











CLASS WORK & HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT

SENTENCE **IMPROVEMENTS**

FOR ALL COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS

















- 1. I watched **him fell.**
 - (a) him fall
 - (b) him to fell
 - (c) him to falling
 - (d) No Improvement
- 2. I was delighted to see **him fully** recover.
 - (a) he full recovered
 - (b) him fully recovered
 - (c) his full recovery
 - (d) No Improvement
- 3. Making a donation to charity **helps** some people feel good.
 - (a) helped some people felt
 - (b) helps some people felt
 - (c) helping some people to feel
 - (d) helps some of people feeling
 - (e) No Improvement
- 4. Collaboration of world leaders **has helped addressed** some of the most
 pressing problems the world is
 currently facing.
 - (a) can help address
 - (b) is helping the address of
 - (c) will be addressed to
 - (d) is a help to addressing
 - (e) No Improvement
- 5. Because it was a stormy night, **he** dare **not to go** out in the dark.

- (a) dared not to go
- (b) dare not went
- (c) dared not to have gone
- (d) dare not goes
- (e) No Improvement
- 6. In view of delay in rescue operation, had better we prepared for a long, hard day.
 - (a) we should be prepared
 - (b) we should better be prepared
 - (c) we had been better prepared
 - (d) we had been better preparing
 - (e) No Improvement
- 7. No one **needs to worry** about me.
 - (a) will worry
 - (b) does not need to worry
 - (c) shall worry
 - (d) No Improvement
- 8. His miserable condition **made us** wept.
 - (a) made us weep
 - (b) made us to weep
 - (c) made us to wept
 - (d) No Improvement
- 9. The guide warned us that we **had better be prepared** for a long hard day, hard day.
 - (a) had been better prepared
 - (b) should better being prepared













- (c) should be prepared with
- (d) had been better preparing
- (e) No Improvement
- 10. Governments in developing countries are under increasing pressure for the recruiting and training teachers to meet the Cemands of their rapidly expanding systems of education.
 - (a) so as to recruit and train
 - (b) to recruit and train
 - (c) in the recruiting and training of
 - (d) No improvement
- 11. Tell your leader that I grant him permission of stay in my kingdom.
 - (a) about stay
 - (b) to stay
 - (c) with staying
 - (d) for stay
 - (e) No correction required
- 12. I intend to learn French next year.
 - (a) learning
 - (b) learn
 - (c) have learnt
 - (d) No improvement
- 13. He was so rude that they were compelled for asking him to leave.

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- (a) ask him to leave
- (b) to ask him to leave

- (c) him to ask to leave
- (d) No improvement
- 14. He advised his son **not doing** anything which is agains this conscience.
 - (a) never to do
 - (b) not done
 - (c) to not doing
 - (d) no doing of
 - (e) No correction required
- 15. He wants a start a new business but he did not have any money.
 - (a) thought to start
 - (b) want to started
 - (c) wanted to start
 - (d) wants for start
 - (e) No Correction Required
- 16. The four-day works hop is being conducted for gear up administration to the changes that will follow with the implementation of the Right to Compulsory and Free Education Act 2009.
 - (a) so geared up
 - (b) to gear up
 - (c) for geared up
 - (d) to gearing up
 - (e) No correction required
- 17. In anticipation of the transport strike we have decided for delayed our vacation.















- (a) to delay
- (b) on delay
- (c) in delaying
- (d) delaying
- (e) No correction required
- 18. For every citizen it is mandatory to help the civic administration for keep up the city clean.
 - (a) for upkeep clean the city
 - (b) for clean and keep the city
 - (c) for keeping of the city cleanliness
 - (d) to keep the city clean
 - (e) No correction required
- 19. Despite their best efforts, they could not convince the members by changing their decision.
 - (a) and changed their
 - (b) to change their
 - (c) with changing their
 - (d) in changing his
 - (e) No correction required
- 20. The minister agreed with answer questions on television
 - (a) to answer
 - (b) for answering
 - (c) with answering
 - (d) No improvement

- 21. The meeting is attempted to mend the strained relations between the management and the employees.
 - (a) was attempted for mending
 - (b) is an attempt to mend
 - (c) is attempted at mending of
 - (d) will be attempted by mending
 - (e) No correction required
- 22. We have hired an advertising agency to prepare a campaign to encourage people votes.
 - (a) people from voting
 - (b) voting for people
 - (c) people to vote
 - (d) votes by people
 - (e) No correction required
- 23. Once the manager approves the plans, it was easy convinced the rest of the team.
 - (a) was easily convinced
 - (b) will be easy to convince
 - (c) has easily convinced
 - (d) being easy to convince
 - (e) No correction required
- 24. The Portsmouth Summer Art Festival is the only place in New Hampshire where we are **fortunately** see such diverse tales all in one place
 - (a) we are able to fortunately see

















- (b) we are fortunate to see
- (c) we are fortunate to seeing
- (d) No improvement
- 25. He is the man whose advice is difficult in following.
 - (a) advice is not easy in following
 - (b) advice is difficult to follow
 - (c) advice has difficult to follow
 - (d) advice has difficulty to follow
 - (e) No correction required
- 26. I am glad to hear that you narrowly escaped being run over by a speeding car yesterday.
 - (a) by being run over by
 - (b) to run over by
 - (c) run over down by
 - (d) being over run by
 - (e) No correction required
- 27. She doesn't mind to be disturbed.
 - (a) being disturbed
 - (b) to being disturbed
 - (c) being disturbing
 - (d) No improvement
- 28. I have not finished to paint the door.
 - (a) painting
 - (b) the paint of
 - (c) the painting

- (d) No improvement
- 29. Sunita told me that she would mind to stand and eating the lunch.
 - (a) to stand and eat
 - (b) standing and eating
 - (c) standing and eat
 - (d) No correction required
- 30. She could not help but laugh.
 - (a) laughing
 - (b) but laughing
 - (c) laugh
 - (d) No improvement
- 31. He enjoys **to tell stories** to children.
 - (a) how to tell stories
 - (b) telling stories
 - (c) to narrate stories
- 32. Sri Pashupatinath is a worth seeing temple in Kathmandu.
 - (a) a temple worth seeing
 - (b) a temple to see it see worth
 - (c) one of the worth seeing temples
 - (d) No improvement
- 33. There was no point **crying** over spilt milk.
 - (a) cry
 - (b) to cry
 - (c) cried
 - (d) No improvement

















- 34. Visiting the village is **like be transported** into some other century.
 - (a) alike to transport
 - (b) like being transported
 - (c) likely to be transporting
 - (d) likes transport
 - (e) No correction required
- 35. India is a diverse and breathtaking country with many places worthwhile to see.
 - (a) worth sight
 - (b) worth seeing
 - (c) worthwhile scene
 - (d) worthy seeing
 - (e) No correction required
- 36. He didn't want risking to get wet as he had only one suit.
 - (a) risking for getting wet
 - (b) risking at getting wet
 - (c) to risk getting wet
 - (d) to get wet at the risk of
 - (e) No correction required
- 37. The accused now flatly denies **have** admitted his guilt in this first statement.
 - (a) has admitted
 - (b) having admitted
 - (c) had admitted
 - (d) have been admitting
 - (e) No correction required

- 38. The good fortune **of being your** student in my younger days has helped me greatly in my life.
 - (a) of my being your student
 - (b) of my myself being your student
 - (c) of my having been your student
 - (d) No improvement
- 39. **Being worked for** the whole day, you should have taken some rest and started the work tomorrow.
 - (a) Working for
 - (b) After being worked for
 - (c) Having worked for
 - (d) After having work
 - (e) No correction required
- 40. Having drank the coffee, he washed the cup and put it away.
 - (a) After his drinking of coffee
 - (b) After drank the coffee
 - (c) Having drinking of the coffee
 - (d) Having drunk the coffee
 - (e) No correction required
- 41. **After having finished** the presentation, the speaker asked the audience if there were any questions.
 - (a) After having been finished
 - (b) After he finished
 - (c) Having been finished
 - (d) After it had finished















- (e) No correction required
- 42. **Finishing his breakfast**, he started working on the problem that had been awaiting disposal for a long time.
 - (a) His breakfast finished
 - (b) His breakfast having finished
 - (c) Having finished his breakfast
 - (d) Finished his breakfast
 - (e) No correction required
- 43. Being a pleasant morning, he went for a walk along the seashore.
 - (a) With a pleasant morning
 - (b) It being a pleasant morning
 - (c) Being it pleasing morning
 - (d) As a pleasant morning
 - (e) No correction required
- 44. Being as lam a realist, I could not accept his statement that supernatural beings have caused the disturbance.
 - (a) That I am a realist
 - (b) Being a realist
 - (c) Being that I am a realist
 - (d) Realist that I am
 - (e) No change required
- 45. Having been already sign the agreement, you must honour it now.
 - (a) Having signed
 - (b) Have been signed

- (c) After have been signed
- (d) Having already signed
- (e) No correction required
- 46. **Being toiled for** two hours, he sat down to take some rest.
 - (a) Have toiled for
 - (b) Had toiled for
 - (c) Having to be toiled at
 - (d) Having toiled for
 - (e) No correction required
- 47. While crossing the road, a snake was seen.
 - (a) a snake was moving
 - (b) he saw a snake
 - (c) a snake was observed
 - (d) No improvement
- 48. Riding upon his horse, the tiger jumped at him.
- (a) Riding upon the tiger, the horse jumped at him.
- (b) The tiger jumped at him while he was riding upon his horse.
- (c) The tiger rode at him while he was jumping upon his horse.
 - (d) No improvement
- 49. Walking along the road, an old man ran over the lorry.
- (a) Walking along the road, an old man ran behind the lorry



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- (b) Running along the road, the lorry ran over an old man
- (c) The lorry ran over an old man walking along the road
 - (d) No improvement
- 50. **Being too costly for him,** he could not buy the coat.
 - (a) It being too costly for him
 - (b) He being too costly
 - (c) Being it too costly
 - (d) No improvement
- 51. The enemy, **beat** at every point, fled from the field.
 - (a) having been beaten
 - (b) was beaten
 - (c) to be beaten
 - (d) No improvement
- 52. **The sea rough**, they abandoned the swim.
 - (a) It being rough
 - (b) The sea being rough
 - (c) Being rough
 - (d) No improvement
- 53. **Seeing that she is very tired**, I walked out of the room and let her sleep.

- (a) Seeing that she are very tired
- (b) Seeing that she was very tired
- (c) Seeing she is tired
- (d) No improvement
- 54. Having finished the book, it was put away by him.
 - (a) he put it away
 - (b) it was being put away be him
 - (c) it was putting away by him
 - (d) No improvement
- 55. **Despite being tried her best** to persuade her husband to give up smoking, she could not attain success.
 - (a) Despite trying her best
 - (b) Despite of her best
 - (c) Inspite of being tried her best
 - (d) No improvement
- 56. Sitting on the hill top, the sun went down watching before him.
 - (a) he watched the sun go down
- (c) the sun went down when he watched
- (b) the sun went down with him watching
 - (d) No improvement

Answer Key

- 2. 4. 5. 6. (b) 7. (d) 1. (a) (d) 3. (e) (a) (a) (a) 9. (e)
- 10. (b) 11. (b) 12. (d) 13. (b) 14. (a) 15. (c) 16. (b) 17. (a) 18. (d)
- 19. (b) 20. (a) 21. (b) 22. (c) 23. (b) 24. (b) 25. (b) 26. (e) 27. (a)

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- 28. (a) 29. (b) 30. (a) 31. (b) 32. (a) 33. (d) 34. (b) 35. (b) 36. (c)
- 37. (b) 38. (c) 39. (c) 40. (d) 41. (e) 42. (c) 43. (b) 44. (b) 45. (d)
- 46. (d) 47. (b) 48. (b) 49. (c) 50. (a) 51. (a) 52. (b) 53. (b) 54. (a)

55. (a) 56. (a)















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