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### **Revision Exercise**

**Select the word in the brackets that correctly completes EACH sentence.**

**Example:** *The boys ( tier, tear ) paper to make kites for Easter.*

1. We need at least two trucks to ( *haul , hall* ) all this garbage away.
2. Sharla asked if they were putting ( *beets , beats* ) in the salad.
3. When are you going to pass ( *bye , by* ) your grandmother?
4. The burglar was ( *scene , seen* ) running quickly out of the store.
5. The appointment is on the ( *forth , fourth* ) of July.

**Select the word in the brackets that correctly completes EACH sentence.**

**Example:** *My aunt and her two daughters ( is , are ) going on vacation.*

6. My family ( *go , goes* ) to the park quite often.
7. Both of the dogs ( *has , have* ) flea collars on their necks.
8. A kangaroo ( *carry , carries* ) its baby in its pouch.
9. I think that movie ( *sound , sounds* ) interesting.
10. Ten dollars ( *is , are* ) the price of admission.

**Write the SIMPLE past tense of the word in brackets.**

**Example:** Jamal peeled an orange. (*peel*)

11. Mark \_\_\_\_\_ on the top of the hill and yelled. (*stand*)
12. He \_\_\_\_\_ the bill with his credit card. (*pay*)

13. Have you \_\_\_\_\_ the meeting for tomorrow? (arrange)
14. I am not totally \_\_\_\_\_ that this is the right thing to do.  
(convince)
15. The school bell \_\_\_\_\_ promptly at 8:30 a.m. (ring)

Choose the correct prefix from the box below to complete the sentences.  
Use each prefix once only.

dis      un      il      in      re      mis

16. The funds were \_\_\_\_sufficient to complete the building.
17. The man was charged with the \_\_\_\_legal possession of  
firearms.
18. We need to \_\_\_\_schedule the meeting, because no one can  
attend.
19. Many children \_\_\_\_like eating vegetables.
20. Carl is so \_\_\_\_tidy, his room is so messy.

Rewrite each sentence below and with the correct punctuation mark  
from the box below.

?      -      '      "      :      ,

21. Will you keep me up-to date on all future events?
22. "Is it raining outside" asked Benny.

23. We had chicken mashed potatoes and peas for dinner.
24. "Lets go to the museum ," said Tony.
25. "Can you help me ? asked Pam.

Choose the most appropriate conjunction from the box below to correctly complete each sentence. Use each word ONCE ONLY.

if      although      than      whether      neither

26. I'm going home \_\_\_\_\_ you like it or not.
27. They didn't go to school and \_\_\_\_\_ did I.
28. They would have gone to the party \_\_\_\_\_ they were invited.
29. \_\_\_\_\_ he is a famous person, he is not arrogant.
30. This bag is better \_\_\_\_\_ the one you had before.

Complete each passage below by choosing the most suitable words from the list below.

hunts      examined      patterns      hardly  
sometimes      planned      rid

The mongoose was brought to Barbados to get \_\_\_\_\_ of the rats that were eating the sugarcane crops. This however did not work out as \_\_\_\_\_ because the mongoose and the rats have different sleeping

and waking \_\_\_\_\_. The rat is a nocturnal creature that sleeps in the day and \_\_\_\_\_ at night. The mongoose is a diurnal animal, its lifestyle is opposite to the rat, so they \_\_\_\_\_ ever meet.