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Intermediate Level

Test 1

1- Tick (✓) A, B, or C to complete the sentences.

1 Anna's in the kitchen. She _____ dinner.
A cooks ■ B 's cooking ■ C will cook ■

2 I _____ to eat fresh vegetables – I don't like frozen.
A prefers ■ B 'm preferring ■ C prefer ■

3 Today most people _____ on junk food.
A cuts down ■ B are cutting down ■
C is cutting down ■

4 It's hot in here! _____ open the window?
A Will I ■ B Shall I ■ C Do I ■

5 He _____ swimming on Tuesdays.
A always goes ■ B is always going ■
C goes always ■

6 A Is there anything on TV tonight?
B I don't know. _____ in the paper.

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A I'll look ■ B I'm going to look ■C I look ■

7 We _____ the cinema on Saturday. Would you like to come?
A will go to ■ B go to ■ C are going to ■

8 My brother _____ a job at the moment.
A isn't having ■ B won't have ■C doesn't have ■

9 I predict that you _____ marry someone rich and famous!
A are going ■ B shall ■ C should ■

10 We're _____ about you at the moment, and we hope you'll be home soon.
A believing ■ B knowing ■ C thinking ■

11 The traffic's terrible. I _____ miss my train.
A will to ■ B 'm going to ■ C go to ■

12 A _____ we order some salad?
B Good idea.
A Must ■ B Will ■ C Shall ■

13 Tom _____ arrives on time. He's always late.
A never ■ B sometimes ■ C often ■

14 Where _____ you going on holiday this year?

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A will ■ B are ■ C do ■

15 People's characters _____ on their family background.
A are depending ■ B depends ■ C depend ■

16 What _____ next weekend?
A do you do ■ B will do you ■C are you doing ■

17 I'm not ____ speak to Jason any more.
A will ■ B going ■ C going to ■

18 She _____ eats meat or fish. She's a strict vegetarian.
A often ■ B never ■ C sometimes ■

19 How many cups of coffee _____ a day?
A do you drink ■ B are you drinking ■
C you drink ■

20 What _____ when he finishes university?
A is he going to do ■ B does he do ■
C he does ■

<u>2- Answer the following questions fully:</u>

1- Have you ever saved money to buy something expensive? What was it?

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2- What are the typical scams these days?

3- What are some characteristics of your personality?

4- What´s your position in your family? Do you think it affects your personality?

5- What predictions can you make for your country in the next 5 years?

6- What do you usually eat when you want to cheer yourself up?

3- Reading Comprehension:

In 1990, the World Bank published a report showing that there were over a billion people in the world with an income of just one dollar a day. At the start of this century, the United Nations promised to halve this figure by 2015. It has been working hard to keep this promise ever since. A series of short films was made to show what you can buy in different countries with this tiny amount. In a market in Nepal, for example, they could only buy four bananas and a loaf of bread. It was impossible to buy meat or any protein.

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Other people have been horrified to learn how enormous the problem is and have taken action in different ways. A UK charity called 1 Dollar a Day has been raising money to invest in projects to improve health, clean water, education,
etc. They have also given people loans to help them set up a business as it is difficult to borrow money if you have no bank account.

In the US, two school teachers decided to try spending only one dollar each day on food for a month and have now written a book about their experience. They say they were often starving, and got bored with eating the same food.

And they couldn't afford to buy healthy foods such as fresh fruit and vegetables. The book describes how much rich countries waste, and how they try to save money by buying cheap food from other countries.

The World Bank has recently published another report on how the situation has changed since 1990. One dollar is worth less now, and food and fuel cost more, so it is difficult to work out exactly how much progress there has been. However, there have clearly been some amazing changes.

Between 1990 and 2008, the number of people who earned salaries below the poverty line went down from 43% of the developing world to 22%, so the UN has already made a big difference. Of course there is still a huge amount to do to improve the lives of millions of people throughout the world.

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1 In _____ the UN made a promise to cut the poverty figures by half.
A 2000 ■ B 1900 ■ C 2015 ■

2 In Nepal it costs one dollar to buy _____ and some bread.
A cheese ■ B meat ■ C a few bananas ■

3 The charity 1 Dollar a Day lends people money to _____.
A get water ■ B start a business ■C buy food ■

4 Two school teachers spent one dollar a day on _____.
A a book ■ B vegetables ■ C eating ■

5 They were often very _____.
A tired ■ B hungry ■ C healthy ■

6 It wasn't possible to buy _____ with a dollar.
A unhealthy food ■ B anything ■C fruit ■

7 The book shows how much rich countries _____.
A throw away ■ B spend each day ■C can afford to buy ■

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8 Since 1990, the situation has changed _____.
A very little ■ B not at all ■C a surprising amount ■

9 In 2008, _____ of the world's population was very poor.
A 43% ■ B 22% ■ C over a billion ■

10 The writer says we still need to do _____ to help people.
A a little ■ B a lot ■ C some things ■

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