

Test 1a

Choose the correct answer — *a, b, c or d* — to complete the following texts. Only one answer is correct.

1. Come on, children! Look at the time! We'll be late if we _____.
☐ a) aren't hurrying
☐ b) mightn't hurry
☐ c) won't hurry
☐ d) don't hurry
2. I gave him my e-mail address and he gave _____.
☐ a) me his
☐ b) me the his
☐ c) to me his
☐ d) me hims
3. —How much did their new electric car cost?
—I don't know exactly. But it cost much more _____ an ordinary car.
☐ a) as
☐ b) of
☐ c) than
☐ d) that
4. —What did you do last night?
—I went to the cinema with _____.
☐ a) one friend of mine
☐ b) a friend mine
☐ c) a friend of me
☐ d) a friend of mine
5. In Britain, banks _____ at lunchtime.
☐ a) aren't usually closing
☐ b) usually aren't closing
☐ c) don't usually close
☐ d) doesn't usually close
6. —I fell off my bicycle yesterday and hurt myself.
—_____? Are you all right now?
☐ a) Have you
☐ b) Did you
☐ c) Is true
☐ d) Is it
7. He's a good photographer. What kind of camera _____?
☐ a) has he got
☐ b) does he got
☐ c) is he having
☐ d) he's got
8. —When _____?
—31st March, 1958.
☐ a) did you born
☐ b) did you get born
☐ c) were you born
☐ d) have you born
9. —What does Tom say in his letter?
—I don't know. I _____.
☐ a) haven't read it yet
☐ b) yet haven't read it
☐ c) haven't still read it
☐ d) haven't read it still
10. —_____ learning English?
—Not really, but it's necessary.
☐ a) Are you liking
☐ b) Do you like
☐ c) Would you like
☐ d) Are you like
11. —Where did you buy your dictionary?
—In a _____ Oxford Street.
☐ a) library on
☐ b) library in
☐ c) bookcase in
☐ d) bookshop in
12. —Don't say anything to Harry about our conversation.
—Don't worry, I _____ tell him.
☐ a) am going not to
☐ b) willn't
☐ c) won't
☐ d) don't

13. —I've brought you some flowers.

—_____!

- ☐ a) What a nice surprise
- ☐ b) How nice surprise
- ☐ c) What a surprise so nice
- ☐ d) What nice surprise

14. —I always feel tired these days.

—You _____ work so hard.

- ☐ a) shouldn't
- ☐ b) couldn't
- ☐ c) wouldn't
- ☐ d) mightn't

15. When I was at school, I _____ learn a lot of irregular verbs by heart.

- ☐ a) was having to
- ☐ b) must
- ☐ c) had to
- ☐ d) have had to

16. I _____ my work at two o'clock today.

- ☐ a) finished
- ☐ b) have finished
- ☐ c) was finished
- ☐ d) has finished

17. —I'm really tired today. I went for a long walk yesterday.

—_____ did you walk?

- ☐ a) Which distance
- ☐ b) How much distance
- ☐ c) How far
- ☐ d) What far

18. This car belongs to James. It's _____.

- ☐ a) the car of James
- ☐ b) the car of James'
- ☐ c) James' car
- ☐ d) James's car

19. _____ he's very rich, he isn't happy.

- ☐ a) But
- ☐ b) However
- ☐ c) Even
- ☐ d) Although

20. Can I have _____ milk in my tea? I don't like it black.

- ☐ a) any
- ☐ b) some
- ☐ c) a bit
- ☐ d) a little of

21. He had to work _____ to pass the physics exam.

- ☐ a) really hardly
- ☐ b) really hard
- ☐ c) real hardly
- ☐ d) real hard

22. —_____ to the United States?

—No, but I want to go there next year.

- ☐ a) Did you ever visit
- ☐ b) Were you ever
- ☐ c) Have you ever been
- ☐ d) Have you ever gone

23. Mexico City isn't _____ London, but it's more crowded.

- ☐ a) so expensive that
- ☐ b) as expensive as
- ☐ c) so expensive than
- ☐ d) as expensive like

24. My English isn't _____ for a translator's job.

- ☐ a) quite good
- ☐ b) too good
- ☐ c) enough good
- ☐ d) good enough

25. The boy is only three years old. He's _____ to go to school.

- ☐ a) still too young
- ☐ b) yet too young
- ☐ c) already too young
- ☐ d) too young already

26. Admit it. You took the money, _____?

- ☐ a) isn't it
- ☐ b) isn't the truth
- ☐ c) didn't you
- ☐ d) didn't you take

27. Our cat usually stays out _____ night.

- ☐ a) at
- ☐ b) in
- ☐ c) in the
- ☐ d) by the

28. —This is a nice car. How long _____ it?

—I bought it three months ago.

- ☐ a) does it make that you have
- ☐ b) ago did you have
- ☐ c) are you having
- ☐ d) have you had

29. —Do you want to go to a football match?

—No, I'm not interested _____ football.

- ☐ a) of
- ☐ b) from
- ☐ c) in
- ☐ d) on

30. Anna's got her book, so this one can't be _____.

- ☐ a) his
- ☐ b) the his
- ☐ c) hers
- ☐ d) the hers

31. I want to visit the Colosseum when _____ in Rome.

- ☐ a) I'm
- ☐ b) I'll be
- ☐ c) I be
- ☐ d) I go

32. When _____ lose his job?

- ☐ a) did Colin lose
- ☐ b) has Colin lost
- ☐ c) was Colin losing
- ☐ d) does Colin lose

33. —Where were you this morning?

—I was _____ work.

- ☐ a) at
- ☐ b) at the
- ☐ c) in
- ☐ d) in the

34. If I can help you, I _____ you.

- ☐ a) am helping
- ☐ b) helps
- ☐ c) will help
- ☐ d) help

35. You speak _____. Where did you learn it?

- ☐ a) very well English
- ☐ b) too well English
- ☐ c) English very well
- ☐ d) English very good

36. Would you like _____ to the new Indian restaurant for dinner?

- ☐ a) that we go
- ☐ b) that you go
- ☐ c) going
- ☐ d) to go

37. He doesn't want to work for that company because they pay their workers _____.

- ☐ a) the worse
- ☐ b) the most bad
- ☐ c) badly
- ☐ d) bad

38. I'm going to the post office. I need to buy _____ stamps.

- ☐ a) a little
- ☐ b) little
- ☐ c) a few
- ☐ d) few

39. —It's nearly noon. Are they still in bed?

—That's right. They _____.

- ☐ a) haven't got up yet
- ☐ b) haven't got up still
- ☐ c) haven't got up just
- ☐ d) already haven't got up

40. He has a terrible memory. He can't remember _____.

- ☐ a) nothing
- ☐ b) no thing
- ☐ c) something
- ☐ d) anything

41. An uncle _____ crashed his car yesterday.

- ☐ a) of mine
- ☐ b) of me
- ☐ c) mine
- ☐ d) of my

42. I started painting ten years ago but I still _____ any pictures.

- ☐ a) haven't sold
- ☐ b) haven't sold
- ☐ c) didn't sell
- ☐ d) didn't sold

43. I _____ a book when he came in. He sat down and we talked a little.

- ☐ a) read
- ☐ b) have read
- ☐ c) could read
- ☐ d) was reading

44. We didn't have to wait for the train. It arrived _____ time.

- ☐ a) in
- ☐ b) on
- ☐ c) at
- ☐ d) to

45. —When did you see Hilary?

—_____ days ago.

- ☐ a) Few
- ☐ b) A few
- ☐ c) A lot
- ☐ d) A little

46. He seems to have a lot of money these days. That's very unusual, _____?

- ☐ a) isn't it
- ☐ b) isn't that
- ☐ c) hasn't he
- ☐ d) doesn't he

47. Where's Derek? I _____ him for days.

- ☐ a) wasn't seeing
- ☐ b) don't see
- ☐ c) didn't see
- ☐ d) haven't seen

48. Hurry up! The plane takes _____ in ten minutes!

- ☐ a) off
- ☐ b) on
- ☐ c) up
- ☐ d) away

49. Don't throw things on the floor. Pick _____ that piece of paper immediately.

- ☐ a) on
- ☐ b) up
- ☐ c) off
- ☐ d) away

50. Before you buy shoes and clothes, you should try them _____.

- ☐ a) up
- ☐ b) out
- ☐ c) on
- ☐ d) off