



## Grammar Mistakes Exercise

A Below is a list of typical grammar mistakes. Correct them:-

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| <p>1 I would like that my mother was here.<br/>.....</p> <p>2 I asked to the doctor a question.<br/>.....</p> <p>3 We're going out together for 10 years.<br/>.....</p> <p>4 His parents want that he study economics.<br/>.....</p> <p>5 She must to be a great tennis player.<br/>.....</p> <p>6 It's for that I'm not going to the party.<br/>.....</p> <p>7 It was the house of my aunt.<br/>.....</p> <p>8 I saw Sue before to come here.<br/>.....</p> <p>9 We were 16 people in the group.<br/>.....</p> <p>10 I don't used to have breakfast so early.<br/>.....</p> | <p>11 How long have your boss been away?<br/>.....</p> <p>12 I don't go to that new shop yet.<br/>.....</p> <p>13 We are 12 people in my tai chi class.<br/>.....</p> <p>14 Why wasn't you there?<br/>.....</p> <p>15 Teachers doesn't have short holidays.<br/>.....</p> <p>16 I haven't seen he yet.<br/>.....</p> <p>17 There is a million people in Valencia.<br/>.....</p> <p>18 How many friends does he has?<br/>.....</p> <p>19 My mother doesn't like cook.<br/>.....</p> <p>20 I chose the more expensive thing on the menu.<br/>.....</p> |
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B Check your answers and then write some sentences of your own.

- 1 .....
- 2 .....
- 3 .....
- 4 .....





## Answers

- 1 I would like that my mother was here.  
I would like my mother to be here.
- 2 I asked to the doctor a question.  
I asked the doctor a question.
- 3 We're going out together for 10 years.  
We've been going out together for 10 years.
- 4 His parents want that he study economics.  
His parents want him to study economics.
- 5 She must to be a great tennis player.  
She must be a great tennis player.
- 6 It's for that I'm not going to the party.  
That's why I'm not going to the party.
- 7 It was the house of my aunt.  
It was my aunt's house.
- 8 I saw Sue before to come here.  
I saw Sue before coming here.
- 9 We were 16 people in the group.  
There were 16 of us in the group.
- 10 I don't used to have breakfast so early.  
I don't usually have breakfast so early.
- 11 How long have your boss been away?  
How long has your boss been away?
- 12 I don't go to that new shop yet.  
I haven't been to that new shop yet.
- 13 We are 12 people in my tai chi class.  
There are 12 people in my tai chi class.
- 14 Why wasn't you there?  
Why weren't you there?
- 15 Teachers doesn't have short holidays.  
Teachers don't have short holidays.
- 16 I haven't seen he yet.  
I haven't seen him yet.
- 17 There is a million people in Valencia.  
There are a million people in Valencia.
- 18 How many friends does he has?  
How many friends does he have?
- 19 My mother doesn't like cook.  
My mother doesn't like cooking.
- 20 I chose the more expensive thing on the menu.  
I chose the most expensive thing on the menu.

