

### Verb Tense MCQs

1. Scientists \_\_\_\_\_ a new type of robot that can help elderly people with daily tasks such as cooking and cleaning.
  - A. develop
  - B. are developing
  - C. developed
  - D. develops
2. At the moment, engineers \_\_\_\_\_ a new communication system that will allow astronauts to send messages faster in space.
  - A. test
  - B. tested
  - C. are testing
  - D. were testing
3. During the experiment yesterday, researchers \_\_\_\_\_ signs of water on Mars, which surprised many experts.
  - A. discover
  - B. discovered
  - C. are discovering
  - D. were discovering
4. While scientists \_\_\_\_\_ the results of the experiment in the lab, the computer suddenly stopped working.
  - A. analyze
  - B. were analyzing
  - C. analyzed
  - D. are analyzing
5. Many scientists believe that humans \_\_\_\_\_ life on other planets in the future as technology continues to improve.
  - A. find
  - B. will find
  - C. finds
  - D. are finding
6. The research team \_\_\_\_\_ the results of the project until they complete all the necessary tests next week.
  - A. don't announce
  - B. aren't announcing
  - C. didn't announce
  - D. won't announce
7. When this new technology \_\_\_\_\_ available to the public, people will be able to communicate more easily across long distances.
  - A. becomes
  - B. will become
  - C. became
  - D. is becoming

8. \_\_\_\_\_ scientists often \_\_\_\_\_ advanced tools and machines to explore distant planets and collect data?
- A. Do / use
  - B. Are / using
  - C. Did / use
  - D. Were / using
9. Nowadays, more and more people \_\_\_\_\_ online shopping because it saves time and offers a wider range of products.
- A. prefer
  - B. are preferring
  - C. preferred
  - D. were preferring
10. Last night, I \_\_\_\_\_ for some clothes online when the website suddenly crashed and stopped working.
- A. shop
  - B. was shopping
  - C. shopped
  - D. am shopping
11. While many people \_\_\_\_\_ in the supermarket yesterday afternoon, a small earthquake suddenly occurred.
- A. shop
  - B. were shopping
  - C. shopped
  - D. are shopping
12. In recent years, natural disasters \_\_\_\_\_ more frequently in some areas as a result of climate change.
- A. happen
  - B. are happening
  - C. happened
  - D. were happening
13. The government \_\_\_\_\_ not \_\_\_\_\_ enough action to protect the environment, so pollution levels increased significantly last year.
- A. does / take
  - B. did / take
  - C. is / taking
  - D. was / taking
14. \_\_\_\_\_ more people \_\_\_\_\_ eco-friendly products nowadays as they become more aware of environmental issues?
- A. Do / buy
  - B. Are / buying
  - C. Did / buy
  - D. Were / buying
15. My teacher \_\_\_\_\_ about future communication technologies in tomorrow's lesson, so we need to prepare in advance.

- A. talks
- B. talked
- C. is talking
- D. talk

16. We \_\_\_\_\_ a video call with our international partners when the internet suddenly went down during the meeting.

- A. have
- B. were having
- C. had
- D. are having

17. If people \_\_\_\_\_ more trees in urban areas, the air quality will improve and cities will become greener.

- A. plant
- B. will plant
- C. planted
- D. are planting

18. She \_\_\_\_\_ not \_\_\_\_\_ her phone right now because she is attending an important meeting with her manager.

- A. does / use
- B. is / using
- C. did / use
- D. was / using

19. When humans \_\_\_\_\_ on other planets in the future, they will need advanced technology to survive in harsh environments.

- A. live
- B. will live
- C. lived
- D. are living

20. \_\_\_\_\_ your classmates \_\_\_\_\_ about climate change and environmental protection during the class discussion yesterday?

- A. Do / talk
- B. Are / talking
- C. Did / talk
- D. Were / talking