

Grade 12 Grammar Exercises 1st Term 2018 - 2019

UNIT 1

- 1- Why don't you help us standing there and watching us do all the work ?
a- in comparison with b- instead of c- whereas d- on the other hand
- 2- The first half of the game, the second half was dull and boring.
a- On the other hand b- In comparison with c- Whereas d- But
- 3- Travelling by air is extremely comfortabletravelling by sea or land.
a. instead of b. in comparison with c. on the other hand d. whereas
- 4- My parents have decided to stay in Kuwait this summer.....travelling abroad.
a. instead of b. in comparison with c. on the other hand d. whereas
- 5- Lean meat is good for health,fatty meat is extremely bad for health.
a. instead of b. whereas c. due to d. because of
6. I'm interested in listening to classical music,my brother prefers western music.
a. instead of b. whereas c. although d. despite
- 7- City life is noisy and exciting, life in the countryside is more peaceful.
a - instead of b- in comparison with c- on the other hand d- whereas
- 8- some people enjoy the outdoor life, others spend all their time indoors.
a. But b. Instead of c. because of d. Whereas
- 9- Life nowadays, life a century ago was quite hard.
a- But b- In comparison with c- Whereas d- Instead of
- 10-..... being annoyed, he seemed quite pleased.
a-But b-Instead of c-whereas d-in comparison with
- 11-..... your previous work , this article is much better and more organized.
a- Whereas b- In comparison with c- Instead of d- But
- 12- Don't we all agree that policemen have to be very fit,..... lawyers have to be intelligent?
a- despite b- therefore c- whereas d- instead of
- 13- Dana has been playing tennisshe was twelve years old.
a- before b- ago c- since d- for
- 14- We've been planning for a clean-up operation2 weeks.
a. about b. for c. since d. nearly
- 15- My mother has been preparing for Sara's graduation party.....this morning.
a. before b. since c. ago d. for
16. Scientists have been working on this projectages.
a- since b- for c- ago d- before
17. I really haven't had much free timeschool started.
a. ago b. for c. since d. before
18. We've never been to any African country,?
a. do we b. haven't we c. have we d. don't we
- 19- The boss warned you to come early, ?
a- hasn't he b- doesn't he c- does he d- didn't he
- 20- Please, call me when he comes,.....?
a-do you b. will you c. don't you d. must you
- 21- Let's have a morning walk,.....?
a. shall we b. will we c. don't we d. must we
- 22- Nothing can be done at this very moment,.....?
a. shall it b. will it c. don't it d. can it

- 23- She rarely comes late,.....?
a. does she **b. can't she** **c. didn't she** **d. doesn't she**
- 24- Playing a musical instrument isn't as easy as supposed,.....?
a. was it **b. will it** **c. isn't it** **d. is it**
- 25- There has been no rain for the last couple of weeks,.....?
a. has there **b. have there** **c. hasn't there** **d. haven't there**
26. Never hesitate to support vulnerable people wherever they are, ?
a. shall we **b. will you** **c. don't we** **d. can you**
27. We'd better inform them as soon as possible, ?
a-do we **b. will we** **c. hadn't we** **d. must we**
- 28- His hospital treatment since last month.
a. received **b. has received** **c. was received** **d. has been received**
- 29- Many peoplein separate accidents yesterday.
a. kill **b. killed** **c. are killed** **d. were killed**
- 30- If our team trained well, they the final match.
a- would win **b- would have won** **c- had won** **d- will win**
- 31- If the rescue team had found him earlier, they.....his life.
a-will save **b-would save** **c-would have saved** **d-won't save**

UNIT 2

- 32-my father finished work, all the other employees had already left the company.
a- Hardly **b- Since** **c- No sooner** **d- By the time**
33. By the time we arrived at work, we discovered that somebody Into the office.
a. break **b. was broken** **c. had broken** **d. has broken**
34. No sooner The letter than she started crying.
a. she had read **b. will she read** **c. had she read** **d. she will read**
35. Scarcely had my uncle arrived he visited us .
a. because **b. after** **c. than** **d. when**
36. No sooner had Mona heard the news.....she fainted.
a. than **b. when** **c. after** **d. before**
- 37- By the time we reached the station, the bus
a. moves **b. has moved** **c. was moving** **d. had moved**
- 38- I had done my homework before to school.
a. moved **b. has moved** **c. moving** **d. had moved**
- 39- After wethere, we went to bed immediately.
a. were **b. has been** **c. have been** **d. had been**
- 40- Adel arrived at the station, his family had already left.
a- As soon as **b- Until** **c- By the time** **d- After**

UNIT 3

- 41- This is a very important question. Please, think before you answer.
a- more careful **b- careful** **c- carefully** **d- careless**
- 42- The child was behaving
a- bad **b- badly** **c- worse** **d- worst**
- 43- The dog was barking
a- aggressive **b- more aggressive** **c- most aggressive** **d- aggressively**

66. Farmers tend to over cultivate their land ,..... the soil becomes unproductive.
a. to **b. so as to** **c. with the result that** **d. so that**
67. We are expecting a new baby in the family. I am hoping for a girl, Mum is hoping for a boy.
a. In comparison with **b. Instead of** **c. However** **d. with the result that**
68. The teacher wanted to know.....test paper without a name on it.
a- who **b- which** **c. whose** **d- how**
69. Two out of three people.....are struck by lightning, survive with no eternal disabilities.
a. who **b. which** **c. where** **d. whom**
70. The houselies in the corner, is my uncle's.
a- who **b- where** **c. whose** **d- that**
- 71-The murderer crime was hideous hasn't been arrested yet.
a- whom **b. who** **c- which** **d- whose**

UNIT 5

- 72- I wish I ten years younger.
a. am **b. is** **c. are** **d. were**
- 73- I wish I help all poor people.
a. can **b. could** **c. could have** **d. can' t**
- 74- I wish I the invitation of last night's party.
a. decline **b. have declined** **c. don't decline** **d. hadn't declined**
- 75- I wish my brother getting at me.
a. stops **b. will stop** **c. would stop** **d. hadn't stopped**
- 76- I wish I all my money when I was young.
a. spend **b. will stop** **c. would stop** **d. hadn't spent**
- 77- I couldn't read the newspaper. I wished Imy glasses with me.
a. have **b. will have** **c. would have** **d. had had**

UNIT 6

- 78- His father was angry him because he failed his exams.
(a) of **(b) on** **(c) with** **(d) from**
- 79- We arrived the airport at midnight.
(a) of **(b) at** **(c) on** **(d) for**
- 80- The reason cutting forests is sometimes people's ignorance.
(a) of **(b) at** **(c) for** **(d) with**
- 81- She felt sick shortly after she got the school bus.
(a) off **(b) on** **(c) for** **(d) from**
- 82- Arabs are famous their hospitality.
(a) for **(b) from** **(c) with** **(d) of**
- 83- Bees depend flowers and fruit to feed.
(a) of **(b) on** **(c) at** **(d) for**
- 84- She..... French. I'm not sure. She has a strange accent.
(a) must be **(b) can't be** **(c) might be** **(d) might have been**
- 85- Itbe easy designing bridges. They are very complicated structures.
(a) must **(b) can't** **(c) might** **(d) might have**

- 86- He's not usually tense. He..... faced some troubles at work.
 (a) must (b) can't (c) might have (d) must have
- 87- There are some clouds in the sky. Ittonight.
 (a) must rain (b) might rain (c) must have rained (d) might have rained
- 88- The ground is wet. It.....last night.
 (a) might rain (b) can't have rained (c) must have rained (d) might have rained
89. There's oil under my car. Therebe a leak somewhere.
 a- can't have b- mustn't c- can have d- must
- 90- If pandasby enemies, they climb up a tree.
 a. threaten b. threatened c. are threatened d. were threatened
- 91- Treesfor hardwood.
 a. cut down b. are cut down c. have been cut down d. were cut down
- 92.People suffering from calamities.....by charitable organizations.
 a. supported b. is supported c. have supported d. have to be supported
93. Until the 1960s, pandasfor their skins.
 a. hunts b. hunted c. are hunted d. were hunted

DO AS SHOWN IN BRACKETS:

UNIT 1

- 1- I speak English. My brother speaks French. (Join using: whereas)

- 2- - Summer is so hot and humid. Winter is so cold and rainy. (Join)

- 3- Information on the internet is up-to-date. Information in books could be out of date.
 (Join using: in comparison with)
- 4- He can travel abroad by plane. He can't travel by his car. (Join: instead of)

- 5- We can resort to selling some of our sharesborrowing money from the bank.
 (complete with a suitable connector)
- 6- Learning scientific majors needs talent and studiousness .Learning literary majors needs
 imagination. (Join)

- 7- The court imposed a deterrent punishment on the criminal. (Make passive)

- 8- The American society is composed from a mixture of immigrants from all over the world.
 (Ask a question)
- 9- His Highness the Amir of Kuwait has addressed his people with a thrilling speech on the
 National day,.....? (Add a tag question)

- 10- English is used in Kuwait as a second language. (change into negative)

- 11- He doesn't know when the plane is landing,.....? (Add a question tag)

- 12- He called the firemen to put out the fire in shopping centre. (Make passive)

- 13- The athlete broke the world record this time. (Ask question)

- 14- We found some good books to read. (Make negative)

- 15- Tsunami causes the destruction of many cities. (passive)

- 16- It takes three hours to go to Bahrain by car. (Ask a question)

- 17- Individuals sacrifice some of their freedoms to gain the protection of the society. (Ask a question)

- 18- You don't remember me,.....? (Add a question tag)

- 19- Individuals sacrifice some of their freedoms to gain the protection of the society. (Ask a question)

- 20- Deforestation causes the migration lots of animals. (Ask a question)

- 21- Ahmed will be waiting for the next journey. (Make negative)

- 22- You should fill in an application form when applying for a job. (change focus)

- 23- Asian people like rice,.....? (Add a question tag)

- 24- The passenger forgot the luggage in the departure lounge. (Ask a question)

- 25- Our parents always advise us to respect the elderly. (passive)

UNIT 2

- 26- We arrived at the concert. It started to rain. (Join using: by the time)

- 27- Hamad passed his driving test. His father bought him a new car. (Join using : as soon as)

- 28- I had finished my breakfast when the doorbell rang . (begin with: Hardly)

 29- As soon as he had finished his election speech, a strong applause by the audience followed.
 (begin with: No sooner)
 30- Individuals sacrifice some of their freedoms to gain the protection of the society.
 (Ask a question)
 31- Deforestation causes the migration lots of animals. (Ask a question)

 32- The passenger forgot the luggage in the departure lounge. (Ask a question)

 33- We reached the airport. Un fortunately the plane took off. (begin with: No sooner)

UNIT 3

- 34- If I had a lot of money,.....(complete)
 35- If you had given me the right directions, (complete)
 36- If smoke and gas increase in the air, (Complete)
 37- Unless I had been so careful, I wouldn't avoid the accident. (Use: If)

 38- If you drove too fast, (Complete)
 39-Some **irresponsible** students push some teachers to behave **nervous**. (Correct the mistake)

 40- We should take exercises **regular** to be fit and healthy. (Correct the mistake)

 41- The thief was arrested. He stole the lady's bag. (Join using: who)

 42- The law protects the rights of all people in the Kuwaiti society. It is drawn from the
 teachings of the Holy Quran. (Join using: which)

UNIT 4

- 43- The play was not interesting. Some viewers fell asleep. (Join using "with the result that")

 44- The government is building new hospitals. They want to provide citizens with better
 health service. (Use: in order to/ so that)

- 45- Our parents always advise us to respect the elderly. (passive)

- 46- The company chose the new manager to attend the conference. (Make passive)

- 47- You should return these books to the library. (change focus)

- 48- The earthquake has destroyed many villages in the area. (Make passive)

- 49- We have to find a proper solution to this problem. (passive)

- 50- People have cut forests to use the land for farming. (Focus)

- 51- You should fill in an application form when applying for a job. (change focus)

- 52- John and Peter are equally good at English . (Use: as.....as)

- 53- Although the weather was very bad, my friends went fishing. (Use: Despite)

- 54- He travelled to London to learn English. He worked hard to earn his living. (Use: In addition to)

- 55- I'm always interested.....reading about nature, but I'm not keen.....listening
 to music. I usually search.....the bestsellers to read.....the weekends.
 (Add Prepositions)
- 56- Some people spend their free time effective than others do. (correct the adjective)

- 57- Individuals sacrifice some of their freedoms to gain the protection of the society.
 (Ask a question)

Correct the verbs in brackets:

- 1- My mother (pack).....our suitcase for two hours right now.
- 2- The Bird's immigration season (just start)....., so unfamiliar birds hover all over Kuwait City nowadays.
- 3- I (fix).....computers for years but I still come across new problems.
- 4- The manager (just interview).....ten applicants.
- 5- No one (claim).....responsibility for the bomb attack so far.
- 6- You (sit).....in front of the TV since early morning. Try doing something useful.
- 7- I am so exhausted because I (study).....for three hours.
- 8- Many species of creatures (vanish).....after they had suffered detrimental environmental conditions.
- 9- After (water).....the plants in the backyard, they forgot to lock the door.
- 10- Ali started his own business after he (graduate).....from the faculty of business management.
- 11- I replied to your e-mail immediately after I (receive).....it.
- 12- Bill Gates was only a reporter before he (become).....the owner of the world's largest computer company.
- 13- If you heat water to 100 degrees, it (boil).....
- 14- If he had worked harder, he (achieve).....better results.
- 15- I (see).....the film if you had recommended it to me.
- 16- If I had the choice, I (stay).....at home on my internet 24 hours a day.
- 17- If he had worked harder, he (achieve).....better results.
- 18- If you (recommend).....that book, we would have bought it at once.
- 19- I wish I (see).....that film a long time ago.
- 20- To my mind, the train was slow. I wish we (travel).....by car.
- 21- I'm late for the class. I wish I (get up).....early.
- 22- My house is too small. I wish I (have).....a bigger one.