UNIT 4: FOR A BETTER COMMUNITY

GRAMMAR

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

1. Last Sunday, our volunteer team ____ a lot of food packages to homeless people in the flood-hit region.

A. were bringing B. brought C. have brought D. had brought

2. I ____ Maria for the first time at the Heart-to-Heart Charity Office.

A. saw B. was seeing C. was seen D. has seen

3. We ____ the roof for Mrs. Smith, an elderly childless woman, when it ____ with rain.

A. were mending - was pouring B. mended - poured

C. mended - was pouring D. were mending - poured

4. When we were on a voluntary tour, we ____ to public places to collect rubbish every day.

A. were going B. went C. have gone D. had gone

5. The phone was engaged when I called. Who ____ to?

A. were you talking B. were you talked

C. did you talk D. have you talked

6. We ____ in silence when he suddenly ____ me to help him.

A. were walking - was asking B. were walking - asked

C. walked – asked D. walked - was asking

7. I ____ my report when my boss ____ the hall.

A. made - was entering B. made - entered

C. was making - was entering D. was making - entered

8. I ____ near the fence when suddenly I ____ the voices.

A. stood – heard B. stood - was hearing

C. was standing – heard D. was standing - was hearing golf.

9. Jim ____ his leg when he ____ golf.

A. broke - was playing B. broke - played

C. was breaking - was playing D. was breaking - broke

10. While I ____ for him to call up, he ____ a good time in the bar.

A. waited - was having B. was waiting - was having

C. was waiting – had D. was waited - was waiting

11. All the kids ____ their homework when the volunteer team ____.

A. were doing - arrived B. did - arrived

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C. were doing — were arriving D. did - were arriving

12. While Lauda ____ round a corner, he suddenly ____ control of his Ferrari.

A. went - lost B. was going - was losing

C. was going - lost D. went - was losing

13. While the Cambridge boat ____ under a bridge, it ____ another boat.

A. went - was hitting B. went - hit

C. was going - was hitting D. was going - hit

14. My cousin and I ____ on the computer when there ____ a power cut.

A. played - was B. were playing - was

C. played - were D. were playing - were

15. When I ____ my best friend, she ____ as a voluntary teacher in Dream Homeless Shelter.

A. met - was working B. was meeting - was working

C. met - worked D. was meeting - worked

16. Where ____ you ____ when I ____ you on the bus last night?

A. did - go - saw B. were - going - was seeing

C. were - going - saw D. did - go - was seeing

17. When you ____ yesterday, I ____ in the garden, so I didn't hear the phone.

A. rang - worked B. were ringing - worked

C. were ringing - was working D. rang - was working

18. While Tom and I ____, someone ____ at the door.

A. were talking - knocked B. were talking - was knocking

C. talked - knocked D. talked - was knocking

19. When the robbery ____, the safeguard ____!

A. happened - slept B. was happening ~ was sleeping

C. was happening - slept D. happened - was sleeping

20. I ____ the accident while I ____ for the bus.

A. was seeing - waited B. saw - was waiting

C. was seeing – was waiting D. saw – waited

21. We ____ an old box while we ____ in the garden.

A. found - dug B. found - were digging

C. was finding - dug D. were finding - were digging

22. When I ____ into the room, two boys ____ a picture book together.

A. came - were reading B. were coming - were reading

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C. came – read D. were coming - read

23. While we ____ in the park, Mary ____.

A. were running - was falling over B. ran - fell over

C. were running - fell over D. were running - was falling over

24. I ____ my pen while I ____ my homework.

A. was breaking - was doing B. was breaking - did

C. broke – did D. broke - was doing

25. It ____ to rain while we ____ home from school.

A. started - were walking B. was starting - were walking

C. started - walked D. was starting - walked

26. When I went to get the tickets, 1 realised I ____ any money.

A. wasn't having B. didn't have C. haven't had D. hadn't had

27. While we ____ in the rain, Sally's mother ____ past.

A. stood - drove B. were standing - drove

C. were standing - was driving D. stood - was driving

28. My mother ____ old clothes while my father ____ the food packages for the next voluntary trip.

A. was classifying - was preparing B. was classifying - prepared

C. classified - was preparing D. classified - prepared

29. Richard ____ TV when the phone ____.

A. watched - rang B. watched - was ringing

C. was watching – rang D. was watching - was ringing

30. While some volunteers ____ the disabled children, others ____ some furniture in the orphanage.

A. were teaching - were repairing B. taught - repaired

C. were teaching – repaired D. taught - were repairing

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

31. A group of volunteer students <u>were mowing</u> the lawn in the home for <u>the aged</u> <u>while</u> it started to rain
A B C

<u>heavily</u>.
D

32. <u>When</u> he still worked <u>for</u> Oxfam, he <u>was coming</u> up with different ideas to help <u>needy</u> people.
A B C D

33. The volunteers <u>went</u> to a nearby school <u>on</u> a Sunday morning, picked up a food package, <u>and</u> delivered
A B C

<u>them</u> to an elderly person.
D

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34. The lives of disadvantaged students are often very different for those of their more wealthy peers.

A B C D

35. There are lots of amused ways to volunteer in the arts such as teaching, designing and assisting with

A B C

a variety of arts and crafts.

D

36. Mahatma Gandhi fought against the rights of poor people and women in India and became a hero for

A B C

millions of people.

D

37. In her lifetime, Audrey Hepburn also paid a visit to Viet Nam to bring awareness of immunisation and

A B

sets up clean water programmes.

C D

38. While he and his wile Ali first went to Africa, they worked in a refugee camp for a month.

A B C D

39. The famous Irish rock band U2 wrote the song *Walk On* to honour this amazed woman, who put her country

A B C D

before everything.

40. He worked in a big bank in London when suddenly he decided to leave this city to take part in Volunteer

A B C D

Bolivia.

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