

**The *Speakout* Placement Test** is designed as a diagnostic tool for use at the beginning of a course. It will help the teacher to place students at the correct level in groups of similar ability and/or to decide what pace and approach to adopt.

The test has a multiple-choice format of 200 questions and covers the grammatical structures and vocabulary in the six levels of *Speakout*.

If you have some idea of your students' level, you could direct them to answer specific parts of the test.

Suggested entry points are:

- For Starter and Elementary level students, questions 1–50
- For Pre-intermediate level students, questions 51–100
- For Intermediate level students, questions 101–150
- For Upper Intermediate and Advanced level students, questions 150–200

#### **Scoring and placement**

- 0–15 = Starter level
- 15–30 = Elementary Unit 1
- 31–50 = Elementary Unit 7
- 51–75 = Pre-intermediate Unit 1
- 76–100 = Pre-intermediate Unit 7
- 101–125 = Intermediate Unit 1
- 126–150 = Intermediate Unit 6
- 151–170 = Upper Intermediate Unit 1
- 171–185 = Upper Intermediate Unit 6
- 186+ = Advanced level

It is important to note that the placement test is **not** designed to test listening, speaking or writing skills. A short oral interview, alone or in pairs, would give you a more realistic picture of the learners' communicative ability and help you decide if he/she should be placed at a slightly higher or lower level than that indicated by the placement test. If feasible, a short piece of writing would also help your final evaluation.

Underline the correct answer, a), b), c) or d).

0 I \_\_\_\_\_ a student of English.

- a) are                      b) is  
c) am                      d) aren't

1 Tim and Sue \_\_\_\_\_ teachers.

- a) are                      b) is  
c) isn't                      d) aren't

2 This is Sébastien. He's \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Japan                      b) Spain  
c) Italy                      d) French

3 She's from Dublin. She \_\_\_\_\_ Irish.

- a) is from                      b) is  
c) isn't                      d) are from

4 They \_\_\_\_\_ Welsh. They're from Scotland.

- a) aren't                      b) is  
c) isn't                      d) are

5 \_\_\_\_\_'s your first name?

- a) Who                      b) What  
c) How                      d) Where

6 Those are your books and \_\_\_\_\_ are mine.

- a) these                      b) this  
c) it                      d) that

7 I love music but I \_\_\_\_\_ like TV.

- a) do                      b) does  
c) don't                      d) doesn't

8 \_\_\_\_\_ she like sport?

- a) Do                      b) Does  
c) Is                      d) Don't

9 When \_\_\_\_\_ have lunch?

- a) is he                      b) he's  
c) do he                      d) does he

10 Do you like \_\_\_\_\_ DVDs?

- a) watch                      b) watching  
c) watches                      d) to watching

11 They start \_\_\_\_\_ school at 8.00 in the morning.

- a) to                      b) at  
c) -                      d) the

12 Peter's \_\_\_\_\_ name is Michael.

- a) brother's                      b) sister is  
c) brother                      d) sisters

13 She's very friendly but she \_\_\_\_\_ very quiet.

- a) never is                      b) 's often  
c) often is                      d) never

14 He hasn't got \_\_\_\_\_ brothers and sisters.

- a) some                      b) any  
c) the                      d) a

15 They went to the beach with some friends Sunday.

- a) at                      b) the  
c) on                      d) in

16 What \_\_\_\_\_ your father look like?

- a) is                      b) do  
c) are                      d) does

17 How many children \_\_\_\_\_ got?

- a) they've                      b) have they  
c) they                      d) do they

18 She \_\_\_\_\_ jeans to work.

- a) wears usually                      b) is usually wearing  
c) usually wears                      d) is wearing usually

19 \_\_\_\_\_ two armchairs and a sofa in the living room.

- a) It's                      b) There are  
c) There have                      d) There's

20 There aren't \_\_\_\_\_ wardrobes in the main bedroom.

- a) any                      b) some  
c) the                      d) a

21 You \_\_\_\_\_ buy shoes in a post office.

- a) can to                      b) can  
c) can't                      d) are

22 There are a lot of CDs \_\_\_\_\_ the shelves.

- a) in                      b) between  
c) on                      d) above

23 The cinema is \_\_\_\_\_ the bank.

- a) next                      b) in front  
c) opposite                      d) under

24 Can I have a \_\_\_\_\_ of milk, please?

- a) bar                      b) jar  
c) box                      d) carton

25 There is \_\_\_\_\_ butter in the fridge.

- a) one                      b) some  
c) any                      d) an

26 How \_\_\_\_\_ vegetables do you eat every day?

- a) many                      b) long  
c) more                      d) much

27 He \_\_\_\_\_ afraid of the dark when he was young.

- a) wasn't                      b) weren't  
c) were                        d) didn't

28 We \_\_\_\_\_ born in 1985.

- a) is                            b) were  
c) was                        d) did

29 My birthday is on February \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) 10rd                        b) 10st  
c) 10nd                        d) 10th

30 \_\_\_\_\_ they do a lot of sport when they were at school?

- a) Were                        b) Do  
c) Was                        d) Did

31 We \_\_\_\_\_ to New Zealand when I was six.

- a) move                        b) moves  
c) moved                        d) moving

32 They \_\_\_\_\_ a taxi to the airport an hour ago.

- a) take                        b) took  
c) are taking                        d) takes

33 \_\_\_\_\_ did you last see them?

- a) What                        b) When  
c) Who                        d) Which

34 We went \_\_\_\_\_ at the weekend.

- a) the shops                        b) to shops  
c) shopping                        d) shops

35 Is Chinese food \_\_\_\_\_ than Thai food?

- a) best                        b) more good  
c) better                        d) well

36 Today is \_\_\_\_\_ than yesterday.

- a) cold                        b) coldest  
c) more cold                        d) colder

37 He stayed at the \_\_\_\_\_ hotel in town.

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

38 Can you tell me the \_\_\_\_\_ to the library?

- a) road                        b) way  
c) street                        d) place

39 They \_\_\_\_\_ their homework now.

- a) are do                        b) did  
c) are doing                        d) does

40 We walked ten kilometres so we \_\_\_\_\_ hungry now.

- a) are getting                        b) get  
c) got                        d) has got

41 What \_\_\_\_\_ doing at the moment?

- a) is he                        b) does he  
c) is                        d) he's

42 He goes to work \_\_\_\_\_ train.

- a) in                        b) on  
c) by the                        d) by

43 You \_\_\_\_\_ drive a car in the centre of town. It isn't allowed.

- a) don't have to                        b) can  
c) have to                        d) can't

44 You \_\_\_\_\_ to walk, you can take a bus.

- a) mustn't                        b) have  
c) must                        d) don't have

45 He \_\_\_\_\_ to move to another country.

- a) want                        b) 'd like  
c) likes                        d) goes

46 I'm \_\_\_\_\_ learn to cook.

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

47 Don't stay up late or you \_\_\_\_\_ be tired tomorrow.

- a) must                        b) won't  
c) should                        d) 'll

48 Let's \_\_\_\_\_ tennis this afternoon.

- a) play                        b) go  
c) to go                        d) playing

49 I've got the flu. I \_\_\_\_\_ take some medicine.

- a) shouldn't                        b) might not  
c) going to                        d) should

50 \_\_\_\_\_ you spoken to Jenny?

- a) Did                        b) Do  
c) Have                        d) Has

51 \_\_\_\_\_ does that jacket cost?

- a) How often                        b) How long  
c) How many                        d) How much

52 \_\_\_\_\_ did you leave your job?

- a) Where                        b) What  
c) Why                        d) Which

53 They \_\_\_\_\_ fly to India.

- a) didn't                        b) doesn't  
c) haven't                        d) has

54 \_\_\_\_\_ you like a coffee?

- a) Will                        b) Would  
c) Did                        d) Do

55 I \_\_\_\_\_ to go home now.

- a) 'm wanting      b) will want  
c) want      d) wanting

56 She \_\_\_\_\_ in Belgium at the moment.

- a) living      b) 's lived  
c) is living      d) lives

57 Nick \_\_\_\_\_ gets up at 7 o'clock and leaves for work at 8 o'clock. He does this every day from Monday to Friday.

- a) always      b) never  
c) sometimes      d) hardly ever

58 We go shopping \_\_\_\_\_ month.

- a) every a      b) once  
c) every two      d) twice a

59 I'm not keen on \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) run      b) to running  
c) to run      d) running

60 What \_\_\_\_\_ tonight?

- a) they do      b) do they do  
c) are they doing      d) are they do

61 Are you \_\_\_\_\_ the new exhibition at the National Gallery?

- a) going to see      b) seeing  
c) going see      d) go to see

62 \_\_\_\_\_ laptop is that? Is it Bob's?

- a) Which      b) Who  
c) What      d) Whose

63 I have never \_\_\_\_\_ a dangerous sport.

- a) do      b) made  
c) make      d) done

64 \_\_\_\_\_ he ever flown in a helicopter?

- a) Did      b) Do  
c) Has      d) Have

65 You \_\_\_\_\_ be late for school again.

- a) mustn't      b) have to  
c) must      d) can

66 You \_\_\_\_\_ wear a suit. It's a very formal party.

- a) shouldn't      b) have to  
c) mustn't      d) might

67 I \_\_\_\_\_ dinner when I heard a strange noise.

- a) was cook      b) did cook  
c) was cooking      d) am doing

68 When did she decide \_\_\_\_\_ married?

- a) to get      b) got

c) to      d) get

69 We should avoid \_\_\_\_\_ in August.

- a) travelled      b) to travel  
c) travelling      d) to travelling

70 He's studied Spanish \_\_\_\_\_ last year.

- a) since      b) the  
c) at      d) -

71 I don't think I \_\_\_\_\_ get the job. I didn't answer all their questions in the interview very well.

- a) 'll      b) might  
c) won't      d) might not

72 She \_\_\_\_\_ here this weekend.

- a) will being      b) may to be  
c) won't to be      d) might be

73 We haven't seen them \_\_\_\_\_ years.

- a) at      b) since  
c) for      d) ages

74 How long have you \_\_\_\_\_ him?

- a) know      b) knew  
c) knows      d) known

75 I \_\_\_\_\_ wear a uniform to school.

- a) use to      b) didn't use to  
c) used      d) didn't used to

76 Did they \_\_\_\_\_ in Australia?

- a) use to live      b) used to live  
c) used live      d) used to living

77 She's moving to Canada \_\_\_\_\_ she can study English.

- a) so that      b) so to  
c) because to      d) in order to

78 I travelled around the world for a year \_\_\_\_\_ learn about other cultures.

- a) for      b) for to  
c) to      d) in order

79 He married the girl \_\_\_\_\_ used to sit next to him at school.

- a) who      b) which  
c) what      d) whose

80 Children spend \_\_\_\_\_ hours watching TV.

- a) too many      b) not enough  
c) very      d) too much

81 I don't have \_\_\_\_\_ to do the things I enjoy.

- a) time enough      b) enough time  
c) too many time      d) some time

82 Can I try this coat \_\_\_\_\_, please?

- a) in                      b) on  
c) to                      d) up

83 It's \_\_\_\_\_ beautiful house I've ever seen.

- a) most                      b) more  
c) the most                      d) a most

84 There's more traffic and \_\_\_\_\_ space to walk in the streets nowadays.

- a) more                      b) less  
c) least                      d) bigger

85 I think travelling by plane is \_\_\_\_\_ easier than travelling by car.

- a) more                      b) most  
c) -                      d) the most

86 She worked as a teacher in \_\_\_\_\_ Africa.

- a) -                      b) a  
c) an                      d) the

87 They live in \_\_\_\_\_ south of France.

- a) -                      b) a  
c) an                      d) the

88 He \_\_\_\_\_ to work in his company's office in Shanghai.

- a) sent                      b) was  
c) was send                      d) was sent

89 I \_\_\_\_\_ that I'm like my father.

- a) 'm told                      b) told  
c) was said                      d) am said

90 The postman hasn't delivered the parcel \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) just                      b) already  
c) yet                      d) never

91 My brother \_\_\_\_\_ passed his exams.

- a) just has                      b) already has  
c) yet                      d) 's just

92 A lot of people think that when they \_\_\_\_\_, they'll have lots of free time, but often they don't.

- a) will retire                      b) retire  
c) retired                      d) won't retire

93 What \_\_\_\_\_ happen if he doesn't get here in time?

- a) will                      b) it would  
c) will it                      d) it will

94 If you save some money, you \_\_\_\_\_ to worry any more.

- a) 'll have                      b) don't  
c) will                      d) won't have

95 He \_\_\_\_\_ me my book would be a great success.

- a) told                      b) said  
c) say                      d) tell

96 She told me she \_\_\_\_\_ buy me a new phone.

- a) don't                      b) won't to  
c) 'll                      d) 'd

97 What would they do if they \_\_\_\_\_ have any money?

- a) were                      b) didn't  
c) won't                      d) 'd

98 I'd do more exercise if I \_\_\_\_\_ time.

- a) have                      b) 'd have  
c) 'll have                      d) had

99 \_\_\_\_\_ be possible to reserve a table for tonight?

- a) Can I                      b) Could you  
c) Would it                      d) Will

100 Could you \_\_\_\_\_ a good film?

- a) say me                      b) recommend  
c) tell me                      d) advice

101 When \_\_\_\_\_ arrive?

- a) they did                      b) did they  
c) have they                      d) does they

102 Who \_\_\_\_\_ all this mess?

- a) made                      b) did make  
c) are make                      d) was making

103 He's French but he \_\_\_\_\_ in London at the moment.

- a) living                      b) does live  
c) 's living                      d) lived

104 What \_\_\_\_\_ of doing now?

- a) are you think                      b) do you think  
c) think you                      d) are you thinking

105 I \_\_\_\_\_ so tired that I went to bed shortly after dinner.

- a) 'm                      b) had been  
c) was                      d) 've felt

106 Have you told them the good news \_\_\_\_\_?

- a) just                      b) yet  
c) last night                      d) never

107 \_\_\_\_\_ Thai food?

- a) Did she ever ate                      b) Has she ever eaten  
c) Does she ate                      d) Have she ever eaten

108 We \_\_\_\_\_ to work yesterday when we heard a loud crash behind us.

- a) was walking      b) 've walked  
c) were walking      d) walked

109 They realised they \_\_\_\_\_ to take her address so they had to go back and get it.

- a) 've forgot      b) 'd forgot  
c) 'd forgotten      d) were forgot

110 He \_\_\_\_\_ there before so he found it very exciting.

- a) hadn't been      b) didn't go  
c) wasn't      d) hasn't been

111 We \_\_\_\_\_ on holiday tomorrow so I hope the weather stays warm.

- a) 've gone      b) 'll going  
c) 're going      d) will to go

112 They \_\_\_\_\_ to call at this time of night. It's very late.

- a) going      b) might  
c) may well      d) 're unlikely

113 Do you think they \_\_\_\_\_ the championship?

- a) may well win      b) 'll win  
c) 're winning      d) 'll can win

114 The room \_\_\_\_\_ look more cheerful if you paint it yellow.

- a) is      b) is probably  
c) will probably      d) probably might

115 He \_\_\_\_\_ to pass his driving test this time. He's making too many mistakes.

- a) could      b) 's not going  
c) definitely won't      d) can't

116 People \_\_\_\_\_ smoke in public buildings. It is not allowed.

- a) don't have to      b) must  
c) shouldn't      d) mustn't

117 You \_\_\_\_\_ enter the marathon if you don't want to.

- a) must      b) should  
c) don't have to      d) have to

118 My advice is that you \_\_\_\_\_ find another job. You can't work with that awful boss any more.

- a) don't have      b) should  
c) must      d) mustn't

119 I \_\_\_\_\_ be very good at sports when I was a teenager.

- a) would      b) wasn't  
c) use to      d) used to

120 She \_\_\_\_\_ often sit in the garden after coming home from work.

- a) use to      b) would  
c) didn't use      d) often would

121 Swimming is one of the \_\_\_\_\_ ways to get fit.

- a) betterer      b) more better  
c) most better      d) best

122 The red shoes were \_\_\_\_\_ expensive than the black ones.

- a) far more      b) bit more  
c) further      d) not as

123 That shop's not \_\_\_\_\_ it used to be.

- a) more cheap than      b) as cheap as  
c) the cheapest as      d) as cheaper as

124 We \_\_\_\_\_ have to leave yet, do we?

- a) will      b) won't  
c) aren't      d) don't

125 His father was a famous writer, \_\_\_\_\_?

- a) isn't he      b) hasn't he  
c) wasn't he      d) was he

126 I can't work if I \_\_\_\_\_ very hungry.

- a) feel      b) 'm feel  
c) 'll feel      d) can feel

127 He won't pass the exam \_\_\_\_\_ he doesn't study hard for it.

- a) if      b) when  
c) unless      d) while

128 Could I borrow your car if I \_\_\_\_\_ to drive it carefully?

- a) might promise      b) 'll promise  
c) would promise      d) promise

129 He \_\_\_\_\_ see the film if he went with an adult.

- a) should      b) 'll  
c) could      d) can

130 If I \_\_\_\_\_ you, I'd take it back to the shop.

- a) am      b) were  
c) have been      d) had been

131 How long have you \_\_\_\_\_ the violin?

- a) been playing      b) play  
c) playing      d) being played

132 I \_\_\_\_\_ listening to jazz music.

- a) 've always enjoying      b) 've always enjoyed  
c) was always enjoyed      d) 've enjoyed always

133 He \_\_\_\_\_ swim by the time he was five but he hasn't learnt to dive yet.

- a) can to                      b) couldn't  
c) could                      d) can't to

c) was made

d) has made

134 We \_\_\_\_\_ to go to the match but we managed to watch it on TV.

- a) weren't able              b) can't  
c) were able                d) could

135 I've just seen \_\_\_\_\_ perfect car for you!

- a) an                          b) the  
c) -                            d) a

136 I didn't know they had a summer cottage south coast of Spain.

- a) on the                      b) on a  
c) -                            d) on

137 They seem to have \_\_\_\_\_ money but they don't have many friends.

- a) a lot                        b) few of  
c) plenty of                d) many

138 We don't have \_\_\_\_\_ time to go on holiday.

- a) enough                    b) enough of  
c) many                      d) several

139 That's the beach \_\_\_\_\_ I first met your father.

- a) when                      b) which  
c) where                    d) that

140 Is that the coat \_\_\_\_\_ you said you wanted to buy?

- a) -                            b) what  
c) who                        d) how

141 I've got a new job, \_\_\_\_\_ is why I've moved to Brussels.

- a) that                        b) where  
c) it                            d) which

142 We \_\_\_\_\_ arrived on time if the traffic hadn't been so bad.

- a) had                        b) wouldn't  
c) would've                d) 'd

143 What \_\_\_\_\_ if you hadn't been there?

- a) he'd done                b) will he do  
c) would he do            d) would he have done

144 They \_\_\_\_\_ told what to do yet.

- a) wasn't been              b) haven't been  
c) hasn't been              d) haven't being

145 Their furniture \_\_\_\_\_ by Anne's husband, who used to be a carpenter.

- a) that was made           b) being made

146 They didn't want to stay late but the boss said they \_\_\_\_\_ to.

- a) haven't                      b) had  
c) 'd had                      d) have

147 She said she \_\_\_\_\_ to do it last weekend.

- a) was going                      b) 's going  
c) had done                      d) will

148 I asked her if she \_\_\_\_\_ my new mobile.

- a) 's seen                      b) 'd seen  
c) 'd see                      d) saw

149 He promised \_\_\_\_\_ me decorate my house.

- a) that he help                      b) helping  
c) to helping                      d) to help

150 Why don't we \_\_\_\_\_ to take them to the airport?

- a) suggest                      b) warn  
c) offer                      d) explain

151 What \_\_\_\_\_ at the end of the film? I missed it.

- a) did happen                      b) happened  
c) 's happened                      d) was happened

152 Do you mind me asking how old \_\_\_\_\_?

- a) are you                      b) you're  
c) you are                      d) you have

153 \_\_\_\_\_ if you'd like to meet up tomorrow.

- a) I'd be interested to                      b) Can I ask  
c) Do you know                      d) I was wondering

154 They \_\_\_\_\_ in a large house for twenty years before moving to a bungalow.

- a) 've lived                      b) lived  
c) already live                      d) recently lived

155 Have you heard from your brother \_\_\_\_\_?

- a) recently                      b) still  
c) last week                      d) this time last month

156 I \_\_\_\_\_ for my car keys for half an hour and I still haven't found them!

- a) 've been looked                      b) 've been looking  
c) looked                      d) 'm looking

157 Billy \_\_\_\_\_ watching motorbike races.

- a) always has loved                      b) 's always loving  
c) 's always loved                      d) 's always been loving

158 Her parents are very proud. She \_\_\_\_\_ a fantastic job in a well known law firm.

- a) been offered                      b) offered  
c) is offered                      d) 's been offered

c) in

d) -

159 How much do you think he \_\_\_\_\_ as director of the company?

- a) is been paid                      b) has being paid  
c) 's being paid                    d) being paid

160 You should \_\_\_\_\_ what to do when you get to the office.

- a) be told                              b) be tell  
c) told                                  d) tell

161 He \_\_\_\_\_ for his plane for an hour when it was suddenly cancelled.

- a) was waiting                      b) 'd been waiting  
c) waited                            d) 's been waiting

162 When we walked into the hotel, a log fire in the fireplace.

- a) burnt                                b) 'd burnt  
c) was burning                      d) 's burning

163 My car's just broken down for the third time. I wish I \_\_\_\_\_ it.

- a) didn't buy                        b) 'd bought  
c) wasn't buying                    d) hadn't bought

164 If only \_\_\_\_\_ a foreign language. I didn't have the choice at school.

- a) I can speak                      b) I speak  
c) I could speak                    d) I could to speak

165 Jim \_\_\_\_\_ sharing a flat but now he prefers to live on his own.

- a) used to like                        b) would like  
c) never use to like                d) never used to

166 Liane \_\_\_\_\_ complaining about her long drive to work. In the end, she decided to change jobs.

- a) is generally                        b) used to  
c) would be                            d) was always

167 They \_\_\_\_\_ us at the weekend. It depends on the weather.

- a) might visit                        b) are visiting  
c) are going to visit                d) due to visit

168 He \_\_\_\_\_ hungry when he gets home from football practice.

- a) likely to be                        b) 's likely to be  
c) like to be                            d) 'll like to be

169 We \_\_\_\_\_ to get married next April.

- a) 'll probably                        b) 're planning  
c) 're definitely                      d) might

170 How many people have climbed \_\_\_\_\_ Mount Everest?

- a) a                                        b) the

171 The children played in the garden with \_\_\_\_\_ ball I'd given them.

- a) a                      b) the  
c) an                    d) -

172 If you lend me €200, I \_\_\_\_\_ you back at the end of the month.

- a) might paid              b) will pay  
c) 'll paying              d) would pay

173 If I \_\_\_\_\_ to your proposal, when could we sign the contract?

- a) was agreed              b) were agreeing  
c) were to agree            d) weren't agree

174 Children under 15 could attend \_\_\_\_\_ they were with an adult.

- a) providing to              b) as long as  
c) if only                    d) as long than

175 We \_\_\_\_\_ show our passports when we left the country.

- a) mustn't                  b) weren't allowed  
c) were obliged            d) didn't have to

176 We had very little petrol left in the car but we get home in the end.

- a) must                      b) managed to  
c) were able                d) could

177 This time tomorrow, they \_\_\_\_\_ in San Francisco. How exciting!

- a) 'll land                    b) 'll be landed  
c) 'll be landing            d) have landed

178 When do you think you \_\_\_\_\_ painting the house?

- a) finish                    b) 'll have finished  
c) be finishing              d) to finish

179 There are still \_\_\_\_\_ citizens who feel unhappy about the changes made by the government.

- a) a little of                b) quite many  
c) quite a few               d) a great deal

180 \_\_\_\_\_ of people rely on public transport to get to work these days.

- a) Not many                b) A little  
c) Quite a few               d) Plenty

181 Dad says he \_\_\_\_\_ to cook pasta for dinner tonight.

- a) 's going                  b) was  
c) would                    d) might

182 The teacher wanted to know why \_\_\_\_\_ his homework last night.

- a) hadn't Tom done      b) Tom hasn't done  
c) Tom hadn't done      d) Tom isn't doing

c) must've had

d) could've had

183 They told \_\_\_\_\_ start work the following Monday.

- a) me I can      b) me  
c) I'll      d) I could

184 If she \_\_\_\_\_ to be fluent in French, she could have applied for the job.

- a) hadn't needed      b) needs  
c) doesn't need      d) 's needed

185 They \_\_\_\_\_ here by now if the train had been on time.

- a) weren't      b) would've be  
c) 'd been      d) 'd have been

186 If I hadn't ignored my parents advice, I \_\_\_\_\_

a great musician.

- a) would've become      b) might've became  
c) had became      d) hadn't become

187 \_\_\_\_\_ a world class athlete is a lot harder than it looks.

- a) For being      b) To be  
c) To being      d) Being

188 You'd \_\_\_\_\_ late for work again or you'll get fired.

- a) be better      b) better not be  
c) better be      d) better not being

189 She went to the doctor because she keeps headaches.

- a) on to get      b) to getting  
c) to get      d) getting

190 She finally stopped \_\_\_\_\_ when the price of cigarettes went up again.

- a) to smoke      b) the smoke  
c) smoking      d) for to smoke

191 I'll never \_\_\_\_\_ snow for the first time.

- a) forget seeing      b) forget to see  
c) forget to seeing      d) to forget seeing

192 Do you ever regret \_\_\_\_\_ Canada and returning to your home country?

- a) to leaving      b) leaving  
c) for leaving      d) to leave

193 We \_\_\_\_\_ a serious accident when you drove through that red light!

- a) have had      b) can't have had

194 The neighbours ..... the music from your party. It was terribly loud. You should go and apologise to them.

- a) must've heard                      b) 'll hear  
c) couldn't hear                      d) can't have heard

195 The gym ..... I go to work out is open twenty-four hours a day.

- a) when                                  b) which  
c) that                                  d) where

196 I wasn't keen on the restaurant ..... we went to last weekend.

- a) what                                  b) -  
c) whose                                  d) when

197 They're having lunch with his girlfriend's parents, ..... live in Brighton.

- a) they                                  b) who  
c) that                                  d) whom

198 I almost fell over a pile of books ..... on the carpet.

- a) that are laid                      b) which lying  
c) lying                                  d) who was lying

199 A book ..... by a twelve-year-old girl has won a €10,000 prize.

- a) wrote                                  b) writing  
c) been written                      d) written

200 ..... people's names has always been something I've found incredibly difficult.

- a) To remember                      b) For remembering  
c) Remembering                      d) To remembering

**Total marks = \_\_\_\_ / 200**

## Placement Test

|     |     |     |      |      |      |      |      |
|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1a  | 26a | 51d | 76a  | 101b | 126a | 151b | 176b |
| 2d  | 27a | 52c | 77a  | 102a | 127a | 152c | 177c |
| 3b  | 28b | 53a | 78c  | 103c | 128d | 153d | 178b |
| 4a  | 29d | 54b | 79a  | 104d | 129c | 154b | 179c |
| 5b  | 30d | 55c | 80a  | 105c | 130b | 155a | 180d |
| 6a  | 31c | 56c | 81b  | 106b | 131a | 156b | 181a |
| 7c  | 32b | 57a | 82b  | 107b | 132b | 157c | 182c |
| 8b  | 33b | 58d | 83c  | 108c | 133c | 158d | 183a |
| 9d  | 34c | 59d | 84b  | 109c | 134a | 159c | 184a |
| 10b | 35c | 60c | 85c  | 110a | 135b | 160a | 185d |
| 11c | 36d | 61a | 86a  | 111c | 136a | 161b | 186a |
| 12a | 37d | 62d | 87d  | 112d | 137c | 162c | 187d |
| 13b | 38b | 63d | 88d  | 113b | 138a | 163d | 188b |
| 14b | 39c | 64c | 89a  | 114c | 139c | 164c | 189d |
| 15c | 40a | 65a | 90c  | 115b | 140a | 165a | 190c |
| 16d | 41a | 66b | 91d  | 116d | 141d | 166d | 191a |
| 17b | 42d | 67c | 92b  | 117c | 142c | 167a | 192b |
| 18c | 43d | 68a | 93a  | 118b | 143d | 168b | 193d |
| 19b | 44d | 69c | 94d  | 119d | 144b | 169b | 194a |
| 20a | 45b | 70a | 95a  | 120b | 145c | 170d | 195d |
| 21c | 46c | 71a | 96d  | 121d | 146b | 171b | 196b |
| 22c | 47d | 72d | 97b  | 122a | 147a | 172b | 197b |
| 23c | 48a | 73c | 98d  | 123b | 148b | 173c | 198c |
| 24d | 49d | 74d | 99c  | 124d | 149d | 174b | 199d |
| 25b | 50c | 75b | 100b | 125c | 150c | 175d | 200c |