilly Circus

38. When are British Kings crowned?
- a) in St. Paul's cathedral
  - b) in Westminster Abbey
  - c) in Canterbury Cathedral
39. Who was the architect of St. Paul's Cathedral in London?
- a) Sir Christopher Wren
  - b) Edward Bailey
  - c) Henry Tate
40. The ravens are famous sight of...
- a) the Tower of London
  - b) London Zoo
  - c) Covent Garden
41. Scottish names begin with...
- a) O'
  - b) Mac or Mc
  - c) de
42. What is the Scottish national costume?
- a) the tuxedo
  - b) the bearskin
  - c) the kilt
43. What lake does the Famous Scottish monster live in?
- a) Lough Erne
  - b) Loch Lomond
  - c) Loch Ness
44. What is the most famous sport event in Scotland?
- a) the Highland Games
  - b) the Commonwealth in Games
  - c) the Wimbledon
45. What country is called a land of Castles and princes?
- a) England
  - b) Northern Ireland
  - c) Wales
46. What is the most important festival of Welsh poetry and music?
- a) Eisteddfod
  - b) the Edinburgh festival

- c) the Rock festival in Liverpool
47. What is the name of the six counties of Northern Ireland?
- a) Antrim
  - b) Ulster
  - c) Causeway

## **Test 2 Great Britain and USA**

*Choose the correct answer from the variants listed below*

1. What kind of state is the UK?
  - a) republic
  - b) parliamentary monarchy
  - c) monarchy
2. What title does Prince Charles, the eldest son of the British Queen have?
  - a) Prince of Wales
  - b) Prince of Scotland
  - c) Prince of England
3. What does the word “Albion”, the poetic name of Great Britain, mean?
  - a) white
  - b) green
  - c) red
4. What is the national emblem of England?
  - a) violet
  - b) rose
  - c) tulip
5. What is the name of the oldest and best-known public school for boys in Great Britain?
  - a) Norwich
  - b) Bath
  - c) Eton
6. Whose monument stands in the center of Trafalgar square?
  - a) Admiral Nelson
  - b) General Washington
  - c) Former Prime Minister Winston Churchill

7. What is real English football called?
  - a) soccer
  - b) rugby
  - c) cricket
8. What is another name for the Houses of Parliament?
  - a) the Clearness Palace
  - b) St. James's Palace
  - c) Palace of Westminster
9. What is the oldest university of Great Britain?
  - a) Oxford
  - b) Cambridge
  - c) Exeter
10. What park of London is the Speaker's corner situated in?
  - a) Regent's Park
  - b) Hyde Park
  - c) Green Park
11. Where does the President of the USA live and work?
  - a) in Congress
  - b) in the White House
  - c) in the Pentagon
12. Which is the biggest state of the USA?
  - a) Texas
  - b) California
  - c) Alaska
13. Who was the first president of the USA?
  - a) George Washington
  - b) Abraham Lincoln
  - c) Ulysses Grant
14. Who made the first American flag "Stars and Stripes"?
  - a) Eliza Brown
  - b) Betsy Ross
  - c) Cecily Hardey
15. What city of the USA is called "The city of the Yellow Devil"?
  - a) San Francisco
  - b) New York



- c) Washington
- 16. What beautiful waterfall is situated in the USA?
  - a) Niagara
  - b) Victoria
  - c) Angel Falls
- 17. Who was the President of the USA when “Emancipation Proclamation” was adopted and the slaves were freed?
  - a) Washington
  - b) Lincoln
  - c) Jefferson
- 18. In which city is Hollywood?
  - a) New York
  - b) San Francisco
  - c) Los Angeles
- 19. What are the main political parties in the USA?
  - a) Democratic and Republican
  - b) Conservative and Labour
  - c) Liberal and Conservative
- 20. Where is the statue of Liberty situated?
  - a) in the New York Harbor
  - b) in the Gulf of Mexico
  - c) in the Irish sea

### **Test 3 UK quiz**

*Choose the correct answer from the variants listed below*

1. Queen Elizabeth II has got
  - a) 4 children
  - b) 3 children
  - c) 2 children
2. Was the Princess of Wales married to...?
  - a) Prince Andrew
  - b) Prince Philip
  - c) Prince Charles
3. Is the main Scottish residence of the Royal Family ...?
  - a) Buckingham Palace

- b) Windsor Castle
  - c) Balmoral
4. Where is the Loch Ness Monster supposed to live?
- a) England
  - b) Scotland
  - c) Wales
5. "Ulster" is another name for
- a) Scotland
  - b) Northern Ireland
  - c) The Republic of Ireland
6. You must go to school in Great Britain
- a) from the age of 5 until you are 16
  - b) from the age of 6 until you are 17
  - c) from the age of 7 until you are 18
7. What are these: The Guardian, The News of the World and The Independent?
- a) newspapers
  - b) TV programmes
  - c) towns
8. 68 Fahrenheit is
- a) 15 degrees Celsius
  - b) 20 degrees Celsius
  - c) 25 degrees Celsius
9. Is a mile about ...?
- a) 1,000 metres
  - b) 1,600 metres
  - c) 2,000 metres
10. What is a population of Great Britain?
- a) 35 mln
  - b) 45 mln
  - c) 55 mln

#### **Test 4 Great Britain, Australia, New Zealand and the USA**

*Choose the correct answer from the variants listed below*

1. What kind of state is the UK?

- a) republic
  - b) parliamentary monarchy
  - c) monarchy
2. What is the nickname of the flag of UK?
    - a) Stars and Stripes
    - b) Union Jack
    - c) Flag of St. Patrick's Cross
  3. What is the name of the London's residence of Queen Elizabeth II?
    - a) Buckingham Palace
    - b) Kensington Palace
    - c) Windsor Castle
  4. What is the official residence of the Prime Minister in the UK?
    - a) 10, Downing street
    - b) Baker's street
    - c) Whitehall
  5. What is the name of the town where William Shakespeare was born?
    - a) Sheffield
    - b) Coventry
    - c) Stratford-on-Avon
  6. What part of Britain is called "the land of songs"?
    - a) Northern Ireland
    - b) Wales
    - c) Scotland
  7. In what town is the residence of the head of the English Church?
    - a) Canterbury
    - b) Manchester
    - c) Liverpool
  8. Who is the architect of the famous St. Paul's Cathedral?
    - a) Michelangelo
    - b) Sir Christopher Wren
    - c) Rastrelli
  9. What is the name of London's Underground?
    - a) Metro
    - b) Subway
    - c) the Tube

10. What theatre was organized by W. Shakespeare?
  - a) Globe Theatre
  - b) Old Vic Theatre
  - c) Royal Theatre
11. How many states are there in the USA?
  - a) 48
  - b) 52
  - c) 50
12. Why do the Americans celebrate the 4<sup>th</sup> of July?
  - a) the first Moon landing
  - b) Declaration of Independence
  - c) the end of the American Civil War
13. What ship did Pilgrim Fathers (the first American settlers) sail to America in?
  - a) The Mayflower
  - b) The Aurora
  - c) Santa Maria
14. What state does the capital of the USA Washington belong to?
  - a) to the state of Pennsylvania
  - b) to the District of Columbia
  - c) to the state of Maryland
15. What is the main industry of Washington?
  - a) government industry
  - b) heavy industry
  - c) cotton industry
16. Who is the main figure of the emblem of the USA?
  - a) owl
  - b) eagle
  - c) cuckoo
17. What is “Disneyland”?
  - a) industrial town
  - b) name of the square
  - c) Children’s park of Wonder
18. What is the capital of Australia?
  - a) Sidney

- b) Canberra
  - c) Melbourne
19. Who was the first Englishman to come to Australia?
- a) Captain James Cook
  - b) Admiral Nelson
  - c) Captain Drake
20. What is the national emblem of New Zealand?
- a) kangaroo
  - b) kiwi bird
  - c) koala

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