PART 2: PRACTICE

I. Use the subordilators given in the box to complete the following complex sentences.

After	*because*	*As*	*When*	*after*
since	*Although*	*even though*	*When*	*Though*

1. _____ she was younger, she believed in fairy tales.
2. I have to save this coupon _____ I don't have time to shop right now.
3. Let's go back to Chez Nous _____ it's where we had our first date.
4. _____ my cousin invited me, I chose not to go to the reunion.
5. _____ genes change over time, evolution progresses.

6. I really didn't like the movie _____ the acting was good.
7. _____ he got a cream pie smashed in his face, everyone laughed.
8. _____ twenty years, he still had feelings for her.
9. _____ he was very rich, he was still unhappy.
10. She returned the computer _____ she noticed it was damaged.

II. Use the given words to write the complete complex sentences.

11. Project/ be/ successful/ because/ you all/ work/ very hard.

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12. He/ not turn up,/ as/ you/ tell me/ he/ would not.

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13. My brother/ work/ really hard,/ while/ I/ not make/ much of/ effort.

_____

14. I/ go/ that restaurant/ even though/ I/ tell/ it/ not be/ very good.

_____

15. You/ buy/ new TV/ if/ you/ get/ bigger apartment.

_____

16. I/ want/ go/ wherever/ it/ be/ quieter.

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17.Our boss/ ask us/ take detailed notes/ so that/ nothing/ forget.

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18.I/ go shopping/ before/ I/ come home.

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19.Clean/ room/ once/ get home.

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20.You/ borrow/ jacket/ until/ I/ need it

_____

III. Connect each pair of sentences with an appropriate conjunctive adverb in the box to make compound sentences.

moreover	*however*	*otherwise*	*therefore*	*then*

21.The deadline for the report has passed. I could not submit mine on time.

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22.There are many literature books here. None of them may be interesting.

_____

23.It rained hard. Lightening flashed and thunder boomed.

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24.The baby fell asleep. The doorbell rang.

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25.The law does not permit driving after drinking. There would be many more accidents.

_____

IV. Find ONE mistake in each of the following sentences and correct it

26.He hated being in the army when he had to obey commands.

A. hated B. in the army C. when D. to obey

27.He must be about 60, whereas his wife look about 30.

A. must be B. about 60 C. whereas D. look

28.You better take the keys in case I'm out.

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A. better B. the keys C. in case D. out

29.I went to the post office immediately since I left you.

A. went B. the post office

C. immediately D. since

30.Shouldn't we wait until Antony here?

A. Shouldn't B. wait C. until D. here

V. Use the given conjunctions or conjunctive adverbs in the box to complete the following compound sentences.

or and therefore otherwise and besides however but so meanwhile

31. I left my bag on the bus; _____, I did not have a pencil.

32.I don't really need new shoes; _____, they cost too much anyway

33.Alex likes to fish, _____ he is going fishing on Friday.

34.She is going to the store, _____ she is going to the mall.

35.Sarah walked to class, _____ Kevin ran.

36.I am trying to get my homework done; _____, my sister gets to play outside.

37.I fell out of the bed, _____ Mom came to check on me.

38.The dog buried his bone, _____ the cat sniffed around it.

39.I was late; _____, the class had not started.

40.You should pick up the paper that you dropped on the floor; _____, we might all get in trouble.

VI. Use the given words to write the complete compound sentences.

41.She/ want/ play tennis,/ but/ he/ want/ play basketball.

_____

42.Family/ move into/ new house,/ and/ neighbours/ welcome them/ warm.

_____

43.We/ go/ movies/ tonight,/ or/ we/ just hang out/ home.

_____

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44.Neither/ he/ need/ go,/ nor/ he/ want/ go.

_____

45.Either/ I/ pick you up,/ or/ you/ get a ride home/ your father.

_____

46.Jen/ not enjoy/ play;/ as a result,/ she/ not recommend it.

_____

47.I absolutely/ love/ sing;/ on the other hand,/ my sister/ hate it.

_____

48.I/ make/ cake;/ my sister/ decorate it.

_____

49.She/ be/ most qualified candidate,/ so/ we/ give her/ job.

_____

50.I/ would love/ travel more, but/ I just/ not have/ time

_____

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