

I. THEORY

● AGREEMENT IN TENSE

1. Agreement in Tense _____

Main clause	Subordinate

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II. HOMEWORK

Exercise 1. Choose the correct answer.

1. A large number of students in this school..... English quite fluently.
A. speaks B. is speaking C. has spoken D. speak
2. A series of lectures.....being presented at the Central Hall this week.
A. are B. will be C. has become D. is
3. Beauty as well as health failed her this term.
A. has B. have C. is D. are
4. Bread and butter what she asks for.
A. is B. are C. will be D. have been
5. Each student..... answered the first three questions.
A. has B. have C. have to D. must
6. Either John or his wifebreakfast each morning.
A. make B. is making C. makes D. made
7. Everybody who a fever must go home at once.
A. has B. have C. is having D. are having
8. Five dollarsall I have on me.
A. are B. is C. will be D. have
9. John, along with twenty friends, planning a party.
A. are B. is C. has been D. have been
10. Mathematics..... the science of quantity.
A. was B. are C. is D. were
11. Measles.....cured without much difficulty nowadays.
A. is B. are C. will be D. have
12. Neither Mary nor her brothers.....a consent form for tomorrow's field trip.
A. need B. needs C. is needing D. has need
13. Peter, together with his uncle,fishing.
A. have gone B. has gone C. go D. goes

14. The army..... eliminated this section of the training test.
A. has B. is having C. are D. have
15. The number of the months in a yeartwelve.
A. was B. were C. are D. is
16. The picture of the soldiers..... . back many memories.
A. will bring B. brings C. bring D. have brought
17. These pictures, as well as the photograph..... . the room.
A. brightens B. brightening C. brighten D. being brightened
18. The quality of the recordings not very good.
A. is B. are C. is being D. has been
19. This house as well as that one.....for sale, which will you have?
A. are B. is C. have D. has
20. To what placeeither the man or his son wish to go?
A. is B. does C. do D. are
21. Twenty miles..... a long way to walk.
A. are B. was C. is D. were
22. What he told you..... to be of no importance.
A. seems B. seem C. must seem D. have seemed
23. Mathematics..... not always an exact science.
A. was B. are C. is D. were
24. Mr. John, accompanied by several members of the committee,..... proposed some changes of the rules.
A. have B. has C. are D. is
25. The flock of birds..... circling overhead.
A. gets B. are C. is D. get
26. The levels of intoxication..... from subject to subject.
A. has been varied B. have been varied C. varies D. vary
27. The majority of the students..... him to be innocent.
A. was made B. believe C. makes D. make
28. The pair of the pliers..... on the table.
A. was B. were C. put D. puts

29. The use of credit cards in place of cash..... increased rapidly in recent years.

- A. have been B. has been C. has D. have

30. Advertisements on television..... becoming more competitive than ever before.

- A. has B. have C. are D. is



Exercise 2. Choose the correct answer.

1. Each student to answer three questions.

- A. have
B. has
C. having
D. to have

2. Plenty of milk consumed everyday.

- A. are
B. were
C. is
D. was

3. SARS an epidemic that kills many people in China.

- A. are
B. were
C. have been
D. is

4. The little girl with her friends coming here.

- A. be
B. is
C. are
D. to be

5. The United States between Canada and Mexico.

- A. lying
B. lies
C. lain
D. lie

6. The book for my English courses 25 dollars
- A. costed
 - B. costing
 - C. cost
 - D. costs
7. Jane as well as both of you finished it.
- A. doesn't
 - B. don't
 - C. haven't
 - D. hasn't
8. Everyone in both cars injured in the accident last night.
- A. was
 - B. is
 - C. are
 - D. were
9. Ten years of waiting nothing to those who are in love.
- A. means
 - B. mean
 - C. to mean
 - D. meaning
10. The students in the next classroom very loudly everyday.
- A. talk
 - B. talked
 - C. are talking
 - D. talks