

Grammar MCQs – 12 English Tenses (Test 2)

Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 1. Every summer, many students _____ part in environmental campaigns to clean beaches and plant more trees.

- A. are taking
 - B. took
 - C. take
 - D. have taken
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Question 2. Look! The children _____ traditional games with foreign visitors in the village square.

- A. played
 - B. are playing
 - C. have played
 - D. play
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Question 3. Since the community library opened, more teenagers _____ there to borrow books after school.

- A. have gone
 - B. went
 - C. go
 - D. had gone
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Question 4. Before the meeting started, the volunteers _____ all the chairs and tables for the event.

- A. prepared
 - B. had prepared
 - C. prepare
 - D. have prepared
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Question 5. While we _____ around the old town yesterday, our guide shared many interesting stories about its history.

- A. walked
 - B. were walking
 - C. have walked
 - D. walk
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Question 6. By the end of this year, the city _____ over one hundred electric buses to reduce air pollution.

- A. introduced
 - B. introduces
 - C. will have introduced
 - D. has introduced
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Question 7. My cousin usually _____ breakfast before leaving home for school.

- A. is having
 - B. had
 - C. has
 - D. has had
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Question 8. When I arrived at the sports centre, my classmates _____ basketball with students from another school.

- A. were playing
 - B. played
 - C. have played
 - D. play
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Question 9. Many young people _____ healthier lifestyles since they learned about the benefits of regular exercise.

- A. adopted
- B. have adopted
- C. adopt
- D. had adopted

Question 10. By the time the film began, we _____ our popcorn and drinks.

- A. bought
- B. buy
- C. had bought
- D. have bought

Question 11. Thousands of tourists _____ the local night market every weekend to enjoy traditional food.

- A. have visited
- B. visit
- C. visited
- D. are visiting

Question 12. We _____ photos of the waterfall when it suddenly became very foggy.

- A. took
- B. take
- C. were taking
- D. have taken

Question 13. This is the most interesting museum I _____ in my life.

- A. visited
- B. visit
- C. have ever visited
- D. had visited

Question 14. At this time tomorrow, our class _____ around the Temple of Literature with an English-speaking guide.

- A. travels
- B. travelled
- C. will be travelling
- D. has travelled

Question 15. Scientists _____ several new species of marine animals in recent years.

- A. discovered
- B. discover
- C. have discovered
- D. had discovered

Question 16. Many families _____ solar panels on their roofs in the next few years to save energy.

- A. will install
- B. install
- C. installed
- D. have installed

Question 17. While local people _____ flowers along the streets, students collected litter in nearby parks.

- A. planted
- B. were planting
- C. plant
- D. have planted

Question 18. By 2040, experts believe that many cities _____ much cleaner public transport systems.

- A. develop
- B. developed
- C. will have developed
- D. are developing

Question 19. My mother _____ fresh fruit every day because she believes it is good for her health.

- A. is eating
- B. has eaten

- C. eats
 - D. ate
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Question 20. At the moment, our teacher _____ us how to prepare for the English speaking test.

- A. teaches
 - B. taught
 - C. is teaching
 - D. has taught
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Question 21. After Nam _____ all his homework, he went out to play football with his friends.

- A. had finished
 - B. has finished
 - C. finishes
 - D. is finishing
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Question 22. Doctors believe that drinking enough water _____ people stay healthy, especially during hot weather.

- A. helped
 - B. helps
 - C. has helped
 - D. is helping
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Question 23. More people _____ English to communicate with international friends and business partners.

- A. are using
 - B. used
 - C. use
 - D. had used
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Question 24. Since she entered high school, Hoa _____ English with native speakers online every weekend.

- A. practised
 - B. practises
 - C. has practised
 - D. had practised
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Question 25. By the end of this semester, our class _____ three English novels.

- A. reads
 - B. has read
 - C. will have read
 - D. read
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Question 26. The students _____ an online lesson when there was a sudden power cut.

- A. had
 - B. were having
 - C. have had
 - D. have
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Question 27. Listen! Someone _____ the guitar beautifully in the music room.

- A. played
 - B. plays
 - C. is playing
 - D. has played
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Question 28. When we arrived at the cinema, the film _____ ten minutes earlier.

- A. started
 - B. has started
 - C. had started
 - D. starts
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Question 29. I believe that more young people _____ public transport instead of private vehicles in the future.

- A. use
 - B. used
 - C. will use
 - D. have used
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Question 30. My grandparents _____ in this peaceful village since they got married more than fifty years ago.

- A. lived
- B. live
- C. had lived
- D. have lived