

BÀI TẬP ĐẢO NGỮ

Exercise 1: Viết lại câu sử dụng hình thức đảo ngữ

1. There is a temple on the top of the hill.
=> On the.....
2. The flies are on the book.
=> On the book.....
3. Lombard Street is found in San Francisco.
=> Found
4. A man with a gun stood in the doorway.
=> In the doorway
5. Although she is young, she knows a great deal.
=> Young as
6. Although he studies hard, he makes little progress.
=> Hard as
7. If you were a fish, the cat would eat you.
=> Were.....
8. If your father had known this, he would have given you advice.
=> Had.....
9. If you should need my help, phone me at once.
=> Should
10. I've never been more insulted.
=> Never.....
11. He seldom sees anything strange.
=> Seldom
12. She rarely saw him looking so miserable.
=> Rarely.....
13. The man can hardly walk without a stick.
=> Hardly
14. She scarcely phones us after 9.00 p.m.
=> Scarcely.....
15. He not only studies well, but also he sings perfectly.
=> Not only
16. She is not only rich, but she is also beautiful.
=> Not only
17. He didn't say a word.
=> Not
18. He didn't give me a penny.
=> No.....
19. They little realized that Ted was a secret agent.
=> Little.....
20. I can't find my passport anywhere.
=> Nowhere.....

Exercise 2: Viết lại câu sử dụng hình thức đảo ngữ

1. He by no means intends to criticize your idea.
=> By no means.....
2. I never suspect you.
=> At no time
3. I could in no way agree with you.
=> In no way
4. Scarcely had I got home when it began to rain.

- => No sooner
5. I didn't wake up until 8 am today.
=> Not until
6. I didn't know him until I started to study English.
=> Not until
7. He called me only when he needed help.
=> Only when.....
8. He neither has called on her nor will do so.
=> Neither
9. You shouldn't go out late under any circumstances.
=> Under no circumstances.....
10. This switch must be touched on no account.
=> On no account
11. I understood the problem only then.
=> Only then.....
12. We will be able to accomplish this great task only by hard work.
=> Only by
13. I didn't post it until later.
=> Only later
14. He came home only at midnight.
=> Only at midnight
15. The doctor was so angry that none of the nurses dared to utter.
=> Such
16. I can forgive you only if you tell me the truth.
=> Only if
17. I realized that I'd seen the film before only after the film started.
=> Only after
18. You can learn English well only in this way.
=> Only in this way
19. The film was so moving that I couldn't help crying.
=> So moving
20. If I learnt Russian, I would read a Russian book.
=> Were.....

Exercise 3: Chọn phương án đúng

- Not only _____ to determine the depth of the ocean floor, but it is also used to locate oil.
A. seismology is used B. using seismology C. is seismology used D. to use seismology
- _____ advised on what and how to prepare for the interview, he might have got the job.
A. Had he been B. If he had C. Unless he had been D. Were he to be
- Not until 1856 _____ across the Mississippi River.
A. the first bridge was built B. was the first bridge built
C. the first bridge built D. did the first bridge build
- Only when you grow up, _____ the truth.
A. you will know B. you know C. do you know D. will you know
- _____ Mozart was an accomplished compose while still a child.
A. Remarkable as it seems B. As it seems remarkable
C. No matter remarkable it seems D. Remarkable however it seem
- Out _____ for a walk after she finished doing her homework.
A. did Mary go B. Mary went C. Mary did go D. went Mary
- _____ she could not say anything.
A. So upset was she that B. So upset was she

- C. However upset was she that D. Therefore upset was she that
8. _____ with my previous job, I would have won a higher promotion and I _____ in this unfortunate position now.
A. Unless I had stayed / am not B. If I stayed / would not be
C. If had I stayed / will not be D. Had I stayed / would not be
9. Not only _____ to speak to him, but she also vowed never to see him again.
A. she refused B. did she refuse C. she did refuse D. when she refused
10. _____ an emergency arise, call 911.
A. Should B. If C. Will D. Were
11. Nowhere in the northern section of the United States _____ for growing citrus crops.
A. is there suitability of the climate B. where the climate is suitable
C. the climate is suitable D. is the climate suitable
12. Only after she had finished the course did she realize she _____ a wrong choice.
A. had made B. has made C. had been making D. was making
13. Never _____ him stand on the deserted station platform.
A. will I forget to see B. I will forget to see
C. will I forget seeing D. I will forget seeing
14. The instructor blew his whistle and _____.
A. off the runners were running B. off ran the runners
C. off were running the runners D. the runners runs off
15. Seldom _____ far enough north to disturb South Pacific shipping lanes.
A. Antarctic icebergs will move B. will Antarctic icebergs move
C. will move Antarctic icebergs D. move Antarctic icebergs will
16. _____ will China be the first to use nuclear weapons.
A. At any time B. At no time C. At a time D. At one time
17. He listened so attentively that not a word _____.
A. he had missed B. he missed C. he didn't miss D. did he miss
18. We spent nearly 3 hours waiting outside the station, then out _____.
A. the star came B. did the star come C. came the star D. be the star coming
19. The African killer bees could not be handled safely, nor _____.
A. their honey could be harvested B. harvested could their honey be
C. could not their honey be harvested D. could their honey be harvested
20. Down _____ when he was passing under the tree.
A. an apple fall B. an apple fell C. did an apple fall D. fell an apple

Exercise 4: Chia dạng đúng của động từ trong ngoặc ở các dạng đảo ngữ

1. Not only they (buy) _____ the house but also the car last year.
2. You (come) _____ early, we'll start.
3. They (live) _____ in Australia now, they would go swimming.
4. Bob (not interfere) _____ in his sister's marital problems, there wouldn't have been peace between them.
5. Hardly the doctor (fall) _____ asleep when the telephone (wake) _____ him up.
6. Only by working hard he (manage) _____ to pass the exam.
7. No sooner he (return) _____ from his walk than he (get) _____ down to writing the letter.
8. Only by (operate) _____ immediately can you save your eyesight.
9. Only when they told me about it I (realize) _____ what I had missed.
10. Only after a new pay offer the workers (call) _____ off the strike.
11. Only later the facts all (make) _____ public.
12. Not until the bell rang he (finish) _____ his work.
13. Rarely she (travel) _____ more than fifty miles from her village.
14. Never in my life I (see) _____ such a mess.

15. Only if everybody agreed I (accept)_____this position.