

Part III. GRAMMAR

Exercise 5. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

51. We ____ to the hospital to visit Mike when he ____ to say that he was fine.
A. were driving - was calling B. drove - called
C. were driving – called D. drove - was calling
52. What ____ to you on Sunday night?
A. happen B. happened C. was happening D. would happen
53. Last night, we ____ for you for ages but you never ____ up.
A. waited – showed B. would wait - showed
C. were waiting - were showing D. waited – was showing
54. We ____ our quality time when the unexpected guess ____.
A. had – came B. were having - came
C. had been having – came D. have had – would have come
55. Since they ____ us they ____ to visit us last Sunday, we ____ forward to the day.
A. were telling - came - looked B. would tell – would visit - would look
C. told – would come - were looking D. tell - are coming - will look
56. I ____ out last night but at the last minute I ____ that I had a quiz this morning.
A. was going to go – realized B. went – realized
C. had gone – would realize D. would go - have realized
57. She hasn't paid as much attention to her children as she ____ since she ____ working.
A. does – starts B. did - started
C. was doing - was starting D. has done - would start
58. My brother ____ at the road when he ____ into a hole.
A. wasn't looking - was falling B. didn't look - has fallen
C. wasn't looking – fell D. won't look - fall
59. Magellan ____ the first European who ____ through the strait.
A. was - was sailing B. was being - was sailing
C. had been – sailed D. was - sailed
60. The first self-sufficient village in Britain ____ the Norman's idea. They were some strange invaders who ____ to change the country in a better way.
A. was – hoped B. is - have hoped
C. have been - were hoping D. was being - had hoped
61. Who is ____ girl over there with Jimmy?

- A. the B. a C. an D. Ø
62. The boss needs an assistant with ____ good knowledge of foreign trade.
A. a B. the C. any D. Ø
63. We are having ____ terrible weather which is quite strange. Usually ____ weather in UK is not this bad.
A. the - the B. a - the C. Ø - the D. the - a
64. Could you please close ____ window? I don't think it is necessary to open all the four.
A. a B. the C. some D. Ø
65. ____ Gordons is a very interesting family. They like to travel around ____ world.
A. A - the B. The - the C. A - a D. A-Ø
66. To absorb more oil from spring rolls, we can use materials like ____ newspaper to wrap them after frying.
A. the B. any C. Ø D. a
67. After a hard-working day, I went to ____ bed and had ____ most beautiful dream ever.
A. the - the B. a - the C. a - a D. Ø - the
68. I have visited ____ Portugal but I have never been to ____ Netherlands.
A. the - the B. Ø - the C. a - the D. a - a
69. Every week, his mother goes to ____ university to visit him while my mother has never come to visit me since I went to ____ university.
A. the - Ø B. the - the C. Ø - Ø D. a - the
70. He left on ____ 10 o'clock train yesterday to see his father who was taken to ____ hospital last week when he broke ____ right leg.
A. the - the - the B. the - a - a C. a - a - the D. the - Ø - Ø

Exercise 6. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

71. Last month, while my friend was traveling round England by the car, he crashed the car into a tree.

A B C
D

72. She was walking to the library to borrow some books when she was seeing a robbery.

A B C D

73. He can speak French very well and is studying Latin.

A B C D

74. Please turn off television. I also like watching TV but now I am having to study for the exam.

A B C D

75. The researchers of Harvard University reported that the tigers are one of the most dangerous species

A B C

in the jungle.

D

76. I think a good health is important, and so is education while money, to some extent, is not.

A B C D

77. He was reading out the data while Sara wrote it down carefully.

A B C D

78. He would live in the countryside but now he is living in a big city.

A B C D

79. Many people used to think learning English is full of the difficulties.

A B C D

80. The biggest problem with eating too much sugar is that it can cause the diabetes.

A B C D

81. The most people need healthy eating and enough exercise every day.

A B C D

82. The doctor said that she was making a relatively slow progress because she was quite old.

A B C D

83. Now J. K. Rowling is a multi-millionaire, but she was not born into the fame and fortune.

A B C D

84. Last night, suddenly my mother was deciding to ban me from using the Internet so we ended up having a

A B

C D

huge row.

85. It was the day like any other and Martin was doing his normal round as a safeguard.

A B C D

86. In contrast to my brother is hardworking, I am quite a lazy boy.

A B C D

87. I went into the city center today because I need to get my phone repaired.

A B C D

88. It was so short-sighted for Mai to leave school.

A B C D

89. The moment I was seeing him, I realized I had met him somewhere before.

A B C D

90. I was having a black cat three years ago but now it is no longer with me.

A B C D

Part IV. SPEAKING

Exercise 7. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct response to each of the following exchanges.

91. Have you decided who to talk about?

A. I see. I will talk to him.

B. Let's talk about your study.

C. I need to talk to you now.

D. Not yet. I am still considering.

92. What do you think about Steve Jobs?

A. That's right!

B. I doubt it. It is not true.

C. Well, he is talented.

D. I agree with you about him.

93. Good luck to you in your exam!

A. Thank you! Same to you.

B. Yeah. That's the one.

C. Well, I'll see.

D. Don't worry! I'll be fine.

94. What a wonderful party!

A. I am fine. Thank you!

B. I don't know. Let me check.

C. I am happy you like it.

D. Same to you. Thanks!

95. What's new with you?

A. Me too.

B. Nothing much.

C. See you later

D. Help yourself.

96. Hello. May I speak to Fred, please?

A. Thanks, I'd love to.

B. Good. I'll call you.

C. Just a minute.

D. Fine, I'll be ready

97. What are you doing?

A. I see. I will tell Tom about it.

B. I am seeing Tom. Do you have anything to tell him?

C. I am reading the note Tom left to me.

D. I am doing fine.

98. I am so happy. I have just passed my history exam.

A. Congratulations! B. What's the matter?

C. Get well soon! D. Thanks a lot

99. Would you mind moving your suitcase?

A. Yes, please! B. No, not at all. C. Of course! D. Oh, I am sorry to hear.

100. Do you know anything about Mrs. Jackson?

A. Yes, that's the way it is. B. Oh, I know how you feel.

C. No, nothing. D. Excuse me.

101. Would you like some cookies? I have just baked them.

A. Thank you. Yes, I would. B. Take it easy.

C. Yes, I think so. D. Here you are.

102. Shall we talk about Larry or Oprah?

A. Never mind. There is always something to do.

B. We'd better talk about them both.

C. Wow! They are adorable.

D. Oh, I see what you mean.

103. What kind of books do you like?

A. No, I don't have any hobbies. B. Nothing special.

C. Novels. I believe. D. I believe novels are boring.

104. I think it is the best movie I have ever seen.

A. Me neither. B. Me too. C. Not me. D. Same to you.

105. Did you watch The Voice last night?

A. For a while, then I had to study. B. Not now. I am studying.

C. Yes, sir. D. Yes, please.