

ENGLISH FILE INTERMEDIATE QUICKTEST 3

GRAMMAR

Choose the correct option A, B, or C to complete the sentences.

- 1 That's _____ fantastic dress. Where did you get it?
A the B – C a
- 2 Riding a motorbike is _____ than driving a car.
A most dangerous B as dangerous C more dangerous
- 3 The teacher told me to close _____ door and sit down.
A the B – C a
- 4 I find it _____ to sleep on a bus than on a train.
A difficulter B more difficult C as difficult
- 5 Let's eat in this restaurant. It's _____ than the other one.
A less expensive B more cheaper C as expensive
- 6 I'd like to go to _____ university after I finish secondary school.
A the B a C –
- 7 His latest film isn't _____ the last one he made.
A as good than B as good as C better
- 8 In most countries motorcyclists have to wear _____ helmets now.
A the B a C –
- 9 What's the _____ way to get around London?
A fastest B most fast C most fastest
- 10 _____ best month to visit Paris is August – there's no traffic!
A A B The C –
- 11 I've had an older boss and a younger boss. _____ younger boss was much stricter.
A The B A C –
- 12 _____ children usually like sweets.
A – B A C The
- 13 Your son is _____ driver I've ever seen.
A the worse B worst C the worst
- 14 The journey didn't take as long _____ we thought.
A that B than C as
- 15 I think Germany has the best motorways _____ the world.
A of B in C from
- 16 She loves Rome. It's _____ beautiful city she's been to.
A the more B the most C most
- 17 There are usually three trains _____ hour during the week.
A an B the C –
- 18 I think women are generally _____ talkative than men.
A as B more C most
- 19 Doesn't your cousin work as _____ architect?
A the B an C –
- 20 I never go on Facebook when I'm at _____ work.
A a B the C –

VOCABULARY

a Choose A, B, or C to complete the sentences with compound nouns.

- 1 He was late because of the road _____.
A street B traffic C works
- 2 I try to avoid driving in the _____ hour.
A busy B rush C fast
- 3 Excuse me, is there a taxi _____ near here?
A rank B queue C line
- 4 Slow down! The _____ limit here is 40 kph.
A driving B traffic C speed
- 5 We arrived late because there was a terrible traffic _____.
A jam B block C lights
- 6 I had to pay a €50 parking _____.
A fine B fee C find
- 7 This area is a pedestrian _____ from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
A limit B zone C lane
- 8 Cycling is fantastic in Amsterdam because of all the cycle _____.
A lines B lanes C roads

b Choose A, B, or C to complete the sentences with phrasal verbs.

- 9 Look _____. There's a car coming the other way!
A up B out C off
- 10 We have to stop somewhere soon or we'll run _____ of petrol.
A through B off C out
- 11 I'll pick you _____ outside the station at 10.00.
A over B out C up
- 12 What time shall we set _____ for the airport tomorrow?
A on B off C up
- 13 They were trying to get to Vienna and ended _____ in Bratislava!
A up B off C out

c Choose A, B, or C to complete the sentences with dependent prepositions.

- 14 For my journey to work, it's hard to choose _____ the bus and the train.
A from B between C with
- 15 What do you spend most of your money _____?
A for B to C on
- 16 My sister is really good _____ maths.
A at B with C after
- 17 I'm afraid _____ flying.
A from B of C for
- 18 Let me pay _____ dinner.
A for B out C up
- 19 We arrived _____ Frankfurt airport late in the evening.
A in B to C at
- 20 Are you worried _____ the interview tomorrow?
A about B of C for

PRONUNCIATION

a Which word has a different sound? Choose A, B, or C.

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| 1 A watch | B rush | C station |
| 2 A catch | B coach | C crash |
| 3 A journey | B bridge | C adventure |
| 4 A the platform | B the traffic | C the Underground |
| 5 A the end | B the station | C the hour |

b Which is the stressed syllable? Choose A, B, or C.

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| 6 A mo tor way | B mo <u>tor</u> way | C <u>mo</u> tor way |
| 7 A Un <u>der</u> ground | B <u>Un</u> der ground | C Un der <u>ground</u> |
| 8 A a <u>po</u> lo gize | B a po <u>lo</u> gize | C a po lo <u>gize</u> |
| 9 A <u>pe</u> des trian | B pe <u>des</u> trian | C pe des <u>trian</u> |
| 10 A <u>ge</u> ner ally | B ge <u>ner</u> ally | C ge ner <u>ally</u> |