

## Diagnostic Test

### Vocabulary

A Choose the correct answer.

- 1 Robin's rude comments made me ..... my temper.  
A miss                      C spoil  
B lose                        D skip
- 2 Travellers to Jamaica should expect ..... weather conditions, including fierce winds and torrential rain.  
A extreme                  C maximum  
B great                       D cruel
- 3 We were shocked by how much industrial ..... the factory produced.  
A waste                      C garbage  
B litter                       D trash
- 4 John's funny expression made us ..... into laughter.  
A break                      C erupt  
B begin                       D burst
- 5 The news about the accident ..... quickly and within a few hours everyone in the town knew about it.  
A passed                    C unfolded  
B spread                     D multiplied
- 6 Paul was ..... with a medal for his bravery.  
A presented                C awarded  
B given                       D handed
- 7 Deborah's family have a low ..... because her parents only work part-time.  
A account                  C income  
B profit                       D cash
- 8 I have to look ..... my younger sister while my parents are away.  
A for                          C after  
B up                            D into
- 9 It makes me sad when I see animals in zoos because I believe they should live ..... the wild.  
A at                            C on  
B through                    D in
- 10 The Chief of Police is doing a presentation to raise ..... about burglaries in our town.  
A awareness                C familiarity  
B knowledge                D recognition
- 11 I prefer going to classes to studying on my own because I like to interact ..... other people.  
A with                        C between  
B for                            D by
- 12 Amy ..... me of my cousin Helen because they both have the same sense of humour.  
A remembers                C recalls  
B reminds                    D recollects
- 13 Some aspirin will help to ..... your headache.  
A disappear                 C recover  
B remove                    D relieve
- 14 Peter has been given tickets to ..... the premiere of the new James Bond film.  
A go                            C attend  
B access                      D appear
- 15 The schools in the UK break ..... for the summer holidays at the end of July.  
A away                        C off  
B up                            D out
- 16 Tom is an engineer by ....., but he enjoys painting portraits in his spare time.  
A work                        C job  
B career                      D profession
- 17 The policeman was on a(n) ..... to solve the case of the missing girl.  
A mission                    C investigation  
B research                    D task
- 18 Emily has asked for another games ..... for her birthday so that two people can play on the computer at the same time.  
A gadget                     C player  
B tablet                        D console
- 19 Jason is stressed because he is under ..... to finish the project before the end of the day.  
A pressure                    C risk  
B force                        D challenge
- 20 It's hard to ..... the difference between the twins unless you know them well.  
A tell                         C speak  
B express                     D say

- 21 The doctor thinks I would ..... from doing more exercise.  
A improve                      C develop  
B benefit                        D assist
- 22 The firefighters couldn't ..... the upper floors of the building because the staircase had collapsed in the fire.  
A get                              C access  
B arrive                         D go
- 23 I have to find a ..... to wear at the fancy dress party.  
A suit                              C costume  
B uniform                        D clothing
- 24 His job as a critic involves ..... any new film that comes out.  
A revising                        C rewarding  
B reviewing                       D responding
- 25 Rachel gets ..... skin if she wears wool because she is allergic to it.  
A itchy                             C runny  
B watery                          D sore
- 26 I felt so proud to see my brother ..... a goal in the football match.  
A put                                C score  
B make                              D gain
- 27 Martin is telling the police ..... about the robbery at the bank.  
A assistant                        C attendant  
B controller                        D officer
- 28 Mrs Jones ..... a living as an English teacher.  
A succeeds                        C gets  
B wins                                D earns
- 29 I would like to ..... a table at your restaurant for Tuesday evening, please.  
A request                         C register  
B reserve                          D rent
- 30 It was very early in the morning when we set ..... on our trip to the mountains.  
A on                                 C away  
B out                                 D up
- 31 Ian is doing a three-month ..... in Spanish before he goes on holiday.  
A degree                          C course  
B curriculum                        D diploma
- 32 Have you been to see the ..... of modern sculptures at the local gallery?  
A exhibition                        C screening  
B advertisement                    D performance
- 33 We need to do something about the problem of ..... change before it's too late.  
A weather                         C climate  
B environment                      D temperature
- 34 I've just asked the waiter for a ..... of iced tea.  
A jar                                 C bowl  
B plate                                D jug
- 35 My best friend is very keen ..... team sports, but I prefer swimming.  
A in                                 B at                                 C on                                 D of
- 36 Could you tell me what the ..... hours of the new shopping centre are, please?  
A opening                         C shopping  
B starting                          D selling
- 37 I was really ..... when Mum started showing my friends my baby photographs.  
A ashamed                         C amazed  
B embarrassed                      D afraid
- 38 Our credit card machine is broken, I'm afraid, so you'll have to pay ..... cash.  
A with                                C in  
B by                                  D through
- 39 I'm taking most of my holiday money in ..... cheques because I don't like to carry a lot of cash.  
A passenger's                        C customer's  
B traveller's                         D tourist's
- 40 Maria is staying in a really nice hotel because she booked her ..... six months ago.  
A accommodation                    C living  
B stay                                 D housing



