

## Rewrite the following sentences, starting with the words given.

1. Albert's drawing isn't as good as Gerald's.  
Gerald's drawing is...
2. "Why don't we play computer games?" said Michael.  
Michael suggested (+ gerund)
3. She said: "Are you coming to the party on Friday?"  
She asked him...
4. They came to live in New York two years ago.  
They have...
5. Smoking is forbidden in hospitals.  
You...
6. Although the weather was horrible, we went skiing .  
In spite of...
7. In spite of the horrible weather, they had a great time.  
Although ...
8. They don't allow smoking in this room.  
You...
9. You must not drink in here.  
Drinking...
10. If the tickets don't arrive, we won't be able to go.  
Unless...
11. Where did you put my keys?  
I wonder...
12. If your friend doesn't come before ten, he will miss the train.  
Unless...
13. "What time do the banks close today?" Tim asked me.  
Tim asked me...
14. Sharon hasn't eaten junk food since last May.  
Sharon stopped...
15. I'm not sure that she is his girlfriend.  
She...
16. "How many people know the combination of the safe?" said the detective.  
The detective asked...
17. Ruth is not as young as Jill.  
Jill is...
18. The teacher said "Wait for me outside" to me.  
The teacher told me...
19. You can't ride a bicycle.  
You are...
20. I don't know her address, so I can't write to her.  
If I...

## Answers

21. Albert's drawing isn't as good as Gerald's.  
Gerald's drawing is better than ...

22. "Why don't we play computer games?" said Michael.

Michael suggested playing ...

23. She said: "Are you coming to the party on Friday?"

She asked him if he was coming to the party on Friday.

24. They came to live in New York two years ago.  
They have lived in NY for 2 years.

25. Smoking is forbidden in hospitals.

You mustn't smoke / you are not allowed to smoke ....

26. Although the weather was horrible, we went skiing .

In spite of the horrible weather ....

27. In spite of the horrible weather, they had a great time.

Although the weather was horrible ...

28. They don't allow smoking in this room.

You mustn't smoke ...

29. You must not drink in here.

Drinking is not allowed in here.

30. If the tickets don't arrive, we won't be able to go.

Unless the tickets arrive, we won't be ....

31. Where did you put my keys?

I wonder where you put my keys.

32. If your friend doesn't come before ten, he will miss the train.

Unless your friend comes before ten, ...

33. "What time do the banks close today?" Tim asked me.

Tim asked me what time the banks closed that day.

34. Sharon hasn't eaten junk food since last May.

Sharon stopped eating junk food in May / last May.

35. I'm not sure that she is his girlfriend.

She may be his girlfriend.

36. "How many people know the combination of the safe?" said the detective.

The detective asked how many people knew the combination ....

37. Ruth is not as young as Jill.

Jill is younger than Ruth.

38. The teacher said "Wait for me outside" to me.

The teacher told me to wait for him/her outside.

39. You can't ride a bicycle.

You are not able to ride a bicycle / you are not allowed to ride a bicycle. ("can't" has 2 meanings: 1/be able to 2/ be allowed to)

40. I don't know her address, so I can't write to her.

If I knew her address I could write to her / would be able to write to her.