

Unit 1 Test

Name: _____ Date: _____

Vocabulary

Use the following to answer questions 1-5:
Complete the sentence. Use a word from the box.

cartoons	selfie	volunteer work	the violin	autographs
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1. I do _____ every Saturday at the local community center.
2. Stefan's playing _____ in his room.
3. Can I take a _____ with you?
4. My dad collects _____ of famous baseball players.
5. I enjoy drawing _____ in my free time.

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Use the following to answer questions 6-10:
Choose the best word to complete the sentence.

6. Do you prefer to _____ yoga at home or in a studio?
A) make
B) do
C) play
7. I started _____ comic books when I was seven. I have hundreds now.
A) taking
B) collecting
C) doing
8. I love to _____ for hikes in the mountains near my town.
A) go
B) take
C) make
9. My sister _____ silly videos and uploads them to YouTube.
A) collects
B) makes
C) plays
10. Seijin taught me to _____ the guitar.
A) play
B) do
C) take

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Grammar

Use the following to answer questions 11-15:

Choose the correct verb form to complete the sentence.

11. She _____ the piano for a year.
A) been playing
B) have been playing
C) has been playing
D) have played
12. _____ comic books for a long time?
A) Has you been collecting
B) Have you been collecting
C) Has been you collecting
D) Have been you collected
13. How long _____ in Japan?
A) has she been living
B) she have been living
C) she has been living
D) have she been living
14. Don't worry! We _____ for a long time.
A) no have been waiting
B) no has been waiting
C) haven't been waiting
D) hasn't been waiting
15. Where _____ these days?
A) has they been going for hikes
B) have they been going for hikes
C) they has been going for hikes
D) they have been going for hikes

Use the following to answer questions 16-20:
Complete the sentence. Use *since* or *for*.

16. We have been doing volunteer work at the museum _____ two years.
17. Allison has been collecting dolls _____ she was seven.
18. Julia has been waiting for the letter _____ this morning.
19. Aaron has been reading that book of poetry _____ days.
20. I have been writing this essay _____ last week.

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Reading

Use the following to answer questions 21-25:

Read the text. Choose *True* or *False*.

My sister Victoria has three hobbies, and she is serious about each of them. Collecting coins was her first hobby. She has been collecting them since she was just eight years old. Our father went to China on a business trip, and he brought back some coins. I wasn't very interested in them, but Victoria was. The next time he traveled, she asked for some coins. He brought her some from Egypt. Today, she has an enormous collection, with over 1,000 coins from more than 75 countries.

Victoria has also been collecting dolls for almost six years. Our grandmother takes a trip to a different foreign country every year, and she always brings my sister and me wonderful presents from each country. Once, my grandmother bought Victoria a Kokeshi doll from Japan. Not long after that, she began collecting dolls from around the world. She has some beautiful dolls made in the US, but the most incredible are the ones from Russia made of wood and painted in beautiful colors.

Victoria's third hobby has nothing to do with coins or dolls, and she has only been doing it for a year. It's taking photos of animals. At first, Victoria went to the zoo every weekend. She took great photos of the leopards and lions. Then, she started saving money for her first safari to Africa. She went on a safari two years ago and came back with some amazing photos of giraffes and zebras. She was sad to come home, so she has been saving and planning for another safari. Maybe I'll go with her next time.

21. Victoria's hobbies are all about collecting things.
A) True
B) False
22. Victoria began collecting dolls eight years ago.
A) True
B) False
23. Victoria's father first brought back coins from China.
A) True
B) False
24. Victoria began taking photos of animals before she began collecting dolls.
A) True
B) False
25. Victoria is saving money to go on her second safari.
A) True
B) False

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Writing

Use the following to answer questions 26-30:

Choose one of the writing tasks below.

26. Write a paragraph about objects you collect. Answer the following questions:
What do you collect?
Why do you enjoy collecting these objects?
How long have you been collecting these objects?
Is it easy or hard to find these objects and add them to your collection? Why?
27. Write a paragraph about a talented friend. Answer the following questions:
What is your friend's name?
What is your friend's talent?
How long has your friend been doing this activity?
What should your friend do with his / her talent?
28. Write a paragraph about your favorite hobby. Answer the following questions:
What is the hobby?
How long have you been doing this hobby?
Where do you do this hobby?
Why do you like doing this hobby?
29. Write a paragraph about something you want to be better at. Answer the following questions:
What is the activity you want to be better at?
How long have you been doing this activity?
How often do you practice the activity?
What should you do to become better?

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Listening

Use the following to answer questions 30-34:

Listen. Choose *True* or *False*.

30. Justin has been training for the San Diego Marathon.
A) True
B) False
31. Justin enjoys running marathons more than hanging out at the beach.
A) True
B) False
32. Nicole has been surfing for 15 years.
A) True
B) False
33. Justin invites Maria and Nicole to go surfing.
A) True
B) False
34. The friends are going to go surfing after the San Diego Marathon.
A) True
B) False

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Speaking

Use the following to answer questions 35-38:

Choose one of the speaking tasks below.

35. Talk about one of your friend's hobbies. Answer the following questions:
What's your friend's name?
What is your friend's hobby?
How long has your friend been doing this hobby?
What do you think about this hobby?
36. Talk about something you have been doing for a long time. Answer the following questions:
What is the activity?
How long have you been doing it?
Why do you do it?
Do you like doing it?
37. Talk about the most popular free-time activities in your community or school. Answer the following questions:
What are the most popular activities?
How many people do these activities?
How long have these activities been popular?
Why do you think these activities are popular?
38. Talk about one of your friends / family members who has an unusual collection. Answer the following questions:
What's your friend's / family member's name?
What does your friend / family member collect?
Why is your friend's / family member's collection unusual?
How big is your friend's / family member's collection?

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