**GRADE 8**

I. Choose the right words or phrases .

1. His grandmother told him some \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_after dinner.( lamps /tales / story)

2. They had to do everything without the help of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_equipment .(old / mobile / modern )

3. Birds used to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_their eggs under that roof .( lie / put / lay)

4. “The Lost Shoe” is my younger sister’s favorite \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.( novel / village / folktale ).

5. These poor children always wear \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_( shoes / rags / ties )

6. He tied the tiger to a tree with a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_( rope / straw / wisdom )

7. The printer wanted to participate in the harvest \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_that year .( village/ fairy/ festival).

8. She bought a white tablecloth with red \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_( vases/ stripes / servants)

9. The man was very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to her ,but she tried hard to do all the work (greedy/foolish/cruel)

10. A fairy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and gave her beautiful clothes .( fell / appeared/ looked)

11. Did he use \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at night when he was young ? (work / working / to work)

12. I know this girl . She is in the USA now. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_my next door neighbor years

before ( was used to be / used to be / used ).

13. Where \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_take you to when he was here ? (does he/ d id he / he did )

14. Dad , what \_\_\_\_when you were a student ? ( you studied / you used to study / did you use to study)

15. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_she ran to the festival , she lost one of her shoes .(When/ Of course/ However)

16. This \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_her father very upset .( became / made / gave)

17. We must be at school \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 6.30 and 6.45 .(at / between / in )

18. Was she born \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_September 5th ,1998? ( in / on / at )

19. Can you come \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_noon ? I’m free then (in / at / on )

20. If you don’t arrive \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_3pm , you’ll miss the bus .( before / in front of / after)

*II. Choose the correct words or phrases*

1.He got good grades for Math , but his English result is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_( rich / poor /badly )

2. They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_the festival in a park next to the stadium . (returned/ celebrated/ escaped)

3. Hi parents are very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_of his intelligence (greedy / proud/ dangerous)

4. Can I use your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_? I don’t understand this word .(dictionary/ report / list )

5. Please \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_this word . It is very important .( promise / improve / underline )

6. The teacher asked us to learn the new words \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ heart . ( by / in / on )

7. He is from London . English is his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ( sister language / mother tongue / father face )

8. How many \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_are there in a school year , Tim ?( results/ semesters/ comments)

9. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a piece of paper on the wall to remember the words better . ( ties / sticks / cooks)

10. He can \_\_\_\_\_his pronunciation after spending some months in Australia . ( learn / improve/ find out )

11. She told me \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sit at that table .( not / don’t / not to)

12. The boy asked her \_\_\_\_the words many times . ( to pronounce / she should pronounce / pronounce)

13. The man wanted her \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_her speaking skills .( improve / to improve / improved)

14. “Please close your book , Tim” the teacher told .

a) The teacher told Tim should close your book .

b) The teacher asked Tim to close his book .

c) The teacher asked Tim close his book .

15. “Don’t go to the festival”, the wife told Little Pea.

a) The wife told Little Pea should not go to the festival .

b) The wife asked Little Pea not go to the festival .

c) The wife asked Little Pea not to go the festival.

16. “ Please buy me some more bananas, Hoa”, Tuan said .

a) Tuan asked Hoa to buy me some more bananas .

b) Tuan asked Hoa to buy him some more bananas.  
 c) Tuan told Hoa to buy her some more bananas.

17. He says that we should \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_many times .

( write the words / writing the words / to write the words )

18. “ Would you please cut this cake into two , Sir? The girl said

a) The girl asked the man to cut that cake into two .

b) The girl asked the man cut that cake into two .

c) The girl asked the man to cut into two that cake .

19. “Would you mind opening the gate , please ?” the man told Mary .

a) The man asked Mary to open the gate .

b) The man asked Mary to mind the open gate .

c) The man told Mary to mind her when opening the gate

20. “Jack, don’t leave your books on the floor,” his mother said .

a) Jack’s mother asked him to leave his books on the floor .

b) Jack’s mother told him to leave her books on the floor .

c) Jack’s mother asked him not to leave his books on the floor .

*III. Turn to the REPORTED SPEECH. Follow the example .*

1.Mr. Brown told Ann, “Please give me some more paper”

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2.Nam told Lan , “ Can you lend me your dictionary?”

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3.He told his wife “ Don’t cut open all the chickens”

🡪………………………………………………………………………….

4.The driver told her “ Don’t put your bags under the seats”

🡪…………………………………………………………………………

5.She told him “ Don’t go out when I am away from home’.

🡪………………………………………………………………………..

IV. Put the verbs in parentheses in the Present Simple , Present Progressive or Past Simple tense.

1.What you (do) when the teacher comes ?...............

2.They (read)……………………..books in the library now.

3.Where you(go) yesterday evening? 🡪

4.It often (rain)……………….in June .

5.When he (get)….back, his children are playing in the park

6.He (try)…many times but he was unsuccessful in starting his car .

7. Who (teach)……..you English last year ? + Mrs. Black did.

8.Who (teach)……………you English ? + Miss While does .

9.When we (come) ……………,the boy was having breakfast .

10.They (leave)………………… London two month ago .

11.Where’s your mother ?+She (be)………………in the kitchen . She (cook)…………………the meal.

12.My brother’s in the next room. He (talk)………………to your friend.

13.Do you remember the film we (see)…………. last week ?

14.Those children usually(go)………to school in the morning .

15.What are those men doing ? +They(build)……………a new bridge across the river .

16.The school (start)……………….at seven in the morning .

17.People (speak)………………..English in Australia.

18.Who’s in the garden ?+ Mrs. Green is. He (water)………………some young trees .

V. Give advice with should or shouldn’t

1.Tim’s Spanish pronunciation is so bad.(practice speaking more often)

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2.My sister has a bad cold .(go to school)

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3.My first semester report is not good.(study harder next semester).

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4.Her parents were very kind to us .(write them a letter of thanks.

……………………………………..

VI.. Rewrite the following sentences as directed in parentheses .

1.They plan to invite him for dinner tonight . (using “be going to”)

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2.The children liked to walk in the rain .(using “enjoy” instead of “liked”

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3.I don’t think he is strong. He can’t lift such a heavy box. (using “enough”)

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4.Driving too fast is dangerous . (beginning with “It’s…)

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5.He will be back on Monday .(using “until”)

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6.She can’t speak .She can’t hear . (using “neither…nor”)

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VII. Supply the correct form or tense of the verbs in brackets .

1.Hoa’s teacher wanted her (spend) ……………………….more times on Math.

2.I promise I(try)……………………..…my best next semester .

3.Sadra needs(improve)…………………………….her English writing .

4.They didn’t try (learn) …………………………all her words they (come)…………………………across.

5.You should(underline)…………………………the word you want (learn)……………………..

6.Nam always (get)……..grade A for physics, but last semester he (get)…. So Nam’s teacher asked him (study)….harder this semester .

7.They were proud of (be)…………………..so successful

8.It’s difficult (climb)……………………...this mountain.

9.You must (take)…………………..an umbrella. It (rain)……………………………now.

10.When I was a child ,I used (spend)……………………..hours playing with a tin box.

11.In England the sun (not shine)………………………....every day .

12.Everyone stopped (laugh)……………………….……when we (come)……………………..

13.Sandra ought (practice)…………………………………….her English more frequently.

14.An is in hospital. I (visit)…………………………………him tomorrow .

VIII. Fill in the blanks with the suitable prepositions.

1.Peter is proud …………….his new motorbike .

2.She was very interested……………..folktales.

3.I hang the picture…the clock and the calendar.

4.Putting a knife…an electrical socket is dangerous .

5.The wardrobe is ….the right side……....the room .

6.My mother used to live a farm when she was young girl

7.Everyone is busy………..Tet holiday .

8.You can reach her………..8 963087

9.Please wait………….me a few minutes.

10.You can use dictionary to find……..new words.

11.They are very proud………….their new house.

12.My sister is not very good………..Math .

13.Tim should work harder …………..his Spanish pronunciation.

14.Do you believe…………...ghosts ?

15.Try to learn the meaning of new words….. heart .

16. I got good grades………. ..English and History .

17.It’s very kind………………..you to say so .

18.In this respect, French differ……..….English .

19. Please fill……………..this form .

20.She enjoys participating……….raising funds for the poor.

21.Could you help me …………….the clean up ?

22.Are you going to take part………..this contest?

23.This restaurant is famous…..its Chinese dishes .

24.Don’t you care……….…your country’s future ?

IX. Choose the right word in brackets to complete each sentence.

1.Our team won the game because we played very (well / good ).

2.I try on the shoes and they fitted me (perfect / perfectly ).

3.He had an accident because he was driving too (fast / slow ).

4.Tom drove ( careful / carefully ) along the narrow road.

5.Do you usually feel (nervous / nervously) before examinations ?

6.Her English is quite (fluent / fluently ).

7.She fell and hurt herself (bad / badly )

8.You look( terrible / terribly )

9.He looked at me (angry / angrily ) when I interrupted him .

10. I always feel (happy / happily ) when the sun is shining.