



**MOET 8 PLUS - GRADE 9
PRACTICE TEST 23**

Name: _____

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Exercise 1. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the rest in the pronunciation of the underlined part in each of the following questions.

Question 1. A. hurt B. further C. sure D. burn

Question 2. A. noticed B. booked C. stopped D. provided

Exercise 2. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in the following questions.

Question 3. A. apple B. butter C. mother D. advance

Question 4. A. protection B. referee C. dictation D. increasing

Exercise 3. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 5. She likes the job better than Bob _____.

A. is B. do C. does D. done

Question 6. I'll give you another hour _____.

A. making your mind up B. making up your mind
C. make up your mind D. to make up your mind

Question 7. This time tomorrow I _____ with my cousin in London on Viber.

A. will chat B. am chatting C. chat D. will be chatting

Question 8. The organization _____ 25 years ago.

A. found B. founded C. was found D. was founded

Question 9. Please turn off all the lights when _____.

A. you leave B. you would leave C. you will leave D. you had left

Question 10. Up to now, this is the largest ship that _____.

A. was ever built B. has ever built C. has ever been built D. had ever been built

Question 11. A good clock always keep _____ time.

- A. accurate B. certain C. true D. serious

Question 12. His grandfather _____ of heart failure in his sixties.

- A. dead B. died C. was died D. was dead

Question 13. I don't especially care _____ those types of movies.

- A. by B. to C. about D. with

Question 14. The winner is the first one _____ reaches the finish line.

- A. that B. whom C. whose D. which

Exercise 4. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to each of the following exchanges.

Question 15. Anne: "Make yourself at home."

John: "_____"

- A. Yes, can I help you? B. Don't mention it.
C. Thanks! Same to you. D. That's very kind. Thank you.

Question 16. Minh: "Do you mind if I borrow a chair?"

Hung: "_____. Do you need only one?"

- A. I'm sorry B. Not at all C. Yes, I do D. Yes, I would

Exercise 5. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

Question 17. E-cash cards are the main means of all transactions in a cashless society.

- A. cash-starved B. cash-strapped C. cash-in-hand D. cash-free

Question 18. Many scientists agree that global warming poses great threats to all species on Earth.

- A. risks B. annoyances C. fears D. irritations

Exercise 6. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

Question 19. My cousin tends to look on the bright side in any circumstances.

- A. be optimistic B. be pessimistic C. be confident D. be smart

Question 20. The music is what makes the movie so memorable.

A. incredible

B. forgettable

C. eventful

D. remarkable

Exercise 7. Read the following passage, then choose the correct answer to questions.

The next generation of telephone users will probably laugh when we explain how we used to stand next to a wall in the kitchen to (21) _____ a phone call. Mobile communications, already highly advanced compared with a decade ago, will completely change communications in the next few years. (22) _____ there are millions of people using mobile phones, most people know little about the mobile telecommunications industry and its technology.

There are three types of mobile phone. These are hand portables, pocket-sized hand portables and transportables. The smallest and most popular are the pocket-sized hand portables. These work on rechargeable batteries, which allow an amount of up to 80 minutes conversation. Mobiles that are fitted permanently in a vehicle do not (23) _____ on separate batteries. They require an external aerial on the vehicle. This can mean a stronger signal with clearer (24) _____. Transportables have a higher power capability and can be used (25) _____ anywhere. They come with powerful battery packs for longer, continuous use and may also be put (26) _____ a vehicle, using its electrics. They tend to be bulkier than hand portables.

Question 21. A. make

B. give

C. take

D. do

Question 22. A. In addition

B. Because

C. As a result

D. Although

Question 23. A. rely

B. create

C. carry

D. insist

Question 24. A. wave

B. letter

C. speech

D. speed

Question 25. A. mostly

B. hardly

C. most

D. almost

Question 26. A. on with

B. into

C. up with

D. in to

Exercise 8. Read the following passage, and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.

Coca Cola is a popular drink for people all over the world. At first, very few people drank Coca Cola, but now it is sold in more than 160 countries. More than 1,6 billion gallons are sold every year. Coca Cola was invented by Dr. John Pemberton in Atlanta on 8 May, 1886. However, the name Coca Cola was given by Frank Robinson, one of Dr. Pemberton's partners. Later, in 1888, the business was sold to

another man, Asa Candler. He opened his first factory to produce this drink in 1895 in Dallas, Texas. Since then, a great quantity of Coca Cola has been produced **there**.

Since 1982, a special kind of Coca Cola has been made for **overweight** people - diet Coke. They have used many clever advertisements to increase the amount of Coca Cola sold every year.

Besides Coca Cola, there are many other drinks of the same kind sold all over the world such as Pepsi Cola, Sp-Cola and Dr. Pepper. However, Coca Cola is the most popular. People drink Coca Cola with their meals when they are thirsty or when they socialize with friends. It is certain that more and more people will drink Coca Cola all over the world in this century.

Question 27. The word “**there**” refers to _____.

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| A. where Coca Cola was first made | B. the city with the first Coca Cola factory |
| C. where Coca Cola was given its name | D. the place that Coca Cola is sold |

Question 28. The name Coca Cola was the idea of _____.

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| A. Dr. Pemberton | B. Asa Candler | C. Frank Robinson | D. Dr. Pepper |
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Question 29. The word “**overweight**” is closest in meaning to the word _____.

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| A. fat | B. sick | C. thin | D. small |
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Question 30. Coca Cola is _____.

- A.** more popular than other drinks of the same kind
- B.** less popular than other drinks of the same kind
- C.** as popular as other drinks of the same kind
- D.** not so popular as other drinks of the same kind.

Exercise 9. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

Question 31. Mary isn't happy in her new job at first but she is beginning to enjoy it now.

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| A. isn't | B. but | C. is | D. it |
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Question 32. We decided not to go out because it was raining quite hardly.

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| A. not | B. to go | C. was raining | D. hardly |
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Question 33. When we are in London last year, we didn't have time to see all the things we wanted to see.

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| A. are | B. time | C. the things | D. to see |
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Question 34. There were so many people trying to leave the burn building that the police had a lot of trouble controlling them.

- A. were B. trying C. burn D. a lot of

Exercise 10. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.

Question 35. Taking photographs is not permitted here.

- A. Photographers must not use flash here. B. Do not remove these photographs.
C. Do not use your camera here. D. Photographs are on sale here.

Question 36. Lee gave up her job. She planned to continue her education.

- A. Lee's education was interrupted because she wanted to find a job.
B. Lee gave up her job to continue her education.
C. Lee gave up her job in case she continued her education.
D. Lee gave up her job and continued her education.

Question 37. You press this button to stop the machine.

- A. The machine will stop if you press this button.
B. This button is not used to stop the machine.
C. This button does not help you stop the machine.
D. Unless you press this button, the machine will stop.

Question 38. I have never read such a good book before.

- A. This book is the best I have never read. B. This book is the best I have ever read.
C. This is the first time I had read such a good book. D. This is the first time I read a good book.

Question 39. No one has sent me that letter.

- A. I haven't been sent that letter. B. I wasn't sent that letter.
C. That letter hasn't been sent me. D. That letter has sent to me by no one.

Question 40. That old house burned down last week. No one lived there.

- A. That old house burned down last week, so no one lived there.
B. No one lived in that old house, but it burned down last week.
C. No one lived in that old house, which made it burned down last week.
D. That old house, where no one lived, burned down last week.