**GRAMMAR REVIEW (A3)**

**1.** When I........home yesterday morning, my son\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and my wife \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to work.

a. have arrived / slept / went b. arrived / was sleeping / had gone

c. had / arrived / had slept / has gone d. was arriving / would sleep /could go

**2.** She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a sort of breakdown some years ago, and since then she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a special treatment.

a. had / had b. had / has had c. was having / has had d. had had / had

**3.** I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ no difficulty in learning Russian since I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to learn it 3 years ago.

a. have had / began b. was having / had begun

c. had / have begun d. am having / begin

**4.** I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to the United States tonight. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_you are ring when I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

a. am flying / will give / arrive b. would fly / will give / arrived

c. am going to fly / could give / had arrived d. fly / would give /will arrive

**5**. The customers \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the company before our boss\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

a. was leaving / arrive b. already left / have arrived

c. has been left / was arriving d. had left / arrived

**6.** When the police \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to the scene of the accident, both drivers \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_away

a. will get / go b. get / went c. got / had gone d. has got / went

**7**. She is so annoying. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her dirty dishes in the sink.

a. always leaves b. will always leave c. is always leaving d. had always left

**8.** Jenny usually \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to school, but today she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the bus because it \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. cycles – takes – rains b. cycles – has taken – is raining

c. cycles - took – rains d. cycles – is taking – is raining

**9.** Mary \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the garden all day because she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ill.

a. has rested – has been being b. has been resting – has been

c. had been resting – is d. has rested –is being

**10.**He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ here since Christmas. I wonder where he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ since then.

a. hasn’t been being – has been living b. hasn’t been – lives

c. hasn’t been – has been living d. wasn’t – has lived

**11.** She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ so hard this week that she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ time to go to the movies.

a. has been working – hasn’t had b. has worked – wasn’t having

c. has been working – hasn’t been having d. had worked – hadn’t had

**12** Jack \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ chess before, so I showed him what to do.

a. didn’t play b. wasn’t playing c. hadn’t played d. hadn’t been played

**13**.That book \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on the table for weeks. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it yet?

a. has lied – Have you read b. has lied – Have you been reading

c. has been lying – Have you read d. has been lying – Have you been reading

**14.** I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to learn Korean for years, but I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ yet.

a. have been trying - have not succeeded b. have tried - have not been succeeding

c. have tried - had not succeeded d. tried - had not succeeded

**15.** When I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at his house, he still \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

a. was arriving – had slept b. was arriving – was sleeping

c. arrived – was sleeping d. had arrived – had been sleeping

**16.** She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the flowers in her garden while her next door neighbor \_\_\_\_\_\_ with her over the fence

a. was watering – was chatting b. was watering – has been chatting

c. watered – chatted d. has been watering – was chatting

**17.** As we \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the street, we \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an accident

a. crossed – were seeing b. were crossing – saw

c. were crossing – had seen d. have been crossing – have seen

**18.**The bell \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ while Tom \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a bath

a. rang – was taking b. was ringing – took

c. had been ringing – was taking d. rang – took

**19.** She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a noise , \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ out of bed and\_\_\_\_\_ the door.

a. was hearing – was getting – was opening b. heard – got – opened

c. had heard – got – would open d. was hearing – got – opened

**20.** The children \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ football when their mother \_\_\_\_\_\_ back

a. had been playing – had come b. played –was coming

c. were playing – came d. played – has been coming

**21.**Who \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the man that you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to all this morning?

a. was – talked b. was – were talking

c. is – have been talking d. has been – have been talking

**22**. We \_\_\_\_\_\_ for the bus when he \_\_\_\_\_\_ by in his car and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ us a lift.

a. waited – passed – offered b. were waiting – was passing – offering

c. were waiting – was passing – offering d. were waiting – passed – offered

**23**. When the students \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the bell, they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

a. heard – were getting up – leaving b. heard – got up – left

c. were hearing – got up – left d. had heard –had got up – have left

**24.** He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her two years before we met.

a. had been marrying b. had married c. has married d. has been married

**25.** He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his car for 10 minutes when he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it had a flat tyre.

a. has been driving / had realized b. had been driving / realized

c. has been driven / has realized d. was driving/ was realizing

**26.** She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the letter away when she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it was not important.

a. had thrown/ noticed b. has thrown/ had noticed

c. had been throwing/ noticed d. threw / noticed

**27.** When you come today, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at my desk in Room 12.

a. work b. will work c. will be working d. will have been working

**28.** He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ tennis at 7.30. He usually starts at 7 o'clock. Could

you come before that?

a. plays b. will play c. will be playing d. will have played

**29.** I hope they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ working by 5 o'clock this afternoon.

a. will have stopped b. will have been stopping

c. were stopping d. had been stopping

**30.** By the end of December, John \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as a reporter for ten years.

a. will have worked b. will have been working

c. will work d. will be working

**31.** By the time he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his diploma next year, he\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in HCM city for 5 years.

a. will get /will have studied b. gets / will have been studying

c. got / has been studying d. had got/ was studying

**32**. “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about the eight o’clock flight to Chicago?” – “ Not yet.”

a. Has been an announcement made b. Has an announcement made

c. Has an announcement been made d. Has been made an announcement

**33.** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this work \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ before you went to Paris?

a. Will - have been done b. Has - been done

c. Had - been done d. Was- being done

**34.** Most of the mountain peaks in the Himalayan range \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with snow the year around.

a. are covering b. is covered c. have been covering d. are covered

**35.** The United States of America \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of fifty separate states.

a. are consisting b. is consisting c. consists d. consist

**36.** World War I \_\_\_\_\_ in 1914

a. broke out b. was broken out c. had been occurred d. was happened

**37.** When water is heated, it \_\_\_\_\_ into vapor

a. would be changed b. will change c. is changed d. will be changed

**38.** I’ll write down your name and address in case you \_\_\_\_\_ as a helper

a. should be needed b. will need c. need d. will have needed

**39**. He was told that after she \_\_\_\_\_, she \_\_\_\_\_\_ by a famous firm.

a. graduated / would be employed b. was graduated / would be employed

c. graduated / would employ d. had graduated / would be employed

**40.** On her birthday, the girl is looking forward \_\_\_\_\_ a gift

a. to be given b. to being given c. to give d. to giving

**41.**“Have you moved into the new house?” – “Not yet, the rooms \_\_\_\_\_”

a. are being painted b. are painting c. are painted d. are being painting

**42**. By the end of the century, it is likely that the oceans of the world\_\_\_\_\_ by all the rubbish poured into them

a. will have been polluted b. will be polluting

c. are being polluted d. would have been polluting

**43**. “Write to me when you get home” – “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

a. I must b. I should c. I will d. I can

**44**. Mr. Kent is on time for everything. How \_\_\_\_ it be that he was late for the opening ceremony?

a. Can b. should c. may d. must

**45.** “Are you coming to Jeff’s party?” – “I’m not sure. I \_\_\_\_ go to the concert instead”

a. must b. would c. can d. may

**46.** Sorry I’m late. I \_\_\_\_ have turned off the alarm clock and gone back to sleep again

a. might b. should c. can d. will

**47.** There was a lot of fun at yesterday’s party. You \_\_\_\_ come, but why didn’t you?

a. must have b. should c. need have d. ought to have

**48.** Johnny, you \_\_\_\_\_ play with the knife, you \_\_\_\_ hurt yourself

a. won’t / can’t b. mustn’t / may c. shouldn’t/ must d. can’t / shouldn’t

**49.** When he was there, he \_\_\_\_ go to that coffee shop at the corner after work every day

a. would b. should c. had better d. might

**50.** Yesterday, Jane walked away from the discussion. Otherwise, she \_\_\_\_\_ something she would regret later

a. had said b. said c. might say d. might have said

**51.** I told Sally how to get here, but perhaps I \_\_\_\_\_ for her.

a. had to write it out b. must have written it out

c. should have written it our d. ought to write it out

**52.** There was plenty of time. She \_\_\_\_\_\_

a. mustn’t have hurried b. couldn’t have hurried

c. must not hurry d. needn’t have hurried

**53.** Hurry up! Tom \_\_\_\_\_ for us at the school gate now

a. must wait b. must be waiting

c. must be waited d. must have been waited

**54.** We were disappointed as the film was \_\_\_ than we expected.

a. entertaining b. most entertaining

c. less entertaining d. entertaining

**55**. Prices are not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the 1990s

a. much more b. more than c. the same as d. much less

**56.**The Pacific is \_\_\_\_\_\_ the largest ocean in area.

a. by far b. far c. a little d. so

**57.** “Are you going to the concert?” “I’d love to, but the tickets are \_\_\_\_\_ for me”

a. terrible expensive b. so much expensive

c. far too expensive d. highly expensive

**58.** “It’s six o’clock and your father is still at the office.” “I know. Who else would \_\_\_\_\_ he does?”

a. be as hard working b. be working hard than

c. do harder work than d. work as hard as

**59.** Terylene shirts are \_\_\_ wearing, but cotton shirts are much\_\_\_.

a. harder – most comfortable b. hardest – more comfortable

c. harder – more comfortable d. much hard – more comfortable

**60.** The football match was \_\_\_. Our team lost the game and we left the stadium quite \_\_\_.

a. disappointing – disappointing b. disappointing – disappointed

c. disappointed – disappointed d. disappointed – disappointing

**61.** I had a hard time taking notes on the lecture.” “I did too. The professor speaks \_\_\_.”

a. very exceedingly fast b. exceeding too fast

c. exceedingly fast d. with exceedingly fastness

**62.**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when Kevin and Isabel arrived.

a. We’ve just finished dinner b. We would be finishing dinner

c. We were about to finish dinner d. Dinner has nearly been finished

**63.** “ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you hand that book, please ?” “ Sure, here it is.”

a. Would b. Should c. Must d. May

**65.**”Are these gloves necessary?” “Yes, You \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ use this chemical without gloves. It will burn your skin.”

a. must not b. don’t have to c. could not d. need not

**66.** He \_\_\_\_\_\_ tennis before. This is the first time he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to play it.

a. has never played/ tried b. has ever played/ has tried

c. has never been played/ has tried d. has never played/ has tried

**67.** “ Are you learning your lessons?” “No, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it”

a. finished b. finish c. have finished d. have been finishing

**68.** Hurry up or the train \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ before you can catch it.

a. will leave b. leaves c. will have left d. has left

**69.** The curriculum at the public school is as good \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_of any private school

a. or better than b. as or better than that

c. as or better that d. as or better than one

**70.** “Why is the ground so wet ?” “It \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ last night”

a. would rain b. would have rained c.should have rained d.must have rained

**71.** Thousands of antibiotics \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , but only about thirty are in common use today.

a. have developed b. are developing

c. have been developed d. had been developing

**72.** He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ off alone a month ago, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of since.

a. set / hasn’t been heard b. set/ hadn’t heard

c. has set/ hasn’t heard d. had set/ hasn’t been heard

**73.** “ You went to Chili, didn’t you ?” “No, but I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to Peru, which is right next door.”

a. was going b. had gone c. was gone d. did go

**74.**”Why did you buy all this sugar and chocolate?”

“I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a delicious dessert for dinner tonight.”

a. make b. will make c. have made d. am going to make

**75.** The science of medicine \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a great deal in the 19th century.

a. had advanced b. has been advancing

c. has advanced d. advanced

**76.** When there \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a full moon next week, the ocean tides \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ higher.

a. will be / are b. is / are being c. is / are d. will be / will be

**77.** The telephone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for almost a minute. Why doesn’t anyone answer it?

a. has rung b. rang c. has been ringing d. was ringing

**78.** “ May I speak to Dr. Smith, please?

“ I’m sorry, he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a patient at the moment. Can I help you?”

a. is seeing b. sees c. has seen d. was seeing

**79.** Betty was late. When she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to class, the teacher \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a quiz.

a. gets / has already given b. got / had already given

c. had got / had already given d. was getting / has already given

**80.** “ Do you think Harry will want something to eat after he gets here?

“I hope not. It’ll probably be after midnight, and we \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at that time.”

a. are sleeping b. will be sleeping c. will sleep d. have been sleeping

**81.** “What? You are smoking another cigarette? At this rate, you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a whole pack before lunchtime.”

a. will smoke b. had smoked c. smoke d. will have smoked

**82.** My family loves this house. It \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the family home ever since my grandfather built it 60 years ago.

a. was b. would be c. has been d. used to be

**83.** I’ll never leave here until you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my question.

a. are going to answer b. will answer

c. answer d will have answered

**84.** The thief simply walked in Someone \_\_\_\_\_\_ to lock the door.

a. forgets b. forgot c. has forgotten d. had forgotten

**85.** Everyone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ mistakes. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ lots of mistakes in my life.

a. makes / have been made b. makes / have made

c. makes / had been making d. has made / had made

**86.** “Do you like to play tennis?”

“Yes. When I worked at the embassy, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ meet a friend at 5 o’clock every afternoon for a game.”

a. would b. got used to c. was used to d. would used to

**87.** “Do you suppose Thomas is sick?”

“He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ be. Nothing else would have kept him from coming to this meeting.”

a. may b. must c. might d. could

**88.** She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sorry to you when she broke your antique vase. Why didn’t she ?

a. should say b. ought to say c. should have said d. must say

**89.** “Why didn’t Diane come to the phone? I know she was home when I called.”

“I don’t know. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her hair when you called. Who knows?”

a. must be washing b. might have been washing

c. might be washing d. might have washed

**90.** “Why isn’t John in class today?”

“I really don’t know. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.”

a. could sleep b. must be sleeping c. can’t have slept d. will have been sleeping

**91.** Mike \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ care of himself. He left home when he was 15 and has been on his own ever since then.

a. used to take b. would use to take c. get used to take d. is used to taking

**92.** I wrecked my father’s car. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ him, but I have to.

a. would rather not face b. would rather face

c. would like to face d. would prefer not face

**93.** Jane \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for the telephone company, but now she has a job at the post office.

a. is used to working b. used to work

c. would be working d. has been working

**94.** “I left a cookie on the table, but now it’s gone. What happened to it?”

“ I don’t know. One of the children \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it.”

a. may have eaten b. could eat c. had to eat d. should have eaten

**95.** “Thank Goodness ! We \_\_\_\_\_ eat fish again tonight. Mom didn’t buy any today.”

a. mustn’t b. hadn’t to c. don’t have to d. haven’t had to

**96.** “Where’s Jane? I haven’t seen her for weeks.”

“I’m not sure. She\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Europe.”

a. must be travelling b. might be travelling

c. should be travelling d. is travelling

**97**. By the age of 25, his great grandfather \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ two famous novels in old English.

a. wrote b. writes c. has written d. had written

**98.** Fortunately, the hospital’s new air-conditioning system \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when the first heat wave of the summer arrived.

a. had installed b. installed c. had been installed d. had been installing

**99.** I couldn’t cut the grass because the lawn mower \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ down a few days previously.

a. was broken b. has been breaking c. had broken d. was breaking down

**100.**Mercury \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at 357.23 degrees centigrade.

a. boils b. is boiling c. will boil d.is boiled

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