

A1 – MOCK EXAMINATION

CHOOSE THE CORRECT ALTERNATIVE TO COMPLETE THE SENTENCES.

1. TONY UP EARLY ON SUNDAY MORNINGS.
a) is get sometimes
b) sometimes get
c) sometimes gets

2. AT THE MOMENT HE
a) is sleeping
b) sleep
c) sleeping

3. SHE A NEW LAPTOP LAST MONTH.
a) buy
b) is buying
c) bought

4. HE TO WORK. HE'S ILL IN BED.
a) can't go
b) isn't go
c) can't to go

5. SUE: "..... SOME SANDWICHES?"
Pat: "Yes, please. I'm hungry."
a) Are you liking
b) Would you like
c) Does she want

6. I'M GOING TO SEE HIM TUESDAY.
a) in
b) on
c) of

7. YOUR IDEA IS MINE.
a) more good than
b) better than
c) better that

8. THERE ISN'T BREAD. I CAN'T MAKE SANDWICHES.
a) any
b) a
c) many

9. VERY CLOUDY TODAY. LET'S HOPE IT DOESN'T RAIN.
a) They are
b) There are
c) It's

10. WE'D LIKE TO SEE YOU AGAIN. CAN YOU GIVE YOUR PHONE NUMBER?

- a) us
- b) our
- c) ours

PUT THE SENTENCES INTO THE CORRECT ORDER.

11. homework / is / bedroom / her / in / She / doing / her
She

12. to / not / They / film / want / do / that / see
They

13. got / She / not / this / friends / any / town / in / has
She

14. he / coffee / How / drink / does / much / ?
How

15. to / Who / you / Saturday / the / last / did / with / cinema / go / ?
Who

CHOOSE THE MOST SUITABLE RESPONSE.

16. HELLO! HOW ARE YOU?

- a) I'm an engineer.
- b) Pleased to meet you.
- c) Fine, thanks. And you?

17. EXCUSE ME. CAN YOU TELL ME THE WAY TO THE BUS STATION?

- a) Yes. You can catch a bus near the bus station.
- b) Turn left at the traffic lights. It's on the right. You can't miss it.
- c) I don't like travelling by bus.

18. DID YOU HAVE A GOOD HOLIDAY?

- a) Yes, but it was too short!
- b) Yes, I'm going on holiday tomorrow.
- c) Yes, I want a long holiday at the seaside.

19. HOW OFTEN DO YOU SEE HER?

- a) I never look at her. She lives in another town.
- b) Not very often. She doesn't live near me.
- c) Yes, I do.

20. WHAT DOES SHE DO?

- a) She does secretary.
- b) She's a secretary.
- c) She's cooking dinner.

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21. (ON THE PHONE) CAN I SPEAK TO JILL, PLEASE?

- a) I don't want to speak to her.
- b) I am.
- c) Sorry, she isn't here. Can I take a message?

22. WHAT TIME DID YOU GO TO BED LAST NIGHT?

- a) Very late! That's why I'm sleepy.
- b) It's ten o'clock.
- c) I don't like getting up early.

23. COULD YOU PASS ME THE SALT, PLEASE?

- a) There isn't it.
- b) Yes, I'd like some salt.
- c) Sure. Here you are.

CHOOSE THE CORRECT PHRASE TO COMPLETE EACH QUESTION.

24. PAUL : "..... IN THE EVENING?"

SUSAN : "WATCH TV OR READ A BOOK."

- a) What are you usually doing
- b) What do you usually do
- c) How do you do

25. PAUL : "..... A BOOK TO READ ON THE TRAIN? IT'S A LONG JOURNEY."

SUSAN : "YES, AND A MAGAZINE."

- a) Do you have got
- b) There is
- c) Have you got

26. PAUL : "..... ME WITH MY MATHS HOMEWORK?"

SUSAN : "SURE. COME TO MY HOUSE THIS AFTERNOON."

- a) Can you help
- b) Can you to help
- c) Do you help

27. PAUL : "..... MESSAGES FOR ME?"

SUSAN : "JUST ONE. IT'S ON YOUR DESK."

- a) Is it a
- b) Are there any
- c) Are they any

28. PAUL : "..... YOUR ENGLISH BOOK THIS EVENING?"

SUSAN : "SORRY. I NEED IT TO DO MY HOMEWORK."

- a) Could I borrow
- b) Do I borrow
- c) Would I like to borrow

29. SUSAN : ".....?"

PAUL : "YES, I DO. I LOVE A GOOD BOOK."

- a) Are you liking reading
- b) Would you like to read
- c) Do you like reading

30. PAUL : "..... WHEN YOU WENT TO LONDON?"

SUSAN : "AT A FRIEND'S HOUSE."

- a) How did you stay
- b) Where did you stay
- c) Where are you staying

COMPLETE THE TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH THE WORDS BELOW.

PAUL : Hello. Can I speak to Susan, please? This is Paul.

Jill: Oh, hello This is Jill. 31. _____ on a moment. She's cooking in the 32. _____.

(a minute later) SUSAN : Hello Paul!

PAUL : Hi Susan. 33. _____, would you like to go to the cinema with me tonight?

SUSAN : It depends. What's 34. _____ ?

PAUL : I forget the title, but it's a 35. _____ film and Brad Pitt is in it. I know you like him.

SUSAN : Yes, I do. OK, 36. _____ but I don't want to be late home. I'm working tomorrow and I have a lot to do. This is a very 37. _____ period for me at work.

PAUL : No problem. Why don't we 38. _____ at half past six? We can have a hamburger and then go to the cinema.

Sue: No, I don't want to eat 39. _____ food! Why don't you come here? I'll cook some spaghetti.

Brian: Great! I love your spaghetti Bolognese.

Sue: 40. _____ at half past six.

- 31. a) Expect b) Hold c) Wait
- 32. a) kitchen b) chicken c) cooker
- 33. a) Hear b) Go c) Listen
- 34. a) like b) on c) at
- 35. a) science fiction b) thrill c) romance
- 36. a) go b) let's go c) we go
- 37. a) bored b) occupied c) busy
- 38. a) meet us b) meet c) see you
- 39. a) junk b) quick c) hungry
- 40. a) I am seeing b) See you c) We see us

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READ THE TEXT AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS BELOW.

Dave is a bank clerk in London. He thinks his job is boring – but the salary is good. He lives in a small village and goes to work by train and then the underground. It's a long journey - he leaves home at half past seven - and people ask him why he doesn't move nearer to London, but Dave prefers to live in his village.

He doesn't like crowds, smog and traffic and he loves going for long bike rides or walks in the country when the weather is fine. He also has a lot of friends in the village and he doesn't want to lose them.

He arrives at the bank at nine and usually finishes at half past five. He gets home at about seven o'clock. He has an hour for lunch, at one o'clock. When the weather is good, he often buys sandwiches and eats them in the park near his bank. When it's raining, or cold, he goes to a small café for lunch.

Dave's girlfriend, Liz, is a student at Reading University and lives in a small flat near her university with three other students. Dave and Liz met two years ago when they were both in Spain on holiday. Dave would like to marry her when she finishes university next year, but Liz prefers to wait for two or three years before getting married. They don't meet during the week because Liz is busy with her studies, but they usually spend the weekends together.

It's half past eleven on a beautiful Saturday morning and Dave and Liz are in Dave's car. They want to go to the seaside for the day, but a lot of people seem to have the same idea, and traffic on the motorway is very slow. It is also very hot!

Dave says, "This is a stupid way of spending Saturday! Why don't we leave the motorway and have lunch in a pub? We can go to the seaside another day."

"Yes!" says Liz, "I'm hot, bored and hungry. Look, we can leave the motorway here."

They leave the motorway and look for an interesting place to have lunch. They find an old pub by a river and decide to eat outside. They can see the river from their table. Their lunch is very good and not expensive. They decide that leaving the motorway and the traffic was a very good idea!

41. DAVE DOESN'T ENJOY WORKING IN A BANK.

True

False

Doesn't say

42. DAVE WOULD LIKE TO LIVE NEARER LONDON.

True

False

Doesn't say

43. DAVE LIKES HIS VILLAGE BECAUSE THERE AREN'T CROWDS, TRAFFIC AND SMOG.

True

False

Doesn't say

44. DAVID LIVES WITH HIS PARENTS.

- True
- False
- Doesn't say

45. LIZ IS GOING TO FINISH UNIVERSITY NEXT YEAR.

- True
- False
- Doesn't say

46. DAVE

- a) always brings sandwiches from home to eat in the park
- b) returns to work after lunch at two o'clock
- c) doesn't have lunch when it's raining or cold

47. LIZ AND DAVE

- a) are getting married next year
- b) usually meet at weekends
- c) are going to Spain for their holidays

48. LIZ AND DAVE ARE ON THE MOTORWAY BECAUSE

- a) they want to go to the seaside
- b) it's Saturday
- c) it's hot

49. WHICH IS CORRECT?

- a) They leave Dave's house at eleven o'clock
- b) A lot of people are at the seaside
- c) There's a lot of traffic on the motorway

50. THEY

- a) are stupid because they are on the motorway
- b) pay a lot for their pub lunch
- c) don't go to the seaside that day

Now check your answers against the answer sheet!