# UNIT 6: GLOBAL WARMING – SHEET 4

## Part I: GRAMMAR

***Exercise 1. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.***

1. The president of the company officially apologised to the local residents ____ having dumped a large amount of raw sewage in the area.

A. about B. with C. at D. for

2. The factory was accused ____ having caused higher level of pollution to the environment.

A. about B. on C. of D. for

3. We all admire him ____ having changed both his attitude and behaviours towards the environmental issues.

A. about B. for C. with D. at

4. Human activities are also blamed ____ having contributed to global warming.

A. for B. on C. at D. with

5. We congratulated him ____ having invented an energy-saving device.

A. for B. at C. about D. on

6. He was criticised ____ not having put the elephant poachers in jail.

A. at B. about C. for D. on

7. His company was punished ____ not having dumped the rubbish properly.

A. by B. for C. about D. because of

8. The city mayor praised all voluntary students ____ having cleaned the playgrounds for the children.

A. for B. because of C. at D. due to

9. He thanked us ____ having contributed to cleaning the surrounding environment.

A. on B. to C. with D. for

10. He was suspected ____ having received presents from the local companies and ignored their violations of the environmental law.

A. about B. on C. of D. for

11. Even when arrested, he denied ____ cut down that tree.

A. has B. having C. have D. have had

12. Those farmers admitted ____ having used more chemical fertilisers than needed.

A. on B. about C. for D. to



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13. He forgot ____ promised to cut down on the carbon dioxide emissions into the atmosphere.

A. to promise B. have C. having D. had

14. I remembered having ____ off the lights before leaving home.

A. switched B. switch C. switching D. switches

15. He regretted not ____ registered for military service last spring.

A. have B. having C. having had D. having done

16. The local residents suspected the authorities ____ having kept the pollution level secret from the local people.

A. about B. on C. of D. for

17. He denied having polluted the environment, ____ no one believed him.

A. however B. despite C. but D. in spite of

18. Thank you for having ____ the information about global warming.

A. shared B. sharing C. share D. shares

19. He regretted ____ killed and eaten several rare species.

A. to have B. having C. have D. has

20. His company was fined ____ dumped tons of toxic waste near the residential area.

A. to have B. because of having C. for having D. of having

21. These students were rewarded ____ actively taken part in voluntary activities.

A. with B. before C. on having D. for having

22. She was praised ____ donated a lot of money to the wildlife protection organisation.

A. for having B. to have C. because of having D. due to having

23. I remember ____ advised you to stop hunting endangered animals.

A. to have B. having C. have D. had

24. The local authorities were blamed ____ ignored the pollution issues in the area.

A. about having B. on having C. for having D. before having

**Part II. SPEAKING**

***Exercise 2.* Two friends Nam and Lan are talking about the topic of global warming.**

25. Nam: What are the main threats to the environment today? Lan: ____

A. Threats are possible dangers to the environment. B. Probably deforestation and global warming.

C. Environmental pollution is a big issue for our planet D. We need a clean environment to live in.



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26. Lan: How can ordinary people help protect the environment? Nam: ____

A. What can ordinary people do to help the environment? B. Environment really needs our help.

C. We may use environmentally-friendly products.

D. Both governments and individuals are to blame on.

27. Nam: Do you do anything to protect the environment? Lan: ____

A. I refuse to use plastic bags and try to recycle as much as possible.

B. I use a lot of plastic bags and containers to save the environment.

C. I'm not interested in the subject of environment.

D. I don't want to change my lifestyle.

28. Lan: What solution to air pollution can you suggest? Nam: ____

A. Air pollution is really serious these days. B. Smoke from factory chimneys pollutes the air.

C. Air pollution causes acid rain. D. People should use public means of transport.

29. Nam: What is the biggest environmental problem facing our country? Lan: ____

A. Too much toxic sewage is dumped at sea. B. All countries face environmental problems.

C. No one can help protect the environment.

D. Our country is facing the biggest environmental problem.

30. Nam: Is global warming a problem in our country? Lan: ____

A. Global warming is getting more and more serious.

B. Governments are closely working together to solve environmental problems.

C. Global warming causes sea level to rise.

D. Probably. The temperatures are getting hotter year by year in the area.

31. Nam: What causes global warming? Lan: ____

A. Changes in weather patterns resulting from global warming.

B. Too much carbon dioxide being trapped in the atmosphere.

C. Catastrophic consequences of global warming.

D. Common global warming consequences.

32. Nam: What are the consequences of global warming? Lan: ____

A. Global warming causes many consequences.

B. Consequences of global warming is catastrophic.

C. Icebergs melt and low-lying areas are flooded. D. More trees are being cut down.



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33. Nam: Why is global warming a problem? Lan: ____

A. People find it difficult to adapt to the changes in the weather patterns.

B. Global warming can benefit people in certain areas.

C. There's no need to worry about global warming.

D. Global warming is a very interesting topic for presentation.

34. Nam: What are global warming gases? Lan: ____

A. Global warming gases are mainly man-made.

B. Global warming gases are everywhere.

C. The amount of carbon dioxide is increasing.

D. Carbon dioxide, nitrous oxide, and methane.

35.Lan: What can government do to punish factories that violate environmental law? Nam: ____

A. So many of them are polluting the environment.

B. Yes, I think a big fine would be relevant.

C. They may force those factories to close down.

D. There are no factories in this region.

36. Lan : Who has to suffer global warming effects the most? Nam: ____

A. What are global warming effects?

B. Maybe poor people in low-lying areas.

C. All people suffer from global warming.

D. Only few people benefit from global warming.

37. Lan: How can we help to fight deforestation? Nam: ____

A. We may recycle paper and buy recycled paper products.

B. We may cut down trees at an alarming rate.

C. We should only cut branches of big trees.

D. We should set up animal ranches near forests.

38. Nam: What will happen if the low-lying areas are flooded? Lan: ____

A. Low-lying areas are often flooded.

B. Flood happens when water level rises.

C. Low-lying areas can never be flooded.

D. People in these regions will have to face a lot of problems.



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39. Lan: What do you do to help the environment? Nam: ____

A. It is the responsibility of the government.
B. I try to recycle more and reduce carbon footprint.
C. Everyone can protect the environment.
D. Environment helps people live comfortably.

**Part III: WRITING**

***Exercise 11. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.***

**40. Having seen people suffer global warming consequences, we decided to reduce carbon footprints.**

A. We decided to reduce carbon footprints before seeing people suffer global warming consequences.
B. We saw people suffer global warming consequences after we decided to reduce carbon footprints.
C. We decided to cut down on carbon footprints after we saw people suffer global warming consequences.
D. We decided to cut down on carbon footprints before we saw people suffer global warming consequences.

**41. Climate change leads to numerous catastrophic consequences.**

A. Numerous catastrophic consequences result in climate change.
B. Numerous catastrophic consequences result from climate change.
C. Climate change results from numerous catastrophic consequences.
D. Numerous catastrophic consequences cause climate change.

**42. The increase in earth's temperature can cause heat-related illnesses.**

A. Heat-related illnesses result from the increase in earth's temperature.
B. Heat-related illnesses result in the increase in earth's temperature.
C. Heat-related illnesses lead to the increase in earth's temperature.
D. Heat-related illnesses trigger the increase in earth's temperature.

**43. Carbon dioxide is one of the primary greenhouse gases that cause global warming.**

A. Carbon dioxide is the only greenhouse gas that causes global warming.
B. Global warming results in greenhouse gases, including carbon dioxide.
C. One of the main greenhouse gases that lead to global warming is carbon dioxide.
D. Global warming causes greenhouse gases, including carbon dioxide.



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**44. Planting trees can contribute to reducing global warming.**

A. Global warming can't be controlled by planting trees.

B. Planting trees is the only way to control global warming.

C. Planting trees can accelerate global warming.

D. Planting trees can help reduce global warming.

***Exercise 12. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.***

**45. He said that he would take responsibility for his company's damage to the area. But then he denied that.**

A. Having denied his company's damage, he took responsibility for it.

B. He denied having damaged to his company's area.

C. He denied having taken responsibility for the damage to his company's area.

D. He denied having said that he would take responsibility for his company's damage to the area.

**46. He donated a lot of money to environmental protection campaigns. He was admired for that.**

A. Unless he donated a lot of money to environmental protection campaigns, he was admired.

B. He was admired for having donated a lot of money to environmental protection campaigns.

C. If he had donated a lot of money to environmental protection campaigns, he would have been admired.

D. If he donates a lot of money to environmental protection campaigns, he will be admired.

**47. They decided to cut down their carbon footprints. They were praised for that.**

A. They were praised for having decided to decrease their carbon footprints.

B. They were not punished for having decided to decrease their carbon footprints.

C. Unless they decided to cut down their carbon footprints, they were praised for that.

D. If they decided to cut down their carbon footprints, they would be praised for that.

**48. We have advised you on how to cut down your energy use. We remember that.**

A. We can no longer remember having advised you on how to decrease your energy use.

B. We remember having advised you on how to maintain your energy use.

C. We remember having advised you on how to decrease your energy use.

D. We remember to have advised you on how to decrease your energy use.



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**49. Some scientists have distorted the effects of climate change. They were accused of that.**

A. Some scientists were accused of having falsify the effects of climate change.

B. Some scientists were accused of having been honest about the effects of climate change.

C. Although some scientists have distorted the effects of climate change, they were not accused.

D. Some scientists were accused of having falsified the effects of climate change.

***Exercise 5. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.***

50. Having suffered water shortage in the past, we are all very economic on using water.

A B C D



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