

High Note 4 - Grammar
UNIT ONE

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1. He often ----- touch with his colleagues.
a. lose b. losing c. loses d. lost
2. Water ----- at 100 C degrees .
a. boiling b. boil c. boils d. is boiling
3. He now ----- a flat with a friend.
a. share b. shares c. sharing d. shared
4. Once in a while, Zeina ----- books .
a. send b. sending c. sent d. sends
5. Nowadays , it ----- harder and harder to deal with technology.
a. getting b. get c. gets d. is getting
6. I ----- five thousand text messages so far .
a. send b. have sent c. sent d. am sending
7. The lights ----- . Now, It's dark here .
a. has gone out b. go out c. have gone out d. are going out
8. Faten ----- all day .
a. has studied b. has been studying c. have been studying d. is studying
9. They ----- when suddenly the phone rang .
a. was studying b. studied c. are studying d. were studying
10. While Adel -----, his mum was texting .
a. had waited b. waited c. was waiting d. waited
11. Before Sami met his wife, he ----- single for a decade .
a. has been b. had been c. was been d. have been
12. They ----- for an hour before sami arrived .
a. have been talking b. had talked c. had been talking d. had been talked
13. The phone ----- and I can't find where I've put it .
a. rings b. is ringing c. rang d. has rung
14. I forgot my password and blocked my email account -----.
a. from time to time b. nowadays c. in recent weeks d. the day before yesterday
15. The phone ----- all the time now that we run a business .
a. ring b. rings c. is ringing d. has rung
16. I ----- salma a couple of times today.
a. called b. am calling c. have called d. have been calling
17. It ----- easier and easier to stay in touch with people .
a. gets b. is getting c. get d. getting
18. I ----- a film when I got home from school .
a. watch b. watched c. was watching d. watching
19. When I looked at my phone, the message arrived . The actions in this sentence happened -----
a. at exactly the same time b. not at the same time c. one before another d. one after another
20. ----- you have a bad dream yesterday ?
a. Was b. Did c. Are d. Were
21. Most teenagers ----- texting to calling .
a. prefer b. is preferring c. prefers d. are preferring
22. Can I call you back ? I ----- to someone else at the moment .
a. talk b. talking c. talks d. am talking

23. She speaks English, -----?

- a. she does b. does she c. doesn't she d. she doesn't

24. I am still at home , -----?

- a. I am b. I am not c. are I d. aren't I

25. Let's study English , -----?

- a. won't we b. we shall c. shall we d. we will

26. Nobody came to the presentation , -----?

- a. they did b. they didn't c. didn't they d. did they

27. Nothing has happened so far , -----?

- a. have they b. hasn't it c. has it d. they have

28. A: I am having a great time.

B: ----- ?

- a. Are I b. Aren't I c. Are you d. Aren't you

29. A: He went to Aqaba last week.

B: ----- ?

- a. Did he b. Didn't he c. Was he d. Wasn't he

30. A: He has to do his homework.

B: ----- ?

- a. Has he b. Hasn't he c. Doesn't he d. Does he

31. A: Fatima and Sally have arrived.

B: ----- ?

- a. Have they b. Do they c. Haven't they d. Don't they

32. The sentence which indicates " along activity interrupted by a shorter one " is -----

- a. I was writing a letter . c. I was writing when she called .
b. After I had written, she called d. Before she called, I had written

33. The sentence " **He now shares a flat with a friend** " indicates -----

- a. routines and habits c. permanent situation around the Present Time
b. Facts and things that are generally true d. Actions in progress at the time of speaking

34. The sentence " **He is thinking of getting a new phone.** " indicates -----

- a. Temporary actions in progress around now c. To talk about future plans
b. Changes and developments d. Actions in progress at the time of speaking

35. The sentence " **The news is spreading quickly.** " indicates -----

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b. Changes and developments d. Actions in progress at the time of speaking

36. The sentence " **I'm meeting my father tomorrow.** " indicates -----

- a. Temporary actions in progress around now c. talk about future plans
b. Changes and developments d. Actions in progress at the time of speaking

37. The sentence " **He has changed dramatically, so he looks very different now** " indicates -----

- a. The duration of states that began in the past and continue up to now .
b. completed past action with a present relevance / result .
c. experiences during a present period of time .
d. The duration of actions that began in the past and continue up to the present .

38. The sentence " **They had been talking for an hour before sami arrived .** " indicates -----

- a. an action in progress or repeated over a period of time up until now
b. An action in progress interrupted by a short past action .
c. an action in the past that was completed before another action or time in the past
d. talk about an activity which started before a second past event and was still in progress .

39. The sentence " **Young people are writing by hand less often these days** " indicates -----

- a. an action in progress or repeated over a period of time up until now
b. actions that started and finished at a specific time in the past
c. things happening now or around now
d. situations which are changing during the present time

40. The sentence " **I was writing to Ali when he called me** " indicates -----

- a. actions in progress at a specific time in the past.
b. A long activity interrupted by a short one .
c. finished actions in the past when we don't say exactly when they happened .
d. actions and states which began in the past and continue until now .