

## B2 – Mini Test 1

1. Smoking is sometimes seen as the \_\_\_\_\_ for many health problems.
2. I have had a TV ever since \_\_\_\_\_ invention of such devices.
3. People spray fruits with chemicals to \_\_\_\_\_ their appearance.
4. Houses are very expensive and families just cannot \_\_\_\_\_ such high prices.
5. Sometimes we eat without really \_\_\_\_\_ about it.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ chocolate is delicious, it can be found in a great variety.
7. The thieves \_\_\_\_\_ with many diamonds.
8. I have been trying to \_\_\_\_\_ Penny, but his mobile is turned off.
9. My teacher \_\_\_\_\_ me to do a summer English course.
10. Don't let him see you! Keep out of \_\_\_\_\_ !
11. We should \_\_\_\_\_ time in our schedule for some exercise. We must be fit in summer.
12. This coffee has \_\_\_\_\_ much water in it that I can't drink it.
13. Could you \_\_\_\_\_ me the way to the post office please?
14. "I won't tell you my secret! I don't \_\_\_\_\_ you!"
15. If my parents \_\_\_\_\_ me to go out tonight, we'll go to the cinema.
16. Before this house was built, there were many trees here, but now they have been \_\_\_\_\_
17. I was walking \_\_\_\_\_ a forest, when I saw a snake.
18. I am not very fond of \_\_\_\_\_.
19. Pam would really appreciate it if you \_\_\_\_\_ to visit her.
20. I will come on Thursday. You \_\_\_\_\_ your results by then.
21. Despite \_\_\_\_\_ we were late, ...
22. ... we were able to catch \_\_\_\_\_ last train to London.
23. The village \_\_\_\_\_ my grandfather was born is in northern Holland.
24. My sister was \_\_\_\_\_ tired yesterday to have dinner with us.
25. I \_\_\_\_\_ not have dressed so formal at the dinner-party as everyone was wearing jeans.

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| 1  | A | cure         | B | healing            | C | cause         | D | method           |
| 2  | A | any          | B | the                | C | some          | D | an               |
| 3  | A | continue     | B | assist             | C | defend        | D | maintain         |
| 4  | A | have         | B | afford             | C | spend         | D | find             |
| 5  | A | to think     | B | have thought       | C | thought       | D | thinking         |
| 6  | A | Despite      | B | Because of         | C | Since         | D | Due to           |
| 7  | A | got along    | B | got away           | C | got back      | D | Got down         |
| 8  | A | connect      | B | access             | C | reach         | D | speak            |
| 9  | A | advised      | B | offered            | C | explained     | D | suggested        |
| 10 | A | control      | B | sight              | C | luck          | D | mind             |
| 11 | A | spend        | B | make               | C | put           | D | do               |
| 12 | A | so           | B | too                | C | enough        | D | such             |
| 13 | A | help         | B | direct             | C | show          | D | lead             |
| 14 | A | rely         | B | believe            | C | ensure        | D | trust            |
| 15 | A | allow        | B | permit             | C | accept        | D | let              |
| 16 | A | cut up       | B | cut down           | C | cut out       | D | cut off          |
| 17 | A | between      | B | along              | C | through       | D | at               |
| 18 | A | ski          | B | to ski             | C | skiing        | D | skied            |
| 19 | A | have gone    | B | went               | C | will go       | D | had gone         |
| 20 | A | will receive | B | will have received | C | are receiving | D | will be received |
| 21 | A | been         | B | the fact that      | C | that          | D | of               |
| 22 | A | the          | B | a                  | C | any           | D | each             |
| 23 | A | which        | B | whose              | C | when          | D | where            |
| 24 | A | so           | B | much               | C | very          | D | too              |
| 25 | A | could        | B | need               | C | would         | D | might            |