

Lesson: G107

Exam type transformations

Aim: to enable you to manipulate structures to make sentences w/ similar meanings



A. Look at the sentences below and say the sentence in another way using the word or words given:

1. He is a good player, but Ted is better. **Good**
2. I think I'll always find it strange living in a village. **I don't think I'll ever**
3. Paul suggested that we should go to this film. **Going**
4. I was very lucky to have escaped from that crash. **I count**

5. Jasmine left the room a few seconds before James walked in. **No sooner**
6. We missed the plane because our car broke down on the motorway. **If our car**
7. We had nothing to eat but bananas. **Bananas**
8 I'd like you to be more polite **I wish**

9. Think back to the night you last saw him **Cast**
10. His swimming pool is so big that all his friends come to swim **Such**
11. John wishes he hadn't gone to Spain for his holidays **Regrets**
12. Those houses were damaged by the strong winds **It was**

13. I last went there in 1995. **since**
14. The hairdresser cut my hair the week before last. **I had**
15. 'Are you going to play golf on Saturday, Peter?' asked Anne **Anne asked**
16. Although he didn't wake up on time he still managed to get to work at 9.00 **Despite**

17. I haven't seen a picture like this before. **This is**
18. There's no hurry. It isn't late **It isn't late so you**
19. They must have cancelled the match **The match**
20. Jane has suggested that her overworked father should take a break. **Jane is trying to persuade**

21. The only thing they did was to criticize. **They**
22. It was your responsibility to get on with your work while I was out of the room. **You should**
23. Although he got more votes he did not become president. **Despite**
24. People will just have to put up with these problems. **These**

B. Homework: Review this language as your teacher will test you on this at a later date