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# STUDENT ASSESMENT

## PLACEMENT TEST

This test will help us to know your current English level. The results will allow us to recommend a minimum study period to achieve the your required English level ability.

### PRE-PLACEMENT TEST

DATE : \_\_\_\_\_

YOUR NAME : \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL TIME : 90 MINS**

<b>Language Usage</b>	/80
<b>Vocabulary</b>	/40
<b>Writing</b>	/80
<b>TOTAL MARKS</b>	/200

## Language Usage (80 marks)

Choose the best word or phrase to fill the gap.

- 1 Hello Sara, -----? I'm very well, thank you..  
a How do you? b How are you? c How you are? d How is it?
- 2 What's ----- name? Jane Edwards.  
a you b your c yours d you're
- 3 How old are you? -----  
a I twenty. b Me is twenty. c I've twenty d I'm twenty.
- 4 Is this your book? -----  
a No, it isn't. b No, isn't it. c No, he isn't. d No, there isn't.
- 5 Where is Anna from? ----- from Rome.  
a It is b Her is c He is d She is
- 6 ----- is your address? 12, Sundown Street, Bristol.  
a How b Who c What d That
- 7 ----- name is John Smith.  
a His b He's c He d Her
- 8 Sam ----- a doctor, he's a teacher at the university.  
a aren't b isn't c not d doesn't
- 9 Here are Juan and Mercedes. ----- are from Valencia in Spain.  
a They b Their c Them d This
- 10 Have you got a computer? Yes, -----  
a I got. b I've got. c I've. d I have.
- 11 ----- two hundred students in my school.  
a They are b It is c There are d There is
- 12 Do you live in Munich? Yes, -----  
a I live. b I don't. c I do live. d I do.
- 13 Is that ----- car? No, it isn't.  
a they b their c there d they're
- 14 ----- is this blue bag? It's £5.50.  
a Where b How big c How much d What
- 15 What's her job? She's -----.  
a a actress b actress c the actress d an actress

- 16 ----- your car? It's in the car park.  
 a Which is                      b Who's                      c When's                      d Where's
- 17 ----- bag is this? It's mine.  
 a Whose                      b What's                      c Who's                      d Who
- 18 ----- only three chairs in my room.  
 a They are                      b There are                      c There is                      d It is
- 19 She ----- a house in the town centre.  
 a got                      b have got                      c has got                      d is got
- 20 ----- brothers have you got? Only one.  
 a How much                      b How old                      c How are                      d How many
- 21 Is there any food left? -----  
 a No, there isn't.                      b Yes, there is any.                      c Yes, they is.                      d No, there aren't.
- 22 My favourite painters are Manet and Renoir but John doesn't like ----- at all.  
 a they                      b them                      c it                      d some
- 23 There aren't ----- people here today.  
 a many                      b a lot                      c much                      d the many
- 24 We haven't got ----- .  
 a some children                      b any children                      c a children                      d one children
- 25 Do you speak Japanese? No, I -----.  
 a don't speak                      b not                      c speak not                      d don't
- 26 What does he do? -----.  
 a He's teacher                      b He's a teacher.                      c He's teaching.                      d Yes, he does.
- 27 He ----- in an office every morning from eight to twelve.  
 a working                      b works                      c work                      d am working
- 28 Do you like -----? Yes, I do.  
 a to shop                      b shop                      c to shopping                      d shopping
- 29 I go ----- school in Vienna.  
 a at                      b to                      c in                      d on
- 30 We have lunch ----- one o'clock.  
 a at                      b to                      c in                      d on
- 31 She works ----- Saturday.  
 a at                      b to                      c in                      d on



- 48 He smokes more than ten cigarettes -----.  
a by day                      b the day                      c in day                      d a day
- 49 Let's go somewhere else. There's ----- noise in this room.  
a too many                      b too much                      c enough                      d too
- 50 It's a very long day for Jack. He doesn't get home from school ----- six o'clock.  
a since                      b to                      c towards                      d until
- 51 They usually ----- at home but today they ----- lunch in a restaurant.  
a are eating, have                      b eat, have                      c eat, are having                      d are eating, are having
- 52 We didn't stay late ----- we were very tired.  
a because                      b so                      c that                      d until
- 53 I think most people ----- English for their jobs in the the future.  
a need                      b are needing                      c will need                      d will have needed
- 54 Teenagers today like wearing casual clothes so leather shoes aren't ----- trainers.  
a as fashionable than                      b as fashionable as                      c more fashionable as  
d fashionable
- 55 A friend of ----- phoned this morning but ----- didn't leave a message.  
a you, she                      b you, her                      c yours, she                      d yourself, hers
- 56 We ----- lunch when the phone -----.  
a had, rang                      b were having, rang                      c were having, was ringing                      d had, has rung
- 57 You ----- open the door before the train gets into the station. It's very dangerous.  
a must                      b mustn't                      c should                      d don't have to
- 58 If you don't want to burn yourself you ----- lie in the sun all day.  
a won't                      b don't                      c shouldn't                      d couldn't
- 59 If I have enough money next year, I ----- to the USA.  
a will go                      b go                      c would go                      d went
- 60 It's usually quite warm in September ----- it often rains, ----- bring a waterproof.  
a but, so                      b so, because                      c unless, but                      d for, as
- 61 ----- she likes coffee, she prefers tea.  
a However                      b Although                      c But                      d When
- 62 ----- for the bus, a man with a gun ran out of the bank opposite us.  
a As we were waiting                      b When we waited                      c As soon as we waited  
d Until we waited

- 63 It's the best film ----- . You should go and see it.  
 a I ever saw      b I've ever seen      c I've never seen      d I've already seen
- 64 They went to Australia ----- a month ----- summer.  
 a during, the      b for, during      c for, last      d last, during
- 65 I don't think life ----- better in the future.  
 a won't be      b will be      c be      d is
- 66 I haven't heard from Jane for ages. I wonder -----.  
 a what she like      b how is she      c how she is      d how does she
- 67 We're not paying a builder to mend the fireplace. We've decided to do it -----.  
 a us      b ourselves      c ourself      d our own
- 68 I always take an umbrella ----- it rains.  
 a however      b despite      c in case      d as
- 69 We ----- go out to a restaurant during the week because when we get home  
 from work we're too tired.  
 a nearly never      b hardly never      c hardly ever      d ever
- 70 That sofa ----- comfortable. Can I try it?  
 a looks      b looks like      c is like      d like
- 71 I ----- be late for work this morning. I've got a lot to do before midday.  
 a don't have to      b couldn't      c don't      d mustn't
- 72 They've lived in that house ----- they were children.  
 a for      b during      c since      d until
- 73 A lot ----- to the house before we can move in.  
 a needs be doing      b needs done      c needs doing      d needs to do
- 74 I'll get an electrician ----- the heating.  
 a mend      b to mend      c for mending      d mending
- 75 You ----- come with us if you don't want to.  
 a must      b haven't to      c aren't supposed to      d don't have  
 to
- 76 When he arrived a crowd ----- for several hours to greet him.  
 a had been waiting      b is waiting      c has been waiting      d was waiting
- 77 She's just bought a brand new car so she ----- be able to drive.  
 a can't      b must      c won't      d probably
- 78 You ----- show your passport at the frontier if you want to get across.  
 a have to      b are supposed to      c should      d are allowed to

- 79 ----- she was an hour late, she didn't apologise.  
 a In spite of                      b Even though                      c However                      d Because
- 80 They don't like him at all. He treats them ----- they were children.  
 a as if                      b if only                      c in case                      d although

### Vocabulary

Choose the best word to fill the gap. (40 marks)

- 1 six seven ----- nine ten  
 a three                      b twelve                      c eight                      d five
- 2 What's your -----? I'm American.  
 a name                      b nationality                      c country                      d home
- 3 What ----- is it? It's half past two.  
 a time                      b hour                      c day                      d old
- 4 Sunday Monday ----- Wednesday  
 a Saturday                      b Thursday                      c Tuesday                      d Friday
- 5 March ----- May June July  
 a April                      b January                      c August                      d November
- 6 He's got a ----- and two sisters.  
 a father                      b brother                      c family                      d friend
- 7 My favourite ----- is dinner.  
 a lunch                      b drink                      c food                      d meal
- 8 We've got two -----: a son and a daughter.  
 a parents                      b people                      c children                      d friends
- 9 I'd like a ----- of coffee, please.  
 a cup                      b glass                      c plate                      d bottle
- 10 He's ----- the newspaper.  
 a reading                      b watching                      c listening                      d seeing
- 11 September is my favourite -----.  
 a year                      b autumnc month                      d season
- 12 How old is your -----? She's thirteen.  
 a brother                      b son                      c boyfriend                      d sister
- 13 I always have a big ----- in the morning.  
 a lunch                      b breakfast                      c dinner                      d supper

- 14 Those are very nice ----- . Where did you buy them?  
 a shirt                                b dress                                c trousers                                d handbag
- 15 What does he look like? He's quite tall and he's got short, dark ----- .  
 a glasses                                b eyes                                c head                                d hair
- 16 Where can I buy some envelopes? At the ----- .  
 a baker's                                b newsagent's                                c library                                d grocer's
- 17 What was the ----- like in Vienna? It was cold and cloudy.  
 a time                                b weather                                c cold                                d temperature
- 18 I've got a new dishwasher and a fridge in my ----- .  
 a bathroom                                b study                                c office                                d kitchen
- 19 It's very ----- in here. I can't hear anything.  
 a noisy                                b quiet                                c exciting                                d clean
- 20 Excuse me, waiter. Can you bring me the -----, please?  
 a note                                b money                                c bill                                d cheque
- 21 She's ----- a blue coat and a grey scarf.  
 a looking                                b seeing                                c wearing                                d putting
- 22 I'm too ----- today. I'll phone you back tomorrow.  
 a crowded                                b interested                                c polite                                d busy
- 23 Take your umbrella. It's raining ----- .  
 a heavily                                b strong                                c hardly                                d much
- 24 He's started a new job. It's more interesting and he ----- more money.  
 a wins                                b earns                                c spends                                d costs
- 25 I'm sorry but I don't understand what you ----- . Can you explain it again, please.  
 a tell                                b know                                c mean                                d talk
- 26 If you don't leave now you'll ----- the bus and there isn't another one today.  
 a catch                                b save                                c miss                                d take
- 27 Can I ---- your dictionary, please. Yes, of course. But I'd like it back for the weekend.  
 a lend                                b borrow                                c give                                d keep
- 28 He lets his wife do everything for him. He's very ----- .  
 a careful                                b bored                                c quiet                                d lazy
- 29 I'm ----- living at home but my girlfriend and I are getting married next month so we've bought a flat.



- a always                      b yet                      c again                      d still
- 30 Don't -----! It's not funny.  
a cry                      b shout                      c laugh                      d grow
- 31 I'm afraid we have had to ----- the flight because of bad weather conditions.  
a stop                      b cancel                      c take off                      d confirm
- 32 There was a terrible ----- on the A2 motorway this morning. Five vehicles were involved.  
a scratch                      b incident                      c crash                      d damage
- 33 The religious wedding ----- takes place in a church.  
a performance                      b marriage                      c ceremony                      d engagement
- 34 I wish they wouldn't ----- so much time with unnecessary meetings.  
a waste                      b lose                      c take                      d put away
- 35 I was very ----- and depressed when I first went to live abroad.  
a lonely                      b alone                      c on my own                      d solitary
- 36 I'm really ----- to the party. All my old friends will be there.  
a appreciating                      b thinking about                      c enjoying                      d looking forward
- 37 The hotel was so awful that we wrote a letter of ----- to the agency when we got back home.  
a thanks                      b complaint                      c relief                      d warning
- 38 You can't ----- on him at all. He never does what he says.  
a tolerate                      b rely                      c collaborate                      d arrange
- 39 It's much too expensive. We can't possibly ----- it.  
a pay                      b cost                      c afford                      d cope
- 40 I think he's a really good live performer, and his songs are excellent. ----- you can't hear the words because the music is too loud.  
a The trouble is                      b In fact                      c On the whole                      d What's more

