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ПЕРЕДНЄ СЛОВО

Навчально-методичний посібник “Test Your Grammar. Part II” розрахований на студентів вищих навчальних закладів. За своїм змістовим наповненням подані в посібнику тематичні розділи відповідають вимогам чинної навчальної програми.

Матеріал навчально-методичного посібника містить різноманітні граматичні тести поділені на такі рубрики як Use of Language, General Training Speaking, Translation, Test Your Grammar Competence, Phrasal Verbs in Use та Test Yourself. Робота з посібником активізуватиме розумові зусилля студентів щодо засвоєння, осмислення і закріплення матеріалу, передбаченого навчальною програмою. Навчально-методичний посібник “Test Your Grammar. Part II” відповідає потребам часу і може слугувати ґрунтовним навчальним забезпеченням формування мовленнєвих здібностей та комунікативної компетенції студентів.

Бажаємо успіхів!

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Use of Language

Writing Practice Test 1

Fill in with Past Perfect or Past Perfect Continuous.

When Sara entered the house something smelled awful. Someone 1) ... (cook) and 2) ... (burn) the meal. She 3) ... (visit) the house once before and 4) ... (meet) the family but she didn't know what 5) ... (happen) since then. The house was a mess. The children 6) ... (play) in the room and 7) ... (leave) their toys all over the floor. Someone 8) ... (leave) all the windows open. It 9) ... (rain) for hours and all the curtains 10) ... (get) wet and dirty. Sara decided to help them to put everything away and clean up.

Writing Practice Test 2

Choose the correct answer.

When Jake 1) ... the door, he knew someone 2) ... in the house. Things were different. Earlier that morning, he 3) ... a man standing outside, and now he wondered if this man 4) ... for him to leave the house. Jake went into the kitchen. The window was open. He was sure he 5) ... it earlier. Next, he went into the garden. Jake knew something very strange 6) ... on. He went back into the house. He had just got to the top of the stairs 7) ... he heard a noise coming from the bedroom. Slowly, he opened the door and there, lying in the middle of the bed, was his sister! She 8) ... ! Jake was very relieved.

1.	a) has opened	b) opens	c) opened
2.	a) had been	b) is	c) has been
3.	a) was seeing	b) had seen	c) has seen
4.	a) is	b) waited	c) had been waiting
5.	a) had closed	b) was closing	c) had been closing
6.	a) was going	b) went	c) have been going
7.	a) after	b) when	c) while
8.	a) was sleeping	b) slept	c) had slept

Writing Practice Test 3

Fill in the gaps with say or tell in the correct tense.

1. 'Ann 1) ... me that she and Ben are getting married,' 2) ... Josie. 'She 3) ... that they're going to have a big impressively beautiful wedding with lots of guests.' 'That will be gorgeous, magnificent, extravagant and striking but expensive,' 4) ... Kim. 'I thought Ben 5) ... that they couldn't afford a big luxurious wedding.' 'Well, that's what Ann 6) ... me, 7) ... Josie. 'I don't think she would 8) ... a lie.'

Writing Practice Test 4

Put the verbs in brackets into the past simple or the past continuous.

The sun 1) ... (shine) and the birds 2) ... (sing) as Kyle 3) ... (drive) down the country lane. Kyle 4) ... (smile), because he 5) ... (look forward) to the journey ahead. He 6) ... (enjoy) driving, especially when he 7) ... (go) somewhere new. Then, suddenly, the engine 8) ... (begin) to make a strange noise and the car 9) ... (stop) dead in the middle of the road. Mike 10) ... (try) to start it, but nothing 11) ... (happen). He 12) ... (sigh), then 13) ... (get out) of the car. As he 14) ... (push) the car to the side of the road, he 15) ... (start) to wish he had stayed at home.

Writing Practice Test 5

Complete the fable with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Sometimes two answers are possible. Justify your choices.

One day a hare 1) ... (run) along a path when he 2) ... (come) across a tortoise. The hare 3) ... (follow) the same route every day and 4) ... (never come) across a tortoise before. The tortoise 5) ... (walk) slowly and the hare 6) ... (begin) to laugh at her. Irritated by the hare, the tortoise 7) ... (challenge) him to a race. The hare 8) ... (never have) any doubt that he was the fastest animal around, so he 9) ... (accept) the challenge. After the hare 10) ... (run) for a while,

he realised that he 11) ... (leave) the tortoise far behind, and 12) ... (sit) down under a tree to relax for a while. It wasn't long before he 13) ... (fall) asleep. Although the tortoise 14) ... (not hurry), she overtook the hare. When the hare 15) ... (wake up), he 16) ... (realise) that the tortoise 17) ... (beat) him to the finishing line. The hare 18) ... (remember) this experience for the rest of his life.

(From "The Hare and the Tortoise" by T. Falla and P. A Davies)

Writing Practice Test 6

Choose the correct answer.

Last Sunday, Emma 1) ... through the countryside when she heard a strange noise and the car engine stopped. She tried again and again, but it 2) ... start, so she decided 3) ... and look for help. As she was walking, it 4) ... to rain. She was getting wetter and 5) Suddenly, Emma saw what she had been looking 6) It was a small house, and she could see light 7) ... out from one of its windows. She walked towards it and, 8) ... she reached the door and rang the bell. A woman answered the door and Emma explained her problem to her. The woman invited her. They were sitting and drinking tea. Then Emma took a nap.

1.	a) drove	b) was driving	c) had driving
2.	a) wouldn't	b) couldn't	c) wasn't able to
3.	a) getting out	b) to get out	c) get out
4.	a) was starting	b) had started	c) started
5.	a) wet	b) wettest	c) wetter
6.	a) for	b) after	c) at
7.	a) shine	b) shining	c) to shine
8.	a) when	b) while	c) before
9.	a) would come	b) had come	c) came
10.	a) driving	b) drive	c) to drive
11.	a) will go back	b) would go back	c) went back
12.	a) tomorrow	b) next morning	c) the next morning

Writing Practice Test 7

Choose the correct item.

The time in which the dinosaur existed 1) ... by scientists as the Mesozoic Era. It 2) ... into three periods: the Triassic Period, the Jurassic Period and the Cretaceous Period. Although some people 3) ... the dinosaurs 4) ... very quickly, they ruled the world for much of the Mesozoic Era. Man has only existed for about 40 000 years so far, and the dinosaurs 5) ... for over 150 million years!

1.	a) are known	b) is known	c) has known
2.	a) divides	b) is dividing	c) is divided
3.	a) think	b) is thunk	c) are thought
4.	a) die out	b) died out	c) dyes out
5.	a) lived	b) live	c) to live

Writing Practice Test 8

Choose the right item.

A new form of football originated in England during the 19th century, taking its name from the place where it 1) ... : Rugby School. In the early 1800s, football 2) ... throughout England but there 3) ... no standard rules, and in most versions of the game, the ball could be caught as well as kicked.

However, running with the ball 4) Legend has it that in 1823, a student at Rugby School called William Webb Ellis picked up the ball during a football match and 5) ... with it towards the opposing goal line. This illegal action caused a permanent change in the rules of the game, or so the story goes, and from that day onwards, Rugby School 6) ... its own version of football which became known as Rugby Football.

(From "A public school product" by T. Falla and P. A Davies)

1.	a) was invented	b) invented	c) invent
2.	a) play	b) is playing	c) was played
3.	a) were	b) was	c) is
4.	a) ran	b) run	c) ren

5.	a) outlaw	b) was outlawed	c) is outlawed
6.	a) was played	b) plays	c) played

Writing Practice Test 9

Fill in a, an or the where necessary.

Mary is at 1) ... university, studying 2) ... art. In 3) ... morning, she goes to lectures and in 4) ... afternoon, she spends 5) ... hour or two painting or drawing. She painted 6) ... picture of 7) ... horse yesterday.

She is going to give it to her friend as 8) ... present. Mary hopes to be 9) ... famous artist one day, so she practises all 10) ... time, even on 11) ... Saturdays and 12) ... Sundays.

Writing Practice Test 10

Choose the correct item.

Why do some people back down when faced with a threat, while others stand up to it? When given a difficult task, why do some people see it through, while others give up? It all 1) ... to personality. But where does that come from? Some scientists believe that most traits 2) Others take the opposite view: personality, they say, is formed by our environment and parents do not pass it on to their children.

The truth is probably somewhere in between. Some traits are clearly determined by your environment: whatever your genetic background, if you grow up in Sweden, you 3) ... probably speak Swedish. On the other hand, when it 4) ... to traits like the colour of your eyes or your blood type, it is clear that genetics alone accounts for them. 5) ... also traits which are partly inherited but partly shaped by environment: your weight, and even your height and skin colour, are examples.

(From "What makes you you?" by T. Falla and P. A Davies)

1.	a) comes down	b) come down	c) came down
2.	a) is inherited	b) inherited	c) are inherited
3.	a) is	b) will	c) would
4.	a) comes	b) come	c) came

5.	a) there is	b) there are	c) there will be
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Writing Practice Test 11

Put the verbs in brackets into Past Simple or Past Perfect.

Last Monday Simon 1) ... (got up) as usual, 2) ... (wash) his face, 3) ... (brush) his teeth and 4) ... (go) to the kitchen to have a breakfast. But when he 5) ... (open) the fridge, he 6) ... (find) that his flatmate Mira 7) ... (drink) all the milk – not a good start to the day! So he 8) ... (have) a quick cup of black tea, 9) ... (put on) his clothes and 10) ... (go out) to the car. There he 11) ... (find) that he 12) ... (forget) to put the cover on the car the night before and there 13) ... (be) thick frost all over the windscreen. Everything pointed out that the day would be difficult.

Writing Practice Test 12

Fill in each gap with either the infinitive or -ing form of the verbs in brackets.

I have always enjoyed 1) ... (go) skiing, so when I saw some people 2) ... (snowboard), I decided 3) ... (give) it a try.

It was more difficult 4) ... (do) than I had expected. At first I found that I could not 5) ... (keep) my balance on a board as easily as on skis, and it was almost impossible for me 6) ... (go) any distance without 7) ... (fall). I hate 8) ... (fail) at any sport, so I continued 9) ... (try) and I finally managed 10) ... (go) all the way down a slope without an accident. It was then that I realised what a great sport it is, and now I'd rather 11) ... (go) snowboarding than skiing any day.

Writing Practice Test 13

Put the verbs in brackets into the right tense forms.

There 1) ... (be) once a fox that used to wander far and wide to find food. He would sometimes walk for days in order find a nice meal. One day, he 2) ... (come) across a vine branch from which were hanging bunches of ripe, black grapes which no one 3) ... (pick) yet. The fox 4) ... (search) for food for many days and was almost dying

of hunger. He 5) ... (stay) on tip-toe and 6) ... (stretch) as high as he 7) ... (can), but he couldn't reach the grapes. He tried jumping but still without success. The fox had thought that it would be easy 8) ... (reach) the grapes, and 9) ... (hide) his disappointment he said to himself, 'What a fool I am! The grapes are sour. I 10) ... (be going) to eat them, but I've changed my mind.' And with that, he walked off.

(From "The Fox and the Grapes" by T. Falla and P. A Davies)

Writing Practice Test 14

Fill in the gaps with the correct past tense forms of the verb.

One night after everyone else 1) ... (already, go) to bed, Eric and Ilse 2) ... (quietly, sit) and talking.

"What have you 3) ... (miss) most about Berlin?" Ilse wanted to know.

Eric 4) ... (pause), then answered, "Mostly, I miss living in a city with such wonderful landmarks. The kids and I 5) ... (look) at some books about Berlin and Germany for a while before you and your family 6) ... (arrive). We 7) ... (discuss) the Brandenburg Gate when Franz interrupted to ask why its image 8) ... (use) as a design on some of the coins back when Germany had converted its money to euros."

"What 9) ... (do) you tell him?" Ilse asked.

"I 10) ... (say), it was because the gate 11) ... (become) a symbol for Germany, like the Statue of Liberty had emerged as a symbol for the United States," answered Eric.

Writing Practice Test 15

Complete this newspaper report. Write the verbs in brackets in the correct form, present simple or present continuous.

It's summer. A man is out for a quiet walk. He's walking along a country road and he (1) ... (mind) his own business when he (2) ... (be knocked down) and seriously injured by a minivan. The man, a writer of thrillers and horror fiction, (3) ... (survive) but he (4) ... (become) obsessed with the vehicle that maimed him. He doesn't bear

a grudge against the driver. Instead, he (5) ... (buy) the minivan and (6) ... (hide) it.

This sounds like the plot of a Stephen King thriller, but it is in fact the latest chapter in the writer's real life. King has bought the van and he (7) ... (intend) to take a sledgehammer to it. At present King (8) ... (recover) from his injuries at home, where he (9) ... (suffer from) a broken hip, a fractured leg and a collapsed lung. The story is uncannily like the plot of his novel *Thinner* (written several years previously), in which the victim's family (10) ... (put) a curse on the driver. King, however, (11) ... (demand) only the withdrawal of the driver's licence. As for the minivan, we (12) ... (not know) if King will actually carry out his revenge or if he is simply hatching the plot for a new novel!

(From "Advanced Learners' Grammar" by M. Foley and D. Hall)

Writing Practice Test 16

Put the verbs in brackets into the correct form: infinitive or gerund.

Scotland was the perfect place 1) ... (grow up). My parents had spent years 2) ... (save up) because they wanted 3) ... (buy) a small farmhouse in the Scottish Highlands. Shortly after I was born, their dream came true and our new life in the country began. I was probably too young 4) ... (appreciate) the fresh air and breathtaking views, but as I grew up, I began 5) ... (enjoy) exploring the unspoilt countryside. I soon got used to 6) ... (have) to walk miles to the shops, and since it was too far 7) ... (travel) to the nearest primary school, my parents did their best 8) ... (educate) me at home.

Writing Practice Test 17

Put the right pronoun.

Sally is 1) ... cousin. 2) ... is eleven years old. 3) ... lives with 4) ... family in a farmhouse in the country. 5) ... house is old and very big. Her father is farmer. 6) ... job is very tiring. 8) ... is very happy living on the farm. Sally loves horses very much. 7) ... favourite horse is "Rocky". 9) ... are best friends.

Writing Practice Test 18

Put the verbs in brackets into the correct future forms.

1. Janet has just bought an old house, and for the next year or so she 1) ... (fix) it up. The first thing she 2) ... (do) is have the roof repaired, and then she hopes she 3) ... (be able) to live there. She is afraid she 4) ... (not / finish) by next Christmas, but she 5) ... (plan) to invite her friends to come and celebrate with her anyway.

2. By the end of the year Sally 6) ... (work) for the same company for thirty years. She hopes that she 7) ... (be able) to retire after two more years. After she retires, she imagines that she 8) ... (travel) most of the time, and she believes she 9) ... (visit) at least fifty countries by the time she is seventy years old.

Writing Practice Test 19

Fill in the gaps with the correct future forms of the verb.

Thomas: Before I go sightseeing in London, I 1) ... (visit) the town of Edenbridge, where my cousins live.

Joan: Great! That 2) ... (be) fun. It 3) ... (not, be) hard to get to Edenbridge. It is southeast of London. From the airport, you 4) ... (ride) a British Rail train to Victoria Station. Another train 5) ... (take) you to Edenbridge.

Thomas: That sounds easy. I looked at the town's website. Edenbridge is called "The Garden of Kent." I 6) ... (stay) in an old manor house which has been made into an inn. The gardens there are beautiful, and there is a pool.

Writing Practice Test 20

Fill in the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

Jason's uncle, who was a sailor, 1) ... (travel) around the world for years. On his return, he 2) ... (come) to the house with presents for everyone. To Jason, he gave an old lamp which he 3) ... (buy) in Saudi Arabia.

Jason tried 4) ... (hide) his disappointment at such a dirty old gift, but thanked his uncle for 5) ... (bring) it anyway.

When his uncle 6) ... (go), Jason's mother wanted 7) ... (take) the lamp to an antique shop and 8) ... (it clean). "That's OK," said Jason. "I 9) ... (do) it myself." So he took it away and started 10) ... (polish) it.

As he 11) ... (rub) away the dirt some smoke 12) ... (come) out of it and, out of the smoke, appeared a large, rather frightening man.

General Training

Speaking

Speaking Practice Test 1.

Speak on the topic “The importance of learning foreign languages”. Include the following points:

- Why is learning a foreign language important nowadays?
- How can learning a foreign language change you and your life completely?
- How can your knowledge of a foreign language affect your future career and increase your job prospects?

Speaking Practice Test 2.

Alexander the Great said “I am indebted to my father for living, but to my teacher for living well.” Speak on relationships with your teachers. Please, identify the most important teacher in your life and explain the characteristics which make this person an excellent teacher.

Speaking Practice Test 3.

1. Speak on the topic “Living with tourism”, including the following:

- What ‘positive’ or ‘negative’ touristic things are there for people who live there?
- Does tourism really help local people with their jobs? What benefits from tourism do they have?

2. Many people are fond of travelling nowadays.

- What benefits do people take from travelling?
- Is there a place where you’ve never been that you’d like to visit? Why?

Speaking Practice Test 4.

1. “Life is short, art is long,” the saying goes.

- What is art to you?
- Do you appreciate some forms of art over others? In what ways?

- What is your favourite piece of art?

2. Pablo Picasso wrote “Art washes away from the soul the dust of everyday life.” Talk about forms of art you like. What forms of art have you ever tried? What forms appeal to you? What type of art would you like to create? Why do people make art in general?

Speaking Practice Test 5.

Everyone has fears. People are afraid of spiders, the dark, heights, etc. Talk about fears. What are you afraid of?

Speaking Practice Test 6.

Speak on a balanced diet. What does the word ‘diet’ mean? What food do you usually eat? What food can make well-balanced and healthy diet?

Speaking Practice Test 7.

Why do we record history? Why do people often use audio to record history instead of writing it down? How do we know what happened long ago?

Speaking Practice Test 8.

People often say that the way we decorate our rooms usually says something about our personality. Can you make a brief description of your room? What does your room say about your personality?

Speaking Practice Test 9.

1. Many people play sports (football, basketball, tennis, baseball, golf) because they are fun and help us keep fit. What can we learn from playing sports in a team or individually? What life lessons can we learn from playing sports?

2. The Olympic Games are the holiday of sport and talents. Speak on summer and winter Olympic Games. How do they differ from other sporting events? Tell some information about the famous Ukrainian sportsmen. What people should do to become the Olympic champions. Can they play some sport games and have fun?

Speaking Practice Test 10.

Why do people move to new places? Speak on people's feelings when they're moving somewhere? Is it good to move to a new place? Why? Discuss some reasons.

Speaking Practice Test 11.

Talk about friendship in your life. How do you choose friends? Can you describe the appearance and character of your best friend? Is it important to be a friend to others?

Speaking Practice Test 12.

Speak on the topic "Following rules". Teenagers follow rules every day. There are rules for things they do at home, at the University, and in a lot of other places. What are your responsibilities at home and University? Are there any advantages and disadvantages of working hard at home?

Speaking Practice Test 13.

1. Speak on the topic "The Internet: a blessing or a curse?" What are the advantages and disadvantages of the Internet? What ways has the Internet changed modern society in? Science has greatly affected our lives in the last two hundred years. How are things different now from long ago? How did forms of communication, ways of travel and getting news change from ages past? Talk about technological advances in communication, entertainment, transport, housing, work and medicine.

2. With the advent of the Internet and super technological phones texting has replaced calling; emails have replaced letter-writing. What are the benefits and disadvantages of texting and email? How do they affect speaking and writing skills?

Speaking Practice Test 14.

There are a lot of stereotypes about different countries. What stereotypes do people have about Ukraine? Are they true or not? What can we do to change them?

Speaking Practice Test 15.

1. Many people follow the fashion. Share your opinion on the following.

- What is more important: being fashionable or being comfortable?
- Does the way we dress say something about our lifestyles?
- Can we predict things about people based on the way they dress?

2. People say that clothes make the man. What do you consider appropriate clothes in different environments such as in the University, at work, in church, at home? Do you think the actual appearance or the brand name of clothes is more important and why? Speak on the styles of clothes teenagers wear. What is your attitude to fashion? What styles of clothes do you prefer? Where do you usually buy clothes?

Speaking Practice Test 16.

Holidays are the great time to spend with your friends and family. Speak on your favourite holiday? What family reunions do you celebrate?

Speaking Practice Test 17.

Many teenagers want to get a job during summer holidays. What are the best kinds of summer jobs for teenagers? Will this experience have positive effect on their future career? What job would you like to do during your summer holidays?

Speaking Practice Test 18.

Young people play computer games now more than ever. Some people say that computer games can be harmful for a child's development. What are the advantages and disadvantages of playing computer games? Do you think parents should control the time their children play on the computer?

Speaking Practice Test 19.

Why should we take care of the Earth? What do you usually do with trash? What do you think about the reusing and reducing of litter? Should people put more rubbish bins in the streets, remove cars from the pavements, plant more trees and flowers? Discuss these points.

Speaking Practice Test 20.

1. How does music make us feel? People usually play music that reflects their mood. What feelings do people have when they listen to different musical rhythms? What do they imagine when they hear fast or slow music? What genre of music do you usually listen to? What type of music do you listen to in different emotional states? Does music allow you to deal with your emotions?

2. Music is 'a universal language of the planet'.

- What styles of music do you know? Which of them are you interested in?
- What concert would you like to attend?

Speaking Practice Test 21.

Nowadays many teenagers don't like reading books. What about you? Do you like reading? What kinds of books do you like most? What situations do you usually read in? What book have you read recently? (title and the author, type of the book, setting, who and what it is about, personal opinion).

Speaking Practice Test 22.

Why do people explore? What do they explore in the world today? Why is exploration important? How is exploring underwater different from exploring on land?

Speaking Practice Test 23.

Would you like to be a space traveler? Where would you like to go? What would you like to see?

Speaking Practice Test 24

You should collect some materials for Ukrainian travel guide. What cities would you recommend, and what attractions should people see in these cities?

Speaking Practice Test 25.

1. Fast food restaurants offer customers affordable convenience.

- What are advantages and disadvantages of fast food restaurants?

- If you were to open a fast food restaurant, what type of food would you serve?

- How do you think fast food affects the society?

2. People agree that eating junk food such as chips, cookies, and candies is not healthy, yet almost everyone eats these things anyway. What about you? Do you eat junk food? Why? Which are your

favourites? What other eating habits have a negative effect on the people's health? What kinds of food are good for your health? Discuss some reasons.

3. You have just had a class discussion about GM (genetically modified) foods. Some students are for others are against GM foods. Express your opinion.

4. Talk about the presented ideas, include the following:

- GM foods help to feed the world;
- GM foods improve our lives;
- GM foods will be harmful to human health;
- More research is needed before GM foods can be called safe.

Speaking Practice Test 26.

A lot of tourists visit your country every year. Many people say that tourism ruins everything that it touches. Do you agree or disagree? What do you know about tourism today? What is the future of tourism?

Speaking Practice Test 27.

Living in a city, town or in the country? What do you like most? What do cities have that small towns or villages don't have?

Speaking Practice Test 28.

Some people say "Timing is everything" meaning that events can only occur when one is ready for them. Others say "Time is money."

- In your opinion, how valuable is 'time'? In what ways may 'time' be likened to 'money'?
- Do you believe there is enough time in the day to accomplish everything?

Speaking Practice Test 29.

How do our bodies work? Did you ever have influenza or a common cold? What happened to your body? How did you feel?

Speaking Practice Test 30.

For many people it is important to have free time. What do you do in your free time?

- Who do you spend your free time with?
- What sort of music do you enjoy listening to?
- Do you use the Internet? What for?
- What effects can violent computer games have on children?

Speaking Practice Test 31.

Talk about your favourite genre of literature.

- What are some of examples of works you like from this genre?
- Who are your favourite authors?
- Which book would you recommend to your friends to read and why?

Speaking Practice Test 32.

Camping holidays are becoming more and more popular. Why do you think this is happening? Talk about cost, exploring unspoilt countryside and enjoying nature.

Speaking Practice Test 33.

Nowadays young people can't live without their favourite gadgets (mobile phones, MP3 players and computers). Talk about them. Include the following:

- What they are used for on a daily basis.
- How these inventions changed the life of young people.
- What would the life without these gadgets be like?

Speaking Practice Test 34.

Scientists have determined that a number of human activities are contributing to global warming. Talk about your attitude towards the issue. Include the following:

- the reasons of global warming;
- the ways to cope with the problem.

Speaking Practice Test 35.

Technology is changing the way people read and access books. Today most books can be read in a digital format. What are the advantages and disadvantages of electronic books? Do you prefer reading electronic or printed books? Explain.

Speaking Practice Test 36.

Talk about the importance of exercise for our health.

- Why are physical exercises useful for people?
- What are your favourite sports activities?
- Would you like to start playing sport one day? Which one would you choose?

Speaking Practice Test 37.

Talk about food around the world.

- Why do eating habits and food differ in different countries?
- Which cuisines have become popular recently?
- Why do you think dishes like *pizza* and *sushi* have become international?

Speaking Practice Test 38.

Talk about the most / least important factors for a good quality of life in your native country. Include the following:

- clean streets with no litter, green spaces (trees, parks);
- work and jobs, low crime rate;

- good range of leisure and entertainment facilities;
- good public transport system, no traffic jams.

Speaking Practice Test 39.

Healthy lifestyles depend on people's personal ideas of a healthy way of life. Most people agree that taking vitamins and minerals, eating fruit and vegetables, doing exercises have a positive effect on their health. Talk about the following:

- Taking vitamins and minerals regularly.
- Eating fruit and vegetables. Starting an exercise programme.
- Vitamin supplements are less valuable than eating a variety of healthy foods.

Speaking Practice Test 40.

"Music is to the soul what food is to the body, and knowledge is to our minds". Talk about role of music in our life.

- Do you agree with the statement?
- What does music mean to you?
- In what ways does it influence you?

Translation

Test 1

1. Тринадцять – це щасливе число для мене. – А я боюся цього числа, хоча знаю, що це лише забобони.

2. У багатих і бідних різні проблеми. Багатим важко зрозуміти бідних.

3. Тут часто йде дощ, чи не так? – Раз на місяць. Я не люблю дощову погоду.

4. У кожній родині є свої секрети. Кому ти можеш довірити свої?

5. Останнім часом в моєму житті мало змін. Нема про що говорити. – Відсутність новин – це теж хороша новина.

6. Я нудьгував по тобі, так як ми не бачилися цілу вічність. Де ти була весь цей час?

7. Зарплата моєї сестри не дуже висока. Вона хоче знайти іншу роботу.

8. Фрукти корисні для здоров'я. Сьогодні на десерт фрукти і морозиво.

9. Ви знову застудилися. Бажаю вам швидкого одужання.

10. Всі хочуть здобути вищу освіту, чи не так? – Ви маєте рацію.

11. Мені здається, я хворий, правда? – Так, ти повинен залишитися вдома. Також не виходь на вулицю сьогодні, добре? Тобі б краще запросити лікаря додому.

12. Щовечора цей чоловік зі своєю собакою гуляє в парку недалеко від нашого будинку. – Чоловіка з собакою бачать тут і щоранку.

13. Чому ви кричите на мене? Що трапилося? Я нічого поганого не зробив.

14. Подивися! Йде сильний сніг. Давай залишимося вдома, добре?

15. “Мій хлопчик, ти сидиш за комп'ютером цілий день. Ти зіпсуєш зір і тобі доведеться носити окуляри”, – зазвичай говорила мама синові, коли він навчався у школі.

16. Наближається зима. Птахи полетіли в теплі країни, природа готується до довгого зимового сну.

17. Мій друг працює у бібліотеці з 9 години ранку. Він все ще пише курсову роботу. Я вже захистив курсову роботу і готуюся до останнього іспиту.

18. Коли він їде до Західної Європи? – Він ще не вирішив. Все залежить від вас.

19. Мати і батько – це єдині люди, яких я коли-небудь любив. Я знаю, що вони ніколи не підведуть і не зрадять мене.

20. Хто зробив такий прекрасний переклад сонетів Шекспіра на українську мову?

21. Чому ти не сказав, що у нас немає хліба? Я б купив буханку хліба по дорозі додому.

22. Ми б не запізналися на потяг, якби не користувалися застарілим розкладом.

Test 2

1. Моя старша сестра живе в Києві. Вона на п'ять років старша за мене.

2. Ви чули останні новини сьогодні? – Так. Сьогоднішні новини дуже важливі для мене. Вони допоможуть мені у вирішенні деяких питань.

3. Твоя машина набагато зручніша моєї. Чим швидше продам свою машину, тим краще для мене.

4. Мені не потрібні ніякі наступні пояснення, я більше тобі не вірю.

5. У нашій групі дванадцять студентів. Ніхто з нас не вміє водити машину. Я вперше керував машиною сьогодні.

6. Їх запросили на цю зустріч, і вони обіцяли прийти зі своїм учителем. Зустріч повинна розпочатися через годину.

7. Багато було сказано про це, але нічого не було зроблено. Немає кого звинувачувати.

8. По телевізору повідомлялося, що перша станція метро відкрилася у Лондоні в 1860 році. Лондонське метро є найстарішим у світі.

9. Всі готові допомогти їй, чи не так? – Так. Але вона відмовилася від будь-якої допомоги.

10. Яка жахлива погода! Якщо погода не зміниться, ми не залишимося тут. Час би нам повернутися додому.

11. Не бреши мені, добре? Хіба ти не знаєш, що він виїхав за кордон і не повернеться сюди? Якби він був тут, давно б подзвонив нам.

12. Хто грає на піаніно у вашій родині? – Ніхто. Моя молодша сестра вчиться грати на піаніно тільки два місяці.

13. Анна – одна зі студенток моєї мами. Вона найкраща студентка в групі.

14. Ви не та людина, яка може зробити будь-кого щасливим. Я маю рацію, чи не так?

15. Я ніколи не був в Нідерландах і Південній Америці, але я двічі відвідав Філіппіни.

16. Мені дали хорошу пораду, але я не зміг скористатися нею і був покараний.

17. Відомості, які ви мені дали, не точні. Ви підвели мене. У мене багато неприємностей зараз.

18. Ми часто думаємо про минуле і мріємо про майбутнє. Майбутнє здається нам щасливішим минулого.

19. Не заходь у кімнату. Угоду зараз підписують. Такі документи тут підписуються вперше.

20. Олена сказала, що їй приснився дивний сон. Її очі були червоними. Я зрозуміла, що вона плакала.

21. Якби у мене було більше вільного часу, я б відвідав всі музеї Лондона. – Тобі треба було б багато часу на це.

22. Чому ти не запросив його на день народження? Він би прийшов, якби ти сказав йому про це.

Test 3

1. Під час сесії я нікуди не ходив і навіть не дивився телевізор. Я багато займався і здав всі іспити успішно.

2. Книга виявилася набагато цікавішою, ніж я очікував. Це найцікавіша книга, яку я прочитав останнім часом.

3. Ми обговорювали новини, які щойно отримали. Це для нас дуже важливі відомості.

4. Тільки-но я прийшов додому, як подзвонив друг. Він сказав мені, що повернувся з Англії вчора.

5. Вона була вдячна своїм батькам. Вони так багато зробили для неї.

6. Ми дочекали більше години, до того як прибув автобус.

7. Якщо не буде світити сонце, птахи не будуть співати, і світ буде нудним, млявим місцем для життя.

8. Допомогти вам? – Відкрийте вікно і закрийте двері, будь ласка. У кімнаті душно.

9. Він отримає хорошу роботу, якщо успішно здасть всі іспити. Але я не впевнений, що він зможе це зробити.

10. Я можу сказати тобі, що наша сім'я буде робити напередодні Нового року: батько буде готувати індичку з яблуками, мама буде пекти пиріг, а я буду прикрашати ялинку.

11. Нас запросили взяти участь у зустрічі з іноземними студентами. Там будуть обговорювати багато цікавих питань. Ми повинні бути там о 3 годині.

12. Коли я прийшов, ця проблема все ще обговорювалася. Жодного рішення не було прийнято. Нам довелося чекати, коли його оголосять.

13. Мене зупинила поліція, тому що я їхав занадто швидко. Я повинен був сплатити штраф.

14. Ми думали, що анкети все ще заповнюють, але вони вже були заповнені і лежали на столі. Там не було тільки моєї анкети.

15. Не слід керувати машиною, поки тобі не виповниться 18 років. – Я не збираюся це робити.

16. Наш будинок ремонтують уже півроку, і ніхто не знає, коли закінчиться ремонт.

17. Поліція не думає, що злочин було скоєно цією людиною. Підозрюють когось ще.

18. Вона сказала, що у неї страшенно болить голова на цьому тижні. Я думаю, що у неї грип.

19. Вона сподівається, що її нову статтю надрукують до кінця тижня. Дві її статті вже опубліковані в цьому журналі.

20. Ми не думали, що вони приїдуть так швидко. Кімната не була підготовлена до їх приїзду.

21. Хлопчик не зміг відповісти на запитання вчителя. Якби він слухав його уважно, він би все зрозумів.

22. Ніч була дуже холодна. Якби ти не закрив вікно, ми б всі тут застудилися. У мене висока температура і болить горло. Боюся, що в мене ангіна. – Не хвилюйся, за лікарем вже послали.

Test Your Grammar Competence

Modals: Promises, Suggestions, Offers, Permission

Test 1

1. ... I ride with you to work?
 - a) Have
 - b) Let
 - c) Can
2. ... sit here, or do you want me to sit somewhere else?
 - a) Could you
 - b) Shall I
 - c) Why don't we
3. ... I have a look at those shoes in the window, please?
 - a) Would
 - b) Must
 - c) Could
4. ... I use your computer to check my e-mail?
 - a) Would
 - b) Will
 - c) May
5. I'm sorry I haven't got my homework. ... forget it again.
 - a) Do you mind if I
 - b) If I were you I wouldn't
 - c) I won't
6. Good morning, welcome to our school. ... help you?
 - a) May I
 - b) Would you mind
 - c) Let's
7. 'Excuse me. May I take a photograph?' 'No, I'm afraid you'
 - a) might
 - b) mightn't
 - c) can't
8. 'I'm starving!' 'OK. I ... you something from the fridge.'
 - a) 'm getting
 - b) 'll get
 - c) get
9. Our teacher was sick, so we ... leave school early yesterday.
 - a) allowed to
 - b) were allowed to

- c) could
10. Your leg is certainly badly bruised. I wouldn't carry on playing,
- a) shall I
 - b) you shouldn't
 - c) if I were you
11. ... I have some more tea, please?
- a) Shall
 - b) Could
 - c) Will
12. ... you like to go for a ride with us?
- a) Would
 - b) Will
 - c) Should
13. Excuse me. ... you help me?
- a) Do
 - b) Could
 - c) May
14. Dad, ... I watch Ugly Betty on TV tonight?
- a) am
 - b) can
 - c) do
15. That's not a very nice way to talk to other people. ... speak like that.
- a) It is right if I
 - b) Would you mind
 - c) It is all right if I
16. 'Could I come to your class today?'
- 'Yes, of course you'
- a) can
 - b) could
 - c) be able to
17. Students are not ... to eat or drink anything in the classroom.
- a) let
 - b) letted
 - c) allowed

18. It ... be six o'clock already! We haven't finished the chapter yet.
- a) mighted
 - b) might
 - c) can't
19. Excuse me. This room is very cold. ... turn up the heating, please?
- a) Was you
 - b) Shall you
 - c) Could you
20. Wearing high heels in the snow ... be dangerous.
- a) may
 - b) couldn't
 - c) can

Test 2

1. ... tell Kim her husband's arrived?
 - a) Shall we
 - b) Let's
 - c) Do we
2. '... you cook paella?'
'Yes, I ... show you how.'
 - a) Can / can
 - b) Can / can't
 - c) Can't / can't
3. Only buses and taxis ... drive through the main square. Cars are banned.
 - a) can't
 - b) aren't allowed to
 - c) can
4. In my last job I ... work from home if I wanted to.
 - a) were allowed to
 - b) could
 - c) need
5. ... smoke in the bar?
 - a) Are we allowed
 - b) Allowed we
 - c) Can we
6. We ... smoke in the hotel. We ... go out into the garden.
 - a) could / had to
 - b) had to / could
 - c) couldn't / had to
7. ... leave this until tomorrow? It's getting late.
 - a) Why don't
 - b) Why doesn't
 - c) Shall we
8. We ... usually stay up late at weekends.
 - a) let's
 - b) be able
 - c) can

9. ... you stop at the grocery store on the way home?
a) Can
b) Ought
c) Let's
10. Our students ... to take up to five books to read at home.
a) could
b) can
c) are allowed
11. Perhaps we ... think again. This plan isn't going to work.
a) are allowed
b) let's
c) should
12. ... we stay up late tonight?
a) let's
b) be able
c) can
13. We ... park our car outside our front door. There's no space.
a) aren't allowed
b) are allowed
c) can't
14. You ... do everything you want in my house.
a) should
b) can to
c) may
15. ... I help you?
a) Ought
b) Am
c) Shall
16. ... to take your mobile phone to the University?
a) Can you
b) May you
c) Are you allowed
17. You ... go now.
a) ought
b) are able
c) can

18. We ... to watch TV but we ... play computer games.
- a) can ... can
 - b) aren't allowed ... are allowed
 - c) aren't allowed ... can
19. ... I take an eraser?
- a) Can
 - b) Ought to
 - c) Am
20. ... I wait for you?
- a) Ought to
 - b) Shall
 - c) Am able to

Modals: Ability, Possibility, Certainty

Test 1

1. I ... have joined a gym but in the end I decided to exercise at home.
 - a) must
 - b) will
 - c) could
2. I hope we ... find the cinema easily.
 - a) can
 - b) could
 - c) may
3. That ... be Ted at the door. He's in bed with chicken pox.
 - a) can't
 - b) hasn't
 - c) oughtn't
4. My brother ... write when he was just three years old.
 - a) should
 - b) might
 - c) could
5. Even in a million years, we ... go back in time.
 - a) can't
 - b) couldn't
 - c) won't be able to
6. I ... at the exam paper lying on Mr. Gregson's desk, but I didn't want to risk it.
 - a) can look
 - b) could have looked
 - c) could look
7. You really ... make such a mountain out of a molehill!
 - a) mightn't
 - b) shouldn't
 - c) won't
8. You ... have let us know you'd changed your phone number?
 - a) could
 - b) may
 - c) would

9. We ... as well try to sell this old sofa before throwing it out.
a) can
b) should
c) might
10. I ... speak French without a problem now because I have had many lessons.
a) should
b) may
c) can
11. Why don't you phone Katie now? She ... yet.
a) might have left
b) need have left
c) can't have left
12. I know I ... do it because I have done it before.
a) ought
b) must
c) can
13. There's no point waiting here any longer. We ... go and have something to eat.
a) can hardly
b) might as well
c) are bound to
14. Take some sun-block and wear a hat, as it ... get very hot in the middle of the day.
a) could had
b) could have
c) can
15. Lucky you managed to hang on to that tree. You ... down the cliff.
a) could have fallen
b) must have falled
c) may have fallen
16. Tamsin ... to her graduation ceremony, but she decided not to in the end.
a) can have gone
b) can go
c) could have gone

17. You ... have told us you were going to be a bit late!
- a) would
 - b) will
 - c) could
18. 'What am I going to do about a present for Carol?'
- 'You ... some flowers.'
- a) might have sent her
 - b) could always send her
 - c) might had sent her
19. Are you any good at athletics? How fast ... you run?
- a) should
 - b) must
 - c) can
20. Ben ... cook a fantastic curry!
- a) can
 - b) canned
 - c) can to

Test 2

1. We ran out of milk last night but I ... buy some at the corner shop.
 - a) could
 - b) was able to
 - c) can't
2. I don't know what time I'll be home. I ... be quite late, I'm afraid.
 - a) have
 - b) must
 - c) may
3. The buses ... get very crowded before they built the new Underground.
 - a) could
 - b) can
 - c) were able to
4. There's no sign of the dog anywhere. Someone ... it out.
 - a) is bound to have let
 - b) may have let
 - c) must have let
5. It took us a long time, but eventually we managed ... a refund.
 - a) getting
 - b) gotting
 - c) to get
6. When Philip was at school, he ... speak French quite well.
 - a) was able
 - b) can
 - c) could
7. Why don't you ask Nick about it? He ... know the answer, I suppose.
 - a) can
 - b) may
 - c) might
8. Who's the woman in that car? – ... be Carol. She's in Germany.
 - a) She can't
 - b) It can't

- c) She mustn't
9. Susan has to work very hard. I ... do her job, I'm sure.
- a) shouldn't
 - b) can't
 - c) couldn't
10. There must be some kind of technical problem. The film ... by now.
- a) should have started
 - b) might have started
 - c) must have started
11. I wonder if this is the right way. It ... not be.
- a) must
 - b) might
 - c) could
12. The chemist's was open, so luckily I ... buy some aspirin.
- a) did can
 - b) can
 - c) was able to
13. We're sorry, but we ... come to your party on Saturday.
- a) can'll
 - b) can't
 - c) don't can
14. It's women only at the health club pool tonight. Men ... go.
- a) can't
 - b) couldn't
 - c) can
15. Christina was an amazing child – she ... speak before she was two.
- a) did
 - b) can
 - c) could
16. I'm not very busy this weekend so I ... come to the football match.
- a) may not
 - b) might not
 - c) might

17. I'd like to ... sing well.
- a) can
 - b) be able to
 - c) have ability to
18. When I get my new car, I ... drive to work.
- a) 'll be able
 - b) can
 - c) 'll be able to
19. 'That's \$200 dollars, sir.'
- 'That ... right! Your website said \$150.'
- a) mustn't
 - b) mustn't be
 - c) can't be
20. The place we are visiting is in the mountains so your mobile ... work there.
- a) might not
 - b) can
 - c) must not

Modals: Suggestions, Advice, Warning

Test 1

1. ... Eliot better tell his mum what happened?
 - a) Oughtn't
 - b) Shouldn't
 - c) Hadn't
2. I don't think you've understood this. ... look at Unit 8 again.
 - a) I think you should
 - b) Do you think I could
 - c) If I was you
3. 'I've been feeling under the weather recently.'
'You ... more exercise.'
 - a) should have got
 - b) would have got
 - c) should get
4. That cut looks bad. We ... phone for an ambulance.
 - a) 'd better
 - b) must better
 - c) should had
5. In my opinion, you ... smoke so much.
 - a) don't have to
 - b) needn't
 - c) shouldn't
6. I'm really sorry. I ... said all those terrible things about you.
 - a) mustn't
 - b) shouldn't have
 - c) shouldn't
7. ... I show you the way? – Oh, thank you.
 - a) Would
 - b) Will
 - c) Shall
8. If you have stomach pains, you ... to go to the doctor's.
 - a) ought
 - b) should
 - c) had better
9. ... I carry that bag for you? – Oh, thank you.
 - a) Would

- b) Will
 - c) Shall
10. Kim just sits and watches TV every evening. He ... join an evening class.
- a) should
 - b) must
 - c) ought
11. It's getting dark. ... stop weeding and come in from the garden?
- a) Had better
 - b) Had better you
 - c) Hadn't you better
12. You ... really try and visit the castle if you have time.
- a) shouldn't
 - b) should
 - c) ought
13. It's quite a formal party so ... wear jeans to it.
- a) must
 - b) you must
 - c) I don't think you should
14. It's freezing this evening. You ... take a taxi to the station.
- a) better
 - b) would better
 - c) had better
15. ... start studying soon or you'll never pass your exam!
- a) You'd better
 - b) You be better
 - c) You ought
16. Ella ... harder than she does.
- a) does work
 - b) should worked
 - c) should work
17. I overheard a mother tell her son, 'If you need to use your cell phone, you ... do it now because you ... make a call during the flight.'
- a) had better ... cannot
 - b) had better to ... cannot
 - c) must ... do not able to

18. I don't think that you ... watch so much TV.

- a) may
- b) should
- c) had better

19. He ... finish that report by 9:00 tomorrow morning or his boss will be upset.

- a) had better
- b) would better
- c) was better

20. If you're unhappy, just quit. You ... start your own business.

- a) wasn't
- b) could
- c) musted

Test 2

1. As we were exiting the airplane, an agent told us that we ...
 - a) should pick up our baggage at carousel 7
 - b) might have waited ten minutes for our baggage
 - c) must to have our baggage claim tickets in our hands
2. You look tired. I think you ... go to bed early tonight.
 - a) hadn't better
 - b) had better
 - c) had better not
3. People ... want to file their taxes early.
 - a) can to
 - b) must
 - c) might
4. He really tell so many lies. He ... get into trouble.
 - a) should
 - b) ought
 - c) will
5. The lecturer ... speak more clearly.
 - a) had
 - b) should
 - c) ought
6. You ... read this book. It is very interesting.
 - a) ought
 - b) are able
 - c) must
7. You ... write better.
 - a) ought
 - b) are able
 - c) should
8. You're very busy, you ... go.
 - a) need
 - b) had better
 - c) able to
9. My dentist says I ... eat so many sweets.
 - a) shouldn't
 - b) ought not

- c) mustn't
10. These plants ... three times a week.
- a) you should water
 - b) can be watered
 - c) should be watered
11. The logs ... too long for our fireplace.
- a) cut
 - b) have been cut
 - c) have to be cut
12. Those children ... be on their own! They ... to be with an adult.
- a) should, oughtn't
 - b) shouldn't, ought
 - c) oughtn't, shouldn't
13. You ... see a doctor.
- a) ought
 - b) are able
 - c) should
14. You ... there.
- a) ought not go to
 - b) not ought to go
 - c) ought not to go
15. ... an ice-cream?
- a) Have you will
 - b) Will you have
 - c) You will have
16. ... stopping here for a coffee? Or ... better keep driving?
- a) Why don't we ... had better we
 - b) What about ... shouldn't
 - c) How about ... had we
17. You ... this.
- a) mustn't do
 - b) do mustn't
 - c) do musted
18. ... this letter for me, please?
- a) Type would you
 - b) Would type you
 - c) Would you type

19. ... finish your English homework?

- a) You shouldn't
- b) You should
- c) Hadn't you better

20. ... football in the street.

- a) Can't you play
- b) You can't played
- c) You can't play

Passive Voice

Test 1

1. When Eliana arrived, she soon ... at all her jokes.
 - a) had laughing everyone
 - b) had everyone laughed
 - c) had everyone laughing
2. Your request is ... considered.
 - a) be
 - b) been
 - c) being
3. Mrs. Hutchinson asked me to tell you that she would like ... by Tuesday at the latest.
 - a) sending the orders
 - b) that you sent
 - c) the orders sent
4. We ... by a loud noise during the night.
 - a) were waking up
 - b) woke up
 - c) were woken up
5. The architect Antoni Gaudi did not like ... and there are few pictures of him.
 - a) having his photograph taken
 - b) taking his photograph
 - c) photographing
6. There ... between 4,000 and 6,000 languages in the world, depending on how you count them.
 - a) are said to be
 - b) say to be
 - c) are said that
7. A new supermarket is going to ... next year.
 - a) be built
 - b) be building
 - c) build
8. New brick houses ... the workers.
 - a) were built for
 - b) were built
 - c) were built to

9. When ... ?
a) discovered penicillin
b) was penicillin be discovered
c) was penicillin discovered
10. We ... a swimming pool put in this week.
a) are having
b) get
c) have got
11. The castle ... built in the 16th century.
a) is
b) was
c) has been
12. There's somebody walking behind us. I think
a) we are following
b) we are being followed
c) we are being following
13. I could see that a lot of work ... on the house.
a) has been doing
b) had been done
c) had done
14. 'Where ... ?'
'In New York.'
a) are you born
b) have you been born
c) were you born
15. The government must ... strong measures against crime.
a) be seen be taking
b) be seen to be taking
c) see to be taking
16. There was a fight at the party, but nobody
a) hurt
b) gotted hurt
c) was hurt
17. Joining a gym ... , but I didn't really fancy the idea.
a) was suggesting me
b) was suggested to me
c) was suggested me

18. Jane ... to phone me last night, but she didn't.
- a) was supposed
 - b) is supposed
 - c) supposed
19. My teeth were a little yellow so I ... by the dentist.
- a) had them cleaned
 - b) had cleaned them
 - c) have them cleaned
20. I spoke to Victor last night and he says he ... while he was on holiday.
- a) had his phone stolen
 - b) was got his phone stolen
 - c) had stolen his phone

Test 2

1. Where ... ? Which hairdresser did you go to?
 - a) did you have cut your hair
 - b) have you cut your hair
 - c) did you have your hair cut
2. Stuart's thinking of having ... !
 - a) his head shaved
 - b) shaved his head
 - c) his head shaving
3. Is he ... arrested as we speak?
 - a) been
 - b) will be
 - c) being
4. Why didn't you ... you when you moved house?
 - a) have Leo help
 - b) have got Leo help
 - c) have Leo helped
5. All these houses ... neglected for decades.
 - a) have been
 - b) are being
 - c) has been
6. My mother and father didn't fancy cooking, so we got a pizza
 - a) be delivered
 - b) to be delivered
 - c) delivered
7. Profits ... slightly next year, although we don't predict any job losses.
 - a) are expecting to fall
 - b) expect to fall
 - c) are expected to fall
8. Can we ... this summer?
 - a) get installed air-conditioning
 - b) have installed air-conditioning
 - c) have air-conditioning installed

9. There's no question that they ... delighted when they see her tomorrow.
- a) will be
 - b) have been
 - c) will have been
10. How many times have you ... your house broken into?
- a) have
 - b) had
 - c) been
11. It's hard to believe that this film ... completely by computer.
- a) has generated
 - b) has been generated
 - c) was been generating
12. We ... by a loud noise during the night.
- a) are woken up
 - b) were waking up
 - c) were woken up
13. That ceremony ... enacted on Wednesday next.
- a) is
 - b) has been
 - c) is being
14. A new supermarket is going to ... next year.
- a) be building
 - b) be built
 - c) build
15. As soon as Dad ... , we can leave.
- a) has the car starting
 - b) has got the car started
 - c) got started the car
16. The children ... taken to school by bus every day.
- a) are
 - b) was
 - c) had
17. I'm sorry you can't come in at the moment because we ... the house decorated right now.
- a) will have
 - b) are having

c) have had

18. I can assure you that this box ... never been opened before I opened this morning.

a) had

b) was

c) is

19. There's somebody walking behind us. I think

a) we are being following

b) we are being followed

c) we are following

20. That building ... left unoccupied since 1840.

a) would be

b) has been

c) will be

Sequence of Tenses

Test 1

1. When the streets ... really crowded, I hate going shopping.
 - a) were
 - b) are
 - c) will be
2. I don't know
 - a) Jane got home last night
 - b) when Jane got home last night
 - c) when got Jane home last night
3. Let's take the bus home ... the film finishes.
 - a) as
 - b) if
 - c) when
4. Grace asked if I ... her letter.
 - a) had posted
 - b) will post
 - c) was posting
5. Ella says she'll come and see you when she ... in Boston.
 - a) will be
 - b) is going to be
 - c) is
6. My cousin asked me when I ... to work.
 - a) have gone
 - b) had to go
 - c) will go
7. How many men ... a motorbike like mine have the same problem?
 - a) owning
 - b) who are owning
 - c) whose are owning
8. My friend said it was a stupid idea and it
 - a) will have work
 - b) doesn't work
 - c) wouldn't work
9. Last night the car ... I own broke down for the sixth time.
 - a) in which

- b) that
 - c) where
10. We can build a space shuttle ... carry a man into space, but we can't build a car that runs regularly!
- a) that can
 - b) that
 - c) , that
11. Dorothy told me she ... to England.
- a) had never been
 - b) never was
 - c) will never be
12. The mechanic ... garage said he could not get to it for at least three days.
- a) whose
 - b) that
 - c) which
13. Old man said that he ... to Oxford University in the 80s.
- a) had been
 - b) will be
 - c) has been
14. Jane, can you tell me how I'm supposed to get to a job ... fourteen miles from my home?
- a) in which is located
 - b) that located
 - c) located
15. My car, ... engine is falling apart, is not worth anything anymore!
- a) that
 - b) whose
 - c) of which
16. My girlfriend said she ... help me because she had too much to do.
- a) couldn't
 - b) will be able
 - c) can
17. Perhaps the best solution ... for my problem is to buy a bus pass.
- a) that I can find

b) find can

c) can find

18. I thought the play ... interesting and decided to go to the theatre.

a) would be

b) had been

c) is

19. I do not know why, but a ... perpetually has problems ... called a lemon.

a) car that ... is

b) car ... is

c) car ... that is

20. The girl said she ... to Portland soon.

a) goes

b) was going

c) went

Test 2

1. My mum doubted if he ... see my point.
 - a) will
 - b) would
 - c) have to
2. His brother said that he ... to Disneyland.
 - a) has never been
 - b) had never been
 - c) was never
3. The boy said that he ... to the cinema the day before.
 - a) has gone
 - b) would go
 - c) had gone
4. The weather forecast said that ... in the evening.
 - a) it will snow
 - b) it will be snowing
 - c) it would snow
5. That persons told me that he ... there in an hour.
 - a) would be
 - b) was
 - c) will
6. Peter said that he ... a horse before.
 - a) had never ridden
 - b) never rode
 - c) has never ridden
7. We hoped that he ... to attend the University.
 - a) would be able
 - b) will be able
 - c) is able
8. The teacher explained that classes ... the week before.
 - a) had started
 - b) start
 - c) have started
9. The man asked me if I ... the car accident.
 - a) had seen
 - b) have seen

- c) saw
10. Julian said that he ... her for several months.
- a) would know
 - b) will know
 - c) had known
11. My mum and dad decided that we ... my birthday on Wednesday.
- a) celebrated
 - b) would celebrate
 - c) celebrate
12. They didn't know the score, but they were sure their team ... the game.
- a) didn't lose
 - b) hasn't lost
 - c) hadn't lost
13. He thought that Benjamin ... her that he intended to go to Italy.
- a) will tell
 - b) was telling
 - c) would tell
14. Yesterday Fred heard that his aunt ... for some days.
- a) had been ill
 - b) was ill
 - c) is ill
15. That old man told me he ... in the town all his life.
- a) has lived
 - b) is living
 - c) had lived
16. Ben hoped that his brother ... him with his bike.
- a) helped
 - b) would help
 - c) will help
17. During the interview they asked Daisy if she ... to work on Sundays.
- a) will want
 - b) has wanted
 - c) wanted

18. The children were afraid of making any noise – Granny
- a) was sleeping
 - b) slept
 - c) had been sleeping
19. He heard that Ann ... a new position at the clinic.
- a) is accepting
 - b) had accepted
 - c) has accepted
20. Her husband gave all his money to her because he ... her.
- a) trusts
 - b) had trusted
 - c) trusted

Reported Speech

Test 1

1. Paul left the room suddenly. He said he ... to go.
 - a) have
 - b) has
 - c) had
2. You said you would
 - a) didn't you?
 - b) would you?
 - c) did you?
3. The newspapers wrote that Mr. and Mrs. Hervey ... the truth.
 - a) not to tell
 - b) don't tell
 - c) weren't telling
4. Luke left the room suddenly. He said he ... to go.
 - a) have
 - b) has
 - c) had
5. Hello, Thomas. I didn't expect to see you today. Ann said you ... in hospital.
 - a) are
 - b) were
 - c) should be
6. The shop assistant finally agreed ... a full refund.
 - a) to give me
 - b) giving me
 - c) give to me
7. Sienna ... and left.
 - a) said goodbye to me
 - b) said me goodbye
 - c) told me goodbye
8. Andrew asked me why ... to go shopping with me.
 - a) hadn't I invited him
 - b) I hadn't invited him
 - c) I hadn't him invited
9. Hi, Joe. I didn't expect to see you. Daria said you ... in hospital.
 - a) should be

- b) are
 - c) were
10. Mom said, 'I have to work this weekend.'
- a) Mom said that she would work this weekend.
 - b) Mom said that she might work this weekend.
 - c) Mom said that she had to work this weekend.
11. She asked him ... to look at the new catalogue.
- a) do you want
 - b) whether he wants
 - c) if he wanted
12. Dad said that he was going to wash the car on Saturday.
- a) Dad said, 'I am going to wash the car on Saturday.'
 - b) Dad said, 'I should wash the car on Saturday.'
 - c) Dad said, 'I can wash the car on Saturday.'
13. Bill ... me he'd bought that suit in a sale.
- a) told
 - b) said
 - c) claimed
14. Joe asked me, 'Do you have a pen I could borrow?'
- a) Joe asked me if I have a pen I could borrow.
 - b) Joe asked me if he had a pen I could borrow.
 - c) Joe asked me if I had a pen he could borrow.
15. 'What did the man say when you challenged him?'
- 'He said he ... pay for the things in his bag, but I didn't believe him!'
- a) has been going to
 - b) is going to
 - c) was going to
16. Linda said to Tom, 'Please come to my house for dinner Sunday night.'
- a) Linda invited Tom come to her house for dinner Sunday night.
 - b) Linda invited to Tom to come to her house for dinner Sunday night.
 - c) Linda invited Tom to come to her house for dinner Sunday night.

17. Many people ... to help.
- a) offered
 - b) didn't mind
 - c) promised
18. When I last saw Carrie, she told me she ... of buying a house, but now she's changed her mind.
- a) was thinking
 - b) thought
 - c) has been thinking
19. Their teacher ... against talking to strangers.
- a) advised
 - b) suggested
 - c) recommended
20. I saw Helena this morning and she said ... to see you this evening.
- a) she is wanting
 - b) she wanted
 - c) will want

Test 2

1. Many people ... on Rita's new hairstyle.
 - a) complimented
 - b) commented
 - c) talked
2. 'What did they say when they realised you weren't a shoplifter?'
'They apologized ... me.'
 - a) to doubt
 - b) for doubting
 - c) they had doubted
3. I tried to ... Molly from having her nose pierced.
 - a) persuade
 - b) encourage
 - c) discourage
4. The actress ... to having had first-night nerves.
 - a) agreed
 - b) accepted
 - c) admitted
5. The doctor told ... have to have an operation.
 - a) to Cecilia she will
 - b) Cecilia she
 - c) Cecilia she would
6. 'I have a problem,' 'I'd like to talk to you about it?'
 - a) said he
 - b) the man asked
 - c) he replied
7. 'What did Daisy say?'
'He said ... to class today.'
 - a) to me he can't coming
 - b) he couldn't come
 - c) me he can't come
8. 'Certainly. Wait here. I won't be a minute,'
 - a) replied the woman
 - b) said she
 - c) answered

9. My aunt said she couldn't chat because she was moving house
- a) this day
 - b) today
 - c) that day
10. The teacher told the class ... their course books.
- a) take out
 - b) taken out
 - c) to take out
11. Mabel promised that she ... me back as soon as she had saved enough money.
- a) would pay
 - b) will pay
 - c) is paying
12. He told me he ... to see the doctor.
- a) go
 - b) had been
 - c) has gone
13. The police reported that they still ... the murderer.
- a) don't find
 - b) won't find
 - c) couldn't find
14. Henry asked us if we ... the film before.
- a) had seen
 - b) did see
 - c) saw
15. Matilda offered ... one of her famous coffee cakes to the office.
- a) bringing
 - b) to bring
 - c) will bring
16. The front door was closed. John asked the policeman
- a) to open it
 - b) opening it
 - c) opens
17. The secretary asked us why ... to see Mr. Kennington.
- a) we want
 - b) did we want

- c) we wanted
- 18. Sara wanted to know where ...
 - a) Ben had been
 - b) had been Ben
 - c) was Ben
- 19. She said she ... here by the time we got home.
 - a) 'd be
 - b) is
 - c) 'll be
- 20. Did you just ask Daniel ... you his car?
 - a) to lend
 - b) have lent
 - c) lending

Infinitive vs. Gerund

Test 1

1. I didn't expect our history teacher ... us so much homework.
 - a) give
 - b) to give
 - c) giving
2. Why did you refuse ... the police officer's questions? It only makes you look guilty!
 - a) for answering
 - b) answering
 - c) to answer
3. Do you deny ... this with the defendant on the day in question?
 - a) to discuss
 - b) discussing
 - c) to have discussed
4. You can't stop me ... what I want.
 - a) doing
 - b) do
 - c) that I do
5. ... me if I've told you this before.
 - a) Stopping
 - b) Stopped
 - c) Stop
6. I must go now. I promised ... late.
 - a) not being
 - b) to not be
 - c) not to be
7. Do you remember ... to school for the very first time?
 - a) to go
 - b) going
 - c) of going
8. All I can say at the moment is: Long ... the company!
 - a) lived
 - b) live
 - c) living
9. Do you want ... with you or do you want to go alone?
 - a) me to come

- b) that I will come
 - c) me coming
10. It's about time Mrs. Richards apologised to me ... me a gossip in front of everybody.
- a) to have called
 - b) from calling
 - c) for having called
11. I know I locked the door. I clearly remember ... it.
- a) locking
 - b) to have locked
 - c) to lock
12. She tried to be serious, but she couldn't help
- a) laughing
 - b) that she laughed
 - c) to laugh
13. I started doing my homework when I got home from school but I stopped ... my favourite show.
- a) to watch
 - b) watching
 - c) from watching
14. She may claim ... a PhD but nobody's ever actually seen the certificate.
- a) to have
 - b) for having
 - c) having
15. Paul lives in Dallas now. He likes ... there.
- a) living
 - b) to live
 - c) lived
16. Please don't forget ... your essays during Thursday's lesson.
- a) handing in
 - b) to hand in
 - c) hand in
17. It's not my favourite job, but I like ... the kitchen as often as possible.
- a) cleaning
 - b) to clean

c) clean

18. Our teacher made the whole class ... after the lesson because we had been so noisy.

a) staying

b) to stay

c) stay

19. The kids suggested ... a pizza tonight. What do you think?

a) getting

b) to get

c) for getting

20. 'What was Jude's reaction to the accusation?' 'Well, he denied ... anywhere near the house at the time.'

a) to be

b) of being

c) being

Test 2

1. I'm tired. I'd rather ... out this evening, if you don't mind.
 - a) not going
 - b) not to go
 - c) not go
2. Let's ... there tomorrow if it's fine.
 - a) go
 - b) going
 - c) gone
3. 'Shall I stay here?'
'I'd rather ... with us.'
 - a) you come
 - b) you came
 - c) you to come
4. Jackson responded ... that at least she'd never lied to her parents.
 - a) to say
 - b) by saying
 - c) with having said
5. I didn't hear you ... in. You must have been very quiet.
 - a) came
 - b) come
 - c) to come
6. Are you looking forward ... on holiday?
 - a) to go
 - b) to going
 - c) going
7. ... a hotel, we looked for somewhere to have dinner.
 - a) Finding
 - b) We found
 - c) After finding
8. Try ... the door really hard if you want to open it.
 - a) push
 - b) pushing
 - c) pushed
9. When Ada came to Britain, she had to get used ... on the left.
 - a) to driving

- b) to drive
- c) driving
- 10. I'm begging ...
 - a) that you stay
 - b) your staying
 - c) you to stay
- 11. I'm thinking ... a house. Do you think that's a good idea?
 - a) to buy
 - b) of buying
 - c) of to buy
- 12. The path was icy, so we walked very carefully. We were afraid ...
 - a) of falling
 - b) to fall
 - c) from falling
- 13. Try ... these irregular verbs by next week.
 - a) learn
 - b) to learn
 - c) learning
- 14. You can't stop me ... what I want.
 - a) doing
 - b) to do
 - c) do
- 15. I had no ... a place to live. In fact it was surprisingly easy.
 - a) difficulty to find
 - b) trouble to find
 - c) difficulty finding
- 16. Please, come back soon and ... the work you started two weeks ago.
 - a) finish
 - b) finishing
 - c) finished
- 17. A friend of mine phoned ... me to a party.
 - a) for invite
 - b) for inviting
 - c) to invite

18. I really appreciate your ... me at this difficult time.
- a) help
 - b) helped
 - c) helping
19. Jim doesn't speak very clearly. ...
- a) It has difficult to understand him.
 - b) He is difficult to understand him.
 - c) He is difficult to understand.
20. I'll finish now and I look forward to ... you again soon.
- a) seeing
 - b) having seen
 - c) see

Participle Clauses

Part I

Test 1

1. The girl was sitting on the bench, ... a book.
 - a) read
 - b) reading
 - c) reads
 - d) readed
2. The homework ... by the students was very difficult.
 - a) do
 - b) did
 - c) done
 - d) doing
3. The dog ... by the boy looks happy.
 - a) walk
 - b) walked
 - c) walking
 - d) walks
4. The crying baby was ... by his mother.
 - a) comfort
 - b) comforting
 - c) comforts
 - d) comforted
5. The street ... with snow looked magical.
 - a) cover
 - b) covering
 - c) covered
 - d) covers
6. I saw a bird ... in the sky.
 - a) flying
 - b) flown
 - c) flies
 - d) fly
7. The broken vase was on the floor, ... in pieces.
 - a) lies
 - b) lying

- c) laid
 - d) laying
8. The man ... the bus is my neighbor.
- a) drive
 - b) driven
 - c) driving
 - d) drives
9. The cake ... in the fridge is for the party.
- a) keeps
 - b) kept
 - c) keeping
 - d) keep
10. The woman ... to the police was shocked.
- a) talks
 - b) talked
 - c) talking
 - d) talk
11. The film ... in 1998 won many awards.
- a) making
 - b) make
 - c) made
 - d) makes
12. The children ... snowballs were laughing.
- a) threw
 - b) throwing
 - c) thrown
 - d) throw
13. The injured man was ... on the road.
- a) lays
 - b) lying
 - c) lie
 - d) laid
14. The poem ... by the student impressed the teacher.
- a) wrote
 - b) written
 - c) writing
 - d) write

15. The car ... outside is mine.
a) parked
b) park
c) parking
d) parks
16. The children ... cartoons are quiet.
a) watches
b) watch
c) watched
d) watching
17. The dishes ... in the sink are dirty.
a) lies
b) laying
c) lying
d) lay
18. The girl ... the red dress is my sister.
a) wearing
b) wears
c) wore
d) worn
19. The coffee ... on the table is cold.
a) sitting
b) sits
c) sat
d) sit
20. The man ... the windows is a cleaner.
a) cleans
b) cleaning
c) cleaned
d) clean

Test 2

21. The players ... the match looked tired.
a) finishes
b) finishing
c) finished
d) finish
22. The city ... in the distance is Paris.
a) seeing
b) seen
c) sees
d) saw
23. The house ... on the hill belongs to my uncle.
a) building
b) builds
c) built
d) build
24. I saw her ... the baby gently.
a) held
b) holding
c) holds
d) hold
25. The door ... by the wind slammed shut.
a) blew
b) blown
c) blowing
d) blownd
26. The story ... by the old man was touching.
a) tells
b) told
c) telling
d) tell
27. The soldiers ... in the war were honored.
a) fighting
b) fought
c) fights
d) fighted

28. The trees ... in autumn are beautiful.
- a) falling
 - b) fell
 - c) fallen
 - d) falls
29. The girl ... her homework didn't hear the call.
- a) does
 - b) doing
 - c) did
 - d) done
30. The parcel ... yesterday arrived late.
- a) sends
 - b) sending
 - c) sent
 - d) send
31. The road ... by the workers is almost ready.
- a) repairing
 - b) repaired
 - c) repair
 - d) repairs
32. The room ... with flowers looked amazing.
- a) decorate
 - b) decorated
 - c) decorating
 - d) decorates
33. The boat ... across the lake looked peaceful.
- a) sails
 - b) sailing
 - c) sailed
 - d) sail
34. The message ... to her was urgent.
- a) sends
 - b) sending
 - c) sent
 - d) send
35. The man ... in the photo is my father.
- a) show

- b) shown
- c) showing
- d) showed

36. The music ... from the room was loud.

- a) playing
- b) played
- c) plays
- d) play

37. The building ... next to the school is a library.

- a) constructing
- b) constructed
- c) constructs
- d) construct

38. The students ... at the board are my classmates.

- a) looked
- b) looking
- c) looks
- d) look

39. The flower ... in the vase is from the garden.

- a) putting
- b) put
- c) puts
- d) putted

40. The book ... in class is very interesting.

- a) reads
- b) reading
- c) read
- d) reads

Part II

Test 1

1. The girl ... by the teacher was crying.
 - a) scolded
 - b) scolding
 - c) scolds
 - d) scold
2. We could hear the children ... outside.
 - a) laughed
 - b) laughing
 - c) laugh
 - d) being laughed
3. The ... documents must be submitted by Friday.
 - a) complete
 - b) completing
 - c) completed
 - d) completes
4. The man ... at the corner seems suspicious.
 - a) stood
 - b) standing
 - c) stands
 - d) stand
5. ... by the movie, she couldn't stop crying.
 - a) Moving
 - b) Moved
 - c) Move
 - d) Moves
6. The ... students waited for the teacher.
 - a) frustrate
 - b) frustrating
 - c) frustrated
 - d) frustration
7. The book ... on the table is mine.
 - a) lying
 - b) lied

- c) laying
 - d) lay
8. The ... child was comforted by her mother.
- a) cry
 - b) cried
 - c) crying
 - d) cried
9. The building ... last year was very expensive.
- a) constructing
 - b) constructed
 - c) construct
 - d) construction
10. The cake ... by my sister was delicious.
- a) bakes
 - b) baking
 - c) baked
 - d) bake
11. The ... dog barked all night.
- a) frightened
 - b) frightening
 - c) fright
 - d) frightens
12. The movie was quite I couldn't stop thinking about it.
- a) shocking
 - b) shocked
 - c) shock
 - d) shocks
13. The ... window needs to be fixed.
- a) breaking
 - b) broken
 - c) break
 - d) breaks
14. The ... sun made it hard to drive.
- a) dazzling
 - b) dazzled
 - c) dazzle
 - d) dazzles

15. The mail ... yesterday included a package for you.
a) sends
b) sent
c) sending
d) send
16. The child ... toys all over the room was scolded.
a) scattered
b) scattering
c) scatter
d) scatters
17. The ... guests brought joy to the party.
a) arriving
b) arrived
c) arrive
d) arrival
18. The ... engine made a strange noise.
a) running
b) ran
c) runs
d) run
19. The ... documents were found in the drawer.
a) missing
b) missed
c) miss
d) misses
20. She wore a necklace ... of silver and pearls.
a) make
b) made
c) making
d) makes

Test 2

21. The ... children were full of energy.
a) play
b) played
c) playing
d) plays
22. ... by fear, he ran away.
a) Driven
b) Driving
c) Drive
d) Drives
23. He watched the sun ... behind the hills.
a) sets
b) set
c) setting
d) to set
24. The ... story kept me up all night.
a) interest
b) interested
c) interesting
d) interests
25. I found a letter ... in the drawer.
a) hides
b) hiding
c) hidden
d) hide
26. ... the instructions, she managed to assemble the furniture.
a) Follow
b) Followed
c) Following
d) Follows
27. The boy ... in the library is my cousin.
a) studying
b) studied
c) studies
d) study

28. They watched the leaves ... from the tree.
a) fall
b) fallen
c) fell
d) falling
29. The ... car was towed away.
a) damages
b) damaged
c) damaging
d) damage
30. He was reading a book ... in Spanish.
a) writing
b) wrote
c) written
d) writes
31. The ... water splashed on my face.
a) flows
b) flowed
c) flowing
d) flow
32. The ... concert attracted many fans.
a) excites
b) excited
c) exciting
d) excite
33. The man ... for theft was released.
a) arrests
b) arrested
c) arrest
d) arresting
34. I picked up the ... newspaper.
a) drops
b) dropped
c) dropping
d) drop
35. The girl ... with a red ribbon is my sister.
a) dress

- b) dresses
- c) dressed
- d) dressing

36. The students ... in the hallway were noisy.

- a) stood
- b) standing
- c) stand
- d) stands

37. We saw a bear ... in the forest.

- a) hide
- b) hides
- c) hiding
- d) hidden

38. The ... letter made her cry.

- a) receives
- b) receiving
- c) received
- d) receive

39. The ... dishes were still in the sink.

- a) wash
- b) washing
- c) washed
- d) washes

40. She heard someone ... her name.

- a) calling
- b) called
- c) calls
- d) call

If-clauses

Test 1

1. I'm not tired enough to go to bed. If I ... to bed now, I wouldn't sleep.
 - a) go
 - b) went
 - c) had gone
2. If you saw another student cheating in an exam, ... somebody?
 - a) did you tell
 - b) would you tell
 - c) do you tell
3. If I were rich, ... a yacht.
 - a) I'll have
 - b) I'd have
 - c) I can have
4. If the library is closed, I ... home.
 - a) would go
 - b) will go
 - c) go
5. If I ... hear from Houston, I'll tell him you were asking after him.
 - a) should happen to
 - b) will happen to
 - c) happened
6. If I ... the lottery, I'd give some of the money to each member of my family.
 - a) won
 - b) have won
 - c) will win
7. ... you write your autobiography if you were famous?
 - a) Will
 - b) Would
 - c) Should
8. If you hadn't taken the money, you ... in prison now.
 - a) hadn't been
 - b) wouldn't have been
 - c) wouldn't be

9. If you ... the book, you ... the film.
a) would like ... will like
b) like ... will like
c) will like ... like
10. Do you think that if we ... earlier we might not have missed the coach?
a) had left
b) have left
c) have been leaving
11. If you were hungry, you ... study properly.
a) won't
b) couldn't
c) didn't
12. What if I ... you that there's a good chance I can get tickets for the concert?
a) have told
b) were telling
c) were to tell
13. The view was wonderful. If ... a camera with me, I would have taken some photographs.
a) I would have had
b) I'd had
c) I had
14. If Jacob ... a mistake, he got into big trouble.
a) made
b) makes
c) will make
15. 'Did you have an argument with Sebastian?' 'If you had been there, you ... the same.'
a) will do
b) would have done
c) had done
16. If there ... happen to be any reason for late delivery, please inform our department.
a) should
b) would
c) might

17. If you see Juliet on Wednesday, ... her to give me a ring.
- a) you would have told
 - b) you will tell
 - c) tell
18. If I win, I ... buy you a very big car as a present.
- a) am
 - b) will
 - c) should
19. If you really want to be helpful, then you ... to tell me the truth.
- a) will have
 - b) had
 - c) have
20. If I'd known you were coming, I ... a cake.
- a) would bake
 - b) would have baked
 - c) baked

Test 2

1. ... I bought you a new car, would you be very happy?
 - a) If
 - b) When
 - c) As
2. If I ... very hard, I would have been able to stop smoking.
 - a) would have tried
 - b) try
 - c) had tried
3. 'Did you have a message for Tobias?' 'Tell him I'll call him on Tuesday if you ... him.'
 - a) will see
 - b) had seen
 - c) see
4. If you ... got that job, would you have been able to move to a new house?
 - a) will have
 - b) had
 - c) have
5. If I ... you, I wouldn't risk it.
 - a) were
 - b) would be
 - c) had been
6. I would want very much to move to a new house if I ... that job.
 - a) having
 - b) have
 - c) had
7. If they had waited another month, they could probably ... a better price for their house.
 - a) had got
 - b) would get
 - c) have got
8. If I pay you twice as much, will you ... to finish by Monday?
 - a) be able
 - b) is able
 - c) are able

9. Will you come to dinner with us if we ... a babysitter for you?
- a) will find
 - b) had found
 - c) find
10. If he decides to accept that job, he ... it for the rest of his life.
- a) had regretted
 - b) has regretted
 - c) will regret
11. If only I'd invested in that company, I'd ... a millionaire by now.
- a) became
 - b) would become
 - c) have become
12. I will try very hard to come and have dinner at your house if I ... able to.
- a) was
 - b) were
 - c) am
13. If you ... of applying for that job, my advice is: forget it.
- a) will be thinking
 - b) are thinking
 - c) would think
14. If I were rich, ... a lot.
- a) I'll travel
 - b) I would travel
 - c) I can travel
15. If I ... you, I should work very hard so that I could earn more money.
- a) are
 - b) am
 - c) were
16. The view was wonderful. If ... a camera with me, I would have taken some pictures.
- a) I would have had
 - b) I would have
 - c) I'd had

17. ... you able to lend me some money if I promise you that you will get it back very soon?

- a) Was
- b) Were
- c) Are

18. If he hadn't been driving so fast, he ... have hit the motorcyclist.

- a) wouldn't
- b) hadn't
- c) hasn't

19. I'm not going to bed yet. I'm not tired. If I ... to bed now, I wouldn't sleep.

- a) went
- b) go
- c) had gone

20. If she goes on passing her exams, ... soon be qualified to practice as a lawyer.

- a) she's
- b) she had
- c) she'll

Joining Clauses

Test 1

1. 'Who's that over there?'
'Oh, it's our new teacher, ... just started work today.'
 - a) who
 - b) that
 - c) which he
2. It's quite simple really. When it's cold, water ...
 - a) froze
 - b) freezes
 - c) has frozen
3. Unless Ray ... here soon, I'm going to leave because I'm getting bored.
 - a) doesn't get
 - b) won't get
 - c) gets
4. I don't like stories ... have unhappy endings.
 - a) that
 - b) they
 - c) who
5. 'Which book did you get Bodhi in the end?'
'I got him the one ... said he really wanted to read.'
 - a) that
 - b) which he
 - c) which
6. ... he been more careful, he would have spotted the mistake.
 - a) Had
 - b) Were
 - c) Is
7. I didn't believe them at first, but in fact everything ... was true.
 - a) they said
 - b) what they said
 - c) that they say
8. 'Who did you send a Valentine's card to?'
'I'm not telling you, but it was someone ... name begins with 'B...'.
 - a) which

- b) whose
 - c) whose her
9. I don't like stories ... have unhappy endings.
- a) that
 - b) which
 - c) who
10. What's the name of the man ... ?
- a) you borrowed his car
 - b) whose car you borrowed
 - c) which car you borrowed
11. Lily told me about her new job, ... a lot.
- a) which she's enjoying
 - b) that she's enjoying
 - c) she's enjoying
12. 'Have you seen Jason Green's latest film?'
- 'Is that the one in ... joins the FBI?'
- a) whom he
 - b) which he
 - c) which
13. Jane couldn't meet us, ... was a shame.
- a) which
 - b) what
 - c) that
14. Benjamin told me about his new job, ... very much.
- a) that he's enjoying
 - b) he's enjoying
 - c) which he's enjoying
15. 'Why do you like Eliza so much?'
- 'Well, she's one of the few people to ... I can really talk.'
- a) which
 - b) that
 - c) whom
16. Bodhi was sick today, ... he stayed home from work.
- a) so
 - b) but
 - c) or

17. 'Why don't we go to Nolan's for dinner tonight?'
'Is that the new restaurant ... has just opened on the other side of town?'
- a) which
 - b) where
 - c) that it
18. Zara couldn't meet us, ... was a pity.
- a) that
 - b) which
 - c) it
19. 'Could you lend me some money?'
- 'I'd like you to give me one good reason ... I should.'
- a) why
 - b) who
 - c) that
20. Felix showed me some pictures ... by his father.
- a) painting
 - b) they were painted
 - c) painted

Test 2

1. Austin wants to take a trip to Brazil next year, and ...
 - a) so do I
 - b) I do
 - c) neither do I
2. The man ... is standing by the door is a doctor.
 - a) whom
 - b) which
 - c) who
3. 'What do you want to do this summer?'
'I think we should go somewhere ... has plenty of sun and sand.'
 - a) that
 - b) where
 - c) who
4. The large brown package ... was delivered yesterday is from my sister.
 - a) that
 - b) what
 - c) who
5. Margaret has a car ... uses a lot of gasoline.
 - a) which
 - b) it
 - c) what
6. Over there are the 12th century dungeons, ... hundreds of well-known people were tortured.
 - a) where
 - b) when
 - c) from whose
7. My husband has a friend ...
 - a) who are professional football players
 - b) who is a professional football player
 - c) which is a professional football player
8. My parents, ... speak fluent English, are off to London for a week.
 - a) that
 - b) neither of who
 - c) both of whom

9. The party ... was fun.
a) which we went
b) which we went to
c) that to we went
10. The child ... puppy was lost cried all night.
a) which
b) whose
c) that
11. There is a company, ... escapes me, that sells such things.
a) its name
b) that
c) the name of which
12. The company ... makes the computer parts is located in Korea.
a) that
b) who
c) whose
13. You can say ... you like, there's no substitute for hard work.
a) that
b) what
c) whichever
14. ... you need is a holiday.
a) What
b) Which
c) That
15. I'm beginning to think that ... people say about him is true.
a) what
b) which
c) things
16. The only way ... you'll be able to contact her is by e-mail.
a) that
b) what
c) which
17. They all passed ... is considered an extremely difficult exam.
a) what
b) which
c) that

18. That's about all ... I have to say.

- a) this
- b) –
- c) which

19. ... we extricate ourselves from this with any dignity is anybody's guess.

- a) Whenever
- b) However
- c) How

20. I can't believe ... these students have learnt.

- a) how much
- b) whichever
- c) the little

Phrasal Verbs in Use

1. Read the text and fill in with the phrasal verb

A Rough Day on the Road

It was supposed to be a simple trip to the countryside, but things didn't go as planned. Emily and her friends 1) ... the car early in the morning, excited for a relaxing weekend. Everyone 2) ... well and the mood was cheerful as they drove out of the city.

However, after an hour on the road, the car suddenly 3) ... in the middle of nowhere. Smoke started coming from the engine, and they had no choice but to 4) ... of the vehicle and wait for help. Emily called for roadside assistance, but it was going to take over an hour for them to arrive.

Luckily, a kind driver passing by offered to 5) ... two of them at the nearest gas station to get help. Meanwhile, the others stayed behind and tried to figure out what had gone wrong. One of the friends even suggested that they might need to 6) ... cut out the weekend trip if they couldn't fix the car soon.

Eventually, the mechanic arrived and managed to fix the issue. They were finally able to continue the journey. Later, they stopped at a small café, and Emily 7) ... some snacks for everyone to lift their spirits.

In the end, what started as a stressful day turned into a story they would laugh about for years.

1. Get on – enter (public transportation)
2. Get into – enter (a car or taxi)
3. Get out of – exit (a car or taxi)
4. Break down – stop working
5. Cut out – suddenly stop working
6. Drop off – take a person somewhere in a car and leave them there
7. Pick up – go to collect someone (usually in a car)

Exercise 1:

Fill in the gaps with the correct phrasal verb

Use the correct form of the phrasal verbs from the list:

(break down, get into, get out of, drop off, pick up, cut out, get on)

1. We need to ____ the car before the storm gets worse.

2. I forgot to ____ milk on the way home.
3. The children ____ the taxi and waved goodbye.
4. Can you ____ me ____ at the mall later?
5. I usually ____ really well with my new classmates.
6. We had to ____ the trip due to the bad weather.
7. It was so hot in the car that I had to ____ to get some air.

2. Read the text and fill in with the phrasal verb

An Unexpected Promotion

James had been working at the same company for over five years. At first, it was difficult to 1) ... the fast pace, but over time, he managed to 2) ... how things worked and began to feel more confident in his role.

One day, his manager 3) ... that James had shown great improvement and suggested he apply for a senior position. James was nervous but decided to 4) it. He spent hours preparing for the interview and didn't let anything 5) ... of his focus.

On the day of the interview, he 6) ... a former colleague who had been promoted the year before. They had a quick chat, and she encouraged him to believe in himself. That short conversation really helped James 7) ... and focus.

A few days later, James was 8) ... to the manager's office. To his surprise, he was offered the promotion. He could hardly believe it! He had always dreamed of moving forward in his career, and now the chance had finally come.

Phrasal Verbs:

1. point out – to tell someone about something
2. keep up with – to continue a course of action
3. figure out – to finally understand something or someone, or find the solution to a problem after a lot of thought
4. go for – to decide on something
5. run into – to meet someone you know when you are not expecting to

6. calm down – to stop feeling upset, angry, or excited, or to stop someone feeling this way
7. get in the way (of) – to prevent someone from doing something, or prevent something from happening
8. call (someone) in – to ask someone to come and help in a difficult situation

Exercise 1: Choose the correct phrasal verb

Use the correct phrasal verb from the box below. Change the form where necessary.

(keep up with, figure out, point out, go for, get in the way, run into, calm down, call in)

1. I need to ____ this math problem before the test.
2. Don't let fear ____ your success.
3. If you want the job, you should just ____ it!
4. She ____ an old friend at the supermarket yesterday.
5. He tried hard to ____ the advanced class, but it was tough.
6. The teacher ____ that many students hadn't done the homework.
7. Please ____ — everything is under control.
8. They ____ me ____ for a second interview.

Exercise 2: Match the phrasal verb with its definition

Column A

1. keep up with
2. figure out
3. point out
4. go for
5. get in the way
6. run into
7. calm down
8. call in

Column B

- a) understand something
- b) accidentally meet someone
- c) invite or request someone to come
- d) prevent something from happening

- e) become more relaxed
- f) try to achieve something
- g) mention or highlight something
- h) move at the same speed or level

Test Yourself

Test 1

Choose the most appropriate among *can, may, must* and their equivalents to fill in the blanks in the sentences below.

- A** can
- B** could
- C** may
- D** might
- E** must
- F** had to
- G** is allowed to

1. He ... play golf well, but today he is unable to do it because he has a backache.
2. I ... work hard from morning till night. I have to pay our debts.
3. The mother is preparing the room for our guests. They ... arrive tomorrow or the day after.
4. She ... leave the party yesterday – she wasn't well.
5. I ... not climb up a ladder at the age of three.
6. He ... not go out because he is ill.
7. Take the umbrella: it ... rain.
8. The pupil ... use the school swimming pool free of charge.
9. The doctor said that I ... lose some weight.
10. ... he have got into an accident? He is such a careful driver.
11. The road is busy. You ... look carefully before you cross it.
12. In fact, I ... write out a weekly schedule but I didn't want to.
13. ... you bring me a glass of water, please.
14. Mother is angry: I ... tidy my room.
15. I looked everywhere for the book but I ... not find it.
16. It's raining. You ... not go out without your umbrella.
17. I didn't find George anywhere. – He ... have gone shopping.
18. Mrs. Turner ... jog before she had the accident.
19. I ... go to work early yesterday.
20. The foreigner ... not enter the country without a visa.

Test 2

Choose the correct variant in reported speech for each sentence.

1. 'I'm waiting for my parents,' Nick said.
 - a) Nick said that he is waiting for my parents.
 - b) Nick said that he was waiting for his parents.
 - c) Nick said that he was waiting for my parents.
 - d) Nick told that he was waiting for his parents.
2. 'I can't fix the engine myself,' my brother admitted.
 - a) My brother admitted that can't fix the engine myself.
 - b) My brother admitted that couldn't fix the engine himself.
 - c) My brother admitted that can't fix the engine himself.
 - d) My brother admitted that couldn't fix the engine myself.
3. 'You should be careful,' my friends said to me.
 - a) My friends said to me that I should be careful.
 - b) My friends said to me that I should have been careful.
 - c) My friends told me that I should have been careful.
 - d) My friends told me that I should be careful.
4. 'I will come tomorrow and finish the work,' the plumber said to grandma.
 - a) The plumber said to grandma that he will come tomorrow and finish the work.
 - b) The plumber promised grandma that he will come the next day and finish the work.
 - c) The plumber promised grandma that he would come next day and will finish the work.
 - d) The plumber promised grandma that he would come the next day and finish the work.
5. 'The Sun isn't a planet, it is a big star,' the teacher explained.
 - a) The teacher explained to us that the Sun is a big star.
 - b) The teacher explained us that the Sun is a big star.
 - c) The teacher explained us that the Sun was a big star.
 - d) The teacher explained to us that the Sun was a big star.
6. 'I'll phone you tomorrow,' my friend said.
 - a) My friend said that he will phone me the next day.
 - b) My friend said that he would phone me tomorrow.
 - c) My friend said to me that he would phone me the next day.

- d) My friend said that he would phone me the next day.
7. 'I overslept this morning,' my mother told me.
- a) My mother told me that she had overslept that morning.
 - b) My mother said to me that she had overslept that morning.
 - c) My mother told me that she overslept that morning.
 - d) My mother told me that she has overslept that morning.
8. Everybody thought, 'She must be joking.'
- a) Everybody thought that she was joking.
 - b) Everybody thought that she is joking.
 - c) Everybody thought that she must have been joking.
 - d) Everybody thought that she must be joking.
9. She asked me, 'Did he go home?'
- a) She asked me if he had gone home.
 - b) She asked me if he went home.
 - c) She asked me if he has gone home.
 - d) She asked to me if he had gone home.
10. 'I am a citizen, not of Athens, but of the world,' said Socrates.
- a) Socrates said that he was a citizen, not of Athens, but of the world.
 - b) Socrates said that he is a citizen, not of Athens, but of the world.
 - c) Socrates said that he had been a citizen, not of Athens, but of the world.
 - d) Socrates said that he has been a citizen, not of Athens, but of the world.
11. 'You must come to Dave's party with me on Saturday,' insisted Hilary.
- a) Hilary insisted that I went to Dave's party with her on Saturday.
 - b) Hilary insisted that I went to Dave's party with she on Saturday.
 - c) Hilary insisted that I had gone to Dave's party with her on Saturday.
 - d) Hilary insisted that I have gone went to Dave's party with her on Saturday.
12. 'Oh, by the way. Terry's house is still for sale,' mentioned Silvia.
- a) Silvia mentioned that Terry's house was still for Saturday.

- b) Silvia mentioned that Terry's house is still for Saturday.
 - c) Silvia mentioned that Terry's house had been still for Saturday.
 - d) Silvia mentioned that Terry's house has been still for Saturday.
13. 'Honest to God, I've never seen this money before in my life,' Mr. Penfold swore.
- a) Mr. Penfold swore that he has never seen money before in his life.
 - b) Mr. Penfold swore that he never saw money before in his life.
 - c) Mr. Penfold swore that he had never seen money before in his life.
 - d) Mr. Penfold swore that he had never seen money before in my life.
14. 'Don't worry. I'll repair the back door this weekend,' Colin promised.
- a) Colin promised that he will repair the back door this weekend.
 - b) Colin promised that he would repair the back door this weekend.
 - c) Colin promised that he would be repairing the back door that weekend.
 - d) Colin promised that he would repair the back door that weekend.
15. 'That's correct. The new ringroad will be built through the wood,' the government official confirmed.
- a) The government official confirmed that the new ringroad would be built through the wood.
 - b) The government official confirmed that the new ringroad should be built through the wood.
 - c) The government official confirmed that the new ringroad would have been built through the wood.
 - d) The government official confirmed that the new ringroad will be built through the wood.
16. My uncle always said, 'Prepare for the future.'
- a) My uncle always told us to prepare for the future.
 - b) My uncle always said us to prepare for the future.
 - c) My uncle always said to us to prepare for the future.

- d) My uncle always told us to be prepared for the future.
17. She said, 'Don't bother sending me an invitation.'
- a) She said me not to bother sending me an invitation.
 - b) She told to me not to bother sending me an invitation.
 - c) She told me not to bother sending me an invitation.
 - d) She told me to bother sending me an invitation.
18. 'Literature courses are difficult for me,' Henry said in a complaining voice.
- a) Henry said in a complaining voice that literature courses are difficult for him.
 - b) Henry said in a complaining voice that literature courses were difficult for me.
 - c) Henry said in a complaining voice that literature courses had been difficult for him.
 - d) Henry said in a complaining voice that literature courses were difficult for him.
19. 'Why do you want to work while you are in school?' the interviewer asked Melissa.
- a) The interviewer asked Melissa why do you want to work while you are in school.
 - b) The interviewer asked Melissa why she wanted to work while she was on school.
 - c) The interviewer asked Melissa why she wants to work while she is in school.
 - d) The interviewer asked Melissa why she wanted to work while she was in school.
20. 'Why didn't you phone me?' she asked her parents.
- a) She asked her parents why he didn't say that to me.
 - b) She asked her parents why hadn't he said that to me.
 - c) She asked her parents why hadn't he said that to her.
 - d) She asked her parents why he hadn't said that to her.

Test 3

Choose the correct answer.

1. 'Was Tom pleased with the newspaper article about him?'
'No. He was angry because his name wrong.'
a) spelt
b) had been spelt
c) is spelt
2. 'Did you buy that picture?'
'No, it ... to me for my birthday.'
a) was given
b) gave
c) is given
3. 'Are you going to buy a wedding dress?'
'No. My dress ... by my mother.'
a) is being made
b) is made
c) made
4. 'Have you arranged the party yet?'
'Yes. All the invitations ... '
a) are sent
b) have been sent
c) sent
5. 'So, have you had your book published?'
'Yes. It ... in all bookshops from June 1st.'
a) will be
b) is
c) is being
6. 'Do your cats eat a lot?'
'No. They ... twice a day, that's all.'
a) is fed
b) are fed
c) fed
7. 'Paul is taking me to a ball this weekend.'
'I would love ... to a ball!'
a) take
b) to take

- c) to be taken
8. 'Did you hear about the burglary last week?'
'Yes. The thieves ... now, haven't they?'
a) have been caught
b) caught
c) are caught
9. 'Can you swim?'
'Oh yes. I ... how to swim when I was five.'
a) taught
b) am taught
c) was taught
10. 'Doctors have to do a lot of work.'
'Yes, but they ... well.'
a) be paid
b) are paid
c) pay
11. 'I can help you translate the article.'
'Thank you. It ... '
a) has already been translated
b) had already been translated
c) already has already been translated
12. 'Have you discussed the plan yet?'
'No, it ... '
a) is still being discussed
b) is still discussed
c) has still been discussed
13. 'I can help you type these letter.'
'Thank you. They ... '
a) had already been typed
b) have already been typed
c) has already been typed
14. 'Have you arranged your birthday party yet?'
'Yes. All the invitations ... '
a) are sent
b) have been sent
c) sent

15. 'Jane is taking me to a ball next month.'
'I would love ... to a ball!'
a) take
b) to take
c) to be taken
16. 'Teachers have to do a lot of work.'
'Yes, but they ... well.'
a) be paid
b) are paid
c) pay
17. 'What is happening over there?'
'Oh, a new shop ... '
a) is being built
b) is built
c) was built
18. 'How is Susan?'
'Well, her car ... yesterday, so she's upset today.'
a) is stolen
b) has been stolen
c) was stolen
19. 'What should they do if they are lost?'
'They should stay where they are and wait ... '
a) was found
b) to find
c) to be found
20. 'Have you got Nick's phone number?'
'Yes. It ... on this napkin.'
a) is written
b) written
c) be written

Test 4

Choose the correct form of Gerund.

1. He is busy ... the paper.
 - a) to read
 - b) be reading
 - c) being read
 - d) reading
2. You risk ... a cold.
 - a) catching
 - b) catches
 - c) to catching
 - d) to catch
3. Do you regret ... it?
 - a) had mentioned
 - b) has mentioned
 - c) to having mentioned
 - d) having mentioned
4. They keep on
 - a) running
 - b) to running
 - c) being run
 - d) to run
5. He insisted on ... to the manager.
 - a) to speaking
 - b) be speaking
 - c) been speaking
 - d) speaking
6. We dislike ... poems.
 - a) to reading
 - b) read
 - c) reading
 - d) being read
7. He is not sure how to cope with ... older.
 - a) to get
 - b) getting
 - c) be getting

- d) got
8. I have no intention of ... you what to do.
- a) telling
 - b) to tell
 - c) be telling
 - d) been telling
9. Do you remember ... bread in that French supermarket?
- a) buying
 - b) to buy
 - c) to buying
 - d) been buying
10. How about ... home instead of taking the car?
- a) walking
 - b) to walk
 - c) been walking
 - d) being walked
11. The project will involve ... plants.
- a) to growing
 - b) growing
 - c) be growing
 - d) to grow
12. I cannot justify ... \$100 for this ticket.
- a) to pay
 - b) been paying
 - c) pays
 - d) paying
13. They miss ... with their friends.
- a) to play
 - b) been playing
 - c) played
 - d) playing
14. I don't mind ... on the couch.
- a) to sleeping
 - b) been sleeping
 - c) sleeping
 - d) being slept

15. She suggested ... to Cairo.
- a) flying
 - b) be flying
 - c) to flying
 - d) to fly
16. I don't mind ... them my opinion.
- a) tells
 - b) telling
 - c) to tell
 - d) told
17. Did Alex ever mention ... baseball?
- a) to play
 - b) playing
 - c) being played
 - d) will play
18. We feel like ... a cup of tea.
- a) having
 - b) had
 - c) has
 - d) to having
19. She practiced ... hockey.
- a) to play
 - b) playing
 - c) being played
 - d) would be playing
20. She couldn't help ... another apple.
- a) to eat
 - b) eaten
 - c) is eating
 - d) eating

Test 5

Choose the correct form of Participle.

1. The student ... the highest grade point average will receive a special award.
 - a) to earn
 - b) earning
 - c) earns
 - d) earned
2. The church, ... by a fire, was never rebuilt.
 - a) destroy
 - b) destroyed
 - c) destroys
 - d) destroying
3. The young man was sitting on the floor ... the guitar.
 - a) playing
 - b) plays
 - c) played
 - d) to play
4. ... in Hollywood she knows all the famous movie stars.
 - a) Bear
 - b) Bearing
 - c) Bears
 - d) Born
5. Their voices ... unexpectedly in the staff room.
 - a) were heard rising
 - b) to hear rising
 - c) heard rising
 - d) hearing rising
6. ... all the national dailies avidly, they do know what's going on in the country.
 - a) Read
 - b) Have read
 - c) Be reading
 - d) Reading

7. ... her word, she ought to keep it.
- a) Has given
 - b) Having given
 - c) Had given
 - d) Having gave
8. They looked at the ... tent.
- a) destroy
 - b) destroying
 - c) destroys
 - d) destroyed
9. Random didn't see the car ... towards him.
- a) comes
 - b) coming
 - c) to come
 - d) came
10. ... enough money last month, they spent their holidays in the village.
- a) Not to have
 - b) Not had
 - c) Not having
 - d) Not has
11. ... some loud music, she didn't hear him.
- a) Listen to
 - b) Listens to
 - c) Listened to
 - d) Listening to
12. Helen was sitting on the ground, with her head and one arm ... a chair.
- a) tying on
 - b) ties on
 - c) tied on
 - d) to tie on
13. Young people were speaking ... in the pub.
- a) sitting
 - b) sat
 - c) sit
 - d) being sat

14. ... its tail the dog bit the old woman.
a) Wagged
b) Wag
c) Wagging
d) Be wagging
15. ... to her mother she forgot everything around her.
a) To talk
b) Talk
c) Talked
d) Talking
16. He wants to see the telegrams ... in her box.
a) kept
b) keeping
c) keep
d) being kept
17. Try ... the window really hard if you want to open it.
a) pushing
b) push
c) to push
d) to pushing
18. The local residents often saw Ken ... through the streets.
a) wander
b) wandering
c) wanders
d) wandered
19. Thank you for ... him.
a) had helping
b) has helping
c) having helped
d) having helping
20. The guy ... the chicken costume is my cousin.
a) to wear
b) wears
c) wore
d) wearing

Test 6

Choose the correct form of Conditional Sentence.

1. I would go running if the weather ... better.
 - a) was
 - b) were
 - c) is
 - d) will be
2. If Tania ... a dog, she would call him Bloom.
 - a) has
 - b) had
 - c) have
 - d) will have
3. If players ... faster, they would have scored more goals.
 - a) has run
 - b) had run
 - c) is run
 - d) will run
4. If it ... to snow, we would have walked to the stadium.
 - a) had not started
 - b) have not started
 - c) has not started
 - d) will have not started
5. Does she think it ... possible for them to coexist in the same flat next year?
 - a) would be
 - b) would have been
 - c) will have been
 - d) will be
6. If he ... in Chesterbridge, he would go there every day.
 - a) lives
 - b) lived
 - c) live
 - d) will live
7. If you ... to the museum with us yesterday, you would have enjoyed the afternoon.
 - a) have gone

- b) have going
- c) had gone
- d) will have gone

8. If you need my bike tomorrow, I ... shopping the day after tomorrow.

- a) go
- b) will go
- c) would go
- d) went

9. If you ... the plates, I will cook supper in some minutes.

- a) washes
- b) washed
- c) will wash
- d) wash

10. If my uncle ... time next week, we will clean the floor.

- a) has
- b) have
- c) will have
- d) had

11. Parents will not get there on time if they ... taxi.

- a) does not catch
- b) did not catch
- c) will not catch
- d) do not catch

12. If Sara ... the dishes, I'll cook dinner tonight.

- a) washes
- b) washed
- c) wash
- d) will wash

13. If Ben ... a hat, he would look like an old man.

- a) wear
- b) will wear
- c) would wear
- d) wore

14. The boys from the group will not win the game if they ... the rules.

- a) do not know

- b) does not know
 - c) did not know
 - d) would not know
15. If he ... a cow, he would call her Gloria.
- a) has
 - b) have
 - c) had
 - d) will have
16. If a kid ... stronger, he'd help you carry the piano.
- a) will be
 - b) would be
 - c) am
 - d) were
17. If my husband ... time, we should visit him.
- a) will have
 - b) has
 - c) had
 - d) have
18. If she'd seen you, she
- a) will have stopped
 - b) had stopped
 - c) would have stopped
 - d) have stopped
19. If you ... having supper, I'll come tomorrow.
- a) were
 - b) will be
 - c) was
 - d) are
20. Black-eyed girl would have come to our party if she ... on vocations.
- a) will have not been
 - b) have not been
 - c) had not been
 - d) has not been

Test 7

Choose the right item.

1. You should think ...
 - a) before speak
 - b) before spoke
 - c) before spoken
 - d) before speaking
2. ... , they were discussing the play they had seen.
 - a) Going home from the theatre
 - b) Went home from the theatre
 - c) Gone home from the theatre
 - d) Go home from the theatre
3. What do you mean by ... ?
 - a) say that
 - b) said that
 - c) says that
 - d) saying that
4. ... , the Linda began to realize by its peaceful breathing that everything was over.
 - a) Sitting by her sleeping child
 - b) Sit by her sleeping child
 - c) Sat by her sleeping child
 - d) To sitting by her sleeping child
5. Kay ...
 - a) likes to talk to me
 - b) likes been talking to me
 - c) likes talking to me
 - d) likes talk to me
6. The brown-haired girls ...
 - a) finished dressing
 - b) finished to dressing
 - c) finished been dressing
 - d) finished to dress
7. Her aunt is a teacher ...
 - a) loved and respected by everybody
 - b) loves and respects by everybody

- c) love and respect by everybody
 - d) loving and respecting by everybody
8. A young girl has a pet
- a) call Dandy
 - b) called Dandy
 - c) calling Dandy
 - d) calls Dandy
9. We
- a) don't mind to tell you
 - b) don't mind telling you
 - c) don't mind told you
 - d) don't mind to telling you
10. Does she ever see Brenda ... ?
- a) talking to Max
 - b) to talk to Max
 - c) be talking to Max
 - d) talked to Max
11. Sorry, he
- a) didn't mean hurting you
 - b) didn't mean to hurting you
 - c) didn't mean be hurting you
 - d) didn't mean to hurt you
12. Courtney insists on her sister's
- a) stay at home
 - b) to stay at home
 - c) staying at home
 - d) been staying at home
13. The party
- a) was bores
 - b) be boring
 - c) was boring
 - d) was bored
14. Kim was sitting on the floor
- a) playing the guitar
 - b) plays the guitar
 - c) played the guitar
 - d) to play the guitar

15. Pupils
a) are fond of painting
b) are fond of to painting
c) are fond of been painting
d) are fond of be painting
16. Did you see ... ?
a) your dog dances
b) your dog dancing
c) your dog danced
d) your dog dance
17. Little children
a) went on eating
b) went on to eating
c) went on been eating
d) went on to eat
18. Tutor
a) was bores to death
b) be boring to death
c) was boring to death
d) was bored to death
19. He spent much time
a) on the copying of his literature lectures
b) on the copy of his literature lectures
c) on the copied of his literature lectures
d) on to copy his literature lectures
20. After finding the new word in the dictionary, I
a) wrote it down and went on read
b) wrote it down and went on reading
c) wrote it down and went on to read
d) wrote it down and went on being reading

Test 8

Complete the sentence.

1. If students do not hurry, ...
 - a) we would miss the bus
 - b) we will miss the bus
2. If our principle had warned me, ...
 - a) I should have done the work in time
 - b) I had done the work in time
3. If my father had switched on the lights, ...
 - a) you will not had fallen over the chair
 - b) you would not have fallen over the chair
4. I won't travel to Manchester if ...
 - a) I don't get a cheap flight
 - b) I won't get a cheap flight
5. I will earn a lot of money if ...
 - a) I got that job
 - b) I get that job
6. If we had listened to the old woman, ...
 - a) we would have heard good news
 - b) we had heard good news
7. Linda would buy these dresses if ...
 - a) they fit
 - b) they fitted
8. She'd be silly if ...
 - a) she'll tell him about her secret
 - b) she told him about her secret
9. If you go out with your girlfriend tonight, ...
 - a) I will watch the competitions on TV
 - b) I would watch the competitions on TV
10. If Mike were sensible, ...
 - a) he would not have asked that question, by which she offended him so much
 - b) he won't have asked that question, by which she offended him so much

11. If the weather is nice tomorrow,
 - a) we shall go on the football match
 - b) we go on the football match
12. If you drop my favourite cup,
 - a) it would break
 - b) it will break
13. If we hadn't studied,
 - a) we would not have passed the exam
 - b) we hadn't passed the exam
14. If Lora did not live in Melitopol,
 - a) we should not meet so often
 - b) we did not meet so often
15. If Brendon tried harder,
 - a) he would reach his goals
 - b) he will reach his goals
16. If daughter has enough berries,
 - a) she will bake a pie
 - b) she bakes a pie
17. It would not surprise him if
 - a) we won't know the answer
 - b) we did not know the answer
18. If Lisa hadn't lost our tickets to the bus,
 - a) we will be on our way to Kyiv
 - b) we would be on our way to Kyiv
19. If you call me,
 - a) I tell you a secret
 - b) I shall tell you a secret
20. If he is a writer,
 - a) he will write beautiful novels
 - b) he would write beautiful novels

Test 9

Choose the right answer.

1. I have already been working at my report for three hours.
 - a) Я працював над своєю доповіддю три години.
 - b) Я вже працюю над своєю доповіддю з третьої години.
 - c) Вже упродовж трьох годин я працюю над своєю доповіддю.
 - d) Я вже працював над доповіддю о третій годині.
2. Хоча сонце світило, було все ще холодно, так як впродовж двох годин ішов сильний дощ.
 - a) Although the sun was shining, it was still cold as it had been raining hard for two hours.
 - b) Although the sun was shining, it was still cold as it has been raining hard for two hours.
 - c) Although the sun was shining, it was already cold as it was raining hard two hours.
 - d) Although the sun was shining, it was still cold as it had been raining hard since 2 o'clock.
3. We knew that they ... in the garden since early morning.
 - a) had worked
 - b) had been working
 - c) have worked
 - d) were working
4. Will Sam be ready for the test on Monday? He ... for a couple of weeks. But he will not have revised everything by Monday.
 - a) will have been revising
 - b) will revise
 - c) will be revising
 - d) revises
5. The mother reminded me that I ... to feed the dog and take him out for a walk.
 - a) shouldn't forget
 - b) don't have to forget
 - c) not to forget
 - d) won't forget

6. Tom said that he had been late for work that morning, and he added that he ... before.
- a) had never been late
 - b) was never late
 - c) never had been late
 - d) has never been late
7. He declared that he ... it even if he saw it with his own eyes.
- a) would not believe
 - b) believe
 - c) did not believe
 - d) had not believed
8. Len was mistaken when he said that Marion ... to her new flat the following month.
- a) would have moved
 - b) would be moving
 - c) moved
 - d) will have moved
9. My younger daughter learned in class yesterday that the Earth ... around the Sun.
- a) revolves
 - b) revolved
 - c) is revolving
 - d) was revolving
10. Not much ... about the accident since that time.
- a) has said
 - b) said
 - c) has been said
 - d) says
11. The bridge ... by tomorrow morning.
- a) will have been reconstructed
 - b) is being reconstructed
 - c) will be reconstructed
 - d) is reconstructed
12. When the manager arrived, the problem
- a) solved
 - b) had already solved
 - c) had solved

- d) had already been solved
13. The Earth's surface ... mostly ... with water.
- a) covered
 - b) was ... covered
 - c) has ... been covered
 - d) is ... covered
14. The dolphins were being observed when we crossed the Atlantic Ocean.
- a) Коли ми пересікали Атлантичний океан, то спостерігали за дельфінами.
 - b) Коли дельфіни пересікали Атлантичний океан, ми спостерігали за ними.
 - c) Дельфіни спостерігали, як ми пересікаємо Атлантичний океан.
 - d) Коли дельфіни пересікають Атлантичний океан, ми спостерігаємо за ними.
15. Про цю легендарну жінку багато говоритимуть.
- a) This legendary woman will much speak about.
 - b) This legendary woman will be much spoken about.
 - c) This legendary woman was much to speak about.
 - d) This legendary woman is much spoken about.
16. Мені дали дві години, щоб прийняти рішення.
- a) They were giving 2 hours to make a decision.
 - b) I was given 2 hours to make my decision.
 - c) I gave 2 hours to make my decision.
 - d) Two hours are given to make a decision.
17. 'Don't make so much noise, will you?' the neighbour said to Pete.
- a) The neighbour asked Pete to not make so much noise.
 - b) The neighbour asked Pete not to make so much noise.
 - c) The neighbour asked to Pete not to make so much noise.
 - d) The neighbour ordered to Pete not to make so much noise.
18. 'We made it last week,' the girls said.
- a) They said that they had made it the last week.
 - b) They said that they had made it the previous week.
 - c) They said that they made it the previous week.
 - d) They said that they have made it the previous week.

19. 'I promise I'll write to you as soon as I arrive, Jane,' said Nick.
- a) Nick promised Jane that he will write to her as soon as he arrives.
 - b) Nick promised Jane that he would write to her as soon as he arrives.
 - c) Nick promised Jane that he would write to her as soon as he arrived.
 - d) Nick promised Jane that he would write to her as soon as he would arrive.
20. 'I'll phone you tomorrow,' my friend said.
- a) My friend said that he will phone me the next day.
 - b) My friend said that he would phone me tomorrow.
 - c) My friend said to me that he would phone me the next day.
 - d) My friend said that he would phone me the next day.

Test 10

I. Choose the right item.

1. They denied ... the money.
 - a) stealing
 - b) to steal
 - c) steal
2. I would like ... down.
 - a) to sit down
 - b) sit down
 - c) sitting down
3. I need a new car. I can't stand ... this one.
 - a) driving
 - b) to drive
 - c) drive
4. Has it stopped ... yet?
 - a) rain
 - b) raining
 - c) to rain
5. I used ... in a caravan.
 - a) living
 - b) live

- c) to live
6. Did you want to have your watch
- a) repaired
 - b) repairing
 - c) repair
7. The medicine ... by the doctor was bitter.
- a) to prescribe
 - b) prescribed
 - c) prescribe
8. ... the text, they decided to have lunch.
- a) To translate
 - b) Translating
 - c) Having translated
9. They were seen ... the street.
- a) crossing
 - b) crossed
 - c) having crossed
10. The project was considered
- a) to complete
 - b) completed
 - c) completing
11. If he ... me, I will phone him myself.
- a) doesn't phone
 - b) didn't phone
 - c) hadn't phoned
12. We ... him to the country if he had asked us.
- a) would take
 - b) would have taken
 - c) would be taken
13. Lisa ... him such stupid advice if he had asked for her opinion.
- a) won't have given
 - b) wouldn't have given
 - c) wouldn't give
14. If you ... me, I would have helped you.
- a) had asked
 - b) have asked
 - c) has asked

15. If we go to Canada next year, we ... our English.
- a) could improve
 - b) shall be able to improve
 - c) can improve

II. Open the brackets filling in the proper form.

- 1. If you called me, I ... (to show) you my family album.
- 2. If I ... (to be) you, I should tell the truth.
- 3. He must have his hair ... (to cut).
- 4. Tom went home, ... (to finish) his work.
- 5. He made me ... (to work).
- 6. They would like ... (to make) this computer program efficient.
- 7. I couldn't ... (to remember) his address.
- 8. How dare you ... (to come) so late!
- 9. ... (To dress) the children went skiing.
- 10. They are said ... (to move) to a new house.

Test 11

I. Choose the right item.

- 1. He made us ...
 - a) work
 - b) to work
 - c) working
- 2. I don't enjoy ... very much.
 - a) driving
 - b) to drive
 - c) drove
- 3) I can't afford ... tonight.
 - a) going out
 - b) go out
 - c) to go out
- 4. I would love ... to your birthday party.
 - a) coming
 - b) come
 - c) to come

5. Stop ... me!
 - a) to bother
 - b) bothering
 - c) bother
6. He wants to have his hair
 - a) to cut
 - b) cut
 - c) cutting
7. The texts ... by the students were used in their projects.
 - a) translating
 - b) translate
 - c) translated
8. ... the work, they decided to watch the game.
 - a) Having done
 - b) Doing
 - c) Do
9. They were heard
 - a) spoken
 - b) having spoken
 - c) speaking
10. The picture was believed
 - a) painting
 - b) painted
 - c) to paint
11. If mum hadn't been sleeping, I ... her to the telephone.
 - a) would have called
 - b) will call
 - c) would call
12. He will be disappointed if I
 - a) didn't come
 - b) won't come
 - c) don't come
13. We would go with you if it ... now.
 - a) didn't snow
 - b) weren't snowing
 - c) doesn't snow

14. If my parents go shopping in the afternoon, I ... my little sister.
a) must looked after
b) must look after
c) must looks after
15. I would do a course in jazz dancing if I ... more time. But unfortunately I don't have time.
a) had
b) has
c) will have

II. Open the brackets filling in the proper form.

1. If the weather ... (to be) nice, we would have a picnic.
2. If Lisa went to the movies, she ... (to be) pleased.
3. I want to have my car ... (to repair).
4. ... (To lose) his address, I couldn't write to him.
5. They let them ... (to go).
6. The girl would like ... (to give) you a new book.
7. May I ... (to use) your phone?
8. How dare you ... (to open) my letters!
9. Never ... (to visit) the place before, she got lost.
10. He is expected ... (to pass) all exams.

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