



CONVERSATION 1
Quiz 1– (Chapters 9-10)

Mark

Student's Name: _____

Date: _____

Teacher's Name: _____

I. Read the sentences and choose the correct completion.

Example: Peter C rather sleep on a mattress than on the floor.

A. shall B. could C. would D. must

1. Al painted his bedroom black. It looks dark and dreary. He _____ a different color.
A. had to choose C. must have chosen
B. should have chosen D. could have been choosing
2. Tom is sitting at his desk. He's reading his chemistry text because he has a test tomorrow. He _____.
A. could study C. will study
B. should be studying D. must be studying
3. When Mr. Lee was younger, he _____ work in the garden for hours, but now he has to take frequent rests because he has emphysema.
A. has got to C. should be able to
B. can D. could
4. Whenever my parents went out in the evening, I _____ the job of taking care of my younger brother.
A. would get C. must have gotten
B. should get D. had better get
5. Yesterday I _____ to a furniture store. I bought a new lamp there.
A. could go C. could have gone
B. went D. ought to have gone
6. Tom wasn't at the party last night. He must not _____ a ride. I know he wanted to come, but he didn't have a ride.
A. be able to have gotten C. have been able to get
B. to have been able to get D. be able to get
7. Robert has a new car. He _____ it for a very good price. He paid 30 percent less than the regular retail cost.
A. could buy C. was supposed to buy
B. had to buy D. was able to buy
8. "Did you enjoy the picnic?"
"It was okay, but I'd rather _____ to a movie."
A. go B. be going C. have gone D. went
9. "Why are you so sure that Ann didn't commit the crime she's been accused of committing?"
"She _____ that crime because I was with her, and we were out of town that day."
A. may not have committed C. committed
B. wasn't supposed to commit D. couldn't have committed
10. "Since we have to be there in a hurry, we _____ take a taxi."
"I agree."
A. had better C. have been used to
B. may D. are able to

11. "It _____ rain this evening. Why don't you take an umbrella?"
 "That's a good idea. May I borrow yours?"
 A. had better B. could be C. must D. might
12. "_____ you hand me that pair of scissors, please?"
 "Certainly."
 A. May B. Shall C. Will D. Should
13. Larry drove all night to get here for his sister's wedding. He _____ exhausted by the time he arrived.
 A. ought to be C. must have been
 B. could be D. will have been
14. "What are you doing here now? You _____ be here for another three hours."
 "I know. We got an early start, and it took less time than we expected. I hope you don't mind."
 A. couldn't C. had better not
 B. might not D. aren't supposed to
15. "_____ taking me downtown on your way to work this morning?"
 "Not at all."
 A. Can you C. Would you mind
 B. Why don't you D. Could you please
16. "I locked myself out of my apartment. I didn't know what to do."
 "You _____ your roommate."
 A. could have called C. would have called
 B. may have called D. must have called
17. "You haven't eaten anything since yesterday afternoon. You _____ be really hungry!"
 "I am."
 A. might B. will C. can D. must
18. "How long have you been married?"
 "We _____ have been married for twenty-three years on our next anniversary."
 A. must B. should C. will D. could
19. "I _____ there at 6 P.M. for the meeting, but my car won't start. Could you please give me a lift in your car?"
 "Sure. Are you ready to go now?"
 A. will be B. may be C. supposed to be D. have got to be
20. "I left a cookie on the table, but now it's gone. What happened to it?"
 "I don't know. One of the children _____ it."
 A. may have eaten C. had to eat
 B. could eat D. should have eaten

II. Write C if the sentence is correct and write I if it is incorrect.

1. ____ When I was little, I would carry a blanket with me at all times.
2. ____ Nancy's passport has expired. She should have renewed it last month.
3. ____ Sorry I'm late. I must drop my mom off at the mall.
4. ____ Last night the chef at the restaurant could make our favorite dessert.
5. ____ Nadine has missed a week of class. She must be really sick.
6. ____ Ryan can't be a doctor! He failed all his exams.
7. ____ I can't find my wallet. It may have fell out of my purse.
8. ____ You've trained for months for the race. You should do really well.
9. ____ Roger jumped when the teacher asked him a question. He must have been daydream.
10. ____ We aren't going to be able to catch our plane if we don't get out of this traffic.
11. ____ My husband rather cook dinner at home tonight than go out to a restaurant.

III. Choose the correct option.

1. a. Every summer, I would visit my grandparents in Mexico for a month.
b. Every summer, I used to visit my grandparents in Mexico for a month.
2. a. They used to live in the city, but when I was ten, they moved to the coast.
b. They would live in the city, but when I was ten, they moved to the coast.
3. a. I used to speak Spanish with them, but now my Spanish is a little rusty.
b. I would speak Spanish with them, but now my Spanish is a little rusty.
4. a. I used to know Spanish pretty well, but I've forgotten a lot of vocabulary.
b. I would know Spanish pretty well, but I've forgotten a lot of vocabulary.
5. a. I loved visiting them. I would feel really sad each time I said good-bye.
b. I loved visiting them. I used to feel really sad each time I said good-bye.