

Q1. I _____ working all afternoon and have just finished the assignment.

- A have been
- B had been
- C shall be
- D am

Q2. Rohan _____ the movie before he read the review.

- A watches
- B have watched
- C had watched
- D was watching

Q3. He _____ in the States but he still does not have a command over the English language.

- A have been living
- B has been living
- C have lived
- D living

Q4. By the next month, we shall _____ the project.

- A has completed
- B completing
- C completed
- D have completed

Q5. Every boy and girl _____ in the class today.

- A are present
- B is present
- C have present
- D had present

Q6. He _____ daily for a year now.

- A exercises
- B was exercising
- C has been exercising
- D have been exercising

Q7 Which tense is used to express general truths and facts?

- A Present continuous tense
- B Present perfect tense
- C Past perfect tense
- D Present tense

Q8. According to the prevailing rate, two dozen _____ rupees one hundred.

- A costs
- B cost
- C costing
- D costed

Q9. The Council _____ made its decision.

- A have
- B have had
- C has
- D having

Q10. The wise leader and politician _____ assassinated.

- A are
- B has been
- C have been
- D have had been

Q11. Neither of the paintings _____ sold.

- A have been
- B were
- C are
- D was

Q12. Sita or her brothers _____ to be blamed.

- A is
- B has
- C are
- D was

Q13. The Chief guest, with his wife, _____.

- A has left
- B are leaving
- C have left
- D left

Q14. The news _____ not updated timely.

- A were
- B have
- C is
- D are

Q15. They _____ into their cars and drove away.

- A has got
- B have got
- C gets
- D got

Q16. Each of the four army soldiers _____ for the mission.

- A were ready
- B are ready
- C was ready
- D have been ready

Q17. The thief and the eye-witness _____.

- A has escaped
- B has been escaping
- C was escaping
- D have escaped

Q18. Choose the correct sentence.

- A When I woke up, he has already eaten breakfast.
- B When I woke up, he had already eaten breakfast.
- C When I had woken up, he had already ate breakfast.
- D When I had woken up, he has already ate breakfast.

Q19. I _____ the medicine as prescribed by the doctor for a week now.

- A takes
- B have been taking
- C would have taken
- D have had been taking

Q20. Choose the past perfect continuous tense form of the sentence. "The children played in the park throughout the evening."

- A The children played in the park throughout the evening.
- B The children have been playing in the park throughout the evening.
- C The children had played in the park throughout the evening.
- D The children had been playing in the park throughout the evening.

Q21. Identify the tense used in the sentence. "Here comes the soon-to-be bride!"

- A Present continuous tense
- B Present tense
- C Future tense
- D Present perfect tense

Q22. “Shyam and his brothers” _____ a famous sweet shop in our neighbourhood.

- A are
- B have been
- C is
- D have

Q23. Fill in the blank with the present perfect tense form of the verb given in the bracket. “James _____ to visit her grandmother.” (go)

- A have been going
- B had gone
- C has gone
- D has been going

Q24. Fill in the blank with the future perfect continuous tense form of the verb given in the bracket. “We _____ for an hour now.” (wait)

- A shall have been waiting
- B have been waiting
- C shall be waiting
- D had been waiting

Q25. Choose the present tense form of the sentence. “He had been sleeping.”

- A He has been sleeping.
- B He had slept.
- C He has slept.
- D He sleeps.

Q26. Identify the tense used in the underlined phrase. “He joined the cooking school late but only in a few months had mastered the recipes.”

- A Past indefinite tense
- B Past perfect tense
- C Present perfect tense
- D Present indefinite tense

Q27. Neither she nor I _____ at home.

- A were
- B was
- C has been
- D be

Q28. Chris _____ to attend the programme.

- A did not wanted
- B did not want
- C do not wanted
- D does not wanted

Q29. Identify the tense used in the sentence. “Nick has purchased a new laptop.”

- A Present perfect tense
- B Past tense
- C Past perfect tense
- D Present indefinite tense

Q30. The stars _____ bright at night.

- A shines
- B shine
- C has shine
- D shining