Progress Check 4 (Units 10–12)

1 Choose the correct item.

1 Take care not to cut ..... with that knife.
(A) yourself B you C yours

2 That's not my book. It's ..... .
A him B his C himself

3 ..... is a man at the door who wants to speak to you.
A There B It C Here

4 I am a faster runner than Mark, ... I?
A isn't B are C aren't

5 It was Ann ..... had the idea of throwing the party.
A who B which C what

6 Physics ..... Brian's worst subject at school.
A was B were C weren't

7 This is ..... house.
A Mary's and John's B Mary and John's
C Mary's and John

8 Under no ..... should you tell anyone your credit card number.
A circumstances B account C way

9 ..... are you going this late at night?
A Wherever B Whoever C Whatever

10 There's no need to hurry; we have ..... of time.
A much B lot C plenty

11 ..... I want is some peace and quiet.
A That which B All that C The only

12 Sarah is studying ..... Maths at college.
A – B the C a

13 No ..... had Paul walked in the door than the phone started ringing.
A nearer B sooner C longer

14 Only after I explained it to him ..... the exercise.
A he understands B did he understand
C he did understand

15 Philip used to drive to work, ... he?
A didn't B isn't C wasn't

16 ..... is that new gadget used for?
A Which B What C How

17 "Kate didn't come to school today." "..... did Jim."
A As B So C Neither

18 Steve gave me a ..... advice about writing a CV.
A little B few C lot

19 Here's ..... boy who wants to be on the team.
A another B other C the other one

20 May I give you a(n) ..... of advice?
A item B piece C block

2 Underline the correct item.

1 Carol wants to set **up**/**off** her own business.
2 **On**/**At** Friday evening, Lisa went to the theatre.
3 I can always rely on Chris to stand **by**/**for** me when I have a problem.
4 It's **beside**/**against** the law to throw litter on the street.
5 Philip tore the letter **onto**/**into** pieces.
6 Could you turn **over**/**down** the volume on the TV, please?
7 The Football World Cup took place in South Africa **in**/**at** 2010.
8 Steve drove his sister to the train station and saw her **in**/**off**.
9 It looks like winter has finally set **to**/**in**.
10 Sharon was taken **out**/**aback** by Kim's insulting remark.
11 Lisa found it difficult to work **out**/**in** the answer to the crossword clue.
12 They reached the isolated island **with**/**by** helicopter.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

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3 Complete the sentences using the words in bold, as in the example.

1 We don't travel abroad very often.
do Rarely *do we travel* abroad.

2 You'll have to walk a mile to get to the station from here.
walk It's ..... to the station.

3 When did you arrive in Berlin?
it When was ..... in Berlin?

4 Is there an Internet café on this street?
know Do ..... an Internet café on this street?

5 Mary is from Scotland. Sue is from Scotland, too.
them Both ..... from Scotland.

6 I didn't spill water on the floor.
who It wasn't ..... water on the floor.

7 When does Greg arrive home from work?
idea Have ..... Greg arrives home from work?

8 James, Mark and Ted don't play golf.
men None ..... golf.

9 Don't tell anyone your password on any account.
should On ..... anyone your password.

10 How long does it take to walk to the train station?
how Could you tell ..... to walk to the train station?

11 You can invite anyone you want to the party.
whoever You can ..... to the party.

12 Being tired, Peter fell asleep on the bus.
that So tired ..... asleep on the bus.

Listening

4 40 You will hear a magician being interviewed on a radio programme. For questions 1-7, choose the correct answer (*A*, *B* or *C*).

1 The Great Escaper
(A) is the name of an entertainment event.
B is a biography about Houdini.
C was the stage name of Houdini.

2 Where did Houdini say he was born in a number of his writings?
A in America B in Hungary C in France

3 While in Europe, Houdini
A broke the law.
B met a man who inspired him to become a magician.
C escaped from a number of prisons.

4 How do people believe Houdini escaped from a special set of handcuffs in London?
A with the assistance of his wife
B with a key that he had hidden in his mouth
C by breaking the handcuffs open with his teeth

5 Why does David avoid doing Houdini's more dangerous stunts?
A He does not want to risk getting injured.
B He is physically unable to do them.
C He wants to become stronger before he attempts them.

6 In what order does David perform Houdini's stunts in his show?
A Houdini's most extreme stunts first
B Houdini's most entertaining stunts first
C Houdini's earliest stunts first

7 How can people get tickets for David's London shows?
A over the Internet
B over the telephone
C from the ticket office at the theatre

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