



GENERAL PLACEMENT TEST

Choose the best option (a, b, c or d) to fill in each blank.

- 1) A: _____ you from?
B: _____ from Brazil.
a) Where are / We're c) Where's / I'm
b) Where are / They're d) Where's / You're
- 2) A: Tell me about your mother. When is _____ birthday?
B: April 4.
a) my b) his c) your d) her
- 3) My _____ is 33. She's _____ engineer.
a) brother / an b) father / a c) sister / an d) mother / a
- 4) I _____ action movies.
a) don't like b) loves c) likes d) doesn't like
- 5) He _____ plays videogames. He does it seven days a week.
a) never b) rarely c) sometimes d) always
- 6) A: _____ any good restaurants near here?
B: Go to Salads & Co. It's really good!
a) Are there b) Is there c) Have d) Have it
- 7) A: Ann, what _____ you _____ right now?
B: I _____ to music.
a) are / doing / am listening c) are / doing / listen
b) is / do / am listening d) do / doing / am listening

- 8) I _____ understand Japanese well. It's too difficult!
a) am not b) can't c) can d) don't can
- 9) A: What are _____?
B: _____ new jeans for Ann.
a) these / those b) that / this is c) those /
they're d) they're / that
- 10) A: Is she _____ than Cris?
B: Yes, but she's _____.
a) less old / smaller c) older / more small
b) less old / more small d) older / smaller
- 11) A: Do you like _____ boots, Mark?
B: Yes, but they're expensive!
a) this b) that c) these d) there
- 12) A: I need something to drink.
B: Do you want _____ water?
A: Yes, sure. Thank you.
a) no b) any c) a d) some
- 13) A: _____ some coffee?
B: Sure. I'd _____ a cup.
a) Do you would / love c) Do you like / want
b) Would you like / love d) Would you want / like to
- 14) A: How _____ your weekend?
B: Horrible. I _____ to the beach and it _____ all the time.
a) did / went / rained c) went / went / rained
b) was / went / rained d) was / go / rains

- 15) ____Sundays she gets up ____ ten ____ the morning.
a) In / at / in b) At / at / in c) On / on / in d) On / at / in
- 16) A: Are these tickets _____?
B: No, they are his.
a) yours b) his c) it d) is
- 17) A: How do I get to the hospital?
B: Take the first street ____the left and go ____ahead for six blocks.
a) straight / on b) in / on c) on / straight d) on / in
- 18) A: Are you ready for_____?
B: Yes, the main course was great! I'd like _____.
a) dessert / some strawberries and cream
b) an appetizer / a shrimp cocktail
c) a beverage / some strawberries and cream
b) dessert / fish and chips.
- 19) I love wearing blue _____. My favorite brand is Levi's.
a) dress b) jeans c) T-shirt d) coat
- 20) A: _____ car is this?
B: It's Peter's.
a) Who's b) What c) Whose d) Where
- 21) A: What _____you doing when the accident_____?
B: I was _____the baby.
a) were / happen / feeding c) were / happened / feeding
b) was / did / fed d) did / happened / to feed

- 22) A. I think that "Cats" is the _____ Broadway musical.
B. I disagree. I think "The Phantom of the Opera" is better.
a) good b) best c) better d) most good
- 23) A: _____ to France?
B: Yes, I _____.
a) Have you ever went / been c) Did you ever go / went
b) Have you ever been / have d) Were you ever been / went
- 24) A: How _____ friends do you have on Facebook?
B: _____. I don't use Facebook very much.
a) more / a lot b) much / more c) many / a little d) many / few
- 25) These potato chips are _____ salty! I can't eat them!
a) to b) with c) too d) few
- 26) I need a vacation. I _____ go to Europe with you in July if I have the money.
a) might b) ought c) should to d) must
- 27) The plane _____ at four.
a) is leave b) leave c) leaves d) are leaving
- 28) I need to drink more water. Only 1 liter per day is _____.
a) too much b) a few c) not enough d) little.
- 29) My sister _____ to Canada tomorrow. _____ a farewell party tonight.
a) is going / we having c) is going / we are having
b) going / we have d) will go / we had

- 30) A: Where is cotton _____?
B: I think the best cotton _____ in Egypt.
a) grown / is produced c) grows / is produced
b) grow / produces d) grew / produced
- 31) A: _____ to the movies tonight. Do you want to come?
B: I don't know. If I _____ off work early, _____ with you.
a) I'm to go / get / I come c) I'm going / got / I'll come
b) I'm going / get / I'll come d) We go / got / I'll go
- 32) My father is very _____ in the internet.
a) interested b) addicted c) enthusiastic d) interesting
- 33) I'm very happy _____ a new website I found.
a) by b) in c) on d) about
- 34) My brother _____ a young British girl last week.
a) got married to c) got married
b) got married with d) married with
- 35) A: Hi, Judy. What have you _____ lately?
B: Not much. I've _____ with my father while I finish school.
a) done / worked c) been doing / been working
b) been doing / worked d) done / working
- 36) A: Have you graduated from high school _____?
B: Yes, I have _____ graduated.
a) already / yet b) yet / already c) yet / yet d) already / soon
- 37) A: My sister has short hair now, but she _____ have long hair when she was 15.
B: _____, but I didn't like it much.
a) used to / So did I c) used to / So do I
b) didn't use to / I don't either d) had / So was I

- 38) A: How can I get _____?
 B: If you call this number, they'll have _____.
 a) repaired my phone line / fixed it c) my phone line repaired / it fixed
 b) to repair my phone line / it to fix d) to repaired my phone line / fixed it
- 39) Ann asked Betty _____ she was going to Mark's party.
 Betty said _____.
 a) if / she had sure c) that / she wasn't sure
 b) whether / she wasn't sure d) out / she had sure
- 40) A: I _____ John _____ angry.
 B: If I _____ you, I _____ call him.
 a) wish / wasn't / were / would c) wished / wasn't / was / would
 b) wish / wasn't/ would/ wasn't d) wish / weren't / was / will
- 41) If I _____ you a secret, _____ you promise not to tell anyone?
 a) count / would b) tell / did c) told / would d) told / will
- 42) Anna is a genius, _____?
 a) doesn't she? b) did she? c) aren't you? d) isn't she?
- 43) She lives in São Paulo, _____?
 a) don't she? b) didn't she? c) isn't she? d) doesn't she?
- 44) I _____ my shower when the telephone _____.
 a) had just started / rang c) had just started / had rung
 b) started / had ring d) started / rung
- 45) I _____ my knee. _____ down.
 a) hurted / I wish I had not fell c) did hurt / I wish I didn't fall
 b) hurt / I wish I hadn't fallen d) hurt / I wish I hadn't fall

- 46) He's the actor _____ is in _____ new movie.
a) who / that b) which / the c) who / an d) that / which
- 47) You have _____ a decision in a few months, but you still have a lot of time _____ up your mind.
a) to make / to make c) to take / to do
b) to get / to go d) to do / to get
- 48) Some people never _____ risks. They are afraid to leave their comfort _____.
a) do / area b) make / spot c) take / zone d) take / place
- 49) I like your hair. Where _____?
a) you cut it c) do you cut it
b) did you get it cut d) have it cut
- 50) John tells me Jack's going out with Helen, _____ I find it hard to believe.
a) that b) who c) whose d) which
- 51) A: Tom, can you _____ the phone, please? I'm trying to _____ a problem with this computer!
a) catch up / deal in c) hear of / fill out
b) pick up / deal with d) talk into / improve on
- 52) I have no _____ what time the swimming pool opens.
a) belief b) opinion c) idea d) feeling
- 53) Brian got really _____ after his vacation during the Brazilian summer.
a) tanned b) sunned c) colored d) darkened
- 54) I hope this cut on my hand _____ quickly.
a) cures b) heals c) treats d) restores

- 55) Can you give me a _____ with my bag?
a) leg b) back c) hand d) head
- 56) The meeting was _____ and not very interesting.
a) time-wasting b) time-using c) out of time d) time-consuming
- 57) Before you enter the triathlon, please bear in _____ that you're not as young as you used to be!
a) thought b) question c) mind d) opinion
- 58) Not only _____ a good wife, she is also a wonderful mother.
a) she is b) is she c) she does d) does she

Listen and write what you hear, remember we use capital letters at the beginning of a sentence and after a period.

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