



## ENGLISH 9- GRAMMAR

### MINITEST- SEQUENCES OF TENSES

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ your brother at Green Street yesterday afternoon.  
A. meet                                      B. met                                      C. have met                                      D. had met
2. He \_\_\_\_\_ a cigarette and \_\_\_\_\_ to the window.  
A. light; walked                                      B. lit; walks                                      C. lighted; walked                                      D. lights; walks
3. After she \_\_\_\_\_ for help, she \_\_\_\_\_ off her shoes and \_\_\_\_\_ in to save him.  
A. shouted; took; jumped                                      B. had shouted; took; jumped  
C. had shouted; had taken; jumped                                      D. shouted; had taken; jumped
4. I can't go with you because I \_\_\_\_\_ my homework yet.  
A. haven't finished                                      B. had finished                                      C. finished                                      D. finish
5. He \_\_\_\_\_ for London 2 years ago and since then I \_\_\_\_\_ him.  
A. have left; didn't see                                      B. left; haven't seen  
C. left; hadn't seen                                      D. had left; have't seen
6. The performance \_\_\_\_\_ at 7 o'clock and \_\_\_\_\_ for 3 hours. We all \_\_\_\_\_ it very much.  
A. had started; had lasted; enjoyed                                      B. had started; lasted; enjoyed  
C. started; had lasted; enjoyed                                      D. started; lasted; enjoyed
7. Tell them to stop and take a rest. They \_\_\_\_\_ long enough.  
A. have worked                                      B. had worked                                      C. have been working                                      D. had been working
8. "You \_\_\_\_\_ here before?" □ "Yes, I \_\_\_\_\_ my holidays here last year."  
A. have you been; spend                                      B. have you been; spent  
C. had you been; spent                                      D. were you; spent
9. We \_\_\_\_\_ our housework by tomorrow evening.  
A. will finish                                      B. will have finished  
C. will be finishing                                      D. are going to finish
10. "Your face is dirty, Tom." □ "All right, I \_\_\_\_\_ it."  
A. am washing                                      B. am going to wash                                      C. will wash                                      D. will have washed
11. Coming into the room, he \_\_\_\_\_ Mary where he \_\_\_\_\_ her.  
A. see; left                                      B. saw; had left                                      C. had seen; left                                      D. saw; was leaving
12. I \_\_\_\_\_ from him since he \_\_\_\_\_ two years ago.  
A. hadn't heard; disappeared                                      B. haven't heard; disappeared  
C. didn't hear; has disappeared                                      D. will not hear; disappears

13. After the guests \_\_\_\_\_ she \_\_\_\_\_ back into the living-room and \_\_\_\_\_ off the light.
- A. left; went; turned  
B. had left; had gone; turned  
C. have left; will got; turned  
D. had left; went; turned
14. By the time you finish cooking they \_\_\_\_\_ their homework.
- A. will have finished  
B. will finish  
C. had finished  
D. have finished
15. "You have just missed the last train." □ "Never mind. I \_\_\_\_\_"
- A. will be walking  
B. am going to walk  
C. will walk  
D. am walking
16. "I \_\_\_\_\_ the way to the Globe Theater." □ "OK. I \_\_\_\_\_ you."
- A. don't know; will show  
B. won't know; will show  
C. don't know; am showing  
D. don't know; am going to show
17. Come in, please. I \_\_\_\_\_ for you long.
- A. have waited  
B. have been waiting  
C. had been waiting  
D. have been waited
18. Who you \_\_\_\_\_ to the cinema with last night?
- A. went  
B. did you go  
C. had gone  
D. did you went
19. Detective: I'm afraid I must ask both of you. What \_\_\_\_\_ at 10.20 p.m yesterday?
- Mr. X: I \_\_\_\_\_ chess with my wife.
- Mr. Y: I \_\_\_\_\_ to a play on the radio.
- A. were you doing; am playing; was listening  
B. did you do; played; listened  
C. were you doing; am playing; am listening  
D. were you doing; was playing; was listening
20. You \_\_\_\_\_ my sister for a long time \_\_\_\_\_ come to see us tonight?
- A. haven't seen; Will you  
B. won't see; Will you  
C. hadn't seen; Would you  
D. haven't seen; Are you going