

USE OF ENGLISH SECTION

**Part 1**

Choose the option that best completes the sentences below. Choose A, B or C.

1. A: "\_\_\_\_\_ did you live in New York?"  
B: "I lived there for almost five years."  
a. When                                      b. How much                                      c. How long
2. When \_\_\_\_\_?  
a. did you arrived                                      b. did you arrive                                      c. were you arrived
3. They threw a rock \_\_\_\_\_ the window and broke a glass.  
a. through                                      b. across                                      c. into
4. He didn't speak English, \_\_\_\_\_ it was difficult to make him understand what he had to do.  
a. although                                      b. because                                      c. so
5. A: "Why did ~~you~~ turn off the TV?"  
B: "Because I \_\_\_\_\_. I'm very tired."  
a. go to sleep                                      b. will go to sleep                                      c. 'm going to sleep
6. This is the famous wine \_\_\_\_\_ is produced in this region.  
a. where                                      b. which                                      c. that it
7. We \_\_\_\_\_ last Tuesday. We \_\_\_\_\_ here for over a week.  
a. arrived / 've been                                      b. 've arrived / 've been                                      c. 've arrived / were
8. I didn't see \_\_\_\_\_ strange when I went into the room.  
a. nothing                                      b. anything                                      c. something
9. This is \_\_\_\_\_ the UK.  
a. the oldest man in                                      b. the oldest man of                                      c. the most old man in
10. There weren't \_\_\_\_\_ tourists in the streets the day we went.  
a. too many                                      b. too much                                      c. too many of
11. I loved the chocolates. \_\_\_\_\_ were delicious.  
a. They                                      b. It                                      b. Them
12. I'd buy a car if I \_\_\_\_\_ a driving license.  
a. have                                      b. would have                                      c. had

13. Tomorrow, I'll text you as soon as I \_\_\_\_\_.

a. will wake up

b. wake up

c. 'm waking up

14. The concert \_\_\_\_\_ because of the bad weather.

a. was cancelled

b. cancelled

c. did cancel

15. She was upset because her son \_\_\_\_\_ her computer.

a. broke

b. was broken

c. had broken

## Part 2

Fill each gap with the correct form in brackets. Keep in mind the verb tense suggested.

### Simple Past

1. I (see) \_\_\_\_\_ my sister two days ago.

2. What (you/have) \_\_\_\_\_ for dinner yesterday?

3. He (not/come) \_\_\_\_\_ to the meeting on Wednesday because he was off.

4. Where (you/go) \_\_\_\_\_ for your holidays last year?

5. How long (it/take) \_\_\_\_\_ you to drive from London to Edinburgh yesterday?

### Present Perfect

6. There's a new cinema in town. (you/be) \_\_\_\_\_ there yet?

7. I'm ready to go. (you/finish) \_\_\_\_\_ getting ready yet?

8. Susie isn't here. (she/go) \_\_\_\_\_ to the shops for some bread.

9. You have a great suntan, Sally. (you/be) \_\_\_\_\_ on holiday?

10. How many countries (he/visit) \_\_\_\_\_?

## Part 3

Read the following text and choose the correct answer from the list below to complete it  
Choose the correct letter A, B, or C.

When I (26) \_\_\_\_\_ my job two years ago I (27) \_\_\_\_\_ love it. The truth is that I have a very high salary and the office is very close to home, but the problem is that since the day I started I (28) \_\_\_\_\_ very few free weekends and I always work until very late in the evening. I often have to cancel plans with friends (29) \_\_\_\_\_ work or I miss family celebrations, and I'm usually very tired and stressed. I'm not sure I can keep (30) \_\_\_\_\_ this. I don't sleep enough, and I don't eat (31) \_\_\_\_\_, because I don't have (32) \_\_\_\_\_ to cook.

Apart from that, sport has always been very important in my life. I like being fit,

and (33) \_\_\_\_\_ sport is the way I have to feel well and reduce stress. (34) \_\_\_\_\_, nowadays I don't have (35) \_\_\_\_\_ time to exercise. With all these bad habits, I feel that I am putting my health at risk.

I really need some advice. What would you do if you (36) \_\_\_\_\_ me? My salary is very high, and I can walk to work, but I feel horrible; I don't have a social life and I don't have a healthy life. Two years ago, before taking this job, I was much (37) \_\_\_\_\_ and very happy. Now I am 28 and I have a lot of money in my bank account, but nothing else. The problem is that the jobs that (38) \_\_\_\_\_ in the area where I live don't pay much, and I'm afraid of making a decision (39) \_\_\_\_\_ I might regret. So, what do you think? (40) \_\_\_\_\_ I quit my job?

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| 26. a. have started | b. was starting | c. started   |
| 27. a. did          | b. did use to   | c. used to   |
| 28. a. have had     | b. had          | c. have      |
| 29. a. because      | b. because of   | c. so        |
| 30. a. do           | b. doing        | c. to do     |
| 31. a. healthy      | b. healthily    | c. good      |
| 32. a. enough time  | b. time enough  | c. many time |
| 33. a. do           | b. doing        | c. to do     |
| 34. a. although     | b. because      | c. however   |
| 35. a. no           | b. any          | c. some      |
| 36. a. were         | b. would be     | c. are       |
| 37. a. fiter        | b. fitter       | c. more fit  |
| 38. a. are offered  | b. offered      | c. offer     |
| 39. a. where        | b. who          | c. which     |
| 40. a. should       | b. might        | c. do        |