

**GULLELE SUB-CITY EDUCATION OFFICE 2018 E.C FIRST SEMESTER ENGLISH  
MODEL EXAMINATION FOR GRADE SIX STUDENTS.**

**TIME ALLOWED: 1 Hour**

**GENERAL INSTRUCTION: USE PENCIL ONLY TO MARK YOUR ANSWER ON THE  
SPACE PROVIDED.**

**PLEASE ERASE ALL UNNECESSARY MARKS COMPLETELY FROM YOUR ANSWER  
SHEET.**

**YOU ARE ALLOWED TO WORK ON YOUR EXAM FOR ONE HOUR. WHEN TIME IS  
UP YOU MUST IMMEDIATELY STOP WRITING.**

**PUT YOUR PENCIL DOWN AND WAIT FOR FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS. ANY FORM  
OF CHEATING IN THE EXAMINATIONS WILL RESULT IN AN AUTOMATIC  
DISMISSAL FROM THE EXAMINATION HALL.**

**PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT YOU HAVE WRITTEN ALL THE REQUIRED  
INFORMATION ON THE ANSWER SHEETS BEFORE YOU TO WORK ON THE  
EXAMINATION.**

**DO NOT TURN THIS PAGE UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO.**

## PART ONE: SPEAKING

**INSTRUCTION: FOR ITEM 1-10 CHOOSE THE ONE WHICH BEST COMPLETES THE REMAINING PART OF THE GIVEN DIALOGUE.**

1. Meron: Happy Christmas, Alex.

Alex: \_\_\_\_\_!

The most appropriate response for the above dialogue is?

- A. Good night      B. See you tomorrow      C. How old are you      D. Thank you

2. Helen: Excuse me, Could you tell me how to get the library?

Selam: \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. I am fine, thank you      C. I like reading books  
B. Sure, Go straight and turn left it is next to the Cafe      D. Yes, i went their yesterday

3. Zena: What are you going to do after school?

Biruk: I \_\_\_\_\_ football.

- A. Am playing      B. Am going to play      C. Play      D. Will not play

4. I went to the supermarket \_\_\_\_\_ the Shops were Closed.

- A. But      B. Or      C. Because      D. So

5. Your friend: \_\_\_\_\_?

Yes, I have seen this film twice.

- A. Do you know this place?      C. Have you ever seen this from before?  
B. Why do you come here?      D. Have you ever talk to him?

6. Lemlem: Do you like pizza or burger?

Seble: \_\_\_\_\_

A. Yes, I do not

C. I am eating now

B. Yes, I like pizza more than burger.

D. It is very delicious

7. Kinfe: Hello Ethio telecom, what can i help you?

Selome: Good morning \_\_\_\_\_ i speak to the branch manager?

A. Should

B. May

C. Will

D might

8. Ziyad: \_\_\_\_\_ does your cousin live?

Yasin: In Addis Ababa.

A. When

B. Why

C. Where

D. How

9. Zola: What is your favorite Subject and why?

Yakob : I prefer \_\_\_\_\_ , because it helps me to improve my speaking skill.

A. Sport

B. Maths

C. English

D. Science

10. Henok: May I leave a message?

Yared: \_\_\_\_\_.

A. Yes, Please

B. I am busy yesterday

C. I like message

D. It is a phone

## PART TWO: GRAMMAR

**INSTRUCTION: FOR ITEM 11-27 CHOOSE THE ONE THAT BEST COMPLETES EACH SENTENCE**

11. Abel \_\_\_\_\_ at the door while we were learning English.

- A. Knock                      B. Knocks                      C. Knocked                      D. Knocking

12. Gutema: \_\_\_\_\_ his homework when i Opened his room.

- A. Is doing                      B. Was doing                      C. doing                      D. Will doing

13. When i was four years old, I \_\_\_\_\_ eat a lot of sweets.

- A. Use                      B. Uses                      C. Used                      D. Used to

14. Kirubel \_\_\_\_\_ English since last year.

- A. Has teach                      B. Has teaching                      C. Is teaching                      D. Has taught

15. We \_\_\_\_\_ Visit Entoto park next week.

- A. Was                      B. Are                      C. Would                      D. Will

16. We \_\_\_\_\_ Study hard to pass the exam.

- A. Have to                      B. Has to                      C. Are to                      D. Mustn't

17. She Wants \_\_\_\_\_ Medicine.

- A. Learning                      B. learns                      C. to learn                      D. Learned

18. The negative form of He Speaks English very well is?

- A. Does he speak English very well?                      C. He is speaking English very well.  
B. Do he speak English very well?                      D. He doesn't speak English very well.

19. This book is \_\_\_\_\_ than that one.

- A. Best                      B. More interesting                      C. Most interesting                      D. Gooder

20. The passive form of He drinks Alcohol is \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. Alcohol is drank by him.                      C. Alcohol is drunk by her.  
B. Alcohol is drunk by him.                      D. He is drank by Alcohol .
21. Simret \_\_\_\_\_ Injera yesterday.
- A. Bake                      B. bakes                      C. backing                      D. backed
22. Gete goes to School by bus every day. This sentence mainly shows us \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. Something happening right now.                      C. a daily habit  
B. Future plan                      D. Something that happened in the past
23. She **usually** does her homework after dinner.
- What does the word usually show?
- A. Something that never happen                      C. Something that happens all the time  
B. Something happens often, but not always                      D. Something that happened in the past
24. The sun rises in the east and \_\_\_\_\_ in the West.
- A. Set                      B. Sets                      C. Setting                      D. Setted
25. The negative form of (He/not/live /in Addis Ababa/ ) is
- A. He lives in Addis Ababa.                      C. Does he live in Addis Ababa?  
B. He doesn't live in Addis Ababa.                      D. He lived in Addis Ababa.
26. I \_\_\_\_\_ playing Gebeta now. But i prefer to play Gena.
- A. Were                      B. Was                      C. Am                      D. Had
27. You \_\_\_\_\_ stop When the traffic turns red.
- A. Should                      B. Shouldn't                      C. Must                      D. Mustn't

### **PART THREE: COMPLETION**

**INSTRUCTION: QUESTION 28-30 ARE INCOMPLETE. CHOOSE THE WORDS THAT BEST COMPLETES EACH SENTENCE MEANINGFULLY.**

28. The expected behaviors of the students are mentioned in the rules and \_\_\_\_\_ Of the school.

- A. Books                      B. Regulations                      C. Directors                      D. Moral

29. Drinking lots of water helps to give you \_\_\_\_\_ Skin.

- A. Pain                      B. Healthy                      C. Bad                      D. Dry

30. Buna leading 3:2 until the last minute of the game when

St. George was able to score 1 and \_\_\_\_\_

- A. Beat                      B. Equalize                      C. Win                      D. Defeat

### **PART FOUR: SYNONYMS**

**INSTRUCTION: QUESTION 31-37, ARE SYNONYMS WORDS**

**CHOOSE THE WORD THAT HAS SIMILAR MEANING AS THE UNDERLINED WORD.**

31. They decorated the house for Christmas. The synonym of decorate is

- A. Sell                      B. Finish                      C. Dirty                      D. Make it attractive

32. Football is a popular Sport in the World.

Popular means \_\_\_\_\_

- A. Famous                      B. Wel-known                      C. Liked by others                      D. All

33. He is a fan of traditional games. Fan means \_\_\_\_\_

- A. Admirer                      B. Supporter                      C. Follower                      D. All

34. He score high and he is happy now. Happy means \_\_\_\_\_

- A. Sad                      B. Angry                      C. Joyful                      D. Tired



35. Which sentence contains a Compound adjective?

A. She wore a dress

C. He is very tall

B. She bought a well-known book.

D. The dog runs fast

36. I was tired. I finished my task. The Combination of these two sentence forms \_\_\_\_\_

A. Simple Sentence

C. Compound sentence

B. Compound Complex sentence

D. Complex sentence

37. My brother has a toothbrush in his bag. Which word

In the above sentence is a Compound noun?

A. Brother

B. Has

C. Toothbrush

D. Bag

**PART FIVE: QUESTIONS 38-40 ARE SENTENCE COHERENCE.**

**CHOOSE THE BEST LETTER THAT CONTAINS THE CORRECT ORDER OF THEIR SEQUENCE, SO THAT IT CAN GIVE YOU A COHERENT AND COMPLETE PARAGRAPH.**

38. A. It has its own process.

B. Coffee is grown in Ethiopia.

C. It is indigenous plant.

D. It is roasted first and the boiled.

E. Finally it is served for people.

A. C B A E D

C. B C A D E

B. B A E C D

D. C B D E A

39. A. He helps his family studies his lesson and then sleep.

B. He goes to school every day.

C. He wakes up early in the morning.

D. He attends his class at school.

E. He come back home.

A. E D C A B

C. C B D E A

B. E D C B A

D. B A C D E

40. The girl had a bright smile that made everyone feel well come. She has a long black hair, big eyes and long nose. She carried herself with confidence and grace whenever she went. The above spice of writing is an example of \_\_\_\_\_ paragraph

A. Argumentative

B. Expository

C. Narrative

D. Descriptive