Sample Exam 1

Student Name:	
Class:	

Section	Minutes	Marks
Grammar 1	4	**/10**
Grammar 2	8	**/20**
Grammar 3	4	**/10**
Vocabulary 1	3	**/10**
Vocabulary 2	8	**/20**
Vocabulary 3	3	**/10**
Reading 1	15	**/9**
Reading 2	15	**/8**
Reading 3	15	**/8**
Cloze 1	8	**/8**
Cloze 2	8	**/10**
Writing	30	**/16**
TOTAL	**2 hrs**	**/140**

- This exam should be completed while ***timed*** for ***each section***. Once time runs out, the student ***MUST*** move on to the next section.
- It is preferable that the students ***type*** the writing component of the exam

Section: Grammar 1 (10 Questions / 4 minutes)

1. _____ are you looking for?

- **A** Where
- **B** When
- **C** How
- **D** What

2. I like _____ tea and coffee, but I prefer coffee.

- **A** either
- **B** neither
- **C** both
- **D** also

3. Rearrange the words below to make a correct sentence

storm	during	the	damaged	was

The house [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

4. When we arrived _____ the station, the train had already left.

- **A** under
- **B** at
- **C** to
- **D** from

5. If he _____ us, we would have gone.

- **A** invites
- **B** invited
- **C** had invited
- **D** will invite

6. I went to bed _____ I got home.

A because

B as soon as

C until

D so that

7. Our city _____ a lot since 2000.

A changed

B will change

C has changed

D had changed

8. _____ your friend done his homework?

A Having

B Has

C Have

D Haven't

9. What _____ you prefer: tea or coffee?

A could

B should

C would

D wouldn't

10. I have to go now. I _____ be late for work.

A have to

B mustn't

C must

D need to

Section: Grammar 2 (20 Questions / 8 minutes)

11. My friends are proud of _____ success.

A them

B their

C themselves

D theirs

12. The boys in this school _____ blue uniforms.

A wears

B wearing

C is wearing

D wear

13. He works for an international _____.

A organise

B organisation

C organised

D organisational

14. It is _____ proven that electrons have a negative charge.

A scientifically

B scientific

C scientist

D science

15. Rearrange the words below to make a correct sentence

this	here	happened	not	would	were
have					

If you [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
[ ]

16. I am mainly interested in _____ colours.

A brightness

B brighten

C bright

D brightly

17. Which question is correct?

A How long have you been living here?

B How long you have been have living here?

C How long you have here been living?

D How long you had been living here?

18. Which sentence is correct?

A Abroad in summer travel many families.

B Many families travel abroad in summer.

C Families travel abroad in many summer.

D In summer travel abroad many families.

19. Rearrange the words below to make a correct sentence

majority	directly	get	to	involved	people
would prefer	of				

A great [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] in group activities.

20. The teacher spotted the students while they _____ classroom early.

A left

B had left

C were leaving

D are leaving

21. This laptop is not working, please give me _____ one.

A other

B another

C others

D the others

22. Being independent means that we should learn to look after _____.

A himself

B herself

C oneself

D ourselves

23. The number of suggestions _____ overwhelming.

A was

B were

C have

D has

24. As an excuse for being late, she _____ a whole story.

A kept up

B put up

C looked up

D made up

25. Rearrange the words below to make a correct sentence

surprised	presentation	very	her	by	was

I [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

26. I _____ my medication for today.

- **A** had taken
- **B** have taken
- **C** take
- **D** was taking

27. Ali had a headache before _____ breakfast.

- **A** have
- **B** to have
- **C** having
- **D** he have

28. He _____ broken the classroom window - he wasn't even in school today.

- **A** couldn't have
- **B** mustn't
- **C** shouldn't have
- **D** shouldn't

29. Many animals in Australia are called "marsupials" which refers to a type of animal that carries their baby in a pouch, _____, the Kangaroo.

- **A** specifically
- **B** broadly speaking
- **C** for example
- **D** in other words

30. Rearrange the words below to make a correct sentence

heavily	education	has	invested	bright	guarantee	future

The UAE [ ] [ ] [ ] in [ ] to [ ] a [ ] [ ]

Section: Grammar 3 (10 Questions / 4 minutes)

31. Mr. Abdulla has four brothers; one is in Dubai, but _____ are in Abu Dhabi.

- **A** another
- **B** other
- **C** the others
- **D** the other

32. The dog _____ if it had not been tied up.

- **A** will bite me
- **B** would bite me
- **C** would have bitten me
- **D** bites me

33. _____, airline pilots have well-paid and interesting jobs.

- **A** For instance
- **B** Generally speaking
- **C** Except for
- **D** In particular

34. This is _____ garden I have ever seen!

- **A** beautiful
- **B** more beautiful
- **C** most beautiful
- **D** the most beautiful

35. She _____ from the morning until now.

- **A** sleeps
- **B** is sleeping
- **C** will sleep
- **D** has been sleeping

36. Many people do not eat well or take care of their bodies, but at some point, they'll have to _____.

A face the music

B make the most of the situation

C make a long story short

D kill two birds with one stone

37. I went to the gym after a frustrating day to _____ some steam.

A kick on

B pick out

C keep in

D blow off

38. Which question is correct?

A How would you go about achieving those results?

B What would you achieving would result?

C How are results going to achieving those?

D What are the results of the achieving about?

39. The movie star made a great _____ speech at the award ceremony,

A accept

B acceptance

C accepting

D accepted

40. Rearrange the words below to make a correct sentence

have	photos	had been	would	many	taken

If I [ ] at the event, I [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]