

**PLACEMENT TEST A**

Choose the correct answer.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ your book?

- A. Is there
- B. This is
- C. Is this
- D. Is these

2. \_\_\_\_\_ your friends at home?

- A. Be
- B. Are
- C. Is
- D. Do



3. Nakamoto is a \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. middle name
- B. ID number
- C. first name
- D. last name

4. Look at question 3. 07670 is \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. an ID number
- B. a telephone number
- C. a zip code
- D. a license number

5. \_\_\_\_\_ my brother.

- A. He's
- B. She's
- C. What's
- D. Where is

6. Q: Is Bill's hair long?

A: Yes, it \_\_\_\_\_.

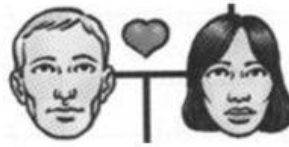
- A. is
- B. long
- C. isn't
- D. this

7. Q: \_\_\_\_\_ young?

- A. He is
- B. Has she
- C. Is she
- D. Does he

8. Mario isn't married. He's \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. bald
- B. single
- C. heavy
- D. old



My name is Richard. This is my wife, Tanya. We have two daughters. My parents live in New Jersey. I email my parents once a week. Tanya has a new cell phone. She calls her father in the Philippines once a month.

9. Richard \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. lives in the Philippines
- B. has a new cell phone
- C. lives in New Jersey
- D. has two children

10. Choose the correct date.

- A. February, 14 2009
- B. February 14, 2,009
- C. February 14, 2009
- D. February, 14, 2009

11. Choose the correct sentence.

- A. How are your parents old?
- B. How old your parents are?
- C. How your parents are old?
- D. How old are your parents?

12. Choose the correct sentence. It's \$47.62.

- A. It's forty-seven dollars and sixty-two cents.
- B. It's forty-seven and sixty-two dollars.
- C. It's dollars forty-seven and sixty-two cents.
- D. It's forty-seven and sixty-two cents.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Maria has a sister. \_\_\_\_\_ sister is 32 years old.

- A. Her
- B. His
- C. Its
- D. Their

14. My neighbors have eleven children. They have \_\_\_\_\_ children.

- A. a few
- B. a couple of
- C. not many
- D. a lot of

15. Choose the correct question for this statement: *Please buy milk at the store.*

- A. How much do we need?
- B. How many we need?
- C. How much we need?
- D. How many do we need?

19. I like animals. Those two cats are \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. mines
- B. mine
- C. me
- D. my

20. When \_\_\_\_\_ to this country?

- A. you came
- B. you did come
- C. did you come
- D. did you came

21. Dario and Berta \_\_\_\_\_ be in class tomorrow.

- A. not will be
- B. won't to be
- C. willn't be
- D. won't be

|                 | Mon.                    | Tues.               | Wed.                    | Thurs.              | Fri.                |
|-----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 6:00 A.M.       | exercise                | exercise            | exercise                | exercise            | exercise            |
| 7:30 A.M.       | take kids to school     | take kids to school | take kids to school     | take kids to school | take kids to school |
| 8 A.M.-12 P.M.  | work                    | work                | work                    | work                | work                |
| 12:00-1:00 P.M. | lunch                   | lunch               | lunch                   | lunch               | lunch               |
| 1:00-5:00 P.M.  | work                    | work                | work                    | work                | work                |
| 5:00-7:00 P.M.  | dinner with family      | dinner with family  | neighborhood meeting    | dinner with family  | movie with wife     |
| 7:00-10:00 P.M. | help kids with homework | ESL class           | help kids with homework | ESL class           | study               |

16. Look at Cliff's schedule above and choose the best answer. How often does Cliff go to work?

- A. twice a week
- B. every weekday
- C. every evening
- D. after ESL class

17. Look at Cliff's schedule above. When does he go to the neighborhood meeting?

- A. every Tuesday
- B. Wednesday at 5:00 P.M.
- C. twice a week
- D. every Monday evening

18. This morning I studied for \_\_\_\_\_ hour.

- A. the
- B. a
- C. an

22. It's 12:00. \_\_\_\_\_ ready to have lunch?

- A. Are you
- B. Do you
- C. You are
- D. Is it

23. Where \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. the post office is
- B. is the post office at
- C. do the post office
- D. is the post office

24. Is that \_\_\_\_\_ backpack?

- A. John
- B. John's
- C. Johns'

D. --

D. is John's

Many older people are now using the Internet. At first, many of them didn't want to learn about computers. They thought computers were difficult to use and that they cost a lot of money. Then, some grandparents learned how to use email to write to their grandchildren. Later, they started to talk with their friends in other cities using social media. It was fun and cheaper than using the telephone. Now older people are using the Internet to check the weather, make airline reservations, find movie reviews, and even follow their favorite sports teams.

25. Look at the reading passage above. Older people first used computers to \_\_\_\_.

- A. check the weather
- B. write to their grandchildren
- C. find a doctor
- D. follow their favorite sports teams

30. Fatima isn't sure if she wants to continue her education. She \_\_\_\_ go to college.

- A. should not
- B. couldn't
- C. might not
- D. don't

26. Look at the reading passage above. In the story, people talk to their friends in other cities using \_\_\_\_.

- A. airline reservations
- B. the telephone
- C. email
- D. social media

31. My leg \_\_\_\_ since yesterday.

- A. have been hurting
- B. has been hurting
- C. has hurting
- D. have been hurt

27. Look at the reading passage above. In the story, older people don't use computers to \_\_\_\_.

- A. follow their favorite sports teams
- B. check the weather
- C. use the telephone
- D. write to their grandchildren

32. \_\_\_\_ lives in a house.

- A. We
- B. He
- C. They
- D. I

28. You \_\_\_\_ wear a coat when the weather is warm.

- A. don't have to
- B. has to
- C. must
- D. couldn't

33. David is very short. Ben is very tall. David is \_\_\_\_ Ben.

- A. not as tall than
- B. shorter as
- C. as short as
- D. not as tall as

29. Martina is \_\_\_\_ students in the class.

- A. the most old
- B. the older
- C. one of the oldest
- D. oldest

34. Ivan and Larry \_\_\_\_ white shirts to work every day.

- A. wears
- B. wearing
- C. wear
- D. are wearing

35. Look at the picture and choose the best answer.



The plate is \_\_\_\_\_ the forks.

- A. under
- B. next to
- C. between
- D. above

36. The neighborhood near the train station is \_\_\_\_\_ one in the town.

- A. the most safer
- B. the safest
- C. safer
- D. safest

37. This restaurant isn't very expensive. In fact, it's quite \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. small
- B. affordable
- C. comfortable
- D. noisy

38. Anna feeds the dog at 7:00. She takes a shower at 7:30. \_\_\_\_\_ she feeds the dog, Anna takes a shower.

- A. When
- B. During
- C. After
- D. Before

39. Why did I leave my cell phone at home?

- A. I should have remembered to bring it.
- B. I should remembered to bring it.
- C. I should to remember to bring it.
- D. I should have forgotten to bring it.

40. Look at this chart and choose the best answer.

\_\_\_\_\_ have a computer.

- A. None of them
- B. Most of them
- C. All of them
- D. A few of them

#### Personal Information

| Student's Name | Have a computer? | Have a job? | Wear glasses? | Play soccer? |
|----------------|------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| Kenji          | yes              | yes         | no            | yes          |
| Rita           | no               | yes         | no            | no           |
| Anna           | yes              | yes         | yes           | yes          |
| Frank          | yes              | yes         | no            | yes          |
| Victor         | yes              | yes         | no            | no           |
| Carmen         | yes              | yes         | no            | no           |

41. Look at the chart again and choose the best answer. \_\_\_\_\_ wears glasses.

- A. Everyone
- B. Someone
- C. No one
- D. Nobody

42. The food in that restaurant is terrible. It's \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. frightening
- B. disgusting
- C. challenging
- D. interesting

43. I think I know where Charlie went. He \_\_\_\_\_ to the supermarket.

- A. can have gone
- B. could go
- C. must have gone
- D. might go

44. Celia is a good cook. She \_\_\_\_\_ great pizza!

- A. knows to make
- B. knows how make
- C. knows making
- D. knows how to make

45. Read the article on the right. It says we need to sleep \_\_\_\_\_ a day.

- A. four to five hours
- B. six to eight hours
- C. nine hours
- D. ten hours

### Health

Doctors talk to their patients every day about their health. Patients learn that they should all get enough rest and reduce stress. Doctors say that most people need six to eight hours of sleep. Doctors also say that it is important to eat three healthy meals a day. Exercising every day is important too. We should see the doctor every year for a checkup or a physical. Finally, doctors say that smoking is NOT a good idea at all. So, to be healthy, we need to get enough sleep, reduce stress, eat well, exercise, see the doctor, and we should never smoke.

46. Look at the article again. It says we should get a check up \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. once a month
- B. every six months
- C. once a year
- D. when we are stressed

49. After \_\_\_\_\_ for two months, Marla took the citizenship test.

- A. study
- B. she study
- C. studying
- D. to study

47. Laura's parents \_\_\_\_\_ to college.

- A. encouraged her to go
- B. encouraged that she go
- C. encouraged her go
- D. encouraged her going

50. *I am in favor of that law* means \_\_\_\_\_ the law.

- A. I don't agree with
- B. I'm opposed to
- C. I approve of
- D. I object to

48. It is impossible \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. do everything perfectly.
- B. to do everything perfectly.
- C. to doing everything perfectly.
- D. you do everything perfectly.

**LISTENING TEST A****51. Listen and choose the best answer. Dennis is**

\_\_\_\_\_.

- A. Carmen's husband
- B. Carmen's child
- C. Carmen's daughter
- D. Carmen's grandchild

**52. Listen and choose the best answer. Carlos**

\_\_\_\_\_.

- A. doesn't do his homework
- B. works part-time
- C. studies at night
- D. works in a store

**53. Listen and choose the best answer. Where is the drugstore?**

- A. next to the shoe store
- B. behind the supermarket
- C. behind the shoe store
- D. on Oak Street

**54. Listen and choose the best answer. Where is the post office?**

- A. on Baker Street
- B. in front of the supermarket
- C. in front of the drugstore
- D. on Oak Street

**55. Listen and choose the best answer. How much is a one bedroom apartment?**

- A. \$600
- B. \$700
- C. \$750
- D. \$850

**56. Listen and choose the best answer. What's the problem?**

- A. The woman is 23 years old.
- B. The man is worried.
- C. The woman can't see well.
- D. The man can't see the board in class.

**57. Listen and choose the best answer. What did the man not do?**

- A. work in a doctor's office
- B. prepare a newsletter
- C. schedule meetings
- D. schedule appointments

**58. Listen and choose the best answer. What did the woman think of the shoes?**

- A. They were cute and comfortable.
- B. They were fashionable but unreasonable.
- C. They were fashionable and reasonable.
- D. They were cute but uncomfortable.

**59. Listen and choose the best answer. What did Ramon's doctor say about the tests?**

- A. She could give Ramon one more test.
- B. She had to give Ramon more tests.
- C. She could give Ramon more tests.
- D. She couldn't give Ramon any more tests.

**60. Listen and choose the best answer. What did Ramon's doctor say the most important thing was?**

- A. The most important thing was to rest.
- B. The most important thing was to stay active.
- C. The most important thing was not to eat junk food.
- D. The most important thing was to come back in two weeks.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_