

Grammar Test for B2 – C1

This activity helps with the following grammar: verb forms, linking words, prepositions, tag questions, modal verbs, and conditional:

I.- Choose the correct answer:

1.- I bought a new iPod so I can listen to ____ music I like when I'm at the gym.

_____ -

_____ the

_____ a

2.- I wish I _____ home earlier last night. I'm so tired today.

_____ went

_____ was going

_____ had gone

3.- If you like modern art, you _____ really visit the new exhibition at the museum.

_____ should

_____ must

_____ can

4.- I'm sorry, I _____ to get to change that money for you, I was too busy.

_____ couldn't

_____ didn't manage

_____ weren't able

5.- You _____ show photo identification at the check-in.

_____ Shouldn't

_____ don't have to

_____ must

6.- I had a friend at college who was very gifted with languages. She _____ speak four or five

_____ was able to

_____ was too able

_____ was able

7.- Jonathon said he _____ a great time at the party at your place.

_____ had

_____ 'had

_____ 'have

8.- If they'd wanted some assistance, they _____ asked

_____ would

_____ have

_____ would've

9.-A: What's your new boss ____? B: He seems OK. He lets her get on with the job.

_____ seem like

_____ look like

_____ like

10.- I wish I could go camping with you next weekend, it sounds fun. _____ though I have to work.

_____ Basically

_____ Unfortunately

_____ Hopefully

11.- It happened ages ago. I _____ in New York at the time.

_____ worked

_____ was working

_____ had worked

12.- A: Do you want to go to the cinema tonight? B: I'm afraid I can't. I think I _____ Julia this evening.

_____ 'm going to see

_____ 'll see

_____ 'm seeing

13.- You're so late! What _____ you?

_____ kept

_____ is keeping

_____ was keeping

14.- I'm looking forward to my holiday! I _____ to spend the whole week on a boat!

_____ 'm going

_____ 'll go

_____ will

15.- I believe mobile phones _____ change the way we live.

_____ Will definitely

_____ certainly could

_____ may definitely

16.- You have taken the rubbish out, _____ you?

_____ haven't

_____ have

_____ didn't

17.- You won't forget to email those files, _____?

_____ won't you

_____ can you

_____ Will you

18.- I'd rather you _____ to me like that in front of the customers.

_____ didn't speak

_____ not speak

_____ weren't speaking

19.- Can you tell me when _____ leaving?

_____ does the plane

_____ Is the plane

_____ the plane is

20.- This fish is _____ Delicious.

_____ really

_____ very

_____ completely

21.- I must get _____ - I can't use the internet at all.

_____ more computer fix.

_____ my computer fix

_____ fixed my computer

22.- Nothing happened at the meeting, _____ it?

_____ didn't

_____ did

_____ does

23.- He wouldn't be so successful now if he _____ so hard when he was at school.

_____ didn't study

_____ wouldn't have studied

_____ hadn't studied

24.- The house will _____ at the end of the year.

_____ be sell

_____ be sold

_____ sold

25.- The boys hurt _____ playing football in the park.

_____ themselves

_____ themselves

_____ themselves

26.- Did you remember _____ the parcels?

_____ post

_____ to post

_____ posting

27.- Argentina, _____ is well-known for its mountains, is a very popular with ski-tourists

_____ which

_____ that

_____ who

28.- _____ was at the party last night

_____ Anybody

_____ Everybody

_____ Anyone

29.- He's been working there _____ ten years.

_____ since

_____ for

_____ already

30.- The court _____ him to five years in prison.

_____ ordered

_____ sentenced

_____ sent

31.- I can't find my keys _____.

_____ everywhere

_____ anywhere

_____ anything

32.- It's about time we _____ - it's nearly midnight

_____ leave

_____ left

_____ to leave

33.- He _____ gone to work yesterday. John was there all day and nobody saw him.

_____ wasn't have

_____ mustn't have

_____ can't have

34.- I don't know if I can do it but I'll _____ a go.

_____ make

_____ give

_____ have

35.- You need to work really _____ if you want to be a success.

_____ hardly

_____ hardfully

_____ hard

36.- Having _____ about your suggestion for a few days, I've decided to support the Project.

_____ thinking

_____ think

_____ thought

37.- Allow me to be the first to _____ your stunning achievement

_____ tell you

_____ mention to you

_____ congratulate you on

38.- _____ carefully, a hamster can be a good pet

_____ Handling

_____ Handled

_____ Handle

39.- As a police officer, I _____, though I'd like a better salary

_____ take on

_____ get by

_____ get on

40.- Although well off the _____ track, the Hotel is nevertheless very easy to get to

_____ beating

_____ far

_____ beaten

41.- There was a problem with the cooker, but I _____ it now.

_____ have fixed

_____ fixed

_____ have been fixing

42.- I don't think he _____ ready on time.

_____ Will be

_____ is being

_____ Will being

43.- The thing _____, we haven't enough money for the tickets.

_____ is

_____ that

_____ what

44.- They were _____ to call earlier

_____ needed

_____ ought

_____ supposed

45.- Most observers predict the bill won't see _____ light of day until at least January

_____ a

_____ the

_____ (not article)

46.- She didn't _____ to wait long for the bus, only a few minutes

_____ ought

_____ go

_____ have

47. I think organising a conference _____ be an excellent idea

_____ is bound to

_____ would

_____ mustn't

48.- There were about five hundred _____ so loads to transport

_____ but

_____ or

_____ and

49.- I'm certain that everything _____ all right in the end

_____ Will be

_____ is being

_____ Will being

50.- _____ longer do we expect politicians to tell us the truth

_____ Not

_____ Any

_____ No