

Fill in the missing part of the sentence using the word in bold type. Use two to five words.

- 1 You ought to leave now - it's past midnight.
time It's it's past midnight.
- 2 Mary hates vampire films and so does George.
nor Neither vampire films.
- 3 I don't feel like going to the party.
rather I to the party.
- 4 She will have her book published next month.
brought Her next month.
- 5 "Yes, I gave away your secret," she said to me.
giving She secret.
- 6 Everybody thinks she is in line for promotion this year.
thought She in line for promotion this year.
- 7 The only thing I forgot to bring was the tin opener.
except I remembered the tin opener.
- 8 The mountain was too steep for them to climb.
that The mountain was couldn't climb it.
- 9 Nick didn't enjoy the performance and neither did his parents.
nor Neither Nick the performance.
- 10 After his retirement he started playing golf.
took After his retirement golf.
- 11 We have never met anyone as famous as he is.
most He we have ever met.
- 12 I don't like your behaviour towards Sally.
approve I your behaviour towards Sally.
- 13 They spent so much money on holiday that now they are broke.
such They spent on holiday that now they are broke.
- 14 Despite trying hard, they couldn't meet the deadline.
tried Although they couldn't meet the deadline.
- 15 They are seeking actors to appear in the new series.
sought Actors to appear in the new series.
- 16 She wants to know whose car that is.
who She wants to know to.
- 17 It's three weeks since I last went out.
been I three weeks.
- 18 I'm sorry I didn't write to you earlier.
writing I to you earlier.
- 19 They are going to add a new wing to the hospital.
be A new wing to the hospital.
- 20 He managed to escape although his leg was broken.
having He managed to escape leg.
- 21 Make sure you check your answers carefully.
go Make sure carefully.
- 22 We reached home seconds before the storm began.
hardly We the storm began.
- 23 It's the tastiest meal I have ever eaten.
never I have meal.
- 24 There are such stylish clothes in this shop.
so The clothes in this shop.

SENTENCE

TRANSFORMATIONS

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Further Practice on "Key" Word Transformation

- 25 Thieves stole the old woman's savings.
was The old woman savings.
- 26 Why does he invent such ridiculous lies?
make Why such ridiculous lies?
- 27 I couldn't read what he had written.
out I what he had written.
- 28 Please stop biting your nails.
wish I biting your nails.
- 29 If only I hadn't told Peter my secret!
telling I my secret.
- 30 I admire and respect her more than anyone else.
look I more than anyone else.
- 31 Could you look after the children this morning?
mind Would the children this morning?
- 32 Someone should repair the fence soon.
needs The fence soon.
- 33 She claims she didn't steal the brooch.
stolen She the brooch.
- 34 The bus wasn't late for once.
time The bus for once.
- 35 As soon as she hung up she remembered what she'd meant to tell him.
sooner No than she remembered what she'd meant to tell him.
- 36 Why did you tolerate her rudeness for so long?
up Why her rudeness for so long?
- 37 Tom hates pizza and so does his sister.
nor Neither pizza.
- 38 Take my advice: don't believe a word he says.
were If I believe a word he says.
- 39 Tim never expected to be dismissed.
expect Never to be dismissed.
- 40 The Curtes discovered radium.
was It discovered radium.
- 41 He had to work overtime to save enough money to buy the car.
by Only save enough money to buy the car.
- 42 There aren't any sausages left.
run We sausages.
- 43 My grandfather lives alone in a huge house.
by My grandfather in a huge house.
- 44 "I wonder if they will ever discover the truth?" she said to herself.
would She wondered discover the truth.
- 45 I was disappointed by his lack of trust in me.
let I felt his lack of trust in me.
- 46 Suzy ate the same number of cakes as David.
many Suzy David.
- 47 It was such a funny joke that he couldn't stop laughing.
so It was that he couldn't stop laughing.
- 48 Despite being clever, she didn't know the answer.
was Clever she didn't know the answer.
- 49 If you don't want to miss your flight, you'd better leave now.
avoid Leave now flight.

Further Practice on "Key" Word Transformation

- 50 She'll probably win a gold medal.
likely She a gold medal.
- 51 I've never seen such an untidy room.
the This is I have ever seen.
- 52 If there is a fire, please remain calm.
event In please remain calm.
- 53 She wouldn't exchange the dress because I didn't have the receipt.
had If I she would have exchanged the dress.
- 54 Simon was the only person who didn't understand.
for Everyone Simon.
- 55 He is the most talented actor in the play.
as No one else in the play he is.
- 56 He failed the test because he hadn't studied.
passed Had he studied, he the test.
- 57 Susan saved £5 a week to buy her daughter a new bicycle.
put Susan to buy her daughter a new bicycle.
- 58 If you don't know the meaning of a word you can find it in the dictionary.
up If you don't know the meaning of a word in the dictionary.
- 59 I'm sure she's got the message by now.
have She the message by now.
- 60 She forgot her mother's birthday, which was thoughtless of her.
forget It was her mother's birthday.
- 61 I haven't seen her for years.
since It's her.
- 62 Tom became quite famous playing with that jazz band.
name Tom playing with that jazz band.
- 63 The drive from my house to the next town takes two hours.
hour It's a from my house to the next town.
- 64 I find it easy to understand your accent.
difficulty I your accent.
- 65 "Why don't you paint the doors light blue?" said Martin.
painting Martin light blue.
- 66 If he doesn't stop smoking, he'll damage his lungs.
stops Unless he'll damage his lungs.
- 67 He was difficult to understand because of his strong accent.
made His strong accent to understand.
- 68 I'd rather be alone this evening.
prefer I this evening.
- 69 I could see clearly because of the full moon.
easy The full moon to see clearly.
- 70 I haven't tried windsurfing before.
first This is tried windsurfing.
- 71 She looked quickly through her notes before she started speaking.
look She her notes before she started speaking.
- 72 It isn't necessary for her to dress smartly for work.
have She smartly for work.
- 73 People believe the universe is expanding.
believed The expanding.
- 74 The committee has rejected the new proposal.
turned The new proposal the committee.