TEST 4

Present Tenses

1. I'm taking my sister out as she ___ any sun for a long time.
A) hasn't had B) haven't had C) hadn't been
D) will have E) shall have

2. He ___ ill for three months already.
A) was B) has been C) is
D) have been E) were

3. Who goes sightseeing?
A) Nina does. B) We shall. C) We did.
D) I did. E) She has.

4. I usually ___ a blouse and jeans at home, but today I ___ on a new dress.
A) wear/have put B) have worn/have put
C) wore/has put D) wears/has put
E) will wear/put

5. What ___ the president ___?
-He ___ a contract.
A) does/do/has signed B) is/doing/is signing
C) will/do/was signing D) is/ going to do/would sign
E) shall/do/has been signing

6. Look! The cat ___ your cutlet.
A) is eating B) was eating C) eats
D) has been eating E) had eaten

7. You look pale. You ___ too hard these days.
A) have been working B) worked C) are working
D) work E) were working

8. What ___ you ___ since I saw you last?
A) do/do B) are/doing
C) have/been doing D) did/do
E) will/do

9. It is 8.30. Ben and Ann ___ breakfast.
A) have B) are having C) is having
D) was having E) were having

10. She ___ a journalist nowadays.
A) are B) was C) is
D) were E) am

11. You ___ always ___ your things. Put them into their bag.
A) are/losing B) -/lost
C) have/lost D) shall/have been losing
E) had/lust

12. What place ___ the youth of our country occupy in all branches now?
A) did B) shall C) is
D) does E) will

13. I ___ home for lunch on Mondays. I have lunch in the canteen.
A) didn't go B) was going C) don't go
D) doesn't go E) will not go

14. Westminster Abbey is the ancient old church in which the coronation ceremonies of almost all English kings and queens ___ place.
A) will take B) was taken C) was taking
D) is taking E) have taken

15. This is the most interesting film I ___ ever ___.
A) didn't/see B) was/seen C) have /saw
D) have/seen E) had/seen

16. "Nobody ___ in that country," said Pinocchio to his friend.
A) don't learn B) are learning C) learns
D) doesn't learn E) learn

17. Paul ___ a student of Cambridge University.
A) were B) are C) am
D) be E) is

18. "Little boy", said a man, "why do you carry that umbrella over your head? It ___ and the sun ___"
A) rains/isn't shining B) doesn't rain/shines
C) isn't raining/isn't shining D) is raining/is shining
E) isn't raining/don't shine

19. Who often has dinner at the canteen?
A) I did B) we do C) he had
D) they have E) she will

20. I ___ never ___ him before.
A) - /met B) - /meet C) have/met
D) has/met E) -/meets

21. The weather is awful, it ___ all day.
A) rains B) is raining C) rained
D) has rained E) has been raining

22. It is 2 o'clock. I ___ afraid I ___ late.
A) was/am B) shall be/am C) am/am
D) was/was E) am/wasn't

23. Who usually answers these letters in your office?
A) My friend can. B) That man will. C) I do, of course.
D) Mary is. E) Those engineers did.

24. The milk is hot I ___ on it to make it cold.
A) am blowing B) blow C) is blowing
D) blew E) had blown

25. - You don't like horror films, do you?
- ___ . They are so terrifying.
A) Yes, I can. B) No, I can't. C) No, I don't.
D) Yes, I do. E) No, we didn't.

26. ___ this engineer work at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
A) do B) does C) has
D) had E) shall

27. He ___ never ___ him sing.
A) had___ heard B) has___heard C) have___ heard
D) was___ hearing E) is___ hearing

28. I think ___ .
A) if he is about fifty B) he is about fifty C) her about fifty
D) him about fifty E) be about fifty

29. I miss her very much, almost every minute of the day I think of her, or I think I ___ her.
A) am hearing B) hear C) heard
D) have heard E) will hear

30. Look! There ___ a man sitting at the first table near the door. He ___ at us.
A) was/looks B) had been/looked
C) were/had looked D) is/is looking
E) is/was looking

31. These engineers always ___ in the office and ___
A) stayed/learn B) stay/learn C) stays/learns
D) have stayed/learned E) stay/learned

32. It's the happiest evening I ever ___ .
A) had B) have had C) has
D) has had E) had had

33. Let me show the picture that I ___ this week.
A) am drawing B) shall be drawing C) have drawn
D) drew E) will be drawing

34. This is the 7th year Ann and Mary ___ this school.
A) has attended B) have been attending
C) had been attending D) are attending
E) were attending

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35. He ___ his English in the morning, he ___ it in the evening.
A) doesn't have/is having B) don't have/had
C) doesn't have/has D) didn't have/have
E) hadn't/will have

36. The sun ___ in the East and ___ in the West.
A) sets/rises B) sets/goes C) rises/sets
D) goes/rises E) set/rise

37. While ___ to school we always ___ a bus.
A) going/take B) went/take
C) shall go/will take D) had gone/took
E) goes/takes

38. We don't like him because he always ___ lies.
A) tell B) was telling C) tells
D) are telling E) has told

39. I ___ all my work. I am free now.
A) do B) am doing C) shall do
D) have done E) had done

40. She ___ at school since 1984.
A) teach B) has been teaching C) taught
D) was teaching E) have taught

41. - ___ your father ___ at the Medical College?
- Yes, he does.
A) do/work B) did/work C) has/worked
D) does/work E) shall/work

42. He ___ to school at 7:30 and ___ at 2 o'clock.
A) goes/comes back B) went/is coming back
C) go/come back D) was going/has come back
E) is going/came back

43. -You ___ not ___ your soup.
-I'm sorry. I'm not hungry.
A) are/eat B) has/eaten C) are/eating
D) did/ate E) will/eat

44. -Who ___ French in your family?
-I ___ .
A) speaks/do B) speak/does C) spoke/do
D) speaking/did E) are speaking/did

45. Although Mary has been cooking for many years, she still ___ how to prepare Chinese food.
A) did not know B) know C) don't know
D) doesn't know E) hadn't known

46. The aims of the course ___ me willing to begin.
A) makes B) is making C) were made
D) make E) making

47. Listen! Somebody ___ in the next room.
A) sing B) sings C) are singing
D) is singing E) is sung

48. -___ life ___ on Mars?
-No, it ___ .
A) Does/exist/doesn't B) Did/existed/didn't
C) Has/existed/had D) Had/existed/had
E) Will/exist/will

49. I ___ this man at all.
A) don't know B) know C) knew
D) have known E) doesn't know

50. The boys ___ four English books this year.
A) read B) had read C) reads
D) have read E) read

51. I know he reads every book I ___ ever ___ of.
A) -/hear B) -/heard C) have/heard
D) has/heard E) had/heard

52. Nothing will make him ___ back to her.
A) to come B) come C) came
D) coming E) would come

53. Listen! Someone ___ at the door.
A) knocks B) to knock C) has knocked
D) is knocking E) has been knocking

54. "This thief ___ usually promise to steal again," said Sherlock Holmes.
A) won't B) didn't C) isn't
D) doesn't E) don't

55. Samuel says he's 25 years old, but nobody ___ him.
A) is believing B) believes C) had believed
D) don't believe E) doesn't believe

56. The sea ___ to those who ___ to listen to it.
A) speaks/likes B) speak/like C) speaks/like
D) speak/likes E) speak/will like

57. Take your umbrella. It ___ .
A) was raining B) rained C) rains
D) is raining E) would be raining

58. We can't disturb him now. He ___ .
A) operate B) will operate C) has operated
D) is operating E) operates

59. The children of the man who works with me ___ the window this morning.
A) were broken B) break C) broke
D) have broken E) had broken

60. "Who ___ this picture?" the teacher asks.
A) is drawn B) drawn C) have drawn
D) draws E) has drawn

61. -Where is Comrade A?
-He ___ tennis.
A) plays B) is playing C) played
D) has been playing E) will play

62. I ___ never ___ such beautiful flowers before.
A) shall / see B) had / seen C) have / seen
D) has / seen E) will / see

63. I've got to get him to the station. His train ___ at the moment.
A) leave B) has left C) had left
D) is leaving E) are leaving

64. -What ___ you ___?
-I ___ now.
A) are/doing/am washing up
B) have/done/am washing up
C) have/been done/am washed up
D) were/done/have washed up
E) is/doing/did not wash up

65. We can go out now. It ___ .
A) don't rain B) rains C) didn't rain
D) has rained E) isn't raining

66. You'll see what I ___ about you recently.
A) shall write B) have written C) had written
D) is written E) was written

67. She ___ since last week.
A) is ill B) was ill C) had been ill
D) has been ill E) will be ill

68. Listen! Somebody ___ at the door.
A) knocked B) has knocked C) is knocking
D) was knocking E) knocks

69. This year we ___ a good harvest of cotton.
A) has grown B) have grown C) grown
D) were growing E) are grown

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70. Look at the little boys! They ___ with stones.
A) play B) will play C) are playing
D) is playing E) played

71. It ___ him 20 minutes to get to the work usually.
A) take B) is taking C) have taken
D) is not taking E) takes

72. Usually my working day ___ at 8.30 sharp.
A) start B) starts C) would be
D) won't start E) has started

73. Stop a minute, think what you ___ .
A) are saying B) say C) says
D) is saying E) has said

74. The population of the world ___ very fast.
A) rise B) rises C) is rising
D) rose E) is risen

75. Tourists ___ a lot of different information when they travel.
A) get B) gets C) has got
D) would get E) were getting

76. The English seaside ___ very popular lately.
A) becomes B) has become C) became
D) will become E) is becoming

77. ___ he already___ the rules in the race ?
A) did/break B) does/break C) is/breaking
D) has/broken E) had/broken

78. Peter ___ his lessons. When he finishes them he'll watch TV.
A) does B) do C) did
D) is doing E) has done

79. I ___ never ___ the book.
A) didn't/read B) haven't/read C) have/read
D) don't/read E) was/reading

80. Look! The girls ___ in the park.
A) skate B) skated C) are skating
D) will skate E) has skated

81. She is sorry, she ___ so rude.
A) were B) will be C) are
D) has been E) had been

82. Why ___ nothing ___?
A) has / been done still B) hasn't / been done yet
C) has / been done yet D) was / done yet
E) have / been done yet

83. Shh! The teacher ___ on the blackboard.
A) wrote B) was writing C) writes
D) will write E) is writing

84. I ___ here since 1972.
A) was living B) had lived C) lives
D) am living E) have lived

85. ___ you ___ to England?
A) were/being B) are/being C) have/been
D) were/being E) had/been

86. Hello! Who ___?
A) spoke B) speaks
C) has been speaking D) is speaking
E) was spoken

87. Max ___ to be good at interpreting, ___ he?
A) doesn't seem/does B) seems/does
C)seemed/did D) seems/does
E) didn't seem/doesn't

88. ___ you ever ___ Herr Boschen sing his great German comic songs?
A) had/heard B) did/hear C) do/hear
D) are/hearing E) have/heard

89. Who ___ writing the text yet?
A) haven't finished B) didn't finish C) doesn't finish
D) won't finish E) hasn't finished

90. - What ___ you ___?
- I ___ a letter.
A) are doing/am writing B) have done/am writing
C) did/write D) have done/am writing
E) has done/wrote

91. We ___ already twenty words.
A) learned B) have learned C) learn
D) will learn E) are learning

92. "I can't marry Mr. Fire. I ___ already ___ my word to another man", said the chief's daughter.
A) don't/give B) had/given C) shall/give
D) didn't/give E) have/given

93. Be quick! A dog ___ after your child.
A) runs B) ran C) was running
D) will run E) is running

94. I ___ never ___ to the USA.
A) is/ been B) has/been C) have/been
D) having/been E) was/being

95. Oh, not really, I ___ a minute since I came in.
A) haven't had B) haven't C) were not
D) will have E) hadn't

96. Take away the crib; the teacher ___ at you.
A) look B) is looking C) looks
D) looked E) had looked

97. I ___ them for 10 months.
A) know B) knows C) have known
D) will know E) shall know

98. Why ___ you ___ the coat? It's not cold.
A) do/put on B) has/put on C) have/put on
D) would/put on E) had/put on

99. Don't enter the classroom. The students ___ an exam.
A) write B) were writing C) have written
D) are writing E) had been written

100. Look! They ___ in our direction.
A) come B) came C) will come
D) was coming E) are coming

101. I ___ Paul since Christmas.
A) don't see B) haven't seen C) hadn't seen
D) wasn't seen E) won't see

102. "Fortune" ___ the magazine of business success for over 50 years.
A) is B) was C) will be
D) has been E) were

103. She ___ false impressions on those who ___ you.
A) will produce / hadn't known
B) produces / don't know
C) produces / doesn't know
D) has produced / will not know
E) would produce / have not known

104. Food prices ___ rapidly in the past few months.
A) had risen B) has risen C) have risen
D) was rising E) rises

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