

# PARTIAL TEST 1

1. In the sentence "The curious researcher examined ancient manuscripts," which word is a proper noun?  
A) curious      B) researcher      C) manuscripts      D) None of the above
2. Which of the following is an abstract noun in the sentence "Hope drives human ambition"?  
A) drives      B) human      C) hope      D) ambition
3. Identify the collective noun in "The orchestra performed brilliantly tonight":  
A) orchestra      B) performed      C) brilliantly      D) tonight
4. In the phrase "Her innovative strategy transformed the company," which word is a concrete noun?  
A) innovative      B) strategy      C) transformed      D) company
5. Which sentence contains a gerund functioning as a noun?  
A) Swimming is excellent exercise      B) She swims every morning  
C) The pool looks clean      D) Water splashes loudly
6. Identify the compound noun:  
A) Bookshelf      B) Reading      C) Quickly      D) Intelligent
7. In "The students' enthusiasm impressed the professor," which is the possessive noun?  
A) students'      B) enthusiasm      C) impressed      D) professor
8. Which sentence contains a proper noun?  
A) The cat sleeps quietly      B) Paris is beautiful in spring  
C) Water boils at 100°C      D) Trees provide oxygen
9. Identify the abstract noun in "Courage defines true leadership":  
A) defines      B) true      C) courage      D) leadership
10. In "Scientific research requires dedication," which word is a noun?  
A) Scientific      B) research      C) requires      D) dedication
11. Which sentence demonstrates a gerund used as a noun?  
A) The chicken farm produces eggs      B) Chickens lay eggs  
C) Farming requires skill      D) Eggs are nutritious
12. Identify the count noun:  
A) Happiness      B) Water      C) Book      D) Courage
13. In "Her brilliant innovation solved complex problems," which is the noun?  
A) brilliant      B) innovation      C) solved      D) complex

14. Which word functions as both a noun and a verb?

- A) Running                      B) Speak                      C) Jump                      D) All of the above

15. Identify the non-count noun:

- A) Student                      B) Knowledge                      C) Teacher                      D) Pencil

16. In "Technology transforms communication," which is a concrete noun?

- A) Technology                      B) transforms                      C) communication                      D) None of the above

17. Identify the plural noun:

- A) Child                      B) Children                      C) Childs                      D) Childrens

**For each of the following, choose the correct sentence.**

18. A) When you get this message, please respond to Sarah or me.

B) When you get this message, please respond to Sarah or I.

19. A) I did not realize he was taller than me.

B) I did not realize he was taller than I.

20. A) It was so kind of you to host a surprise party for me.

B) It was so kind of you to host a surprise party for I.

21. A) It is me who proofread the content before it was submitted.

B) It is I who proofread the content before it was submitted.

22. A) Did you say you were interested in going with me on the tour?

B) Did you say you were interested in going with I on the tour?

**Choose the correct possessive form for each exercise.**

23. \_\_\_ dug up my garden.                      **A)** Paul's and Jackie's dog                      **B)** Paul and Jackie's dog

24. \_\_\_ chased the dog.                      **A)** David and my cat's                      **B)** David's and my cat

25. \_\_\_ business was blooming.                      **A)** Margo and Martha's                      **B)** Margo's and Martha's

26. \_\_\_ first class of the day is math.                      **A)** Foster and Lydia's                      **B)** Foster's and Lydia's

27. \_\_\_ parents are both soccer coaches.                      **A)** Eunice's and Tony's                      **B)** Eunice and Tony's

28. \_\_\_ neighborhood is having an egg hunt on Saturday. **A)** Marcel's and Lacy's                      **B)** Marcel and Lacy's

**Choose the correct plural form for each noun.**

29. The plural of "child" is:

- A) Childs                      B) Children                      C) Childes                      D) Childreen

30. How do you make "mouse" plural?

- A) Mouses                      B) Mice                      C) Mousies                      D) Mouse

31. The plural of "tooth" is:

- A) Tooths                      B) Teethes                      C) Teeth                      D) Toothes

32. Which is the correct plural of "foot"?

- A) Foots                      B) Feets                      C) Feet                      D) Footies

33. The plural of "person" is:

- A) Persons                      B) Peoples                      C) People                      D) Persones

34. How do you pluralize "sheep"?

- A) Sheeps                      B) Sheep                      C) Sheepes                      D) Sheepies

35. The plural of "deer" is:

- A) Deers                      B) Deer                      C) Deerses                      D) Deeries

36. The plural of "calf" is:

- A) Calfs                      B) Calves                      C) Calfes                      D) Calveses

37. How do you make "knife" plural?

- A) Knifes                      B) Knives                      C) Knieves                      D) Knifees

38. The plural of "leaf" is:

- A) Leafs                      B) Leaves                      C) Leaves                      D) Leafies

39. The plural of "woman" is:

- A) Womans                      B) Womanses                      C) Women                      D) Womenies

40. Which is the correct plural of "life"?

- A) Lifes                      B) Lifees                      C) Lives                      D) Lieves

41. The plural of "wolf" is:

- A) Wolfs                      B) Wolves                      C) Wolfes                      D) Wolfeses

42. How do you make "potato" plural?

- A) Potatos                      B) Potatoes                      C) Potatoes                      D) Potatees

## Possessives

43. In the sentence "The students' books were left in the classroom," the apostrophe placement indicates:  
A) A single student's book                      B) Multiple students' books  
C) The teacher's book                              D) A possessive verb
44. Which of the following is grammatically correct?  
A) Its' time to go home      B) It's time to go home      C) Its time to go home      D) It's' time to go home
45. Choose the correct possessive form:  
A) The childrens' toys      B) The children's toys      C) The childrens toys      D) The child's toys
43. Which sentence uses the possessive form correctly?  
A) The dog collar was blue                      B) The dogs' collar was blue  
C) The dog's collar was blue                      D) The dogs collar was blue
44. In "her sisters' achievements," how many sisters are implied?  
A) One sister      B) Multiple sisters      C) No sisters      D) The sentence is incorrect
45. Choose the correct possessive construction:  
A) The womans' club      B) The woman's club      C) The women's club      D) The womens' club
46. Dancing is great fun.                      **A)** Gerund is subject                      **B)** Gerund is object
47. She hates going out at night.                      **A)** Gerund is subject                      **B)** Gerund is object
48. Cooking is my hobby.                      **A)** Gerund is subject                      **B)** Gerund is object
49. Smoking is bad for your health. **A)** Gerund is subject                      **B)** Gerund is object
50. Do you enjoy swimming?                      **A)** Gerund is subject                      **B)** Gerund is object