Perspectives General Placement Test

Grammar

1 We ..... out for dinner.
a go sometimes
b never go
c go once a week

2 All employees ..... to wash their hands.
a must b have c can't

3 Look in the cupboards. There are ..... tins in there.
a much b any c a lot of

4 Sasha ..... for school.
a is often late b often is late c late is often

5 Can you believe it? Ricardo is as ..... as Enrique.
a old b older c oldest

6 Would you walk to work if the weather ..... nice?
a would be b will be c was

7 We ..... it's true.
a know b are knowing c is knowing

8 My car ..... three times this week!
a has broken down
b is broken down
c has been breaking down

9 That meal was ..... than the one we had last time.
a delicious
b more delicious
c most delicious

10 He ..... a long story about his family.
a said me b told to me c told me

11 The book ..... me for my birthday is really interesting.
a you gave
b who you gave
c which gave

12 They said they ..... here by the time we got home.
a are b 'd be c 'll be

13 I'm sure this towel ..... before. It isn't clean.
a has been used b was using

14 Before I went to Australia last summer, I ..... Europe!
a never left
b had never been leaving
c had never left

15 I'd like ..... sugar with that, if that's all right.
a a little b a bit c little

16 ..... is absolutely icy today! Wrap up warm!
a Wind b The wind c A wind

17 The people ..... waiting at the bus stop are all freezing cold.
a are b which c who are

18 We were just ..... the new timetable when they decided to change it again.
a getting used to
b used
c got used to

19 A: 'Where is Adrian?' B: 'He ..... to Paris for the weekend'.
a has gone
b has been
c has been going

20 ..... the right experience for the job, I wasn't invited for an interview.
a I don't have b Having c Not having

21 I don't eat very much. ..... finish a plateful of food.
a Rarely I b Rarely do c Rarely do I

22 The horse was ..... win the race, but we bet on it anyway.
a bound to b about to c unlikely to

23 Aisha knows Jack isn't right for her but she can't ..... .
a give up him b him give up c give him up

24 He worked so hard that he passed the final exam ..... .
a easy b in an easy way c easily

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Vocabulary

25 I spend a lot of time in the ..... where I read or watch TV.
a kitchen b living room c dining room

26 My mother's father is my ..... .
a grandfather b husband c son

27 Freya broke her ..... so it is hard for her to write.
a foot b finger c leg

28 If you don't know the meaning, look it up in a ..... .
a dictionary b map c library

29 A person who grows food as a job is a ..... .
a nurse b cook c farmer

30 When you buy something, you ..... money.
a save b spend c sale

31 Rachel was very ..... when she heard the bad news.
a upset b excited c bored

32 A bus always follows the same ..... .
a station b route c excursion

33 They were very disappointed when they didn't ..... a medal.
a beat b win c score

34 If you add chilli powder the food will be too ..... .
a spicy b salty c sweet

35 Your ..... controls your body.
a lungs b blood vessels c brain

36 I like to ..... with my friends on Saturday afternoons.
a hang out b fall behind c hold on

37 My father always ..... a bike ride on Sunday morning.
a takes b goes for c gets to

38 She's in ..... of the whole department.
a responsible b distribution c charge

39 I'm ..... yoga every morning now.
a doing b playing c training

40 At least 10,000 people ..... the festival.
a attracted b attended c came

41 Does that information help you ..... your point?
a prove b dissolve c research

42 When the show had finished, the audience .... .
a applauded b recovered c relieved

43 He's very ..... – he likes meeting new people.
a successful b determined c sociable

44 I loved the play. It was incredibly ..... .
a slow-moving
b overrated
c thought-provoking

45 The charity was set up to help protect ..... species.
a endangerment
b endangered
c endanger

46 This school has a problem with ..... . Most of the school property is damaged.
a vandalism b bullying c exclusion

47 ..... will have a positive effect on your well-being.
a Stress b Relaxation c Lifestyle

48 It's important to ..... if you want to make a good impression.
a blush
b make eye contact
c lose your train of thought

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