

Nylon (33) in the early 1930s by an American chemist, Julian Hill. Other scientists (34) with his invention, and finally on 27 October, 1938 nylon (35) to the world. It was cheap and strong and immediately (36) successful, especially in the making of women's stockings.

During the Second World War, the best present for many women was a pair of nylon stockings, but more importantly, nylon (37) to make parachutes and tires.

Today, nylon (38) in many things: carpets, ropes, seat belts, furniture, computers, and even spare parts for the human body. It (39) an important part in our lives for over 50 years. Next year about 36 million tons of it (40).

33. A) invented B) has been invented
C) is invented D) was invented

34. A) has worked B) worked
C) were working D) have been working

35. A) was introduced B) introduces
C) has introduced D) introduced

36. A) have become B) became
C) is became D) becomes

37. A) has been used B) used
C) was used D) was been used

38. A) found B) founded
C) has founded D) is found

39. A) played B) has played
C) is playing D) plays

40. A) is manufactured B) will be manufactured
C) manufactured D) is going to manufacture

41. English all over the world.
A) speaks B) is spoken
C) was spoken D) has been spoken

42. The animals by a loud noise.
A) frightened B) were frightening
C) has been frightened D) were frightened

43. My children with their homework.
A) helped B) help
C) are helping D) aren't helped

44. How many times playing football?
A) have you been hurt B) did you hurt
C) were you hurted D) are you hurt

45. The thieves by anyone.
A) saw B) have been seen
C) weren't seen D) didn't seen

46. Coffee in England.
A) grows B) isn't grown
C) grew D) have been grown

47. last night?
A) Have the plants been watered
B) Did the plants water
C) Were the plants watered
D) Are they watered

48. Driving should in city centers.
A) ban B) be banned
C) banned D) being ban

49. America by Christopher Columbus.
A) has discovered B) have discovered
C) had been discovered D) was discovered

50. The house is going .
A) to knock down B) to be knocked down
C) to been knocked down D) knocking down

PRE-INTERMEDIATE TEST - 12

- Second conditional
- Might, will, going to
- Phrasal verbs

1. Don't wait for me. I late. It depends on the traffic.
A) will be B) am
C) might be D) am going to be

2. "What are you doing tonight?"
"I don't know. I out, or I at home."
A) will go / am staying B) might go / might stay
C) am going / am staying D) go / stay

3. We have guests coming for Saturday lunch. I cook roast beef and Yorkshire pudding. I have bought all the ingredients.
A) might B) will C) am going to cook D) can

4. A- I'm going to buy George a green shirt.
B- I wouldn't if I were you.
A- Why not?
B- I'm sure he the green color.
A) might not like B) will like
C) isn't going to like D) won't like

5. "Goodbye, darling. I phone as soon as I arrive."
"Thanks. Bye!"
A) can B) will C) am going to D) might

6. Catherine wants to be a politician. Who knows? One day she Prime Minister!
A) is going to be B) will be
C) might be D) is

7. on your warm coat. It's cold today.
A) Try B) Fill C) Dress D) Put

8. Could I on these shoes, please?
Size nine.
A) look B) put C) try D) turn

9. Don't forget to off the lights when you come to bed.
A) down B) turn C) fall D) fill

10. You look tired. Sit and have a cup of tea.
A) away B) on C) down D) put

11. I'm looking for yesterday's newspaper. Did you throw it ?
A) out B) down C) back D) away

12. Turn the music! It's too loud!
A) on B) round C) down D) after

Laura _(13) in a big city. If she lived in the country, she _(14) a dog. Laura _(15) a flat with three other girls. But if it _(16) possible, she _(17) on her own. If she _(18) in the country, she _(19) a small cottage, and she _(20) her own flowers and vegetables. She _(21) by underground and _(22) shopping in big department stores, but she _(23) this at all. If she _(24) in the country she _(25) her bike, and she _(26) things in a small village shop.

13. A) was living B) lived
C) would like to live D) lives

14. A) has B) would have
C) had D) will have

15. A) share B) is sharing
C) shares D) shared

16. A) will be B) was
C) is D) were

17. A) lives B) is living
C) will be living D) would live

18. A) was living B) were living
C) is living D) lived

19. A) will buy B) is going to buy
C) would buy D) buys

20. A) grows B) wants to grow
C) will grow D) would grow

21. A) is traveling B) would travel
C) travels D) will travel

22. A) go B) goes
C) is going D) would go

23. A) likes B) would like
C) doesn't like D) is liking

24. A) were B) is
C) will be D) would being

25. A) rides B) rode
C) would ride D) is riding

26. A) bought B) would buy
C) buys D) will buy

27. "What's for supper?"
"We _(1) lamb. It's in the oven."
A) might have B) would have
C) had D) are having

28. "What time are we eating?"
"Don't worry. It _(2) ready before your TV program."
A) is B) will be
C) might be D) *

29. "I'm going to the town tomorrow. I _(3) lunch with Joe at 1.00."
A) will have B) am having
C) might have D) have

30. "Are you going to have a winter holiday this year?"
"I _(4). I haven't decided yet."
A) am B) might
C) am not D) can't

31. How do you _(5) your parents?
A) look forward to B) look up a word
C) get on with D) look out

32. You shouldn't smoke in here. Put _(6).
A) it off B) it down
C) it out D) it away

33. I haven't got time to fill in this form. I'll fill _(7) later.
A) it B) in it
C) on it D) *

34. I _(8) tennis tomorrow. But I'm not sure.
A) play B) am playing
C) will play D) might play

35. If I _(9) younger, I _(10) to play the piano, but I'm too old now.
A) am / will learn B) will be / are learning
C) were / would D) were / would learn

36. I'm _(11) forward to meeting her very much.
A) fallen B) looking
C) trying D) giving

37. She _(12) off her horse and hurt her wrist.
A) put B) turned
C) ran D) fell

38. What a pretty dress! Turn _(13)! Let me look at it from the back.
A) up B) round
C) away D) on

39. Don't worry about the baby. I'll look _(14) her while you're out.
A) for B) with
C) to D) after

40. Pick _(15) your litter! Don't drop it on the street!
A) on B) up
C) out D) back

41. If I _(16) Prime Minister, I _(17) increase tax for rich people.
A) would be / shall B) will be / will
C) am / would D) were / would

42. If I _(18) in a big house, I _(19) a party.
A) lived / would have B) am / am having
C) will live / have D) would live / will have

43. Thank you for the invitation. _(20) I can't come.
A) Suddenly B) Upstairs
C) Unfortunately D) Hardly

44. If she _(21) a lot of clothes, she _(22) money.
A) bought / would have B) would buy / has
C) wouldn't bought / had D) didn't buy / would have

45. If he _(23) a watch, he _(24) always late.
A) will have / won't be B) had / isn't
C) has / is D) had / wouldn't be

46. They _(25) their baby Lily, but they aren't sure yet.
A) will call B) are calling
C) call D) might call

47. I'd visit you more often if you _(26) so far away.
A) will be living B) didn't live
C) don't live D) wouldn't live

48. If I _(27) perfect English, I _(28) in this class.
A) could spoke / won't be B) can speak / would be
C) could speak / wouldn't be D) can't speak / will not be

49. I _(29) to work if I _(30) better, but I feel terrible.
A) went / felt B) would go / feel
C) will go / feel D) would go / felt

50. What _(31) if a stranger _(32) you £1 million?
A) will you do / gave B) would you do / gave
C) do you do / will give D) would you do / will give