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## Placement Test for *Elementary, Intermediate, First Certificate and Advanced Language Practice*

Underline the answer which best answers the question or fits the space.

0 Where are you from?

- A I'm France.      **B I'm from France.**      C French.      D I'm French.

1 How old are you?

- A I have 16.      B I am 16.      C I have 16 years.      D I am 16 years.

2 Are you having a nice time?

- A Yes, I'm nice.      B Yes, I'm having it.      C Yes, I am.      D Yes, it is.

3 Could you pass the salt please?

- A Over there.      B I don't know.      C Help yourself.      D Here you are.

4 Yesterday I went \_\_\_\_\_ bus to the National Museum.

- A on      B in      C by      D with

5 Sue and Mike \_\_\_\_\_ to go camping.

- A wanted      B said      C made      D talked

6 Who's calling, please?

- A Just a moment.      B It's David Parker.      C I'll call you back.      D Speaking.

7 They were \_\_\_\_\_ after the long journey, so they went to bed.

- A hungry      B hot      C lazy      D tired

8 Can you tell me the \_\_\_\_\_ to the bus station?

- A road      B way      C direction      D street

9 \_\_\_\_\_ you remember to buy some milk?

- A Have      B Do      C Should      D Did

10 - Don't forget to put the rubbish out.  
- I've \_\_\_\_\_ done it!

- A yet      B still      C already      D even

- 11 You don't need to bring \_\_\_\_\_ to eat.  
**A** some      **B** a food      **C** many      **D** anything
- 12 What about going to the cinema?  
**A** Good idea!      **B** Twice a month.      **C** It's *Star Wars*.      **D** I think so.
- 13 - What would you like, Sue?  
- I'd like the same \_\_\_\_\_ Michael please.  
**A** that      **B** as      **C** for      **D** had
- 14 \_\_\_\_\_ people know the answer to that question.  
**A** Few      **B** Little      **C** Least      **D** A little
- 15 It's not \_\_\_\_\_ to walk home by yourself in the dark.  
**A** sure      **B** certain      **C** safe      **D** problem
- 16 \_\_\_\_\_ sure all the windows are locked.  
**A** Take      **B** Have      **C** Wait      **D** Make
- 17 I'll go and \_\_\_\_\_ if I can find him.  
**A** see      **B** look      **C** try      **D** tell
- 18 What's the difference \_\_\_\_\_ football and rugby?  
**A** from      **B** with      **C** for      **D** between
- 19 My car needs \_\_\_\_\_ .  
**A** repairing      **B** to repair      **C** to be repair      **D** repair
- 20 Tim was too \_\_\_\_\_ to ask Monika for a dance.  
**A** worried      **B** shy      **C** selfish      **D** polite
- 21 I haven't had so much fun \_\_\_\_\_ I was a young boy!  
**A** when      **B** for      **C** during      **D** since
- 22 Sorry, I don't know \_\_\_\_\_ you're talking about.  
**A** that      **B** what      **C** which      **D** why

- 23 I'm afraid you \_\_\_\_\_ smoke in here.  
A could not      B don't have to      C are not allowed to      D can't be
- 24 Everyone wanted to go out \_\_\_\_\_ John.  
A apart      B unless      C however      D except
- 25 Honestly! I saw a ghost! I'm not \_\_\_\_\_ it up!  
A having      B laughing      C making      D joking
- 26 Eat everything up! I don't want to see anything \_\_\_\_\_ on your plate!  
A left      B missing      C put      D staying
- 27 Take the A20 \_\_\_\_\_ the roundabout, then turn left.  
A right      B as far as      C along      D heading north
- 28 I really hope you can find a \_\_\_\_\_ to this problem.  
A result      B way      C conclusion      D solution
- 29 Could you watch my bag while I go and get a cup of tea?  
A Of course!      B Never mind.      C If you don't mind.      D It doesn't matter.
- 30 In my country, it is \_\_\_\_\_ the law to watch an X-rated film if you are under eighteen.  
A under      B against      C over      D beyond
- 31 Rebecca had to \_\_\_\_\_ the invitation, as she was busy studying for her exams.  
A take off      B put back      C turn down      D get away
- 32 Police \_\_\_\_\_ that a terrorist group might be behind the kidnapping.  
A suppose      B fancy      C suspect      D accuse
- 33 When Christopher smiles, he \_\_\_\_\_ me of his grandfather.  
A remembers      B recalls      C rethinks      D reminds
- 34 The wonderful smell of freshly \_\_\_\_\_ coffee hit us as we entered the store.  
A crushed      B smashed      C ground      D pressed

- 35 Mike's dad wouldn't \_\_\_\_\_ him go to school with a red streak in his hair.  
**A** allow      **B** permit      **C** accept      **D** let
- 36 If only I \_\_\_\_\_ made that phone call!  
**A** wasn't      **B** didn't      **C** hadn't      **D** haven't
- 37 I like Mary for her friendly smile and her \_\_\_\_\_ of humour.  
**A** sense      **B** manner      **C** way      **D** impression
- 38 These shoes are very \_\_\_\_\_ for walking in the mountains.  
**A** practical      **B** functional      **C** realistic      **D** active
- 39 \_\_\_\_\_ of the credit for our success has to go to the Chairman, Peter Lewis.  
**A** Several      **B** Much      **C** Enough      **D** Sufficient
- 40 We were surprised that over 500 people \_\_\_\_\_ for the job.  
**A** wrote      **B** applied      **C** enquired      **D** requested
- 41 The children watched in excitement as she \_\_\_\_\_ a match and lit the candles.  
**A** scratched      **B** struck      **C** rubbed      **D** scraped
- 42 Sorry about Kate's strange behaviour, but she's just not used to \_\_\_\_\_ lots of people around her.  
**A** had      **B** have      **C** having      **D** has
- 43 Ivan kept running very hard \_\_\_\_\_ none of the other runners could possibly catch him.  
**A** even though      **B** however      **C** despite      **D** as
- 44 'I did this painting all \_\_\_\_\_ my own, Dad,' said Milly.  
**A** by      **B** with      **C** for      **D** on
- 45 You \_\_\_\_\_ better check all the details are correct before we send it off.  
**A** would      **B** had      **C** should      **D** did

- 46 This game is \_\_\_\_\_ to be for five year-olds, but I think a two year-old could do it!  
A expected      B required      C obliged      D supposed
- 47 Just put this powder down, and it should \_\_\_\_\_ any more ants from getting in.  
A prevent      B avoid      C refuse      D forbid
- 48 When Jonie \_\_\_\_\_ to do something, you can be sure she'll do it, and do it well.  
A gets on      B takes up      C sets out      D brings about
- 49 \_\_\_\_\_ we get to the top of this hill, the path gets much easier.  
A At the time      B Eventually      C Once      D Finally
- 50 Fifty-seven? No, that \_\_\_\_\_ be the right answer!  
A can't      B mustn't      C wouldn't      D needn't
- 51 \_\_\_\_\_ happens, I'll always be there for you!  
A However      B What      C Whatever      D No matter
- 52 Can you \_\_\_\_\_ to it that no one uses this entrance?  
A see      B deal      C ensure      D get
- 53 A \_\_\_\_\_ debate ensued, with neither side prepared to give way to the other.  
A warm      B heated      C hot      D boiling
- 54 I've drunk milk every \_\_\_\_\_ day of my life, and it's never done me any harm!  
A particular      B individual      C single      D one
- 55 The version of the film I saw had been \_\_\_\_\_ censored.  
A strongly      B deeply      C great      D heavily
- 56 He promised to phone me at nine o'clock exactly, and he was as \_\_\_\_\_ as his word.  
A true      B good      C right      D honest

- 57 There has been so much media \_\_\_\_\_ of the wedding that I'm completely fed up with it.  
**A** circulation      **B** attention      **C** broadcasting      **D** coverage
- 58 If I were you I would \_\_\_\_\_ clear of the area around the station late at night.  
**A** stick      **B** steer      **C** stop      **D** stand
- 59 Turning back now is out of the \_\_\_\_\_ .  
**A** agenda      **B** matter      **C** question      **D** possibility
- 60 Joe's fear of enclosed spaces \_\_\_\_\_ from a bad experience he had when he was a child.  
**A** stems      **B** leads      **C** starts      **D** flows