

SENTENCE TRANSFORMATION

1. Rewrite the sentences without changing the meaning:

1. What's the price of that leather jacket?
How

2. "What time does your plane leave, Mary?"
Adam wanted to know

3. Who's the owner of the red sports car?
Who

4. "Please, please, let's go to the new shopping centre next weekend."
Pam insisted

5. Megan can speak German fluently.
Megan is

6. Claire has had her hair dyed.
The hairdresser

7. My brother is 12, but your brother is 13.
Your brother

8. "Don't feed the animals in this cage, Paul."
The zoo keeper ordered



9. It can be dangerous to touch the oven.
Touching

10. Take your mobile to phone me if you're late.
Take your mobile to phone me in

11. My father is a very careful driver.
My father

12. We weren't in time for school yesterday because there was a bus strike.
Due

13. Stop playing videogames or dad will get angry with you.
If I

14. "Who will pay for tonight's dinner, Terry?"
Mark asked

15. The delivery boy has just brought us a pizza.
We

16. I'm doing my best since I want to get a good job when I finish my studies.
I'm doing my best so

17. The postman didn't leave the parcel. There was nobody at home.
If

18. People believe that the situation won't improve unless further measures are taken.
The situation

19. Despite spending the afternoon at the hairdresser's, Meg didn't look very attractive.
Although

20. Do you want me to show you the hotel?
We spend our Easter holiday there.
Do you

21. My mother went to work by car, but she doesn't now.
My mother

22. Paul should be here, perhaps he's lost his way.
Paul must

23. Dan suggested hiring a car the next holiday.
"Why

24. "Did the witness sign this statement yesterday?"
The lawyer asked

25. You should revise for tomorrow's exam.
You'd

26. Shall I water the flowers for you?
Do you

27. Let's change the furniture of the living room.
How

28. The tropical storm is said to have caused hundreds of victims.
Newspapers

29. I can't stand living in this flat.
I wish

30. You should spend more time doing your homework.
I'd rather

31. Unless Tom mends the TV, we'll have to call the technician.
If

32. "Don't worry, Robert I'll support your decision"
Robert's father promised



**REWRITE THE SENTENCES BELOW BEGINNING AS SUGGESTED.
KEEP THE MEANING SIMILAR TO THE ORIGINAL SENTENCE:**

1. Americans sent a satellite to orbit last week.

A satellite _____

2. The rangers combed the forest where the two young girls vanished.

The forest _____

3. We should preserve our heritage.

Our heritage _____

4. The old buildings were renovated by the city hall.

The city hall _____

5. "What are you doing Peter?" – asked his sister.

His sister asked _____

6. "We are going to have a lot of fun!" – said Teresa.

Teresa said _____

7. Mauritania only banned slavery in 1963.

Slavery _____

8. The young man drove so fast that he lost the car's control.

If he hadn't

9. Adrian doesn't have much time to help his parents.

If Adrian had

10. It was raining but he went out.

Although

11. It was a hard exercise, but he solved it.

Despite

12. John is crazy about chocolate but he doesn't put on weight.

In spite of

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15. "Could you tell the way to the airport, please?" – asked the tourist to the policewoman.

The tourist

16. "Are you planning anything special for the weekend?" – asked Sara to her best friend.

Sara asked

17. Hanna was invited to the party.

Andreia

18. If you don't work hard, you won't get a better mark on your Maths test.

You won't get a better mark unless

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Although
