

**A) Comment on the following document – minimum of 200 words.(60 pts)**

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**B) For each of the following sentences circle the right answer( / 40)**

1 The chemist's was open, so luckily I ..... buy some aspirin.  
a) *can*                      b) *did can*                      c) was able to

2 Susan has to work very hard. I ..... do her job, I'm sure.  
a) *can't*                      b) couldn't                      c) *don't*

3 We had a party last night ..... spend all day clearing up.  
a) *I must have*                      b) *I've been to*                      c) I've had to

4 There was no one else at the box office. I ..... in a queue.  
a) didn't need to wait                      b) *mustn't wait*                      c) *needn't have waited*

5 ..... I carry that bag for you? – Oh, thank you.  
a) *Do*                      b) Shall                      c) *Will*

6 The house was ..... building.  
a) a nice old stone                      b) *a nice stone old*                      c) *a stone old nice*

7 The government is doing nothing to help .....  
a) *poor*                      b) the poor                      c) *the poors*

8 The young man seems very .....  
a) sensible                      b) *sensibly*                      c) *sensibility*

9 I ..... missed the bus. I was only just in time to catch it.  
a) *near*                      b) *nearest*                      c) nearly

10 This detailed map is ..... the atlas.  
a) *more useful as*                      b) more useful than                      c) *usefuller as*

11 This place gets ..... crowded with tourists every summer.  
a) *always more*                      b) *from more to more*                      c) more and more

12 Yes, I have got the report. .... it.  
a) *I just am reading*                      b) I'm just reading                      c) *I'm reading just*

13 I've read this paragraph three times, and I ..... understand it.  
a) *can't still*                      b) *can't yet*                      c) still can't

14 We're really sorry. We regret what happened .....  
a) *a bit*                      b) *much*                      c) very much

15 The village is ..... Sheffield. It's only six miles away.  
a) *along*                      b) *by*                      c) near

16 You can see the details ..... the computer screen.  
a) *at*                      b) *by*                      c) on

17 I've got a meeting ..... Thursday afternoon.  
a) *at*                      b) *in*                      c) on

18 We've lived in this flat ..... five years.  
a) *ago*                      b) *already*                      c) for

19 This car is ..... , if you're interested in buying it.  
a) for sale                      b) *in sale*                      c) *at sale*

20 Pam wants to cycle round the world. She's really keen ..... the idea.  
a) *about*                      b) *for*                      c) on

- 21 I prefer dogs ..... cats. I really hate cats.  
a) *from*                      b) *than*                      c) to
- 22 Someone ..... the tickets are free.  
a) *said me*                      b) *said me that*                      c) told me
- 23 Last week Justin said 'I'll do it tomorrow.' He said he would do it .....  
a) the following day                      b) *the previous day*                      c) *tomorrow*
- 24 I wonder why Tom didn't go to the club. He said he ..... going.  
a) *be*                      b) *is*                      c) was
- 25 The librarian asked us ..... so much noise.  
a) *don't make*                      b) *not make*                      c) not to make
- 26 What's the name of the man ..... gave us a lift?  
a) *what*                      b) *which*                      c) who
- 27 What was that notice ..... ?  
a) *at that you were looking*                      b) you were looking at  
c) *you were looking at it*
- 28 Susan is the woman ..... husband is in hospital.  
a) *her*                      b) *hers the*                      c) whose
- 29 York, ..... last year, is a nice old city.  
a) *I visited*                      b) *that I visited*                      c) which I visited
- 30 The accident was seen by some people ..... at a bus stop  
a) *waited*                      b) waiting                      c) *were waiting*

- 31 I just had to take the dog out ..... of the awful weather.  
a) *although*                      b) *despite*                      c) in spite
- 32 Anna put the electric fire on ..... warm.  
a) *for getting*                      b) *in order get*                      c) to get
- 33 It was not quite ..... it is nowadays.  
a) as easy as                      b) *easier than*                      c) *less easy than*
- 34 What I appreciated ..... in this book was the end.  
a) *the more*                      b) *the most*                      c) most
- 35 What you can see over there is Canada's ..... supermarket.  
a) *larger*                      b) *the largest*                      c) largest
- 36 ..... opinion polls show him as the winner.  
a) *the better*                      b) the latest                      c) *last*
- 37 He is much ..... his brother.  
a) *the tallest*                      b) *as tall as*                      c) taller than
- 38 Her sister is so ..... that nobody ever talks to her.  
a) *bad temper*                      b) bad-tempered                      c) *bad tempers*
- 39 She has never liked ..... boys.  
a) *fair-hair*                      b) *fair hairs*                      c) fair-haired
- 40 The ..... countries will vote for them.  
a) *French-spoken*                      b) French-speaking                      c) *French speeches*