

# Test One (Units 1–5)

Choose the correct letter: A, B, C or D.

- 1 She burst into ..... when she opened the letter.  
A crying      B sadness      C misery      D tears
- 2 Don't stand too near the edge of the ..... because you might fall.  
A peak      B valley      C cliff      D hill
- 3 I felt extremely ..... when I couldn't remember my neighbour's name.  
A embarrassed      B embarrassment      C embarrass      D embarrassing
- 4 I prefer string instruments so the ..... is my favourite.  
A flute      B saxophone      C cello      D drum
- 5 My dad was ..... with me when I told him I'd lost the camera he bought me.  
A scared      B guilty      C worried      D furious
- 6 Rio de Janeiro was the capital of Brazil ..... 1822 to 1960.  
A until      B in      C on      D from
- 7 We were too far away to make ..... what the sign said.  
A for      B into      C out      D up
- 8 We got off our bikes because the hill was too ..... to cycle up.  
A high      B steep      C straight      D tall
- 9 Mickey couldn't stand up so two men carried him off the football pitch on a .....  
A trolley      B surgery      C ambulance      D stretcher
- 10 We were a ..... surprised when we realised the hotel didn't serve food.  
A quite      B bit      C so      D fairly
- 11 I've ..... down on salt and fat in my diet because they're not good for me.  
A cut      B put      C got      D gone
- 12 We had a perfect view from the aeroplane because the skies were .....  
A empty      B cloudy      C open      D clear
- 13 The ball we were playing with landed in the water with a huge .....  
A crash      B splash      C bang      D howl
- 14 The path was very ..... because of the wet weather.  
A stony      B muddy      C sandy      D dusty

15 I haven't done any sport this week because I'm feeling a bit off .....  
 A shape      B colour      C fitness      D sorts

16 The crowd ..... as the team came onto the pitch.  
 A roared      B grunted      C hummed      D barked

17 There is ..... that people lived in eastern North America at least 50,000 years ago.  
 A belief      B evidence      C opinion      D fact

18 I'm really ..... of my son who won first prize in the art competition.  
 A pleased      B proud      C delighted      D happy

19 I put on lots of extra ..... when I stopped walking to work.  
 A weight      B strength      C energy      D exercise

20 The last track on this ..... is the best one.  
 A solo      B duet      C album      D single

21 I was trying to be very quiet but the door ..... as I opened it.  
 A hissed      B creaked      C whistled      D croaked

22 People can ..... by eating berries and fruit.  
 A survive      B descend      C inhabit      D civilise

23 There has been a decrease in the ..... of Italy during the last five years.  
 A residents      B people      C population      D community

24 I took the ..... which the doctor gave me to the pharmacy and got some medicine.  
 A thermometer      B recipe      C vaccination      D prescription

25 I ..... two hours on the internet last night looking for a cheap holiday before I eventually found something.  
 A passed      B spent      C took      D lasted

26 Paula couldn't help feeling ..... before her driving test, as she really wanted to pass.  
 A anxious      B disappointed      C ashamed      D relieved

27 The ..... of the singer's latest song are about her childhood.  
 A lyrics      B instruments      C tunes      D harmonies

28 The rain was so ..... we were soaked after a few minutes.  
 A long      B strong      C deep      D heavy

29 There are lots of mountain ..... which flow into the River Colorado.  
 A streams      B floods      C lakes      D canal

30 I've always enjoyed reading ..... novels because they bring the past to life.  
 A ancient      B antique      C historical      D historic