

# 4 | Unit test

## SURNAME NAME GROUP

### Working with words

Choose the correct answer from the words in *italics*.

- 1 Nanotechnology is one of the great technological *advantages* / *breakthroughs* of the last few years.
- 2 Don't bother me with theory! I need some *key* / *practical* solutions to this problem.
- 3 We use *cutting-edge* / *key* technology in all our phones. No one else uses anything quite as modern.
- 4 One potential *benefit* / *concept* is that it could help refugees around the world.
- 5 A *major* / *revolutionary* advantage of using fingerprints is that they are nearly impossible to copy.
- 6 Apple always uses *viable* / *state-of-the-art* design which makes its products so distinctive.
- 7 I'm not convinced this is a commercially-viable *proposition* / *potential* and so I can't invest in it.

Complete these sentences with words from the list.

off round up out down up with about

- 8 How did you come up \_\_\_\_\_ such a good idea?
- 9 Can we get \_\_\_\_\_ the problem of high start-up costs?
- 10 The company was set \_\_\_\_\_ in 1996.
- 11 My staff have taken \_\_\_\_\_ the challenge and are working on ways to reduce delays.
- 12 I think my idea will bring \_\_\_\_\_ real improvements for people in underdeveloped countries.
- 13 We're carrying \_\_\_\_\_ research on the new systems.
- 14 Our hard work has paid \_\_\_\_\_. Results are good!
- 15 We're over budget. Can we bring \_\_\_\_\_ travel costs?

### Business communication skills

Choose the correct option a-c to complete each sentence.

- 16 First, I'll \_\_\_\_\_ you a brief overview of the product.  
a do                      b give                      c tell
- 17 After that I'd like to \_\_\_\_\_ you some results.  
a show                      b say                      c look
- 18 There are two main benefits \_\_\_\_\_ using this system.  
a by                      b about                      c of
- 19 This \_\_\_\_\_ that you won't need an identity card.  
a results                      b means                      c causes
- 20 At the moment, you have to remember a code, \_\_\_\_\_ in the future you won't.  
a whereas                      b although                      c in comparison
- 21 Now I'd like to \_\_\_\_\_ on to the next point.  
a look                      b turn                      c move
- 22 Finally, I'll answer questions. Does that \_\_\_\_\_ OK?  
a hear                      b listen                      c sound
- 23 A I'd like to thank you for inviting me here today.  
B We're \_\_\_\_\_ you could be here.  
a pleasure                      b glad                      c appreciate
- 24 A After you. B \_\_\_\_\_  
a You're welcome. b Thanks. c No problem.

### Language at work

Complete these sentences with verbs from the list. There is one extra verb.

will be able to    can't    won't be able to    can  
were able to    couldn't    haven't been able to

- 25 I \_\_\_\_\_ let you know until next week
- 26 We \_\_\_\_\_ find a solution for a long time but then someone in R&D came up with a great idea.
- 27 Do you know what the problem is? I \_\_\_\_\_ access anything on this computer today!
- 28 They \_\_\_\_\_ reduce their prices for over a year but they promise to on this order.
- 29 We were lucky because we \_\_\_\_\_ see a gap in the market before anyone else.
- 30 The new changes next year mean that our customers \_\_\_\_\_ check their details online.

Result \_\_\_\_\_ / 30 marks