

The English Academy

PLACEMENT TEST FOR PRE-INTERMEDIATE TO INTERMEDIATE LEVEL

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The first 40 are grammar questions and the final 10 are vocabulary questions. The conversion chart below has been designed to help us in assisting you in the best way. However, notice that these bandings are a guide.

Total score	Level
60% to 79%	Pre-Intermediate
80% to 100%	Intermediate

Grammar

1 _____ at school yesterday.

- a Was you
- b Were you
- c Did you
- d Is you

2 Is your family large? _____

- a Yes, it is.
- b Yes, they are.
- c No, it not.
- d No, they isn't.

3 What _____ he want?

- a does
- b do
- c have
- d was

4 _____ do you have dinner?

- a When time
- b What time
- c What kind of
- d What for

5 He _____ to go home.

- a want
- b did
- c didn't want
- d didn't wanted

6 Where _____ to school?

- a did you go
- b went you
- c did you went
- d did go

7 Latin _____ compulsory in Irish schools.

- a used to be
- b would be
- c has
- d has been

8 The boy _____ cake when his mother came into the room.

- a was eat
- b eats
- c was eating
- d has eating

9 There _____ milk for my breakfast.

- a isn't some
- b isn't any
- c any
- d —

10 _____ people from Poland went to Scotland in the 20th century.

- a Many of
- b Many
- c Some of
- d —

11 There are _____ French speakers in Montreal.

- a too much
- b a lot of
- c a little
- d not much

12 She _____ with her friends on Facebook™ everyday

- a is communicating
- b communicates
- c will communicating
- d —

13 More and more people _____ divorced every year.

- a are wanting
- b wanting
- c getting
- d are getting

14 Many, but not all, people _____ get married in a church. .

- a want to
- b are wanting to
- c wanting to
- d used to want

15 Would you like _____ to the theatre tonight?

- a go
- b to go
- c going
- d to going

16 I _____ to Peru on holiday next month.

- a am flying
- b flying
- c am go flying
- d will flying

17 Oh! It _____. I'll take an umbrella with me.

- a raining
- b will raining
- c rains
- d 's raining

18 Do you have any plans for tonight? Yes, we _____ to the cinema.

- a will go
- b going
- c go
- d are going

19 I plan to _____ two weeks by the beach.

- a bring
- b spend
- c spending
- d making

20 The fast food restaurant was _____ dirty. We didn't eat there.

- a extreme
- b extremely
- c bit
- d very much

21 This restaurant is _____ the one over there.

- a traditional
- b traditionaler
- c more traditional than
- d traditionaler than

22 My coffee was _____ yours. I almost burned by mouth.

- a hotter than
- b more hot than
- c hotter as
- d as hot

23 The _____ coffee in the world comes from indonesia.

- a expensive
- b expensivest
- c more expensive
- d most expensive

24 I _____ sushi.

- a eaten
- b have eat
- c have ever eaten
- d have never eaten

25 She has _____ finished this week's report.

- a yet
- b already
- c ever
- d never

26 I don't think you _____ them.

- a should to email
- b should email
- c should emailing
- d —

27 In the future there _____ cures to the world's worst diseases.

- a might be
- b is going to being
- c will being
- d might have

28 The space tourists _____ certainly need to be very fit.

- a won't
- b will
- c —
- d going to

29 If my new company is successful, I _____ employ people to help me.

- a will
- b be able to
- c will be able to
- d will able to

30 The first reality TV show _____ in Sweden in 1997.

- a showed
- b shown
- c is shown
- d was shown

31 The film Avatar was directed _____ James Cameron.

- a by
- b from
- c for
- d with

32 I've had my cat _____ 4 years.

- a since
- b for
- c with
- d it

33 Her horse is lovely. She _____ it since she was a teenager.

- a had
- b has had
- c had
- d is had

- 34 I've received 33 emails _____.
a on Friday
b yesterday
c two days ago
d this week
- 35 How often have you been to the doctor _____.
a one year ago?
b in the last twelve months?
c yesterday?
d last week?
- 36 I was saving up _____ a new computer.
a for buying
b to buy
c to buying
d —
- 37 You _____ wear a suit to work, but you can if you want.
a must
b mustn't
c could
d don't have to
- 38 I had to _____ a uniform to school when I was younger.
a have
b wearing
c wear
d having
- 39 Cecilia knows someone _____ went to the carnival in Rio de Janeiro.
a who
b which
c she
d where

40 Oxfam is a charity _____ tries to find lasting solutions to poverty.

- a who
- b which
- c it
- d —

Vocabulary

41 A lot of _____ came to Ireland in the 1990s.

- a immigrants
- b emigrants
- c invaders
- d colonies

42 There was a nice meal and a band at the wedding _____

- a ceremony
- b reception
- c speech
- d group

43 I mostly _____ my friends via email.

- a get on well with
- b have in commn
- c keep in touch with
- d see each other

44 Bob has had a very interesting _____. He has had jobs in many countries and industries.

- a carrier
- b job
- c career
- d work

45 She's very successful. Her _____ has risen a lot in the past few years.

- a money
- b salary
- c job
- d earnings

46 I am very _____ in old cars.

- a keen
- b interesting
- c interested
- d fond

47 He _____ his exam because he didn't study.

- a failed
- b passed
- c missed
- d fell

48 The house will look cleaner when you have finished the _____.

- a home
- b housewife
- c housework
- d homework

49 Stress is not an illness, but it can _____ to many illnesses.

- a get
- b celebrate
- c contribute
- d affect

50 He _____ off his holiday until after the winter.

- a took
- b put
- c called
- d logged