

**American Language Course**  
**Book 08 Quiz B**

**Part I - Listening**

Directions for items 1 - 25. Listen and select the best answer, a, b, c, or d. Mark your answers on the answer sheet. **DO NOT WRITE ON THE TEST BOOKLET.**

1. I don't know. Check the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. answering machine
  - b. area code
  - c. road
  - d. thermometer
2. No, it's very \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. warm
  - b. healthy
  - c. expensive
  - d. important
3. Let me put some \_\_\_\_\_ in it.
  - a. coins
  - b. ice
  - c. pages
  - d. film
4. No, I don't have a \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. basement
  - b. message
  - c. watch
  - d. camera
5.
  - a. Put 2 quarters in the slot, and then dial the number.
  - b. Drive west on Highway 90 for ten miles.
  - c. Put a cup of water in a pot, and turn on the stove.
  - d. Pay the deposit on the apartment.
6. Yes, she's very \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. cheap
  - b. beautiful
  - c. boring
  - d. busy

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7. Oh, what did he have to \_\_\_\_\_?
- a. pick up
  - b. look up
  - c. study
  - d. say
8. They'll be there at \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. half past eleven
  - b. a quarter to twelve
  - c. half past twelve
  - d. a quarter past twelve
9. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. those are my mathematics books
  - b. go straight ahead for two more blocks
  - c. walk two miles in one hour
  - d. you can call the operator from there
10. I'll \_\_\_\_\_ at 0800 hours.
- a. take off
  - b. call back
  - c. work out
  - d. come back
11. The \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. visit was short
  - b. color was green
  - c. price was \$25
  - d. food was good
12. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. it's south of here
  - b. it's hers
  - c. she's asleep
  - d. she's not in
13. He \_\_\_\_\_ it.
- a. waited for
  - b. forgot
  - c. held on to
  - d. froze

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14. a. Sure, I'll get him. Just hold on, please.  
b. Please hold the phone in your left hand.  
c. I think this is John's apartment.  
d. No, thank you. It's very hot in here.
15. Mr. Johnson \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. has a watch  
b. has a factory  
c. is an operator  
d. is the manager
16. You need to go \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. to that gymnasium  
b. at that time  
c. to that apartment  
d. in that direction
17. No, I didn't like the \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. workout  
b. bedroom  
c. temperature  
d. freeway
18. I have some \_\_\_\_\_ there.  
a. flowers  
b. friends  
c. classes  
d. pictures
19. Yes, I \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. ate lunch in the restaurant  
b. put the money in the bank  
c. studied math in the library  
d. recorded a tape in the lab
20. He is \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. leaving a message  
b. in good shape  
c. holding the line  
d. on the corner

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21. a. In his factory.  
b. In his bedroom.  
c. In the gymnasium.  
d. In the dining room.
22. Yes, would you please \_\_\_\_\_ this one?  
a. rent  
b. wait for  
c. look for  
d. hold
23. Read the question. **WHEN WILL THE COLONEL CALL THE MAJOR BACK?**  
Now listen to the dialog and select the best answer.  
a. 1600 hours  
b. 1500 hours  
c. 1400 hours  
d. 1300 hours
24. Listen to a word. Select the number of syllables.  
a. 1  
b. 2  
c. 3  
d. 4
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c. 3  
d. 4

**THIS IS THE END OF THE LISTENING PART OF THE TEST.**



**Part 2 - Reading**

Directions for items 26 - 50. Select the best answer, and mark your answer sheet a, b, c, or d. DO NOT WRITE ON THE TEST BOOKLET.

26. The post office is at the \_\_\_\_\_ of 3rd Street and Washington Avenue.
- a. road
  - b. highway
  - c. direction
  - d. corner
27. The lieutenant is out of the office today. Do you want to \_\_\_\_\_?
- a. leave a message
  - b. make a phone call
  - c. get in shape
  - d. hold the line
28. Bill: Do you think it'll rain?  
Tim: I don't know. It \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. will
  - b. must
  - c. might
  - d. won't
29. Bill: I think this jacket belongs to your brother.  
Tim: Yes, that's \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. his
  - b. mine
  - c. hers
  - d. yours
30. Which of these three questions is \_\_\_\_\_ important?
- a. more than
  - b. the most
  - c. more
  - d. the more
31. When are you \_\_\_\_\_ the test?
- a. will take
  - b. took
  - c. going to take
  - d. go take

32. Sally looked out the window, picked up her umbrella, and left the house.
- It was cold.
  - It was hot.
  - It was windy.
  - It was raining.
33. Please don't \_\_\_\_\_ him that I'm here.
- to telling
  - tell
  - telling
  - tell to
34. From \_\_\_\_\_ did you get the letter yesterday?
- whom
  - him
  - that
  - which
35. Bill: Whose car is this?  
Tim: I bought it yesterday. It's \_\_\_\_\_.
- theirs
  - yours
  - mine
  - his
36. The clerk can't take a \$20 bill. Do you have \_\_\_\_\_?
- any shape
  - a slot
  - a deposit
  - any change
37. Today's soccer game was \_\_\_\_\_ last week's game.
- worse
  - the worst
  - worse than
  - worst
38. My brother climbed to the top of the mountain in 4 hours. I think that's \_\_\_\_\_.
- local
  - cheap
  - terrific
  - weak

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39. Mary \_\_\_\_\_ visit her friends this evening.
- a. to go
  - b. going to
  - c. is going to
  - d. is go to
40. Children don't like \_\_\_\_\_ homework.
- a. to do
  - b. to doing
  - c. do to
  - d. will do
41. John and Robert are good pilots. But I think Robert is \_\_\_\_\_ John.
- a. better
  - b. better than
  - c. best than
  - d. best
42. Please \_\_\_\_\_ her that she needs to come.
- a. to tell
  - b. to telling
  - c. tell to
  - d. tell
43. Which do you think is the \_\_\_\_\_ expensive – a car, a bus, or a pick-up?
- a. least
  - b. less
  - c. more than
  - d. less than
44. Hey, Joe. Did you forget \_\_\_\_\_ the door?
- a. to close
  - b. closed
  - c. will close
  - d. close

45. The US Air Force teaches dogs to do important jobs. Military dogs do many different jobs on bases around the world. You often see them at work. Sometimes, you see them at the front gate, at other times you can see them in airports, and you can also see them around vehicles. Military dogs do important work. Their jobs help many people.

The topic is \_\_\_\_\_.

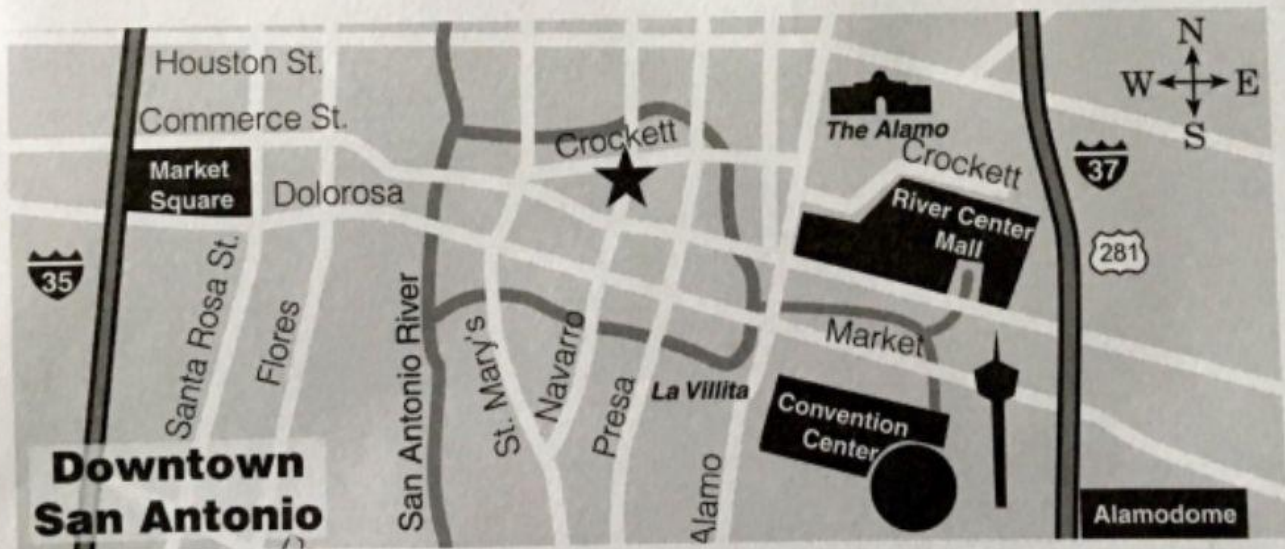
- a. the US Air Force
  - b. military bases
  - c. military dogs
  - d. airports and vehicles
46. Read the math problem. Select the letter of the sentence that is the same.
- Add sixteen and two together, then divide that answer by three to get six.
- a.  $(16 + 2) + 3 = 6$
  - b.  $(16 \times 2) \div 3 = 6$
  - c.  $(16 \div 2) \times 3 = 6$
  - d.  $(16 + 2) \div 3 = 6$
47. Sally had fun on her last vacation. She was in England with her family. She sent lots of postcards to her friends in her hometown. She wanted to tell them about England. They like to read about her vacations.
- They = \_\_\_\_\_
- a. vacations
  - b. Sally's friends
  - c. postcards
  - d. Sally and her family
48. My two daughters play tennis every day. They often play with their friends, and they use lots of tennis balls. My daughters can buy them at the base exchange or at the sports store. At the BX, they cost \$3.95, but they only cost \$2.99 at the sports store. The sports store has a lower price because it sells more tennis balls than the BX.
- them = \_\_\_\_\_
- a. my two daughters
  - b. the two stores
  - c. tennis balls
  - d. their friends



49. Winter is the best season to go to Texas. It's doesn't get very cold there. On most days, the low temperature goes down to 50°F at night and the high temperature gets up to 75°F. The sun shines all day long. Lots of people come to Texas for vacation. They can walk by the ocean, swim, play tennis, or watch birds. They like the weather, the temperature, and the things to see and do.

The main idea is \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. Texas has nice weather in winter.
  - b. The sun shines all day long in Texas.
  - c. People go to Texas for vacation.
  - d. There are birds in Texas.
50. Look at the map. You are at Navarro and Crockett (★). Go south on Navarro to Dolorosa. Turn left and go two blocks. Turn left again and go to Houston Street. What building is on your right?
- a. Convention Center
  - b. River Center Mall
  - c. The Alamo
  - d. Market Square



**THIS IS THE END OF THE TEST.**