

Exercise 18 :

Choose the best word or phrase to complete in the following questions.

Question 1 : He _____ to the theatre tonight. He has got a free ticket.

- A. goes B. is going C. went D. will go

Question 2 : Not a cloud in the sky. It _____ another warm day.

- A. may be B. will be C. is D. is going to be

Question 3 : When I retire, I _____ to Barbados to live.

- A. am going to come back B. will come back
C. shall come back _____ D. am coming back

Question 4 : What time _____ tomorrow?

- A. are you going to leave B. do you leave
C. will you leave D. would you leave

Question 5 : Who _____ the next World Cup?

- A. is going to win B. is wining C. will win D. win

Question 6 : The traffic is terrible. We _____ our flight.

- A. miss B. will miss C. are missing D. are going to miss

Question 7 : I _____ my books for my readers in a book exhibition at this time tomorrow.

- A. am going to sign B. will be signing C. will sign D. will have been signing

Question 8 : We _____ her the truth when she _____ home.

- A. are going to tell - will come B. are telling - comes
C. will tell - will come D. will tell - comes

Question 9 : In two months' time, Raymond_____from the college with a degree and will be expecting a respected and well-paid job.

- A. will be graduating B. has graduated
C. will have graduated D. has been graduating

Question 10 : They_____our winter house by the time we_____from our summer house.

- A. painted - had returned B. will have painted - return
C. will be painting - have returned D. have been painting - have returned

Question 11 : A: Can you join us for a picnic tomorrow?

B: Thanks, but I_____to the cinema with Anna.

- A. go B. will go C. am going D. have gone

Question 12 : Next Saturday at this time, we_____on the beach in Mexico.

- A. will relax B. relax C. will be relaxing D. are going to relax

Question 13 : Let's take her some pizza and Coke. I'm sure she will be tired when we get home, because she_____the flat all afternoon.

- A. will have been cleaning B. will be cleaning
C. is going to clean D. have been cleaning

Question 14 : In six months' time, she_____from the university.

- A. is going to graduate B. will be graduating
C. will graduate D. will have graduated

Question 15 : If you need to reach us, we _____ at the Fairmont Hotel that time.

- A. have been staying B. are staying C. will be staying
D. had been staying

Question 16 : We _____ you as soon as we arrive in Paris.

- A. will call B. call C. have called D. would call

Question 17 : You _____ yourselves in the Caribbean, while we're stuck here in New York with this cold weather.

- A. are staying B. will be enjoying C. have been staying
D. had been staying

Question 18 : Susan _____ credit card payments until her debt is all paid off.

- A. make B. have made C. are made D. will make

Question 19 : The sky is very black. It _____.

- A. snows B. is snowing C. is going to snow D. will snow

Question 20 : But all these things _____ if you marry me.

- A. will happen only B. will only happen C. happen D. are going to happen

Question 21 : I haven't made up my mind yet. But I think I _____ something nice in my mum's wardrobe.

- A. am going to B. will find C. am finding D. was finding

Question 22 : My horoscope says that I _____ an old friend this week.

- A. meet B. will meet C. am meeting D. meets

Question 23 : At this time next Friday evening Mrs.

Almanac _____ refreshments for her son's engagement party and _____ her future daughter-in-law.

A. will prepare - will be helping B. will be preparing - will be helping

C. will be preparing - will help D. will prepare - will have helped

Question 24 : By the end of next year, George _____ English for 2 years.

A. will have learned B. will learn C. has learned D. would learn

Question 25 : When will you send the message? - We _____ it by Friday.

A. will deliver B. am going to deliver

C. will be delivering D. will have delivered

Question 26 : Can we start the party at 3 o'clock? - I don't think so. All our guests _____ by then. I'm afraid.

A. won't have arrived B. don't arrive C. haven't arrived D. didn't arrive

Question 27 : - What does a blonde say when she sees a banana skin lying just a few metres in front of her? - Oh dear! I _____.

A. to slip B. will slip C. am slipping D. am going to slip

Question 28 : Here is the weather forecast. Tomorrow _____ dry and sunny.

A. is going to be B. will be C. is D. would be

Question 29 : Can I have a look at your photos tomorrow? - No, I'm sorry. I _____ them by tomorrow.

A. will not develop B. shall not develop

C. will not have developed D. am developing

Question 30 : I know by the time they come to my house this evening, I _____ out for a walk.

A. will have gone B. will go C. will be going D. shall go

Question 31 : These machines_____very well by the time you come back next month.

A. will be working B. are going to work C. will have worked D. are working

Question 32 : I hope they_____building the road by the time we come back next summer.

A. are finishing B. will be working C. are going to work D. will have finished

Question 33 : By 2020, the number of schools in our country_____.

A. will double B. will have doubled C. are doubling D. shall double

Question 34 : They_____the classroom by the end of the hour.

A. are going to leave B. will be leaving C. will have left D. are leaving

Question 35 : They_____pingpong when their father comes back home.

A. will play B. will be playing C. play D. would play

Question 36 : I'm going on holiday on Saturday.This time next week I_____on a beach in the sea.

A. will lie B. am lying C. will be lying D. should be lying

Question 37 : At 8 o'clock this evening my friends and I_____a famous film at the cinema.

A. were watching B. will be watching C. have been watching D. watched

Question 38 : They_____their presentation at this time tomorrow morning.

A. are making **B.** are going to make **C.** will be making
D. will make

Question 39 : When they _____ tomorrow, we _____ in the sea.

A. come - swim **B.** are coming - swim
C. are coming - are swimming **D.** come - will be swimming

Question 40 : She _____ from the excursion by 6 o'clock.

A. will have returned **B.** is going to return
C. is returning **D.** will be returning

Question 41 : We _____ working for ten days when they pay our wages tomorrow.

A. were going to be **B.** are going to **C.** will be **D.** will have been

Question 42 : By the end of next month, I _____ the project to the committee.

A. will have presented **B.** will present
C. will be presenting **D.** will have been presenting

Question 43 : She _____ the movie before you bring the DVD.

A. is seeing **B.** will be seeing **C.** is going to see **D.** will have seen

Question 44 : When you look through the small window, you _____ that the safe is

in its usual place.

A. would discover **B.** discovered **C.** will be discovering
D. will discover

Question 45 : Tell him I _____ anything with him until I have spoken with my wife.

- A. won't discuss B. haven't discussed C. don't discuss D. didn't discuss

Question 46 : When I finish this course, I _____ to the next level.

- A. have gone B. will go C. went D. would go

Question 47 : She is really worried that she _____ to the exam because she doesn't have her identity card on her.

- A. haven't admitted B. is not admitting
C. hadn't been admitted D. won't be admitted

Question 48 : My mom _____ for two days by the time I see her.

- A. will have been travelling B. has been travelling
C. will has been travelling D. has been travelled

Question 49 : That cat _____ you if you pull its tail.

- A. scratches B. has scratched C. will scratch D. is going to scratch

Question 50 : I _____ Alex your letter when I see her tomorrow.

- A. will send B. am going to send C. are sending D. shall send

Question 51 : - What are your plans for the holiday?

- I _____ my grandparents and then go trekking in Sapa.

- A. am going to visit B. shall go C. will go to visit D. will go