

DON'T DO THE SENTENCES WITH *

REPHRASING SENTENCES

- 1) I don't have a computer so I can't type the essay on English grammar. (If....)
- 2) Despite having been vaccinated she caught the flu. (Although / However)
- 3) "We will arrest them for illegal entry in the country", the policeman said. (The policeman.....)
- 4) The teacher glued the pieces of the broken toy.
- 5) **It is possible** that I finish work earlier than usual today.
- 6) This is the place. We last had coffee together here.
- 7) I love German. Unfortunately, I can't speak it fluently. (I wish.....)
- 8) As he hadn't behaved himself, his parents got angry with him. (so)
- 9) Everybody must read the instructions before they use the machine. (The
- 10) Where did you spend your holidays? Peter asked Mary.
- 11) This is the man. His job is very dangerous.
- 12) The engineer has repaired my television. (Causative) *
- 13) She speaks French very well. **I'm certain** she is taking French lessons.
- 14) I regretted having hit the dog on the head. (I wish.....)
- 15) If your friend doesn't come before ten, he will miss the train. (Unless.....)
- 16) The children stayed at home because it was raining. (because of)
- 17) My kitchen is being redecorated at the moment. (Causative)*
- 18) **I am not sure** that she is his girlfriend.
- 19) "I'm sure James forgot to lock the door?" said Michael.
- 20) She said: "Are you coming to the party on Friday?"
- 21) They came to live in New York two years ago. (Verbal Tenses)
- 22) Driving at 140 Km **is forbidden** on Spanish highways.
- 23) Although the weather was horrible, we went skiing. (In spite of)
- 24) I would like to have more free time these days. (If only)
- 25) They wrote the notices in English so that tourists could understand them (for)
- 26) My son is so lazy. He never tidies up his bedroom!! (If only)
- 27) "Don't speak so loud, please", the teacher said to the students.
- 28) We won't buy that house because we don't have enough money. (So / Therefore)

- 29) That man's brother is my new English teacher. (whose)
- 30) You shouldn't tell Paul about it. Steve said to me. (advise)
- 31) I didn't make a note of it and now I don't have her phone number. (If)
- 32) She lost the race although she ran well. (In spite of)
- 33) **It's possible** that her boyfriend is coming to the wedding.
- 34) Beth stopped smoking last December. (...since last December.)
- 35) My new neighbours have just had a baby. Her name is Wendy. They used to live in Majorca.
- 36) Although Orson was over seventy, he continued to cycle to work every day. (Despite)
- 37) "Perhaps it would be better to go out in the afternoon", Sharon's mother said. (Reported Speech)
- 38) The fireman **managed** to rescue the child from the burning house.
- 39) The police haven't obliged the suspects to say anything. (The)
- 40) She's getting someone to mend the windows. (Causative)*
- 41) Mary said to us: "Don't be late."
- 42) She makes a lot of mistakes because she doesn't study hard for the exams. (If)
- 43) It is **possible** that they didn't see you.
- 44) People say English is the easiest language in the world.
- 45) I am sorry I didn't tell him everything. (I wish)
- 46) Is Fiona smiling in the picture? You saw the picture yesterday.
- 47) Despite the fact that it was very hot, she was wearing her winter clothes. (However)
- 48) I was not invited and I am sorry about that.
- 49) People say he has won a lot of money in the lottery.
- 50) I'm sorry I haven't got a car. (If only...)
- 51) She needed a job, so she sent off an application form. (since)
- 52) "It took me two hours to get here", he said. (admit)
- 53) Smoking is **forbidden** here. (Modal Verb)
- 54) If the tickets don't arrive, we won't be able to go. (Unless)
- 55) What a pity I can't see you more often. (If only)
- 56) This story will shock you. (You)
- 57) If you don't review your notes tonight, you won't do well tomorrow. (Provided that)

- 58)I'm sorry I can't speak French perfectly. (Wish)
- 59)You should send these letters to George.(George...)
- 60)Although she was ill, she visited other countries.(Despite)
- 61)Mary was sorry she ate so many cakes.(She apologised.....)
- 62)I forgot to phone Lisa on her birthday. It annoyed her very much.
- 63)Although it was cold, we went to the countryside.(even so)
- 64)The hairdresser cut my hair yesterday morning. (Causative)*
- 65)Theresa has got a lot of paintings. Some of them are really valuable.
- 66)I will go to the gym tomorrow if my foot doesn't hurt.(on condition that)
- 67)The teacher said: "Hand your papers in at the end of this class".
- 68)As it wasn't raining, the children could go out to the playground and they could play a football game .(moreover)
- 69)The shop assistant didn't give us the ticket.(We...)
- 70)Al can swim very well and he's very good at scuba-diving. (Not only...)
- 71) "Where did the robbery take place?" he asked.
- 72)You can't have a bicycle.(allowed)
- 73)I don't know her address, so I can't write to her.(If...)
- 74)**Perhaps** they will be visiting the museum tomorrow morning.
- 75)You can make green paint by mixing blue and yellow.(Green paint..)
- 76)Sharon is going to marry a man. He is Eric's brother.
- 77)I didn't open the door because I didn't know it was you.(If)
- 78)If you don't stop making noise, I'll call the police!(Reported speech)
- 79)They believe this tree is over 400 years old.(This....)
- 80)They didn't tell me the secret.(I
- 81)**I'm sure** they are at home. The lights are on.
- 82)Shakespeare was a famous writer. He wrote beautiful sonnets.
- 83)Someone knocked at the door. The dog woke up. (as a result / so)
- 84)It's such a pity you can't come along!(I wish...)
- 85)Bananas are cheaper than apples. They are healthier (as well as)
- 86)In spite of her beauty, she doesn't have a boyfriend.(However)

- 87) **I'm sure** she's telling lies. (Modal Verbs)
- 88) "No. I haven't broken the window". The teenager said. (Reported speech)
- 89) In my opinion, taking some exercise would be good for you. (Modals)
- 90) The teacher didn't tell us the answer. (I) (The)
- 91) Shall I close the window?. It's a bit cold in here. My mother said. (offer)
- 92) We bought our tickets on the Web because it was much cheaper. (as)
- 93) Albert is coming back from hospital tomorrow. He has just broken his ankle.
- 94) "How much is this T-shirt?", she asked.
- 95) "Don't eat so many cakes! You'll feel sick later". His mother said
- 96) I'm sorry I didn't work hard enough last year. (apologise)
- 97) Although he was exhausted, he managed to finish the novel. (in spite of)
- 98) We have found the stolen money. The police officer told some journalists. (Passive and reported speech)
- 99) She divorced him because he was so terrible to her. (sothat)
- 100) **It isn't necessary** to phone your mum. **I am sure** she knows you are here. (Modals)
- 101) I felt really tired so I stayed at home. (due to)
- 102) People consider that he is an expert on cricket. (It...) (He.....)
- 103) "Please, please don't shoot". She told the burglar (beg)
- 104) We didn't visit the museum because we didn't have time. (since)
- 105) Although she was poor, she was happy. (despite the fact that)
- 106) This is the ring. They didn't pay for the ring.
- 107) Although the weather was awful, they had a great time. (However)
- 108) They have given us a Roald Dahl novel. (We)
- 109) It's two months since she last phoned her mother. . (Verbal tenses)
- 110) She started drinking too much alcohol two years ago. (Verbal Tenses)
- 111) London will fascinate you. (Passive)
- 112) I saw a man later. He was the president of the European Community.
- 113) "Of course, I won't take you to the party tonight", he told them. (refuse)
- 114) "Would you like to come to my friend 's birthday? "Paul told me (invite)

- 115)He didn't revise for the test and he went to the cinema so he failed.(addition connector (moreover) / Conditionals)
- 116)The ophthalmologist tests her eyes every year.(causative)*
- 117)The *Da Vinci Code* is a best-seller. It was written by Dan Brown.
- 118)I am sorry I didn't remember my friends' birthdays. (Wish)
- 119)He told us: "O.K. I don't mind taking the exam on Saturday!"(agree)
- 120)If you don't hurry up, you won't get tickets for the concert.(As long as)
- 121)I have to wear a uniform because I work in front of the customers.(As)
- 122)"Come on. Go and apply for the job at the supermarket" . My father said (encourage)
- 123)I visited some villages yesterday. I did not like some of them.
- 124)It's ages since I last visited Russia.(Verbal tenses)
- 125)You won't understand the problem if you don't listen carefully.(provided that)
- 126) "Can I go to the disco tonight?", Tim asked his mother.
- 127)Despite the fact that the questions were difficult, she got a high mark in her exam.(although / despite)
- 128)**It wasn't necessary** for you to make your bed.(Modals)
- 129)They will tell us the news tomorrow night.(We)
- 130)I didn't earn much money last year. I can't buy a new car now.(If)
- 131)She loves dancing but her husband hates it. (Contrary...)
- 132)"Congratulations. You have passed your driving test", the examiner told me.(congratulate)