

# Placement Test

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Choose the correct option.



1. This time tomorrow, we \_\_\_\_ along the beach.  
a) have walked b) will be walking c) are walking d) were walking
2. Let's go to the park, \_\_\_\_?  
a) shall I b) will we c) won't we d) shall we
3. I wish I \_\_\_\_ to the concert tomorrow, but I have to work.  
a) could go b) can go c) go d) will go
4. \_\_\_\_ your homework before you go out.  
a) Do b) Don't c) Doing d) Not do
5. He may \_\_\_\_ the wrong address; the package isn't here.  
a) be writing b) write c) have written d) wrote
6. He sings \_\_\_\_ a professional, even though he's not trained.  
a) as b) like c) such as d) as if
7. By the time we arrived, they \_\_\_\_ dinner.  
a) have finished b) finished c) were finishing d) had finished
8. \_\_\_\_ called while you were out, but they didn't leave a name.  
a) Anyone b) Someone c) No one d) Everybody
9. The police \_\_\_\_ to increase patrols in the area.  
a) plan b) plans c) is planning d) has planned
10. During the meeting, she spoke \_\_\_\_ than anyone else, choosing to listen carefully instead.  
a) the most b) more c) the least d) less
11. When he \_\_\_\_ at the office, let me know immediately.  
a) arrive b) will arrive c) is arriving d) arrives
12. I haven't seen her \_\_\_\_ last summer, but we are meeting \_\_\_\_ next weekend.  
a) in / on b) at / in c) since / -- d) since / on
13. \_\_\_\_ your phone while we're having dinner. It's rude.  
a) Don't use b) Use c) Not use d) Using



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14. If she had studied harder, she \_\_\_\_\_ the exam.  
a) passed b) would pass c) would have passed d) passes

15. We \_\_\_\_\_ the house painted last week.  
a) have b) has c) got d) were

16. She \_\_\_\_\_ waking up early because of her job. She's had it for years.  
a) is getting used to b) would c) used to d) is used to

17. How \_\_\_\_\_ apples do you need for the pie?  
a) many b) much c) lot d) any

18. She \_\_\_\_\_ for hours before she finally found the right address.  
a) had looked b) looked c) was looking d) had been looking

19. As soon as Lizzy \_\_\_\_\_ the room, the phone \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) entered / rang b) was entering / was ringing c) entered / had rung d) had entered / rang

20. Money \_\_\_\_\_ not everything, but it makes life easier.  
a) were b) are c) be d) is

21. They arrived \_\_\_\_\_ the airport \_\_\_\_\_ midnight and had to wait for hours.  
a) in / on b) at / at c) on / in d) at / on

22. I'm doing a good job so far, \_\_\_\_\_?  
a) aren't I b) am not I c) is it d) am I

23. There's \_\_\_\_\_ sugar left; we can't bake a cake.  
a) little b) a little c) few d) a few

24. She gave me \_\_\_\_\_ great advice that I will be forever grateful.  
a) so b) such c) such a d) such an

25. This is my \_\_\_\_\_ bag, not yours.  
a) brothers' b) brothers c) brother's d) brother

26. His fingers turned white from the cold, showing early signs of \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) sunstroke b) frostbite c) fever d) rash



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27. I don't drink coffee. \_\_\_\_\_, I prefer tea.

- a) Instead
- b) For instance
- c) Also
- d) Unfortunately

28. If you bought something for 20% less than the original price, you got a \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) full price
- b) bargain
- c) receipt
- d) replacement



29. The children gathered \_\_\_\_\_ the Christmas tree to open their presents.

- a) over
- b) around
- c) in front
- d) toward

30. Jake is a vegetarian, so when his friends have a barbecue, he brings his homemade \_\_\_\_\_ to share.

- a) lentil burger
- b) grilled chicken
- c) beef skewers
- d) sausage rolls

31. She joined a local gym to \_\_\_\_\_ a healthy lifestyle and stay in shape.

- a) provide
- b) succeed
- c) participate
- d) lead

32. He arrived late to the meeting, \_\_\_\_\_ he was stuck in traffic.

- a) but
- b) on top of that
- c) because
- d) although

33. She plans to take a \_\_\_\_\_ before starting university to travel and gain experience.

- a) gap year
- b) generation gap
- c) tuition fee
- d) spring break

34. This vegetable has layers and can make you cry when you cut it.

- a) onion
- b) garlic
- c) cucumber
- d) radish

35. \_\_\_\_\_ it was raining, we went hiking in the mountains.

- a) Despite
- b) Although
- c) Because of
- d) However

36. During the holiday season, many people wait in long \_\_\_\_\_ to pay for their items.

- a) offers
- b) queues
- c) shops
- d) markets

37. Her allergies caused her nose to become \_\_\_\_\_ and hard to breathe through.

- a) itchy
- b) swollen
- c) clogged
- d) runny

38. The teacher checked the \_\_\_\_\_ to see who was absent from class.

- a) textbook
- b) timetable
- c) class register
- d) curriculum



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39. They walked \_\_\_\_\_ the river, enjoying the peaceful view.

- a) across
- b) along
- c) through
- d) into

40. Students eat lunch in the school \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) classroom
- b) canteen
- c) playground
- d) assembly hall

41. We need to finish the project today; \_\_\_\_\_, the client will be disappointed.

- a) otherwise
- b) in case
- c) although
- d) despite

42. The \_\_\_\_\_ is green on the outside, red on the inside, and has black seeds.

- a) kiwi
- b) avocado
- c) watermelon
- d) papaya

43. To improve his fitness, he decided to \_\_\_\_\_ rock climbing and trekking.

- a) set up
- b) give up
- c) take up
- d) wake up

44. The garden was \_\_\_\_\_ with overgrown plants and unused furniture.

- a) cluttered
- b) modern
- c) cosy
- d) fully furnished

45. Alex is allergic to seafood, so she does not eat \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) shrimp
- b) chicken
- c) steak
- d) broccoli

46. Anna likes her steak cooked \_\_\_\_\_, with just a little pink in the center.

- a) raw
- b) rare
- c) well-done
- d) medium

47. The students handed in their essays to meet the \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) grade
- b) deadline
- c) syllabus
- d) bachelor

48. He always tries to \_\_\_\_\_ time for himself to avoid feeling overwhelmed.

- a) take
- b) make
- c) waste
- d) do

49. They rented a flat together to \_\_\_\_\_ the expenses and save money.

- a) pay
- b) afford
- c) share
- d) let

50. The team was able to \_\_\_\_\_ the gap between them and their rivals during the second half.

- a) lift
- b) narrow
- c) retain
- d) compete

