

PRACTICE TEST

Choose one word with the underlined part pronounced differently from the others:

1. a. distribution	b. contributed	c. immune	d. unfortunate
2. a. <u>rough</u>	b. <u>tough</u>	c. <u>cough</u>	d. <u>drought</u>
3. a. <u>ghost</u>	b. golden	c. suggestion	d. guided

Choose one word with the stress pattern different from the others:

4. a. bicyclist	b. recycling	c. accident	d. hospitalized
5. a. classroom	b. window	c. blackboard	d. projector

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

6. **(CLOSEST MEANING)** That player is always calm even when he is in difficult situation.

a. As cool as a cucumber	b. in a nutshell
c. a hot potato	d. under the weather

7. Tropical diseases are comparatively _____ in Europe.

a. Scarce	b. rare	c. exotic	d. distinctive
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8. Go back _____ the hotel and wait there _____ I call you.

a. From/ to	b. to/ from	c. to/ till	d. at/ till
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9. Good engineers are _____ great demand now.

a. Of	b. in	c. for	d. to
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10. That woman certainly tried very hard to show _____ her new jewelry.

a. Off	b. on	c. up	d. over
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11. His behavior always _____ me at parties.

a. Teases	b. embarrasses	c. desires	d. fulfils
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12. The new firm is _____ good.

a. Excepting	b. except	c. exceptional	d. exceptionally
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13. **(CLOSEST MEANING)** John gradually became interested in the discussion.

a. Proud of	b. absorbed in	c. committed to	d. fed up with
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14. It was the longest film I have ever seen; it _____ 3 hours.

a. Lasted	b. stayed	c. finished	d. completed
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15. I'm afraid you aren't suitably _____ for the job.

28. _____ patient, and you will succeed in everything you do.

29. The air on the hills is cooler than .

a. One on the plains b. is one on the plains c. that on the plains d. are the plains

30. _____ class rushed into the room waiting for dinner.

31. Whenever we meet, we stop about our work and family life.

32. There is one kind of sports which I like playing above all

33. - Let's eat out tonight! -

a. Great idea! B. it's a breeze c. you may d. Just in case!

34.- - There's no doubt about it.

b. Is she a good speaker? d. I wonder if she's a good spe

35.- "Do you think we're all created equal?" - "No, not in..."

37. Most (a) evergreens have needle-like (b) leaves that require least (c) water than (d) regular leaves

38. Insects appeared (a) on earth (b) before long (c) the earliest mammals (d)

39. Halifax Harbor in Nova Scotia is (a) one of the most safe (b) harbors (c) in the world (d)

40. One of the most beautiful (a) botanical gardens (b) in the USA (c) is the wildly (d) lovely Magnolia Garden near Charleston, South Carolina.