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NOUNS

1. The latest news ... quite worrying, I would say.
a. are b. is c. there are d. there is

2. No ... were at the zoo at that time.
a. wolfes b. wolves c. wolfs d. wolf

3. The squirrel ran into the ... and we lost it.
a. bush b. bushies c. bushes d. bushees

4. By brushing the ... regularly she has good chances to become the next image of the brand.
a. teeth b. teeths c. toothes d. tooths

5. Several ... were waving on the platform as the train pulled into the station.
a. ladyes b. ladies c. ladys d. ladyies

6. Measles ... a childhood disease that requires much attention.
a. are b. is c. it is d. there is

7. The UK ... becoming a popular touristic destination all the year round, despite the cold climate.
a. is b. are c. there are d. it is

8. He can play ... piano so nicely that I can't stop listening to him.
a. a b. - c. an d. the

9. That ... is dangerous for the child, you'd better lock it somewhere out of his reach.
a. pair of scissors b. scissors c. scissor d. scissorses

10. The ... in this lake looks clean, you can swim if you feel like.
a. wather b. waters c. weather d. water

11. Let's just hope that the police ... coming to the rescue soon.
a. will b. are c. is d. it is

12. Your trousers ... lying on the floor.
a. was b. there are c. are d. is
-
13. I guess he has enough ... to pass this exam.
a. knowledges b. knowlegeis c. knowledge d. knowlege
-
14. Every piece of ... should be handled carefully.
a. luggages b. luggage c. luggagies d. lugage
-
15. We held the ... tightly and stepped into the dark cave.
a. torcies b. torchies c. torces d. torches
-
16. He spent all his savings on repairing the two houses'....
a. rooves b. roofs c. roofes d. roffes
-
17. A few ... were left behind while visiting the museum.
a. schoolsboy b. schoolboys
c. schoolsboys d. school-boys
-
18. The ... couldn't believe their ears and drew closer to listen again.
a. passer-bys b. passers-by
c. passers-bys d. passing-bys
-
19. Billiards ... one of his favourite games.
a. are b. there is c. it is d. is
-
20. Homework ... what he dislikes most if you ask me.
a. there is b. are c. is d. there are
-
21. I can't believe this is Pat! She has lots of grey ... now.
a. hair b. haireis c. hairs d. hairis
-
22. This furniture is made of the best ... money can buy, I assure you.
a. woods b. woodes c. wooden d. wood
-
23. All of a sudden there was a loud ... of thunder and it started to rain.
a. flash b. drop c. clap d. piece
-
24. If you need another ... of paper, don't hesitate to ask for.
a. slice b. sheet c. piece d. pice
-
25. Bring us two ... and some cream, please.
a. coffees b. cups of coffees c. cups of coffee d. cafes
-
26. I could do with ... advice if you would help me.
a. an b. some c. one d. a piece

27. The ... are living mainly in Asia.
a. Chines b. Chinese c. Chineses d. Chinesse
-
28. Where ... my new jeans?
a. are b. is c. are there d. is it
-
29. To our surprise, his ... couldn't have been closer to the truth.
a. theses b. thesises c. thesis d. these
-
30. What ... of transport are available in your area?
a. mean b. meanes c. means d. meens
-
31. There are several ... in this fish tank which are worth seeing.
a. fish b. fishs c. fishes d. fishies
-
32. The ... of the exam have not been settled yet.
a. datum b. data c. dates d. datas
-
33. You definitely need to teach your child how to use the ... if he goes hiking in the woods.
a. compass b. compasses c. compassis d. comppas
-
34. How about changing the ... before sitting down for dinner?
a. tablecloths b. tables-cloths c. tableclothes d. table-clothes
-
35. The baby grabbed the ... of chocolate and ran back to his mum.
a. lump b. packet c. bar d. pack
-
36. Could you tell me anything about the ... of this novel?
a. content b. contents' c. contents d. content's
-
37. The whole thing will cost you 15 pounds and 20
a. pences b. pennies c. pence d. cents
-
38. The woman just sat there, bent over the desk and taking the ... of the meeting.
a. minutes b. minute c. minuts d. minuties
-
39. The kids pointed to the ... of birds in the sky and started running.
a. shoal b. flock c. crowd d. flight
-
40. It's getting harder and harder to put up with my landlady's
a. air b. airs c. aires d. airies
-
41. My neighbour showed up at my door last night and asked for a ... of flour. Can you believe it?
a. pot b. packet c. bag d. pack

42. If you want to surprise her, I advise you to use the best ... of fish for the salad.
a. tube b. can c. tin d. jar
-
43. There were only three ducks in the yard so we went looking for the two missing
a. he-ducks b. male ducks c. drakes d. she-ducks
-
44. She was happy to ride the stallion but was having second thoughts about the
a. she-stallion b. horse c. mare d. male
-
45. They enjoy
a. Jake's company b. the company of Jake
c. Jake company's d. company of Jake's
-
46. That naughty dog is my
a. neighbourse's b. neighbours'
c. neighbours d. neighbourse's
-
47. ... plan sounds reasonable enough to me, don't you agree?
a. Mr. and Mrs. Smith's b. Mr.'s and Mrs.' Smith
c. Mr. and Mrs. Smiths' d. Mr. and Mrs.' Smith's
-
48. ... is a household topic these days.
a. Europe economy b. Europe's economy
c. Economy of Europe d. European economy
-
49. She will never be able to fulfil her
a. lives' dream b. life dream
c. dream of the life d. dream life
-
50. We decided to stay in a ... that night.
a. students' hostel b. student's hostel
c. student hostel d. student-hostel
-
51. They headed for the castle as it was getting dark and it was ... up there.
a. a mile's distance b. the distance of a mile
c. a mile distance d. mile's distance
-
52. That boy persuaded Rick to lend him the boat for
a. a month time b. a month's time
c. the time of a month d. the month's time
-
53. Don't judge her too harsh, for ... !
a. the sake of God b. God's sake
c. God sake d. Goodness' sake

PRONOUNS

1. It's up to ... geologists to warn the people of impending volcanic activity.
a. we b. us c. ours d. any

2. The headmaster made Jayden and ... repair the damage to the chemistry lab.
a. mine b. me c. our d. my

3. Josie, Mary, and ... rode their bikes all the way to New Hampshire.
a. he b. he's c. his d. her

4. The manager was worried that ... secretaries wouldn't do the work without additional compensation.
a. ourself b. we c. ours d. ourselves

5. The family's running out of money, but that's a secret between his mother and ...
a. himself b. he c. his d. her

6. I really don't appreciate ... walking late into class every morning.
a. you b. your c. yours d. yourself

7. I don't want anybody but ... working on this project.
a. she b. hers c. he d. her

8. ... doesn't need to work so late, does ...?
a. She / he b. He / she c. He / he d. She / her

9. Animals like frogs have waterproof skin that prevents ... from drying out quickly in air, sun or wind.
a. they b. them c. their d. themselves

10. John hurt ... badly when riding the horse and now he is in hospital.
a. him b. himself c. his d. he

11. Peter and Sue helped ... with the homework as they are always a team.
a. themselves b. each other c. one another d. them

12. I feel ... much better today.
a. myself b. me c. I d. –
-
13. She made ... a cup of tea and quietly read the paper.
a. her b. herself c. she d. hers
-
14. The wild monkey looked at ... in the mirror.
a. himself b. herself c. itself d. her
-
15. Brigit and Billy smiled at
a. one another b. each other c. themselves d. them
-
16. Do you remember where we spent the 1st of July last year? I ... don't.
a. me b. mine c. myself d. my
-
17. We need to concentrate ... on the exam.
a. us b. ourself c. ourselves d. ours
-
18. It wasn't ..., it was ... who had the idea of staying in tonight.
a. I / her b. me / she c. myself / she d. me / her
-
19. Talk to Stephen and ... before making a decision.
a. they b. them c. their d. theirs
-
20. The committee has disagreed about ... next move.
a. its b. their c. – d. theirs
-
21. Actors during early rehearsals often forget ... lines.
a. themselves b. their c. them d. theirs
-
22. I did that by
a. oneself b. myself c. yourself d. himself
-
23. Please don't trust Come and see for
a. me / your b. her / you c. she / yourself d. me / yourself
-
24. The English book and dictionary are on the table. You may take ... but leave ... there.
a. the first / the second b. the first / the latter
c. the former / the second d. the former / the latter
-
25. Our ... teacher made us question everything we had learnt.
a. former b. prime c. foremost d. one
-
26. "... pupil has solved this difficult problem in only one minute?" asked the teacher entering the class.
a. What b. Who c. Which d. Whom

27. ... is this dress made by?
a. Whom b. Who c. What d. How
-
28. ... is the English pronunciation for "croissant"?
a. Which b. What c. How d. To which
-
29. This is the man about ... I was talking the other day.
a. who b. that c. whom d. which
-
30. The room ... are open is my bedroom.
a. the windows of which b. whose' windows
c. that the windows d. the windows which
-
31. ... man has the right to be free.
a. All b. Every c. Everybody d. Each
-
32. ... who was present had something to say.
a. Anyone b. Every c. Anybody d. Everyone
-
33. A caricature is a picture ... the subject's distinctive features are deliberately exaggerated.
a. that b. in that c. in which d. where
-
34. The glaciers in Olympia National Park are unusual because ... are found at altitudes lower than ... at ... glaciers are usually found.
a. they / these / where b. them / those / where
c. they / those / which d. them / these / which
-
35. Ants cannot see red light, so ... is impossible to observe ... in an artificial nest without disturbing ... activities.
a. it / themselves / their b. there / them / their
c. it / them / their d. it / them / its
-
36. We need to be careful that ... we vote for in the election feels as we do about the important issues.
a. whichever b. however c. whomever d. whatever
-
37. They're fashion models, so they can't eat ... they want. They're on a very strict diet.
a. whichever b. whatever c. whomever d. however
-
38. ... shoes you wear on vacation, make sure they're comfortable or you'll get blisters.
a. Whatever b. Whichever c. What d. Which
-
39. Learn English ... you can – on the internet, in a class, or even at home.
a. whatever b. whenever c. wherever d. however

40. The restaurant will prepare your steak ... you like it – rare, medium or well-done.
a. however b. whatever c. whenever d. wherever
-
41. According to this map, we can drive ... way. All these routes will get us to our destination.
a. whichever b. wherever c. whatever d. whosever
-
42. It's no use taking these pills. I don't feel ... better.
a. no b. some c. any d. nothing
-
43. ... was said but ... was done.
a. Little / few b. Much / many c. Much / few d. Much / little
-
44. If you don't know the answer it's best to say
a. anything b. something c. some things d. nothing
-
45. That ice-cream was excellent. Can I have ... ?
a. other b. another c. other one d. some
-
46. One was tall and ... was short.
a. another b. the other c. another one d. other one
-
47. Do you want tea or coffee? I don't mind. ... is good for me.
a. Neither b. Either c. Both d. Former
-
48. I keep telling mum and dad the truth but ... believes me.
a. none b. neither c. either d. both
-
49. ... and fewer are smoking these days. They seem to have understood that smoking kills.
a. Little b. Few c. Lesser d. Fewer
-
50. They ... complained and ... left the meeting.
a. all / either b. both / some c. both / any d. all / several
-
51. They fixed the water so why is ... coming out of the tap?
a. none b. nothing c. any d. not some
-
52. I invited three friends but ... have come.
a. some b. any c. neither d. none
-
53. He was a foreigner and he felt that he was treated as
a. that b. such c. one d. some
-
54. ... is Josef speaking. Is ... Mary?
a. That / this b. This / this
c. That / that d. This / that

NUMERALS

1. She lives on the ... floor.
a. fiveth b. fifth c. fivth d. five'th

2. It's incredibly cold outside; it's twenty degrees below ...
a. null b. nought c. zero d. love

3. "3rd August 1993" is read ...
a. the third of August nineteen ninety-three
b. third August nineteen ninety-three
c. the third of August ninety ninety-three
d. the three of August ninety ninety-three

4. Her great-grandfather died during ...
a. World War Second b. World War the Second
c. World War Twice d. World War Two

5. I phoned you ..., but you wouldn't answer.
a. two times b. twice c. thrice d. secondly

6. I'll call you back in a ... of days.
a. several b. couple c. few d. two

7. They entered the class ...
a. by two b. in twos c. two and twos d. twos

8. There were four groups of six men ...
a. every b. all c. each d. one

9. John has learnt ... proverbs by heart.
a. a dozen b. a lot c. lots d. much

10. He has called me ... ten times today.
a. more b. and more c. more than d. above

11. Simona Halep leads by thirty -
a. naught b. zero c. love d. null
-
12. I prefer the literature of the
a. thirty's b. thirtys c. thirtieth d. thirties
-
13. She was a good-looking woman in her
a. forties b. fourties c. fortys d. fortieth
-
14. This work of art is worth five
a. million b. milions c. milion d. millions
-
15. New York has a population of more than nineteen ... inhabitants.
a. millions b. million c. billions d. billion
-
16. The number of young people studying in our schools amounts to
a. hundred thousands b. hundred of thousands
c. hundreds of thousand d. hundreds of thousands
-
17. Romania has a population of about ... people.
a. 20,000,000 b. 20.000.000 c. 20.000 000 d. 20:000 000
-
18. Six ... five is thirty.
a. divided by b. or c. multiply d. multiplied by
-
19. Mum bought two ... eggs this morning.
a. several b. dozen c. halves d. couples
-
20. He ran down three steps
a. threefold b. at once c. each d. at a time
-
21. This elephant weighs over ... tons.
a. 6.5 b. 6:5 c. 6,5 d. 6;5
-
22. I asked him a few questions: first who he was, ... where he came from.
a. second b. secondly c. in the second d. twicely
-
23. They have English classes ... a week.
a. second times b. two times c. twice d. twofold
-
24. Peter won the race and Paul came in
a. the 2 b. the second c. secondly d. 2nd
-
25. My dog can run ... as fast as myself.
a. two times b. second
c. twice d. two times more

KEY TO EXERCISES

Nouns

1. b	2. b	3. a	4. a	5. b	6. b	7. a	8. d	9. a	10. d
11. b	12. c	13. c	14. b	15. d	16. b	17. b	18. b	19. d	20. c
21. c	22. d	23. c	24. b	25. c	26. b	27. b	28. a	29. c	30. c
31. a	32. c	33. a	34. a	35. c	36. c	37. c	38. a	39. b	40. b
41. c	42. c	43. c	44. c	45. a	46. b	47. a	48. b	49. b	50. c
51. a	52. b	53. b	54. b	55. d	56. b	57. a	58. b	59. d	60. a
61. b	62. a	63. b	64. c	65. c	66. d	67. c	68. a	69. b	70. d
71. b	72. c	73. b	74. c	75. c	76. b	77. a	78. b	79. a	80. b
81. a	82. c	83. b	84. b	85. d	86. c	87. a	88. b	89. c	90. b
91. b	92. b	93. b	94. a	95. c	96. a	97. b	98. d	99. a	100. c

Pronouns

1. b	2. b	3. a	4. b	5. a	6. b	7. d	8. c	9. b	10. b
11. b	12. d	13. b	14. c	15. b	16. c	17. c	18. d	19. b	20. a
21. b	22. b	23. d	24. d	25. a	26. c	27. a	28. b	29. c	30. a
31. b	32. d	33. c	34. c	35. c	36. c	37. b	38. b	39. c	40. a
41. a	42. c	43. d	44. d	45. b	46. b	47. b	48. b	49. d	50. d
51. a	52. d	53. b	54. d	55. b	56. d	57. b	58. a	59. a	60. c
61. c	62. c	63. d	64. d	65. a	66. b	67. d	68. c	69. d	70. c
71. b	72. c	73. d	74. a	75. d					

Numerals

1. b	2. c	3. a	4. d	5. b	6. b	7. b	8. c	9. a	10. c
11. c	12. d	13. a	14. a	15. b	16. d	17. a	18. d	19. b	20. d
21. a	22. a	23. c	24. b	25. c	26. b	27. d	28. a	29. a	30. a
31. a	32. c	33. a	34. a	35. b	36. b	37. b	38. c	39. a	40. a
41. c	42. d	43. b	44. a	45. b	46. b	47. a	48. a	49. a	50. b
51. d	52. a	53. a	54. c	55. d	56. a	57. b	58. a	59. a	60. c
61. d	62. b	63. d	64. d	65. b	66. c	67. a	68. a	69. b	70. a