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Exam

Level A2, age 17-18

We use the book evolve 2

### Grammar

1-12 ( 30 points)

1. Instruction: Choose the correct option to complete the text about a family.

My parents \_\_\_\_ very kind and their house is always open to friends. My brother \_\_\_\_ a musician, he \_\_\_\_ very happy with his new guitar and I \_\_\_\_ very happy with my family.

- a) (1) are / (2) is / (3) is / (4) am
- b) (1) is / (2) are / (3) am / (4) is
- c) (1) are / (2) am / (3) is / (4) are
- d) (1) am / (2) is / (3) are / (4) is

2. Choose the correct option to complete the sentence:

I can't make an omelet because I don't have \_\_\_\_\_ eggs in the fridge.

- a) much
- b) many
- c) a little
- d) some

3. Instruction: Choose the correct option to complete the sentence.

My new job is \_\_\_\_\_ than the last one.

- a) good
- b) better
- c) more better
- d) best

4. Complete with the correct form of the verb.

A phone call between friends.

A: Hi Johnny! Do you want to play football?

B: Not now. I \_\_\_\_\_ (study) for my English exam.

5. Fill in the gap with the correct form of be going to and the verb in brackets:

Look at the sky! It's very dark. I think it \_\_\_\_\_ (rain) in a few minutes.

6. Instruction: Complete the question and answer using was/were and like.

What \_\_\_\_\_ your trip \_\_\_\_\_?

7. Rewrite the sentence using an object pronoun. Keep the same meaning. (Don't forget capital letters and punctuation marks)

I am going to give a present to Sarah tomorrow.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_.

8. Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first, using the Past Simple:

She usually goes to the gym on Mondays.

Last Monday, she \_\_\_\_\_ to the gym.

9. Instruction: Rewrite the sentence using the correct form of have to. Do not change the meaning.

It is necessary to wear gloves at work.

You \_\_\_\_\_.

10. Instruction: Read the sentence, find the error and rewrite the correct version.  
(Don't forget capital letters and punctuation marks)

My brother do not do the laundry and the cooking.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_.

11. Find the mistake in the following sentence and write the correct version

If you will heat water to 100°C, it boils.

Correct sentence:

\_\_\_\_\_.

12. Instruction: The sentence has one mistake. Find it and write the correct sentence.

They haven't went to a snowy place.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_.

## Vocabulary

13. Match the person with the correct description based on the context.

Classmate \_\_\_\_

Neighbor \_\_\_\_

Roommate \_\_\_\_

Boss \_\_\_\_

Close friend \_\_\_\_

- a) We live in the same house. He always forgets to wash his dishes in the kitchen!
- b) She sits next to me in Math class. We sometimes study together for the exams.
- c) He lives in the apartment next to mine. He is very quiet and friendly.
- d) I tell her all my secrets. We have been together in the good and bad moments for years.
- e) He gives me a lot of work every Monday and checks my reports at the office.

14. Match the words (1-4) with the correct definitions (A-D). Write the letter in the space provided.

Words:

Proud \_\_\_\_

Upset \_\_\_\_

Useful \_\_\_\_

Awesome \_\_\_\_

Definitions:

- a) Feeling unhappy, disappointed, or worried about something bad that happened.
- b) Something that is very good, impressive, or excellent.
- c) Feeling very pleased and satisfied because you or someone you know has done something great.
- d) Something that helps you to do or achieve what you want.

15. Instruction: Match the weather words with their definitions. Write the correct letter.

Words

Boiling \_\_\_\_

Sunny \_\_\_\_

Windy \_\_\_\_

Blizzard \_\_\_\_

Thunder \_\_\_\_

Lightning \_\_\_\_

Snowstorm \_\_\_\_

Stormy \_\_\_\_

Definitions

- a) A lot of snow and strong wind at the same time.
- b) Very hot weather.
- c) Bright weather with a lot of sun.
- d) A storm with strong wind and rain.
- e) Loud noise you hear during a storm.
- f) Strong moving air.
- g) A very strong snow weather condition.
- h) Flash of light in the sky during a storm.

16. Choose the word that best completes the situation.

I need to organize my desk. I have too many papers, so I am going to put them in a \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) keyboard
- b) folder
- c) calculator
- d) laptop

17. Read the situation and identify the object.

My friend loves music and he collects CDs from his favorite artists. I am going to buy him an \_\_\_\_\_ for his birthday.

- a) advertisement
- b) actor
- c) album
- d) invitation

18. Choose the best word to complete the conversation:

A: I really like this T-shirt, but it's 50€. That's too expensive!

B: Wait! Look at the tag. There is a 20% \_\_\_\_\_ today, so it's cheaper.

- a) receipt
- b) bill
- c) discount
- d) price

19. Complete the sentence with the correct verb that usually goes with 'bus':

Hurry up! If we don't leave now, we are going to \_\_\_\_\_ the last bus and we'll have to take a taxi.

- a) lose
- b) miss
- c) forget
- d) leave

20. Instruction: Read the definition and choose the correct accessory.

You wear these inside your shoes on your feet.

- a) Sandals
- b) Socks
- c) Insoles
- d) Sneakers

21. Instruction: Choose the correct word to complete the sentence.

She got a new job in another state, so she decided to \_\_\_\_\_ to a different city.

- a) go
- b) move
- c) travel
- d) walk

22. Complete the sentence using the correct form of the word in parentheses.

My brother goes to the gym every day. He is a very \_\_\_\_\_ person. (ACTIVITY)

23. Complete the sentence by changing the word in brackets into the correct adjective:

I don't like this coffee. It is very \_\_\_\_\_ (bitterly) and I prefer it with sugar.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_.

24. Instruction: Complete the sentence with the correct form of the word in parentheses.

A \_\_\_\_\_ takes pictures professionally. ( PHOTOGRAPH)

### **Reading**

25-34 ( 25 points)

Read the text and answer the next questions.

**When she was a child Jennifer Lawrence liked sports and she played hockey and basketball for an all-boys team. She also worked as a model. At the age of 14 she knew she wanted to be an actress, so she went to New York City to look for work. She appeared in advertisements for MTV and the fashion company H&M and got work as an actress on TV. Her family moved to Los Angeles so that Jennifer could work on TV and in films. In 2010 she acted in the film Winter's Bone and she was nominated for many awards including an Oscar. In 2012 she starred in the film The Hunger Games as Katniss Everdeen. When she isn't working, Jen likes painting, surfing and playing the guitar.**

d) To model for a company

27. What is true about her role in The Hunger Games?

- a) It was her first film role
- b) It was filmed before Winter's Bone
- c) It earned her an Oscar
- d) She played a character named Katniss Everdeen

Read the text carefully and answer the questions

### **How to be a good language learner**

Many studies ask: What makes a good language learner? Here are 5 useful suggestions.

- (1) Don't be afraid of making mistakes. Everyone gets things wrong sometimes. Good learners notice their errors and learn from them to improve.
- (2) Do group activities. We use language to communicate with others. A good learner always looks for chances to talk with other students in class.
- (3) Make notes in every class. Writing down information helps you remember new words. Check your notebook when you do your homework.

25. Instruction: Read the sentence and choose true or false according to the text.

Jennifer Lawrence played sports with girls when she was a child.

- a) True
- b) False

26. Instruction: Choose the correct answer according to the text.

Why did she go to New York City?

- a) To study acting
- b) To visit her family
- c) To look for work

- (4) Use a dictionary to check the meaning of new words you don't know. It is also a good idea to make your own vocabulary lists to study.
- (5) Enjoy the process and have fun. Watch a TV series, listen to songs, or play video games in English. There you can find useful phrases . It's never too late to learn!

28. Match the paragraphs (1-5) with the correct heading (A-F). There is one extra.

Paragraph 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Paragraph 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Paragraph 3: \_\_\_\_\_

Paragraph 4: \_\_\_\_\_

Paragraph 5: \_\_\_\_\_

- A. Work together with other people.
- B. Practice with things you enjoy.
- C. Don't worry about being perfect.
- D. Write down important information.
- E. Use your dictionary for everything.
- F. Travel to another country.

29. According to the text, where can you find "useful phrases" to practice?

- a) In a TV series or songs.
- b) Only in your notebook.
- c) In a science study.
- d) Talking with other people.

30.



Why is Emma writing to Lynne?

- a) To ask Lynne what time the party starts.
- b) To tell Lynne she cannot go to the party.
- c) To offer Lynne a ride after she finishes work.

d) To invite Lynne to a new job at 9:30.

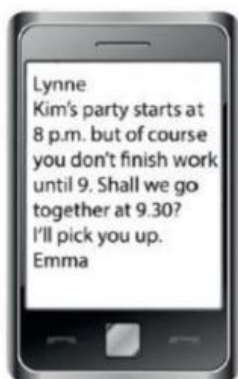
31.



What is true about the special offer?

- a) You can get a free ice cream all day.
- b) You pay for one ice cream and receive two.
- c) The shop is only open from 12 to 2 p.m.
- d) Ice creams are half price for students.

32.



What does Sophie want Anna to do?

- a) Finish the history project by herself.
  - b) Go to the history class on Friday.
  - c) Contact her to talk about their project.
  - d) Tell the teacher why she missed class.
- Read the text and infer the missing words.

**Exploring a new city**

Spending time in a new city is always exciting. If you want to see the famous monuments quickly, the best way to travel is **33.** \_\_\_\_\_ bus. Most cities have special tours for tourists. However, if you prefer to walk, you can find many interesting shops **34.** \_\_\_\_\_ the city centre. It is a great way to explore the local culture!

## Listening

35-40 ( 15 points)

You will listen to a podcast about a website called '43 Things'. Listen to the suggestions and complete the information in the notes below.

### (Audio)

35. According to the woman giving advice about music, what should you do with the lyrics of a song after downloading them?

- a) Translate them
- b) Memorize them
- c) Share them on Facebook
- d) Write them down

36. Instruction: Complete the sentence with the missing information from the audio:

One person on the website wants to read \_\_\_\_\_ books every month.

37. Choose if the following statements is True or False.

One of the ambitions mentioned is to spend less time using the internet.

True/False

You will listen to Amy, an American woman, talking about her first impressions of the UK. For each question, choose the correct answer.

### (Audio)

38. Amy thinks that health care in the UK is:

- A) More expensive than in the US.
- B) Better for people who have insurance.
- C) A good thing because it doesn't cost money.
- D) Only for people who live in Oxford.

39. Choose if the following statement is True, False or Not Given

British people are usually more optimistic about the future than Americans.

- A) True
- B) False
- C) Not Given

40. Where is Amy originally from in the United States?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

#### ANSWER KEY

#### GRAMMAR (30 pts)

1. A) (1)are / (2) is / (3) is / (4) am
2. many
3. b) better
4. am studying
5. is going to rain
6. was / like
7. I am going to give a present to her tomorrow.
8. Last Monday, she went to the gym.
9. You have to wear gloves at work.
10. My brother does not do the laundry and the cooking.
11. If you heat water to 100°C, it boils.
12. They haven't gone to a snowy place.

#### VOCABULARY (25 pts)

13. Classmate (b) / Neighbor (c) / Roommate (a) / boss (e) / close friend (d)

- 14. Proud (c) / Upset (a) / Useful (d) / Awesome (b)
- 15. Boiling (b) / Sunny (c) / Windy (f) / Blizzard (g) / Thunder (e) / Lightning (h) /  
Snowstorm (a) / Stormy (d)
- 16. b) folder
- 17. c) album
- 18. c) discount
- 19. b) miss
- 20. b) Socks
- 21. b) move
- 22. active
- 23. bitter
- 24. photographer

**READING (25 pts)**

- 25. b) False
- 26. c) To look for work.
- 27. d) She played a character named Katniss Everdeen.
- 28. 1: C , 2:A , 3:D , 4:E , 5:B
- 29. A)
- 30. C)
- 31. B)
- 32. C)
- 33. by
- 34. in

**LISTENING (20 pts)**

- 35. a) Translate them
- 36. twelve
- 37. True
- 38. C) A good thing because it doesn't cost money.
- 39. B) False
- 40. From Ohio

