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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. haies                                      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. meanse                              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

# 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 1<sup>st</sup> 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

# ARTICLES

1. We'll try to reach the hotel in ... hour, so there is plenty of time to prepare the meeting.  
 a. the                                      b. an                                      c. -                                      d. any
- 
2. ... pets are not allowed in the building.  
 a. the                                      b. some                                      c. -                                      d. no
- 
3. Since we missed ... tram, we had to go to ... concert on ... foot.  
 a. - / a / the                                      b. the / a / -                                      c. a / the / the                                      d. the / the / -
- 
4. They had never been to ... Netherlands before.  
 a. -                                      b. the                                      c. a                                      d. that
- 
5. Last time I met him he used to be ... policeman but now he's ... manager.  
 a. a / -                                      b. - / the                                      c. a / a                                      d. the / the
- 
6. I had ... quarrel with ... next door woman over ... flowers in ... garden.  
 a. the / a / the / -                                      b. a / - / - / the  
 c. a / the / the / the                                      d. - / a / the / -
- 
7. She celebrated her ... birthday at ... restaurant.  
 a. - / a                                      b. - / -                                      c. a / the                                      d. the / a
- 
8. Martin must be telling ... truth, otherwise he wouldn't be that convincing.  
 a. -                                      b. the                                      c. a                                      d. some
- 
9. All of ... sudden the car turned right and raced over ... bridge.  
 a. - / -                                      b. a / -                                      c. the / the                                      d. a / the
- 
10. What does ... MP stand for?  
 a. the                                      b. a                                      c. an                                      d. -
- 
11. I find such ... information rather irrelevant for our investigation.  
 a. an                                      b. the                                      c. -                                      d. a piece

12. ... boys will be ... boys, you know what they say.  
a. the / the                      b. the / -                      c. some / -                      d. - / -
- 
13. ... trip down ... Thames has been an enjoyable escape for the weekend.  
a. A / the                      b. The / the                      c. The / -                      d. A / -
- 
14. Pam used to be ... guide in ... museum but then she decided to apply for ... scholarship and started to work as ... tour guide in Paris.  
a. a / a / a / a                      b. a / the / the / the  
c. - / - / - / the                      d. the / the / - / the
- 
15. Although he was ... middle-aged man, he was quickly noticed for his ... good looks.  
a. the / a                      b. a / -                      c. - / -                      d. - / the
- 
16. We used to walk all the way up to the peak of ... mountain in less than ... hour and enjoy ... fresh air from ... time to ... time.  
a. a / an / the / the / the                      b. the / an / the / - / -  
c. - / an / the / - / -                      d. the / - / the / a / -
- 
17. ... French are famous worldwide for their good taste in ... fashion.  
a. The / the                      b. - / -                      c. The / -                      d. - / the
- 
18. The injured mother and ... child were walking ... hand in ... hand.  
a. a / a / a                      b. the / the / -                      c. a / the / the                      d. the / - / -
- 
19. Hardly had I entered the office when ... secretary invited me to take ... seat by ... window.  
a. a / the / a                      b. the / a / -                      c. the / a / the                      d. a / a / -
- 
20. By ... way, is Jill's mansion still on ... sale?  
a. - / -                      b. a / the                      c. the / the                      d. the / -
- 
21. I wouldn't count on his doing that if I were you; not even in ... million years!  
a. -                      b. the                      c. a                      d. one
- 
22. They came all ... way from ... Netherlands to attend ... ceremony.  
a. - / the / a                      b. the / the / the                      c. a / the / -                      d. an / - / the
- 
23. ... baby requires special care.  
a. The                      b. -                      c. A                      d. Some
- 
24. Did you learn that in ... end he proved to be ... Christian despite his denial?  
a. - / a                      b. an / the                      c. the / a                      d. - / -
- 
25. There is ... letter for you from ... Mr. Jameson.  
a. - / the                      b. the / the                      c. - / a                      d. a / a

26. I'll go and lie down for ... minute; I've got ... splitting headache.  
 a. the / the                      b. a / the                      c. a / -                      d. a / a
- 
27. He just stood there, losing track of ... time in ... crowd.  
 a. the / the                      b. - / a                      c. a / -                      d. - / the
- 
28. Could you bring me a copy of ... Times on your way back home today?  
 a. -                      b. the                      c. a                      d. one
- 
29. She admitted that learning to play ... flute was one of ... hardest things ever tried.  
 a. the / the                      b. a / the                      c. - / the                      d. a / -
- 
30. ... good we do is shortly forgotten.  
 a. -                      b. the                      c. a                      d. some
- 
31. Watching ... sunset over ... Sahara desert was so much rewarding!  
 a. - / -                      b. a / the                      c. the / -                      d. the / the
- 
32. His reckless behaviour had turned him into ... fool.  
 a. a                      b. -                      c. the                      d. one
- 
33. Fishing on ... Lake Superior can be rather dangerous if you are not ... skilled fisherman.  
 a. - / -                      b. the / the                      c. the / a                      d. - / a
- 
34. The church was full of ... people waiting patiently in ... silence.  
 a. the / the                      b. - / -                      c. - / the                      d. the / -
- 
35. On ... way home they stopped to take some steak and liver for dinner at ... butcher's.  
 a. - / -                      b. a / the                      c. the / the                      d. the / -
- 
36. ... St. Ana is ... only volcanic lake that can be found in Romania.  
 a. - / -                      b. the / the                      c. - / the                      d. the / -
- 
37. The woman whose suitcase had been stolen at the airport is ... English.  
 a. -                      b. the                      c. an                      d. a
- 
38. We enjoy spending the evenings by ... sea.  
 a. -                      b. the                      c. a                      d. an
- 
39. ... honesty and ... common sense are ... virtues that I admire most.  
 a. The / the / the                      b. - / the / the  
 c. The / the / -                      d. - / - / the
- 
40. We will be in ... trouble if we're late again for ... rehearsal.  
 a. a / -                      b. the / the                      c. - / -                      d. - / the