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Данное пособие в первую очередь предназначено тем, кто пожелал профессионально связать свою жизнь с английским языком и решил поступать в гуманитарные вузы. В нем представлены варианты письменных тестов, предлагаемых ведущими университетами, языковыми вузами и колледжами страны. Пособие может быть также использовано на занятиях по английскому языку в старших классах общеобразовательных и специализированных школ.

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Уважаемые абитуриенты!

Пособие, которое вы держите в руках, в первую очередь предназначено тем, кому предстоит сдавать вступительные экзамены по английскому языку. Как известно, в большинстве гуманитарных университетов и колледжей России проводятся два экзамена по английскому языку: письменный и устный.

В данном пособии представлены варианты письменных тестов. Все задания четко сформулированы, мы же хотели бы дать вам несколько рекомендаций по работе с тестами:

- Выполните задания карандашом.
- Сверьте свои варианты с ответами.
- Подчеркните ошибки.
- Найдите в пособии по грамматике нужный раздел и выясните, в чем заключается ваша ошибка.
- Можете вписать правильные варианты **ручкой**.
- Незнакомые слова из текстов следует выписать из словаря и выучить; это увеличит ваш словарный запас.

Наиболее типичными для педагогических университетов и колледжей являются тесты 1—15. Они состоят из четырех **заданий**. Первое задание напоминает традиционное упражнение на **раскрытие** скобок, в котором нужно в правильной форме употребить глаголы. Во втором задании вы должны поставить пять вопросов к тексту (не забудьте, что существует четыре **типа** вопросов). В третьем задании вам нужно выбрать единственно правильный ответ из четырех предложенных. И последнее, четвертое задание, заключается в переводе предложений с русского языка на английский. Иногда вместо перевода предложений абитуриенту предлагается написать короткое сочинение.

Нельзя забывать про то, что на выполнение тестов вам будет дано **определенное** время, зависящее от количества заданий.

Авторы благодарят всех, кто принял участие в подготовке пособия и искренне желают всем абитуриентам удачи на вступительных экзаменах.

TEST 1

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

A LETTER FROM LONDON

Dear Alice,

Hi! I'm on holiday in London. I (stay)_____with my friend, Jane. She (live)_____in the centre of London, near Hyde Park.

I (be)_____here since Saturday and I (already, do) _____ lots of things. I (visit)_____the Tower of London, the British Museum and Madam Tussaud's.

I (go)_____to Madam Tussaud's on Monday. It (be)_____terrible. When I (enter)_____the Chamber of Horrors, I (scream) _____.

Yesterday Jane and I (go)_____shopping. I (want)_____to buy some souvenirs. But while I (pay)_____for a T-shirt, someone (steal)_____my bag. Luckily, I (spend, already)_____nearly all my money.

There (be)_____a lot of things I (not, do)_____yet. I (not, be)_____on a boat trip down the Thames yet, I (not, see)_____the Millennium Dome.

If the weather (be)_____fine tomorrow, I (go)_____on a boat trip. I hope Jane (can)_____keep me company.

I (like)_____London very much. I (never, see) _____ - such a beautiful city. You (must)_____visit it some day.

I (be)_____back in a week, so I (call)_____you than.

Love,
Ann.

2. Задайте 5 вопросов к тексту "A Letter from London":

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

1. There's no doubt that computers have _____ our lives easier.
(A) done (C) become
(B) got (D) made
2. The journalist asked me _____.
(A) what was my favourite pastime (C) what my favourite pastime was
(B) what is my favourite pastime (D) what my favourite pastime is
3. You'll be here tomorrow, _____?
(A) isn't it (C) will you
(B) won't you (D) will you be
4. There was _____ to eat and drink after the party.
(A) many (C) a lot
(B) lot of (D) lots of
5. _____ that strange man sitting over there?
(A) Whose (C) Who's
(B) Which (D) Who
6. A kangaroo has such strong legs _____ it can jump over a car.
(A) so (C) as
(B) so as (D) that
7. Is there _____ in the room?
(A) somebody (C) anybody
(B) something (D) anywhere
8. The telephone was _____ by Alexander Graham Bell.
(A) discovered (C) explored
(B) invented (D) studied
9. This programme _____ me a lot of money.
(A) cost (C) had costed
(B) costed (D) was cost
10. It happened _____ our way home.
(A) in (C) for
(B) on (D) about

11. By the time we arrived at the station, the train _____.
- (A) left (C) had left
(B) has left (D) was left
12. Mount Everest is _____ mountain in the world.
- (A) high (C) the higher
(B) highest (D) the highest
13. What do you want _____?
- (A) me to do (C) I do
(B) that I'll do (D) for me to do
14. If he lived in the country he _____ happier.
- (A) was (C) will be
(B) is (D) would be
15. Rome is famous for its _____ archaeological sites.
- (A) ancient (C) old-fashioned
(B) old (D) modern
16. _____ operate a computer is not as difficult as many people think.
- (A) To learn (C) Learning
(B) To learning (D) Learning to
17. When did he arrive _____ Moscow?
- (A) at (C) in
(B) on (D) for
18. Nobody _____ why people walk or talk in their sleep.
- (A) know (C) knew
(B) knows (D) is knowing
19. There is oxygen on this planet! We _____ to breathe!
- (A) can (C) be able
(B) will can (D) will be able
20. What will _____ be like tomorrow?
- (A) the weather (C) weather
(B) a weather (D) the weathers

21. Where _____ you last night at the time of the burglary?
(A) were (C) did
(B) was (D) have you been
22. John _____ a new job.
(A) have offered (C) has offering
(B) has been offered (D) was been offered
23. People use _____ words and gestures to express their feelings.
(A) both (C) neither
(B) either (D) also
24. You'd better _____ there **alone**.
(A) not to go (C) not go
(B) don't go (D) go not
25. John F. Kennedy was the youngest president of the United States and _____
to be murdered.
(A) four (C) fourth
(B) the four (D) the fourth

4. *Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:*

1. В пятнадцатилетнем возрасте Джек Лондон стал моряком.

2. Анна всегда опаздывает на занятия. Вчера она на десять минут опоздала на урок английского языка.

3. В воскресенье я не смогу пойти с тобой в театр. Приезжает моя двоюродная сестра, и я должна буду ее встретить.

4. Не могли бы вы объяснить мне это правило еще раз?

5. Когда мы вышли на улицу, дождь уже прекратился и снова ярко светило солнце.

6. Ничто не заставит меня выйти из дома в такую мерзкую погоду.

7. Что ты собираешься делать сегодня вечером? — Я иду с Линдой на выставку.

8. Тебе понравился фильм? — Нет. — Мне тоже.

9. Попроси его позвонить мне сегодня вечером.

10. Волга гораздо длиннее Темзы.

TEST 2

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

A FRIGHTFUL NIGHT

One dark night a young man (go) _____ home from the railway station. It (be) _____ very late and there (be) _____ very few people in the streets.

The young man (be) _____ very nervous because he (return, never) _____ home so late. Suddenly he (feel) _____ that somebody (follow) _____ him. The young man (think) _____ that it (be) _____ a robber and (decide) _____ to walk as quickly as he (can) _____.

When he (look) _____ back he (see) _____ that the man (follow, still) _____ him. The young man (turn) _____ into another street. The man (turn) _____ into that street too. Now the young man (be) _____ quite sure that the man (be) _____ a robber.

The young man (turn) _____ round and (ask) _____:

"What (want, you) _____? Why (follow, you) _____ me?"

"I (go) _____ to see Mr Brown," (say) _____ the man, "and the porter at the station (tell) _____ me: 'If you (follow) _____ this young man, you (find) _____ his house easily, he (live) _____ next door to Mr Brown.'"

2. Задайте 5 вопросов к тексту "A Frightful Night":

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

1. I _____ Michael for ages.

- (A) didn't see
(B) don't see

- (C) haven't seen
(D) saw not

2. I _____ get up very early now.

- (A) must to
(B) have to

- (C) should to
(D) ought

3. How much _____ to fly to New York?

- (A) costs it
(B) it costs

- (C) does cost
(D) does it cost

4. My brother Nick is very good _____ maths.

- (A) for
(B) at

- (C) about
(D) in

5. When did you discover that your car _____?

- (A) was disappeared
(B) had been disappeared

- (C) had disappeared
(D) disappearing

6. If he _____ hard, he'll fail his final exams.

- (A) doesn't work
(B) won't work

- (C) hadn't worked
(D) wouldn't work

7. Have you heard the _____ news?

- (A) last
(B) previous

- (C) latest
(D) latter

8. Which of you _____ to go on an excursion?

- (A) wants
(B) want

- (C) does want
(D) do want

9. I'd like to know _____.

- (A) where is my diary
(B) where it is my diary

- (C) where my diary is
(D) my diary is where

10. I'm very busy at the moment. I _____ for my English exam.

- (A) am preparing
(B) prepare

- (C) have been preparing
(D) am going prepare

11. _____ you've given me!
(A) What a good advice (C) What the good advice
(B) What good advices (D) What good advice
12. Ann said that she _____ a new dress.
(A) had bought (C) will buy
(B) bought (D) buy
13. Christmas is _____ popular and colourful holiday in Great Britain.
(A) most (C) most of all
(B) the most (D) very
14. There is _____ noise in Moscow.
(A) so many (C) such much
(B) so much (D) a lot
15. Have you read any books _____ Oscar Wilde?
(A) from (C) by
(B) since (D) for
16. Are you _____ angry with me?
(A) yet (C) still
(B) else (D) while
17. This time tomorrow _____ in the Black Sea.
(A) I swim (C) I'll swimming
(B) I'll swim (D) I'll be swimming
18. I have known Dr Simon _____ 1982.
(A) since (C) about
(B) for (D) from
19. Do you know _____ foreign languages?
(A) some (C) any
(B) some of (D) the
20. This book _____ into 14 languages.
(A) translated (C) being translated
(B) has translated (D) has been translated

21. If the weather _____ fine tomorrow, we'll go to the park.
(A) is (C) will be
(B) will (D) were
22. I'd like you to meet a very good friend of _____, Robert White.
(A) us (C) our
(B) we (D) ours
23. My friend and I _____ go to the tennis court every Sunday.
(A) occasionally (C) usually
(B) ever (D) often
24. You'd better _____.
(A) stop worrying (C) stop to worry
(B) to stop worrying (D) to stop worry
25. You have never been to Canada, _____?
(A) isn't it (C) haven't you
(B) is it (D) have you

4. *Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:*

1. Нам пришлось вернуться домой, так как мы опоздали на последний поезд.

2. Я не люблю фильмы ужасов. — Я тоже.

3. Перестаньте разговаривать! Я ничего не слышу.

4. Твои родители заставляют тебя мыть посуду?

5. Никто никогда мне ничего не говорит.

6. Какая сегодня погода? — Холодно, дует сильный ветер.

7. Интересно, кто из них солгал?

8. Сколько нам потребуется времени, чтобы добраться до Красной площади?

9. Это платье гораздо дороже, чем то.

10. Мы наблюдали, как дети наряжали новогоднюю елку.

TEST 3

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

ATRAVELLER'S TALE

It (happen)_____ many years ago. I (be)_____ in India. I (hunt)_____ there. Once I (spend)_____ the whole day in the jungle. It (get)_____ completely dark when I (decide)_____ to return to my camp. I (walk)_____ along a narrow path. Strange sounds (hear)_____ everywhere. On my right there (be) _____ a river and on my left there (be) _____ a thick tropical forest.

Suddenly I (see)_____ something terrible in the jungle on my left. Two green eyes (look)_____ at me. It (be)_____ a man-eating tiger, ready to spring at me.

I (know)_____ that if I (start)_____ to run the tiger (catch) _____ me easily. As I could swim well I (make up)_____ my mind to escape that way. I (look)_____ at the river on my right. There in the river, (be)_____ a huge crocodile. It (wait)_____ for me with open jaws.

I (faint)_____. A moment later I (jump)_____ to my feet again. What do you think I (see)_____? The tiger (be)_____ in the jaws of the crocodile.

Five years (pass)_____ since that time but I (remember, still) _____ every moment of that terrible night.

to faint — падать в обморок

2. Задайте 5 вопросов к тексту "A Traveller's Tale":

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный.

1. I want to become a teacher _____.
(A) when I will leave school (C) when I am leaving school
(B) when I leave school (D) when I had left school
2. The Sahara is _____ desert in the world.
(A) the hottest (C) the most hot
(B) hottest (D) the hotter
3. John is not interested _____ politics.
(A) about (C) for
(B) in (D) over
4. I'm sure we _____ before.
(A) have never met (C) didn't met
(B) haven't never met (D) had met
5. I don't know _____.
(A) where this museum (C) where this museum is
(B) where is this museum (D) this museum is where
6. They were in Spain last summer, _____?
(A) were they (C) didn't they
(B) isn't it (D) weren't they
7. When I came home late in the evening, my parents _____.
(A) had already had dinner (C) have been having dinner
(B) have **already** had dinner (D) had dinner
8. New Year's Day is _____ popular in Britain than Christmas.
(A) more less (C) less
(B) more little (D) little
9. _____ Michelangelo began painting the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel in the Vatican.
(A) **At the age of 33** (C) At the age of 33 years
(B) At 33 years (D) At the age of 33 year-old

10. The cost of living in our country has _____ again.
(A) rose (C) picked up
(B) raised (D) risen
11. I want _____ at the airport.
(A) you meeting me (C) you to meet me
(B) that you meet me (D) you meet me
12. What _____ we are having!
(A) the rainy weather (C) rainy weathers
(B) a rainy weather (D) rainy weather
13. Alex was sure that he _____ the exams successfully.
(A) will pass (C) passes
(B) would pass (D) has passed
14. Who _____ to go to the cinema with us?
(A) want (C) wants
(B) does want (D) is wanting
15. The teacher asked me _____ for the lesson.
(A) was I ready (C) if was I ready
(B) if I was ready (D) that I was ready
16. If you aren't going to Liverpool, _____.
(A) I'm not too (C) neither I am
(B) I am not also (D) neither am I
17. Jane has been trying to write an essay for three hours, but she hasn't written _____.
(A) anything (C) anyone
(B) nothing (D) something
18. I think that John Lennon is _____ musicians in the world.
(A) greatest one of (C) one of greatest
(B) the greatest (D) one of the greatest
19. I don't like coffee with _____.
(A) the milk (C) milk
(B) a milk (D) milks

20. Mrs Johnson told us _____.
- (A) to not wash up (C) not to wash up
(B) to do not wash up (D) that we don't wash up
21. I've lost my wallet. — When _____?
- (A) have you lost it (C) had you lost it
(B) did you lose it (D) you lost it
22. It's not very difficult _____.
- (A) to learn how to drive (C) learn how to drive
(B) to learn how drive (D) to learn how driving
23. I don't want to go to the country, I'd rather _____ at home.
- (A) staying (B) to stay
(C) stay (D) will stay
24. I usually go to school _____ bus.
- (A) on (C) in
(B) by (D) at
25. It is _____ a boring book that I don't dare to advise you to read it.
- (A) so (C) very
(B) such (D) too

4. *Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:*

1. Вы прочитали книгу, которую я дал вам на прошлой неделе?

2. Интересно, почему Саша не позвонил мне вчера вечером?

3. Вам бы лучше лечь спать пораньше.

4. Его старшая сестра заканчивает университет в этом году.

5. Я изучаю французский язык три года.

6. Вам пришлось вчера рано встать, не правда ли?

7. На кого похож ваш сын?

8. Мэри пишет по-английски гораздо лучше, чем говорит.

9. Вы когда-нибудь были в Германии? — Да, я был там год назад.

10. Завтра в это время мы будем купаться в Черном море.

TEST 4

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

AN INTERVIEW WITH A POP STAR

P: Our special guest in the studio today is Bob Bubble. Welcome to the show, Bob.

B: Thanks. It's great (be) _____ here.

P: You are only 21, but you (already, sell) _____ 10 million records. How old (you, be) _____ when you (write) _____ your first song?

B: I (be) _____ 15.

P: (You, take) _____ vocal lessons when you (be) _____ a kid?

B: No, I **didn't**. My parents (hope) _____ that I (become) _____ a lawyer. So I (sing) _____ and (write) _____ my songs in secret — late at night in my room, when everyone (sleep) _____. When my first album (appear) _____, my parents (be shocked) _____. My father said that I (disappoint) _____ him.

P: (He, be disappointed, still) _____ in you?

B: No. I (think) _____ he (be proud) _____ of me.

P: How many songs (you, write) _____?

B: About 150.

P: Bob, I know you (not, have) _____ much free time, but what (you, do, usually) _____ when you're not busy singing?

B: Well, I (be fond) _____ of windsurfing.

P: One last question, Bob. Are you married?

B: Not yet. I (get married) _____ only when I (meet) _____ the girl of my dream.

2. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно **правильный**:

1. Everyone _____ of Bill Gates, the icon of American business and the richest man in the world.

(A) have heard

(B) has heard

(C) is hearing

(D) has been heard

2. It was _____ cold that I put on my coat.

(A) too

(B) such

(C) very

(D) so

3. The Internet _____ as harmless as it may seem.
(A) is (C) isn't
(B) has been (D) isn't being
4. Do you mind _____ the door?
(A) I close (C) if to close
(B) close (D) my closing
5. He does _____ but play computer games all day.
(A) everything (C) anything
(B) nothing (D) something
6. I arrived _____ the airport with plenty of time to check in.
(A) for (C) at
(B) to (D) in
7. I'd like _____ overnight.
(A) that you stayed with us (C) you staying with us
(B) you stay with us (D) you to stay with us
8. John's been to India, _____?
(A) isn't he (C) hasn't John
(B) hasn't he (D) doesn't he
9. I'm going to my dentist _____.
(A) one of these days (C) another of these days
(B) another day (D) the other day
10. In spite of Shakespeare's fame we know very _____ about his life.
(A) little (C) few
(B) a little (D) less
11. Ann couldn't go to the theatre with us because _____.
(A) she had prepare for the exam (C) she **had** to prepare for the exam
(B) she must prepare for the exam (D) she will have to prepare for the exam
12. Neither Helen nor Andrew _____ to go to the museum with us.
(A) is wanting (C) doesn't want
(B) wants (D) don't want

13. The first film of this director is much more interesting _____ the second one.
(A) then (C) that
(B) than (D) as
14. By the time we got home, Alice _____ a delicious dinner.
(A) prepared (C) had prepared
(B) has prepared (D) has been preparing
15. Nobody _____ being shouted at.
(A) likes (C) is like
(B) doesn't like (D) like
16. I don't know who _____ your bike.
(A) stealed (C) did stole
(B) has stoled (D) has stolen
17. She _____ at the bus-stop when a young man took her bag and ran away.
(A) was waiting (C) is waiting
(B) has been waiting (D) had waited
18. I _____ an essay by six o'clock yesterday.
(A) have written (C) wrote
(B) had written (D) was writing
19. Everybody _____ to go to the dentist at least once a year.
(A) should (C) ought
(B) must (D) have
20. I'm late, _____?
(A) aren't I (C) isn't it
(B) am I (D) amn't I
21. She has got _____ daughter.
(A) a ten-years (C) a ten-year-old
(B) a ten-years-old (D) a ten-year-aged
22. Are you sure that the _____ bus leaves at 6 p.m.?
(A) latter (C) late
(B) latest (D) last

23. This newspaper is not very popular _____ young people.

- (A) for
(B) with

- (C) about
(D) over

24. Michelangelo Buonarroti was _____ artists in history.

- (A) a very famous
(B) one of the most famous

- (C) the most famous
(D) one of **famousest**

25. Please wait for me if you _____ earlier.

- (A) will come
(B) come

- (C) comes
(D) came

3. *Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:*

1. Больше всего я люблю читать детективы и фантастику.

2. Вы были когда-нибудь в Риме? — Да. — Когда вы там были?

3. Я не смогу пойти с ними в театр завтра. — И я тоже.

4. Статью не трудно было переводить, правда? — Да, не трудно.

5. Я живу на третьем этаже пятиэтажного многоквартирного дома.

6. Вы знаете, сколько университетов в Вашингтоне?

7. Шекспиру было восемнадцать лет, когда он женился.

8. Мне очень трудно учить стихи наизусть.

9. Самое популярное хобби — коллекционирование марок.

10. Она сказала, что живет на улице Пушкина.

TEST 5

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

THE SAILOR AND THE MONKEYS

Once a sailor (come)_____to South America. He (have) _____ a lot of red woollen caps with him. He (be going) _____ to sell them there. On his way to the nearest town he (must)_____go through a forest in which there (be)_____a lot of monkeys in the trees.

At noon, when the sun (shine) _____ brightly in the sky, the sailor (lie)_____down on the grass to rest under a large tree. He (take) _____ one of the caps out of his bag and (put)_____it on his head and almost immediately he (fall)_____asleep.

When he (wake up)_____ he (find)_____ that all the caps (disappear)_____. Suddenly he (hear)_____some strange noise over his head. He (look up)_____and (see)_____the trees full of monkeys and each monkey (wear)_____a red woollen cap! They (steal)_____all his red caps! The sailor (begin)_____to shout and throw stones at them but the monkeys (be going, not)_____to give the red caps back. They (be)_____very pleased with themselves.

The sailor (get)_____very angry with the monkeys. He (take off) _____ the cap which he (put on)_____before going to sleep and (throw)_____it angrily on the ground: "If you (keep)_____my caps and (want, not)_____to give them back to me, you may take this one too!"

At the same moment all the monkeys (take off) _____ the red caps and (throw)_____them on the ground.

The sailor (take)_____the caps, (put)_____them into the bag and (go)_____away.

2. Задайте 5 вопросов к тексту "The Sailor and the Monkeys":

3. Из четырех вариантов. (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

1. Shakespeare is _____ to understand than Agatha Christie.
(A) difficult (C) most difficult
(B) more difficult (D) the most difficult
2. I took a shower, shaved and _____ my best suit.
(A) wore (C) put on
(B) dressed (D) took off
3. The weather forecast said that _____.
(A) it will rain in the afternoon (C) it rains in the afternoon
(B) it would rain in the afternoon (D) it will be raining in the afternoon
4. If you _____ to Paris you'll see the Eiffel Tower.
(A) go (C) went
(B) will go (D) would go
5. Who _____ America?
(A) discovered (C) did discovered
(B) did discover (D) discovers
6. She's got 3 children, and her _____ has just started school.
(A) oldest (C) the oldest
(B) eldest (D) the eldest
7. The most striking feature of the giraffe is its long neck, _____ has always been a source of curiosity.
(A) who (C) what
(B) whose (D) which
8. St Basil's Cathedral _____ in the mid-18th century in memory of the victory over Kazan.
(A) built (C) was builded
(B) was built (D) had been built
9. I usually go to school _____ foot.
(A) in (C) on
(B) with (D) by

10. _____ we had a lot of free time, we decided to go to the park.
(A) For (C) So
(B) Thus (D) As
11. I _____ English since last December.
(A) will be learning (C) have been learning
(B) am learning (D) learn
12. Tell me _____ there is anything else you would like to see in London.
(A) that (C) which
(B) so (D) if
13. A secretary is a person who _____ letters.
(A) is typing (C) typed
(B) types (D) will type
14. Our planet is in grave danger _____ human activity.
(A) because (C) for
(B) the reason why (D) as a result of
15. My parents have _____ lived in London.
(A) always (C) from time to time
(B) usually (D) ever
16. It was _____ a boring film that I fell asleep in the middle of it.
(A) so (C) too
(B) such (D) very
- 17. We ate _____ cake. It was delicious.
(A) the all (C) the every bit
(B) the whole (D) each
18. If I were you, I _____ smoking.
(A) would give up (C) will give up
(B) gave up (D) give up
19. When I _____ at Baker Street, Holmes was sitting by the fire deep in thought.
(A) reached (C) arrived
(B) entered (D) came

20. He _____ to go to the dentist because he has toothache.
(A) ought (C) should
(B) must (D) have
21. James said that he _____ a horse before.
(A) never rode (C) had never ridden
(B) has never ridden (D) would never ride
22. Neither Alex nor Nick _____ German.
(A) know (C) don't know
(B) are knowing (D) knows
23. _____ difficult work!
(A) Which (C) What a
(B) What (D) How
24. I felt so _____ yesterday that I couldn't even get up.
(A) bad (C) well
(B) badly (D) good
25. Tom _____ Ann since childhood.
(A) is loving (C) has been loving
(B) was loving (D) has loved

4. Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:

1. Ты что-нибудь слышишь? — Я слушаю очень внимательно, но ничего не слышу.

2. Мы не ожидали, что он скажет правду.

3. Он всегда дает полезные советы, но я не всегда им следую.

4. В котором часу начинается фильм? — В восемь.

5. Ему пришлось остаться дома? — Да.

6. Этот праздник отмечается в Англии с XV века.

7. Я еще не читал этого романа. — Я тоже.

8. В Москве много исторических и архитектурных памятников.

9. Кто-нибудь видел, как он выходил из комнаты?

10. На вашем месте я бы с ним не спорил.

TEST 6

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

A SLEEPLESS NIGHT

One night I (be) _____ alone at home with my ten-year-old daughter. She (wake) _____ me up in the middle of the night: "Mum, mum! There (be) _____ a man outside the house. He (watch) _____ me through the window!"

I (look) _____ out of the window. I (can) _____ see the shape of a man outside. Who (he, be) _____? What (he, do) _____ there?

"I (must, get) _____ to the telephone in the hall and telephone the police," I (think) _____.

I (go) _____ downstairs hardly daring to **breathe**, afraid that he (hear) _____ my movements. I (reach) _____ for the telephone, (lift) _____, _____ the receiver and (dial) _____ 999. The police (answer) _____ and I (explain) _____ what (happen) _____. They (say) _____ that they (come) _____ at once.

Soon a police car (stop) _____ in front of the house. I (hurry) _____ downstairs and (open) _____ the front door. A police officer (come) _____ in.

"What (happen) _____?" he (ask) _____.

After listening to my story he (go) _____ out, and after a while (return) _____.

"It's all right," he (say) _____. "I (just, see) _____ that man. He (walk) _____ his dog. By the way, he (live) _____ in the house opposite.

2. Задайте 5 вопросов к тексту "A Sleepless Night":

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно **правильный**:

1. Have you seen **Mary's** boyfriend_____?

- (A) yet
(B) still

- (C) just
(D) else

2. I wonder what our children_____when we come back.

- (A) do
(B) will do

- (C) are doing
(D) will be doing

3. I hate _____.

- (A) a **rainy** weather
(B) rainy weather

- (C) the rainy weather
(D) rainy weathers

4. Don't be angry_____me, please.

- (A) at
(B) about

- (C) with
(D) for

5. I was very much surprised when Ann said that she_____.

- (A) can't to swim
(B) can't swim

- (C) couldn't swim
(D) wasn't able swim

6. I want_____me.

- (A) you to help
(B) that you help

- (C) that you'll help
(D) you helping

7. He has never been to_____foreign countries.

- (A) some
(B) any

- (C) no
(D) anywhere

8. _____a post-office near here?

- (A) Is
(B) Is there

- (C) Where there
(D) There is

9. The police_____the criminal yet.

- (A) have caught
(B) didn't catch

- (C) didn't caught
(D) haven't caught

10. Charles Dickens is still _____ popular today as when his first work appeared, over 150 years ago.
- (A) as (C) such
(B) so (D) much
11. *Tom Sawyer* _____ by Mark Twain.
- (A) has written (C) was written
(B) was wrote (D) is being written
12. As far as I know he speaks neither Spanish _____ Italian.
- (A) or (C) not
(B) either (D) nor
13. He said that he _____ to Egypt.
- (A) never had been (C) has never been
(B) never was (D) had never been
14. When we arrived in Sochi, it was very hot ~~and~~ the sun _____.
- (A) was shining (C) **shined**
(B) shone (D) shining
15. The teacher made me _____ the exercise again.
- (A) to do (C) doing
(B) do (D) that I'll do
16. You've made _____ mistakes in your dictation.
- (A) too many (C) very little
(B) so much (D) a lot
17. You've never heard this song, _____?
- (A) isn't it (C) have you
(B) haven't you (D) is it
18. Jane is a friend of _____.
- (A) ours (C) us
(B) our (D) we
19. She was the sort of woman who was always bothering about _____.
- (A) what other people would think (C) what would think other people
(B) what would other people think (D) what other people think

20. It was _____ place I had **ever** seen.
(A) more beautiful (C) the most beautiful
(B) most beautiful (D) the **beautifullest**
21. I have made up my _____ to become a teacher.
(A) brains (C) head
(B) mind (D) decision
22. Before we parted Wilson asked me _____ I would like to go and see his house one day.
(A) that (C) about
(B) which (D) **if**
23. I am sure that Jim is _____ lies.
(A) pronouncing (C) talking
(B) telling (D) saying
24. Would you like _____ piece of cake?
(A) other (C) more
(B) another (D) others
25. _____ Volga is the longest river in Europe.
(A) — (C) A
(B) The (D) An
26. Peter is a bad driver. He drives _____.
(A) careless (C) carefully
(B) careful (D) carelessly
27. This car is _____. I can't afford it.
(A) cheap (C) bad
(B) expensive (D) good
28. I've never heard _____.
(A) her to sing (C) she sings
(B) her sing (D) she is singing
29. My brother _____ Ann Graves since childhood.
(A) is loving (C) has been loving
(B) was loving (D) has loved

30. Jim's _____ sister wants to become an economist.

(A) elder

(C) old

(B) older

(D) the oldest

4. *Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:*

1. Я не видел ее целую вечность. Она сильно изменилась?

2. Это известная картина. Она была написана Тернером (Turner).

3. Я не смогу поехать завтра за город. — Я тоже.

4. Эти деньги не мои. Я не могу их взять.

5. Майкл сказал, что он уже просмотрел утренние газеты.

6. Он попросил меня никому об этом не рассказывать.

7. Текст совсем не трудный, правда? — Да, он очень легкий.

8. Мы не ожидали, что он вернется так поздно.

9. Сколько комнат в вашей квартире? — В нашей квартире 3 комнаты. — У вас есть телефон? — Да.

10. Вы знаете, сколько пьес написал Шекспир? — Около 30.

TEST 7

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

A CLEVER TRICK

It (be) _____ a cold and stormy night. A traveller (ride) _____ a horse. It (rain) _____ cats and dogs and he (be) _____ wet to the skin. He (ride) _____ for a few hours before he could find an inn.

When he (enter) _____ the inn he (see) _____ a lot of people there. They (sit) _____ in front of the fire and there (be, not) _____ a seat left for him.

A good idea (strike) _____ him. He (call) _____ the waiter and (say) _____ to him in a loud voice: "Boy, take a plate of oysters to my horse."

Everybody (be surprised) _____. The waiter (put) _____ some oysters on the plate and (go out) _____. Naturally, the other people (go out) _____ to see if the horse (eat) _____ the oysters.

A few minutes later the waiter (return) _____ with the news that the horse (refuse) _____ to eat the oysters. When the other people (return) _____ they (saw) _____ that the traveller (sit) _____ comfortably in a chair. He (warm) _____ his feet beside the fire. And suddenly everybody (realize) _____ why the traveller (order) _____ the waiter to take the oysters to the horse.

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2. Задайте 5 вопросов к тексту "A Clever Trick":

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно **правильный**:

1. By the time we got to the theatre the first act _____.

- (A) has already begun (C) **had** already begun
(B) had already begun (D) was already begun

2. I'll pick you up at seven sharp if _____.

- (A) you will be ready (C) you is ready
(B) you are ready (D) you has been ready

3. Do you know _____ bag it is?

- (A) whose (C) who
(B) which (D) who's

4. Latin words began to be used in English place-names very long _____.

- (A) later on (C) previously
(B) before (D) ago

5. _____ striking features of English life is the self-discipline of people of all classes.

- (A) **One of most** (C) The most one
(B) One of the most (D) The one of most

6. James made everybody believe that _____.

- (A) he has travelled all over the world (C) he was travelled all over the world
(B) he had travelled all over the world (D) he travels all over the world

7. Nobody helped me, so I had to do it _____.

- (A) self (C) meself
(B) oneself (D) myself

8. _____ Memorial Day Americans honour the servicemen who gave their lives in past wars.

- (A) At (C) On
(B) In (D) **Over**

9. How many meals a day _____?

- (A) have you (C) you have
(B) do you have (D) are you having

10. What _____ you're wearing today!
(A) the wonderful dress (C) a wonderful dress
(B) wonderful dress (D) is a wonderful dress
11. In the fifteenth century people knew nothing about _____ big continent as America.
(A) so as (C) a such
(B) so a (D) such a
12. As soon as I _____ it I called the police.
(A) looked (C) watched
(B) saw (D) stared
13. The job was _____ worse than she had expected.
(A) many (C) much
(B) very (D) a few
14. Tell me what _____.
(A) do you want me to buy for you (C) do you want me buy for you
(B) you want me to buy for you (D) you want me buy for you
15. His mother _____ the cassette player.
(A) made him switch off (C) made him to switch off
(B) made him switching off (D) made that he switched off
16. The first view of the city of New York from the sea is the sight that _____.
(A) can never forget (C) cannot never be forgotten
(B) cannot ever forgotten (D) can never be forgotten
17. You'd better _____ to the country in such rainy weather.
(A) to not go (C) don't go
(B) not go (D) not to go
18. It's _____ here to take pictures.
(A) too dark (C) not enough dark
(B) dark enough (D) so dark
19. Yesterday we _____ at school till 6 p.m.
(A) had to stay (C) might to stay
(B) must stay (D) had stay

20. What _____ European countries have you been to?
(A) else (C) another
(B) other (D) others
21. I don't have much time, I **can't** _____ you now.
(A) say (C) tell to
(B) speak (D) talk to
22. Washington, DC is the capital of the US but New York is _____ city.
(A) biggest (C) bigger
(B) the biggest (D) the most biggest
23. Did you see John yesterday? — Yes, I saw _____ the street.
(A) his being crossed (C) his crossing
(B) him to cross (D) him crossing
24. Why don't you make a cup of coffee _____ I'm finishing this?
(A) till (C) during
(B) until (D) while
25. The water of the Dead Sea is so salty that _____ live in it.
(A) nothing can (C) nothing can't
(B) nothing (D) anything can't

4. *Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:*

1. Что вы будете делать завтра в четыре часа?

2. Сходить в магазин? — Нет, не нужно.

3. Сколько времени у вас уходит на то, чтобы добраться до школы?

4. Я узнал об этом на прошлой неделе.

5. Я жду свою сестру уже полчаса.

6. Какая прекрасная погода! Давайте поедem за город.

7. Я не слышал, как ты вошел.

8. У нас мало времени. Нам придется взять такси.

9. Простите, не могли бы вы повторить последнее предложение?

10. На прошлой неделе я встретил своего друга, которого не видел несколько месяцев.

TEST 8

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

A SAD STORY

Three men (come) _____ to New York. They (arrive) _____ at a very large hotel and (take) _____ a room there. Their room (be) _____ on the forty-fifth floor.

In the evening the three men (go) _____ to the theatre and (come) _____ back to the hotel very late.

"I (be) _____ very sorry," (say) _____ the clerk of the hotel, "but our lifts (work, not) _____ tonight. If you (want, not) _____ to walk upstairs to your room we (make) _____ beds for you in the hall."

"No, no," (say) _____ one of the three men. "No, thank you. We (want, not) _____ to sleep in the hall. We (walk) _____ up to our room."

Then he (tell) _____ his two friends, "It (be, not) _____ easy to walk up to the forty-fifth floor, but I (think) _____ I (know) _____ how to make it easier. On our way to the room I (tell) _____ you some jokes. Andy (sing) _____ us some songs. Then Peter (tell) _____ us some interesting stories."

So they (begin) _____ to walk upstairs to their room. Tom (tell) _____ them many jokes, Andy (sing) _____ some songs. At last they (come) _____ to the thirty-fourth floor. They (be) _____ tired and (decide) _____ to have a rest.

"Well," (say) _____ Tom, "now it (be) _____ your turn, Peter." "I (tell) _____ you a sad story," (say) _____ Peter. "We (leave) _____ the key to our room in the hall."

2. Задайте пять вопросов к тексту "A Sad Story":

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

1. The English are famous _____ their tea and their weather.
(A) of (C) in
(B) for (D) about
2. I'd like _____.
(A) you join us (C) you joining us
(B) you to join us (D) your join to us
3. Oxford and Cambridge are _____ universities in Great Britain.
(A) older (C) the oldest
(B) oldest (D) the most oldest
4. The weather was fine and we _____.
(A) decided to go to the park (C) have decided to go to the park
(B) decided going to the park (D) decided that we go to the park
5. John is studying contemporary art, _____?
(A) doesn't he (C) is he
(B) isn't it (D) isn't he
6. The Guinness Book of Records _____ in the 50s.
(A) first published (C) was first published
(B) has first been published (D) were first published
7. _____ is known of Julius Caesar's education except that he studied Greek and Latin literature with a tutor.
(A) something (C) nothing
(B) anything (D) no
8. John came to see me _____. It was last Monday, I think.
(A) another day (C) other day
(B) the other day (D) the day before other
9. Chopin began to take piano lessons _____.
(A) in the age of six (C) at 6 years old
(B) at 6 ages old (D) at the age of 6

10. She's got a dark _____.
- (A) hair (C) eyes
(B) complexion (D) build
11. The Hermitage _____ a priceless collection of pictures.
- (A) contains (C) containing
(B) is contained (D) is containing
12. It was a very difficult text. I _____ look up a lot of words in the dictionary.
- (A) must (C) was able
(B) had to (D) had
13. People say that the Loch Ness Monster doesn't look like _____ other animal alive today.
- (A) some (C) any
(B) no (D) anyone
14. When the teacher came in, the children _____.
- (A) danced (C) had been dancing
(B) have been dancing (D) were dancing
15. Though Christmas is celebrated on December 25, the actual date of **Christ's** birth _____.
- (A) not known (C) is known not
(B) is not known (D) not to be known
16. What's _____, Steve?
- (A) matter (C) problem
(B) wrong (D) happen
17. Is there _____ snow in England in winter?
- (A) many (C) few
(B) much (D) large
18. His first novel is much more interesting _____ his second one.
- (A) than (C) as
(B) then (D) before
19. Napoleon didn't succeed in conquering Russia and _____.
- (A) Hitler didn't too (C) neither did Hitler
(B) Hitler did neither (D) neither didn't Hitler

20. Romeo fell in love _____ Juliet at first sight.
(A) for (C) on
(B) about (D) with
21. Nobody _____ to the dentist.
(A) enjoy to go (C) enjoy going
(B) enjoys go (D) enjoys going
22. "Who _____ the window?" the teacher asked angrily.
(A) did break (C) broken
(B) broke (D) **broken**
23. If I don't know this or that word, I look it _____ in the dictionary.
(A) at (C) up
(B) in (D) for
24. Your behaviour makes your father _____.
(A) anger (C) angry
(B) angrily (D) to be angry
25. _____ I wouldn't buy that coat.
(A) If I were you (C) On your place
(B) If I would be you (D) If I was instead of you
26. All Tom's **friends** were sorry _____ him when he failed his entrance exams.
(A) for (C) with
(B) about (D) at
27. My sister and I _____ visit our grandparents every Saturday.
(A) sometimes (C) ever
(B) often (D) usually
28. Where are you going to stay when _____ in London?
(A) you be (C) you are
(B) you will (D) you will be
29. Hurry up! The _____ train leaves in half an hour.
(A) last (C) least
(B) latest (D) latter

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

1. Charlie Chaplin was fond_____his friends.
(A) to imitate (C) imitating
(B) imitate (D) of imitating
2. Moscow has _____beautiful buildings and monuments.
(A) a lot (C) a great deal
(B) much (D) many
3. We'll start our tour from Trafalgar Square_____is the geographical centre of London.
(A) which (C) where
(B) whose (D) there
4. I've decided_____to university when I finish school.
(A) go (C) to go
(B) going (D) that I go
5. Jimmy couldn't come to the lesson,_____?
(A) could he (C) did he
(B) couldn't he (D) didn't he
6. Everybody_____that smoking is dangerous.
(A) know (C) is knowing
(B) knows (D) is known
7. If you help me, we_____finish the job much sooner.
(A) can to (C) will be able
(B) could (D) will be able to
8. A hundred years_____life was very different.
(A) before (C) ago
(B) previously (D) later
9. How long are you going to_____at the hotel?
(A) leave (C) put up
(B) stay (D) occupy
10. When_____from Moscow University?
(A) did you graduate (C) have you graduated
(B) did you graduated (D) were you graduating

11. It's very cold today. Don't forget to put _____ your coat.
(A) off (C) on
(B) of (D) out
12. When I arrived my boss _____.
(A) has already left (C) already left
(B) had already left (D) was leaving yet
13. I'm hungry. I haven't had _____ breakfast this morning.
(A) some (C) no
(B) a (D) any
14. Pete is _____ man I've ever met.
(A) the most handsome (C) a most handsome
(B) most handsome (D) most the handsome
15. He _____ a lot of time reading poetry.
(A) used to spending (C) used spending
(B) used to spend (D) used on spending
16. Nick hasn't found a job _____.
(A) too (C) neither
(B) also (D) either
17. I'm afraid I have _ _ bad news for you.
(A) a (C) some
(B) the (D) any
18. Do you know _____?
(A) when St Valentine's Day is (C) St Valentine's Day is when
(B) when is St Valentine's Day (D) St Valentine's Day, when is it
19. The book _____ next year.
(A) publishes (C) will publish
(B) is published (D) will be published
20. I have never seen _____ an interesting film.
(A) so (C) very
(B) such (D) too

21. When **are** you planning to leave _____ Australia?
(A) for (C) in
(B) to (D) through
22. What _____ when I rang you up yesterday?
(A) you were doing (C) did you do
(B) were you doing (D) did you
23. Ann and Alice are twins. They are very much _____.
(A) look like (C) alike
(B) like (D) liking
24. Susan is a very old friend of _____.
(A) my (C) me
(B) mine (D) her
25. Will you help me to _____ the table?
(A) lay (C) lain
(B) lie (D) laid
26. _____ I'll be in Paris.
(A) The day tomorrow (C) After tomorrow
(B) The day after tomorrow (D) The day before yesterday
27. I haven't been to the Bolshoi theatre _____ many years.
(A) since (C) for
(B) after (D) while
28. Mary has _____ beautiful hair!
(A) such (C) so
(B) such a (D) a
29. Washington was _____ in 1790.
(A) find (C) found
(B) finded (D) founded
30. You'd better _____ it at once.
(A) to do (C) do
(B) not to do (D) doing

TEST 10

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

CONVERSATION

Ann: Do you like travelling?

Bill: Yes, I (like) _____ travelling very much. It (be) _____ my hobby. I always (take) _____ my camera with me and (take) _____ pictures of everything that (interest) _____ me: the rains of ancient buildings, the sights of cities, views of mountains, lakes, valleys, waterfalls and even animals and birds.

Ann: What countries (visit, you) _____?

Bill: Well, I (be) _____ to Italy, Greece, Russia and India. Some day I (go) _____ to the United States. My cousin (live) _____ there. She (invite) _____ me several times already. When I (have) _____ enough money, I (go) _____ to the States.

Ann: I (be, never) _____ to any of these countries. When (be, you) _____ in Russia?

Bill: Two years ago.

Ann: Did you go there alone?

Bill: No, I (go) _____ there with my father. We (visit) _____ Moscow and St Petersburg, the most beautiful cities of Russia.

Ann: I (want, always) _____ to travel to other countries, but I (have, not) _____ the opportunity. I (go) _____ to Germany in my childhood, but I (be, not) _____; _____ anywhere since then.

2. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

1. In _____, there are a lot of car accidents in the streets of big cities.

(A) a rainy weather

(C) the rainy weather

(B) rainy weather

(D) rainy weathers

2. Our English lessons at school were very boring. We _____ long exercises and learn a lot of grammar rules by heart.

(A) must to write

(C) had to write

(B) must write

(D) to write

3. Alice said that her parents _____ in a week.

(A) will come back

(C) would come back

(B) comes back

(D) had come back

4. Who _____ to take part in our concert?
(A) does want (C) want
(B) do want (D) wants
5. The policeman asked me if I _____ the car accident.
(A) have seen (C) had seen
(B) saw (D) had been seen
6. What _____ places of interest in St Petersburg have you visited?
(A) another (C) else
(B) other (D) others
7. You had to stay at home yesterday, _____?
(A) isn't it (C) hadn't you
(B) had you (D) didn't you
8. I haven't seen the film yet and _____.
(A) neither has my brother (C) neither saw my brother
(B) my brother has neither (D) neither my brother
9. Mary has been shopping since morning, but she hasn't bought _____.
(A) any (C) nothing
(B) something (D) anything
10. Isaac Newton is _____ men in the history of science.
(A) one of the greatest (C) the greatest one
(B) one of greatest (D) the one greatest
11. For breakfast they usually have cornflakes with _____.
(A) the milk and the sugar (C) milks and sugars
(B) a milk and a sugar (D) milk and sugar
12. Mrs Black told us _____.
(A) clear up the table (C) that we clear up the table
(B) to clear up the table (D) we must to clear up the table
13. There are a lot of legends about the English king William I, who is known _____ William the Conqueror.
(A) for (C) like
(B) as (D) to

14. By the time he was 25 Alexander the Great _____ the whole East from the Mediterranean Sea to the Indus River.
- (A) was conquered (C) conquered
(B) had been conquered (D) had conquered
15. Parents want their children _____.
- (A) to be happy (C) happy
(B) be happy (D) being happy
16. Many people go to Egypt _____.
- (A) in order see pyramids (C) so to see pyramids
(B) to see pyramids (D) seeing pyramids
17. She wants to be a doctor _____.
- (A) when she will leave school (C) when she is leaving school
(B) when she leaves school (D) when she left school
18. Ann is interested _____ foreign languages.
- (A) for (C) in
(B) about (D) on
19. I know Nora Norman. I _____ her at a party a couple of weeks ago.
- (A) met (C) had met
(B) have met (D) was met
20. The earliest known manuscript of *Beowulf* _____ in the British Museum.
- (A) keeps (C) is keeping
(B) kept (D) is kept
21. The four great deserts of central Australia _____ 2,000,000 square kilometres.
- (A) covers (C) covering
(B) cover (D) are covering
22. _____ Beethoven was completely deaf.
- (A) In his latest years (C) In his lasting years
(B) In his last years (D) In his lasted years
23. My daughter's husband is my _____.
- (A) brother-in-law (C) cousin
(B) nephew (D) son-in-law

24. You can put this shirt on. It's_____.

- (A) dirty
(B) wet

- (C) dry
(D) torn

25. I'm very fond of music. What's_____at the opera tonight?

- (A) on
(B) in

- (C) run
(D) going

4. *Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:*

1. Волга — самая длинная река в Европе, не так ли?

2. Кто старше, Ольга или Маша? — Ольга. Она на три года старше Маши.

3. Два месяца назад мы получили квартиру в новом 16-этажном доме на 5 этаже. В нашей квартире 4 комнаты, кухня, ванная и маленькая прихожая.

4. У меня много английских книг. Ты можешь взять любую.

5. Когда мы с другом вышли на улицу, было холодно и дул сильный ветер.

6. Почему ты не ходил вчера в школу? — Я плохо себя чувствовал.

7. Мой младший брат Майк любит давать советы своим друзьям.

8. Если мы не поторопимся, мы опоздаем на поезд.

9. Фильм был лучше, чем мы ожидали.

10. Мама заставляет меня каждый день делать утреннюю зарядку.

TEST 11

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

THE CANTERVILLE GHOST

When Mr Hiram B. Otis, the American Minister, (decide)_____to buy **Canterville Chase**, everyone (tell)_____him that it (be)_____ a foolish thing to do. There (be)_____no doubt that a ghost (live)_____in the house. Indeed, Lord Canterville himself (mention) _____ the fact to Mr Otis when they (discuss)_____the sale.

"We (live, not)_____in the place ourselves," (say)_____Lord Canterville, "since the day when my grand-aunt (frighten)_____by the ghost. It (happen) _____many years **ago**. My grand-aunt (dress)_____for dinner when she suddenly (feel)_____two skeleton hands being placed on her shoulders. The fright (make)_____her **very** ill, and she never really recovered."

"I (believe, not)_____in **ghosts**," (say)_____Mr Otis.

"I (must, tell)_____you, Mr Otis, that the ghost (see)_____ by several living members of our family, as well as by the local priest."

"My Lord," (say)_____Mr Otis, "I (want, buy)_____this house. I (come) _____from a modern country where everything (have)_____its value in money. If there (be)_____such a thing as a ghost in Europe, an American (buy) _____it."

Lord Canterville (smile)_____: "There really (be)_____a ghost. It (live) _____in the house for three centuries, since 1584 in fact. It always (appear) _____before the death of any member of our **family**."

"Well, so does the family doctor, no doubt, Lord Canterville."

A few weeks later Mr Otis and his family (move)_____to Canterville Chase.

ghost — привидение

2. Задайте 5 вопросов к тексту "The Canterville Ghost":

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

1. Six public holidays _____ in Great Britain.

- (A) celebrate (C) are celebrated
(B) are celebrating (D) are celebrate

2. Have you telephoned your parents _____?

- (A) still (C) while
(B) yet (D) else

3. Mrs Nickolas offered me _____ cup of tea.

- (A) other (C) an other
(B) another (D) the other

4. They didn't go to the country _____ the bad weather.

- (A) as (C) because of
(B) because (D) therefore

5. Don't worry. We'll look _____ your children.

- (A) at (C) about
(B) into (D) after

6. _____ has lived in this house for a long time.

- (A) Some (C) Anybody
(B) Nobody (D) Anything

7. It's the most exciting film _____.

- (A) I've ever seen (C) I've ever saw
(B) I've never seen (D) I ever seen

8. The success of our picnic depends _____ the weather.

- (A) of (C) on
(B) for (D) to

9. I wondered _____ she would say next.

- (A) that (C) which
(B) what (D) whom

10. We _____ to a wonderful pop concert last Saturday.

- (A) have gone (C) had gone
(B) were going (D) went

11. "If you _____ all summer, you'll starve in the winter," said the ant to the grasshopper.
- (A) sing and dance
(B) will sing and dance
(C) singing and dancing
(D) would sing and dance
12. Can you tell me _____ to Trafalgar Square?
- (A) the road
(B) the way
(C) how to find
(D) how get
13. I usually read a lot, but just now _____ anything.
- (A) I am reading
(B) I'm not reading
(C) I have read
(D) I read
14. You had to come back, _____?
- (A) didn't you
(B) hadn't you
(C) weren't you
(D) had you
15. At that moment Jack's wife came in and said that she _____ the police.
- (A) is going to call
(B) called
(C) had called
(D) had been called
16. I'm very tired. I _____ for three days.
- (A) travel
(B) travelled
(C) had travelled
(D) have been travelling
17. If what you say is true, there is _____ we can do about it.
- (A) little
(B) a little
(C) few
(D) a few
18. Our kitten washes _____ every hour.
- (A) him
(B) his
(C) himself
(D) itself
19. My doctor has told me _____.
- (A) to stop smoke
(B) stop to smoke
(C) to stop smoking
(D) to stop to smoking
20. I intend to stay in bed _____ 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.
- (A) for
(B) during
(C) while
(D) till

21. When will the conference _____ ?
(A) take part (C) take time
(B) take place (D) take off
22. Bad news _____ fast.
(A) travel (C) have travelled
(B) travels (D) are travelling
23. I wonder _____ to the party.
(A) will they come (C) if they will come
(B) they will come (D) that they will come
24. It wasn't easy for Polly _____ a decision.
(A) do (C) to do
(B) make (D) to make
25. Jack kissed his wife and said that he would return _____.
(A) as early as it would be possible (C) at the nearest early possibility
(B) at the earliest that it could be possible (D) as soon as possible

4. *Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:*

1. Об этой пьесе сейчас много говорят. Вы ее видели?

2. Тебе следует отдохнуть. — Я совершенно не устал.

3. Моя 12-летняя дочь очень мало читает. Я не могу заставить ее читать больше.

4. Он сказал, что у него много друзей по переписке во всем мире.

5. Что вы делали вчера в 8 часов? — Я смотрела телевизор.

6. Мистер Уайт хотел, чтобы его сын стал врачом.

7. На вашем месте я бы полетел туда самолетом.

8. Разве вы не знаете, что Брауны уже уехали из Москвы?

9. У нее прекрасные светлые волосы и голубые глаза.

10. Мне не нравятся его рассказы. — Мне тоже.

TEST 12

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

THE WINCHESTER MYSTERY

One night Mrs Joyce **Bowles** (drive) _____ her car from Winchester to Chilcomb with a friend of the family, Mr Ted Pratt.

Suddenly they (see) _____ an orange light in the sky. The car (start) _____ to shake and Mrs Bowles (can, not) _____ control it. Some unknown power (lift) _____ it, then (push) _____ to the left, then (stop) _____ the engine and (switch off) _____ the lights.

"It was then that we (see) _____ a cigar-shaped object about five yards long. There (be) _____ three figures inside," said Mrs Bowles. The three figures (be) _____ the crew of the UFO. Mrs Bowles said that she (be, never) _____ so frightened before.

At first, the alien crew (look) _____ like ordinary people. They (wear) _____ silver clothes. Then an alien (come out) _____ of the UFO. He (be) _____ quite tall and (seem) _____ to be about forty-five years old. He (have) _____ long fair hair and a short beard. He (put) _____ his arm **on** the roof of the car and (look) _____ at the two frightened people inside. He (**have**) _____ clear, white skin and pink eyes.

Mrs Bowles (be afraid) _____ that the alien (kill) _____ them, but he only (look) _____ at the car's instruments. Suddenly the lights (switch on) _____ and they (shine) _____ four times brighter than normal. Mrs Bowles (want, say) _____ "Thank you" but before she (open) _____ her mouth the UFO and its crew (disappear, already) _____ into the night.

crew — экипаж

UFO (unidentified flying object) — НЛО

alien — зд. инопланетянин

2. Задайте 5 вопросов к тексту "The Winchester Mystery":

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно *правильный*:

1. Television _____ by John Logie Baird.

- (A) invented (C) was being invented
(B) has invented (D) was invented

2. Yesterday he had _____ on.

- (A) a three-pieces suit (C) a three-piece suit
(B) three pieces of suit (D) three piece suit

3. The train isn't _____ the plane. They both cost the same.

- (A) as expensive as (C) as expensive like
(B) so expensive like (D) like expensive like

4. Have you been to the Kremlin? — Yes, I _____ there last week.

- (A) have been (C) was
(B) am (D) had been

5. I don't know where your key is, I haven't seen it _____.

- (A) any place (C) nowhere
(B) anywhere (D) somewhere

6. They arrived _____ New York late at night.

- (A) in (C) to
(B) at (D) into

7. At the interview they asked Alan _____

- (A) could he drive? (C) if he could drive.
(B) did he can drive? (D) if he can drive.

8. We had _____ a good time at the party.

- (A) so (C) very
(B) quite (D) too

9. Who _____ you to play tennis?

- (A) did teach (C) teach
(B) have taught (D) taught

10. Did you see the car _____ he bought a month ago?
(A) what (C) which
(B) whom (D) that's
11. What did you have _____ yesterday?
(A) for breakfast (C) for the breakfast
(B) for a breakfast (D) on breakfast
12. This is _____ dress I've ever seen.
(A) the expensivest (C) the most expensive
(B) the more expensive (D) most expensive
13. My brother said that he _____ the car the following day.
(A) won't need (C) wasn't needing
(B) doesn't need (D) wouldn't need
14. I wouldn't dare to advise _____ to the cinema with him.
(A) that you to go (C) you to go
(B) what you to go (D) you go
15. Do you mind _____ the window?
(A) if I open (C) me open
(B) me to open (D) that I open
16. I _____ this book all day, but I haven't finished it yet.
(A) read (C) am reading
(B) was reading (D) have been reading
17. Shall we go by train? — I'd rather _____.
(A) to fly (C) fly
(B) flew (D) will fly
18. How long _____ his house?
(A) has Mr Green had (C) did Mr Green have
(B) does Mr Green have (D) has **Mr** Green been having
19. The guide told us _____ the river water unboiled.
(A) to not drink (C) don't drink
(B) not to drink (D) to do not drink

20. Can I give you _____ ?
(A) an advice (C) a few advice
(B) some advices (D) a piece of advice
21. Winston Churchill was famous _____ his wonderful public speeches.
(A) for (C) about
(B) with (D) of
22. Is _____ Nile a beautiful river?
(A) — (C) a
(B) the (D) an
23. _____ before five, you'll catch the train.
(A) If you will leave (C) If you leave
(B) If you are leaving (D) If you had left
24. Another passenger came and asked _____.
(A) if the seat was taken (C) if was the seat taken
(B) was the seat taken (D) did the seat was taken
25. _____ when you got to the station?
(A) Did Mr Black already arrive (C) Has Mr Black already arrived
(B) Was Mr Black already arrived (D) Had Mr Black already arrived

4. *Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:*

1. Если вы придете в семь часов, вы сможете посмотреть интересную телепередачу.

2. Вы хотите **есть**? — Да, я еще не обедал.

3. Как только новые сведения будут получены, мы позвоним вам.

4. На этой улице будет много магазинов.

5. Куда все спешат? — На стадион.

6. У меня много пластинок. Ты можешь взять любую.

7. Я никогда не был в большом городе.

8. Мои родители не хотят, чтобы я стала актрисой.

9. Они собираются продать свой дом, потому что они переезжают в другой город.

10. Она переводит газетные статьи гораздо лучше вас.

TEST 13

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени:

MISS EVANS

One night in April 1912, a new ocean liner was crossing the Atlantic. It (set out) _____ two days before and (go) _____ to New York. It (be) _____ the largest and fastest ship in the world called *Titanic*.

The passengers (have) _____ a good time when the ship suddenly (hit) _____ an iceberg.

Everyone (tell) _____ to come out of their rooms. Unfortunately there (be, not) _____ enough lifeboats for all the passengers.

There (be, not) _____ very much time left. The iceberg (be) _____ on one side of the ship. It (look) _____ like a high, white wall.

A woman (come) _____ to the side of the ship. Her two children (be) _____ in one of the lifeboats, and she (be) _____ very much afraid.

"My children (be) _____ in the lifeboat. I (must, go) _____ with them!" the woman (call) _____ to the people in the lifeboat.

"There's no more room," someone (call out) _____. "If we (take) _____ one more, the lifeboat (sink) _____."

There (be) _____ a young woman in the lifeboat called Miss Evans. When she (hear) _____ the woman calling, she (stand up) _____ in the lifeboat and (touch) _____ one of the men on the arm.

"Let me (get back) _____ to the ship," she said. "This woman (must, be) _____ with her children."

"The ship (sink) _____. Very soon it (go down) _____ under the water," said the man.

"I (know) _____ it," said Miss Evans.

People (help) _____ her to get back on the ship. Very soon after that there (be) _____ a great noise, and the *Titanic* (go down) _____ under the water.

2. Задайте 5 вопросов к тексту "Miss Evans":

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно *правильный*:

1. The room _____ with beautiful yellow roses.
(A) decorated (C) has decorated
(B) was decorated (D) was decorating
2. At last Sally came in to tell him that dinner _____ ready.
(A) is (C) was
(B) has been (D) is being
3. Yes, I enjoyed the play very _____.
(A) much (C) a lot
(B) many (D) a great deal
4. He wondered _____ if he told her the truth.
(A) what will she say (C) what would she say
(B) what she would say (D) she would say what
5. He didn't answer _____ his question.
(A) on (C) at
(B) to (D) —
6. I've spoken to everyone except _____.
(A) he (C) him
(B) his (D) himself
7. Mr Adams is fond _____ speeches in public.
(A) to make (C) making
(B) make (D) of making
8. Everybody _____ fine weather.
(A) likes (C) is liking
(B) like (D) dislike
9. I _____ histories of the Early Roman Empire, so there was nothing very new to me in what he said.
(A) read (C) had read
(B) have read (D) had been read

10. How long _____ here? — Fifteen years.
(A) have you been (G) are you
(B) you had been (D) are you being
11. Do you know how long _____ to get to the centre?
(A) it takes (C) does take
(B) takes it (D) does it take
12. She said that her husband was a bank manager, _____?
(A) wasn't he (C) didn't he
(B) was he (D) didn't she
13. I _____ for this company since 1995.
(A) work (C) worked
(B) am working (D) have been working
14. What was your favourite subject _____?
(A) at school (C) in school
(B) at the school (D) in the school
15. Who _____ the flowers in that vase?
(A) did arrange (C) arrange
(B) arranged (D) was arranged
16. They haven't finished dinner _____.
(A) yet (C) still
(B) already (D) else
17. I've never heard _____ fantastic story!
(A) such (C) such a
(B) so (D) so a
18. I'll ring you up as soon as I _____ home.
(A) will come (C) would come
(B) come (D) came
19. I don't play hockey, but I like to watch others _____.
(A) to play (C) the play
(B) play (D) to playing

20. I have never seen this film. — _____.
- (A) I haven't too (C) Never did I
(B) So have I (D) Neither have I
21. Margaret's dress was made _____ blue silk.
- (A) with (C) off
(B) of (D) out from
22. Tom thinks that he will find a job _____.
- (A) easy (C) with easy
(B) easily (D) easiest
23. Will you help me to _____ the table, Mary?
- (A) lay (C) lain
(B) lie (D) laid
24. The last student _____ now.
- (A) examines (C) is being examined
(B) is examined (D) had been examined
25. A hot lemon drink with honey is very good _____ a cold.
- (A) to (C) with
(B) from (D) for

4. *Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:*

1. Родители хотят, чтобы их дети были добрыми и честными.

2. Джон не говорит ни по-немецки, ни по-французски.

3. Что ты собираешься делать сегодня вечером? — Я еще не решил.

4. Мне очень жаль, но я не могу принять ваше приглашение. У меня столько много **работы!**

5. У тебя есть родственники в Петербурге? — Да, там живет моя двоюродная сестра.

6. Где деньги? — Они на столе.

7. На каком языке она говорит? Я ничего не понимаю.

8. Ничто не могло заставить нас выйти на улицу в такую дождливую погоду.

9. Северн гораздо длиннее Темзы, не правда ли?

10. На твоём месте я бы не стал покупать этот костюм.

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

1. Can you imagine _____ in 2050?
(A) what life will be like (C) what will be life like
(B) what will be life (D) what life was like
2. The **I**nternet is _____ inventions in history.
(A) one of the most important (C) one most important
(B) one of most important (D) one of the **importantest**
3. Many of Agatha Christie's novels _____.
(A) made into films (C) have been made into films
(B) have made into films (D) into films were made
4. Let's go to the disco, _____?
(A) don't we (C) won't we
(B) let us (D) shall we?
5. Ann was standing at the bus stop waiting _____ a number 41 bus.
(A) for (C) at
(B) — (D) to
6. There aren't _____ easy ways of learning a foreign language.
(A) some (C) any
(B) no (D) the
7. He said that he _____ Spielberg's new film yet.
(A) hasn't seen (C) hadn't seen
(B) didn't see (D) wasn't seen
8. Mother told me _____ the door to anyone.
(A) not open (C) not open
(B) that I won't open (D) not to open
9. Doctors **h**elp _____ people.
(A) ill (C) dead
(B) sick (D) serious
10. I _____ this car for a year.
(A) have (C) am having
(B) have had (D) have been having

11. When _____ in London?
(A) have you arrived (C) you have arrived
(B) did you arrive (D) you arrived
12. I enjoyed _____ very much at Ann's party.
(A) myself (C) self
(B) oneself (D) me
13. I'm sorry I'm late. It's all my _____.
(A) fault (C) crime
(B) guilt (D) shortcoming
14. It's the restaurant _____ serves Chinese food.
(A) who (C) that
(B) what (D) is
15. Many Scottish people _____ use some Scottish words when they speak English.
(A) yet (C) still
(B) already (D) else
16. It's time _____.
(A) that we have a break (C) we will have break
(B) to have a break (D) having a break
17. I don't want _____ there alone.
(A) that you go (C) you go
(B) you going (D) you to go
18. Hamlet _____, "To be or not to be, that is the question."
(A) told (C) said
(B) talked (D) spoke
19. Our teacher _____ the text again.
(A) made us to read (C) made us reading
(B) make us read (D) made us read
20. I find it difficult to talk to Alan because we have so _____ in common.
(A) few (C) little
(B) small (D) less

TEST 15

1. Раскройте скобки, употребив глаголы в нужном времени.

GOOD LUCK, CARL!

Carl Osbourne lives in Glasgow. He (ought, be) _____ in *The Guinness Book of Records* because he (have) _____ a terrible time this year.

The trouble (start) _____ one fine morning at the beginning of January when Carl (find) _____ that his car (disappear) _____ from his garage. He (see, not) _____ - it since that **time!**

In February he (buy) _____ a new car, but he (have, not) _____ it for more than two weeks when he (crash) _____ into a lamp-post.

Three days ago Carl (sit) _____ on a seat that (paint) _____ only a few minutes before. He (wear) _____ a brand-new suit that he (buy) _____ only the previous week.

In the summer Carl (spend) _____ his holiday at the seaside. When he (arrive) _____ home, he (discover) _____ that his house (break into) _____. His television and video-recorder (disappear) _____.

Now poor Carl (know, not) _____ what he (do) _____ to deserve this bad luck. He just (hope) _____ that his luck (change) _____ soon.

2. Поставьте вопросы к следующим предложениям:

1. She doesn't like English food. (What?)

2. Something fell on the floor. (What?)

3. We used to live in a small village. (Where?)

4. He's been studying in London since November. (How long?)

5. I have already seen *Dracula*. (When?)

6. I'll have to borrow 10 pounds from Nick. (Who?)

7. There are a lot of words of French origin in English. (Why?)

8. I think he's at home now. (Where?)

9. The British national flag is called *UnionJack*. (What?)

10. The weather was nasty yesterday. (What?)

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно **правильный**:

A DOG ON THE KEYS

We were sitting in the tea-room and facing me ____1__ a piano. A dog and his master were sitting at the table ____2__.

Having finished his tea the dog went up to the piano and ____3___. And what a wonderful pianist he was. He started off with some Chopin, my favourite composer, and next he switched over to Wagner and then to some jazz music.

_____4_____ the audience _____5_____ into a storm of applause. I was _____6_____ that I didn't know whether I was drinking tea or coffee. I stood up, went up to the dog's master and _____7_____8_____ voice:

— My heartiest congratulations, sir! You've got a very talented dog here! It's the first time _____9_____10_____ performance!

The dog's master smiled _____11_____ me mysteriously and whispered:

“ I can let you into a little secret: _____12_____ the only three pieces he can play, but hush! Keep it dark!”

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| 1. _____ | (A) it was
(B) there has been | (C) there was
(D) there |
| 2. _____ | (A) near to mine
(B) next to mine | (C) next me
(D) next mine |
| 3. _____ | (A) begin to play
(B) began playing | (C) began play
(D) start play |
| 4. _____ | (A) When he had finished
(B) When he was finished | (C) When he has finished
(D) When he finishes |
| 5. _____ | (A) have burst out
(B) has burst out | (C) burst out
(D) was burst out |
| 6. _____ | (A) such an amazed
(B) amazed such | (C) such amazed
(D) so amazed |
| 7. _____ | (A) told
(B) said | (C) said him
(D) told to him |
| 8. _____ | (A) in a trembling
(B) with trembling | (C) at a trembling
(D) of a trembling |
| 9. _____ | (A) I saw
(B) I'm seeing | (C) I had seen
(D) I have seen |
| 10. _____ | (A) so
(B) such a | (C) such
(D) so a |
| 11. _____ | (A) to
(B) at | (C) on
(D) — |

12. _____ (A) it is (C) these are
(B) there are (D) they

4. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите один, который ближе всего по значению к данному примеру:

1. The book cost \$3.65, and he had only \$2.40.

- (A) He had more than enough money to pay for the book.
- (B) The book cost more than he had with him.
- (C) He had just enough money to pay for the book.
- (D) He needed two more dollars to pay for the book.

2. No one but Nick knew the answer to the question.

- (A) The question could not be answered by anyone.
- (B) Everyone knew how to answer the question.
- (C) Nick was the only one who couldn't answer the question.
- (D) Only Nick could answer the question.

3. Could you give me a hand with this exercise?

- (A) Please give me your hand.
- (B) Would you help me to do this exercise?
- (C) Please let me do this exercise myself.
- (D) Please do this exercise for me.

4. Helen exchanged the jeans for a different pair.

- (A) Helen returned the jeans and took a pair of shoes instead.
- (B) Helen took the jeans back to the shop and got some different ones.
- (C) The jeans didn't fit properly so Helen returned them .
- (D) Helen didn't like the jeans at home so she returned them.

5. My father broke his glasses so he couldn't read the newspaper.

- (A) My father was not able to read the newspaper because he had broken his glasses.
- (B) My father could have read the newspaper if he hadn't had to wash the glasses.
- (C) My father won't go to work tomorrow because he must go to the optometrist.
- (D) My father cut himself on some broken glass.

6. I found it very difficult to learn that poem by heart.
- (A) It was hard for me to learn the poem.
 - (B) I learned that difficult poem.
 - (C) I found the poem after a difficult search.
 - (D) It was hard for me to find a good poem to learn by heart.
7. I would rather listen to Mozart than rock music.
- (A) I like listening to all kinds of music.
 - (B) I prefer music to studying rocks.
 - (C) I prefer Mozart to rock music.
 - (D) I don't like Mozart as much as I like rock music.
8. Flats are very expensive and we can't afford to buy one.
- (A) The flats are too simple to cost so much.
 - (B) It is easy to pay for a nice flat.
 - (C) We don't have enough money for a new flat because of the high price.
 - (D) We can afford a new flat now, but not next year.
9. When the lesson began, there were a dozen students in the classroom, but by the end of the lesson the number doubled.
- (A) After the lesson had begun, some of the brazen students entered the classroom.
 - (B) There were three dozen students by the end of the lesson.
 - (C) There were 24 students in the classroom by the end of the lesson.
 - (D) The dozen people in the classroom were doubling as students.
10. Mary could hardly find her mother in the overcrowded shop.
- (A) Mary could easily find her mother in the overcrowded shop.
 - (B) Mary couldn't find her mother in the overcrowded shop.
 - (C) Because the shop was overcrowded, Mary and her mother couldn't enter it.
 - (D) Mary had some difficulty finding her mother.

TEST 16

1. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

A. RUSSIA'S FIRST SURGEON

_____ 1 _____ the story _____ 2 _____ Alexander **Kuprin** "The Wonderful Doctor"? Do you happen _____ 3 _____ it's about Nikolai Pirogov, a great researcher, excellent surgeon and clinician? He _____ 4 _____ an ordinary man.

At 18, he _____ 5 _____ _____ 6 _____ Moscow University; at 22 he _____ 7 _____ a Doctor of Science; at 26 he _____ 8 _____ a Professor at **Derpt** (now Tartu) University, _____ 9 _____ in Europe at that time; at 30 he _____ 10 _____ Russia's first surgery clinic.

To this day Pirogov's methods are _____ 11 _____ the basic methods in the study and _____ 12 _____ anatomy.

Nikolai Pirogov was _____ 13 _____ to proclaim disease prevention an extremely important task of medicine. He _____ 14 _____: "The future _____ 15 _____ _____ 16 _____ preventive medicine." Today _____ 17 _____ doubts it.

If you _____ 18 _____ in Pirogovskaya Street, stop and _____ 19 _____ the monument to this great man. He _____ 20 _____ a scientist of genius even in his lifetime.

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| 1. _____ | (A) Are you reading | (C) Do you read |
| | (B) Did you read | (D) Have you read |
| 2. _____ | (A) by | (C) from |
| | (B) about | (D) to |
| 3. _____ | (A) know | (C) to be known |
| | (B) knowing | (D) to know |
| 4. _____ | (A) isn't | (C) was no |
| | (B) wasn't | (D) hasn't been |
| 5. _____ | (A) graduate | (C) was graduated |
| | (B) graduated | (D) has graduated |
| 6. _____ | (A) — | (C) from |
| | (B) at | (D) for |

7. _____ (A) grew (C) began
(B) turned (D) became
8. _____ (A) was (C) been
(B) were (D) had been
9. _____ (A) one of largest (C) one of the largest
(B) one of larger (D) largest one
10. _____ (A) was head (C) was headed
(B) was the head (D) headed
11. _____ (A) among (C) beside
(B) between (D) below
12. _____ (A) teach (C) teaching
(B) teacher (D) teachers
13. _____ (A) first man in the world (C) a man of the world
(B) the first man in the world (D) world first man
14. _____ (A) wrote (C) was written
(B) was writing (D) **writed**
15. _____ (A) is belonging (C) will **be** belonged
(B) belong (D) belongs
16. _____ (A) to (C) among
(B) for (D) of
17. _____ (A) some (C) nobody
(B) **no** (D) **anybody**
18. _____ (A) happen being (C) happen be
(B) happen to be (D) be happen
19. _____ (A) see at (C) have a look
(B) look (D) look at
20. _____ (A) called (C) was calling
(B) was called (D) is called

B. A VISIT TO A CONCERT

A lady was late _____1_____ the concert. When she _____2_____ the concert _____3_____. She entered _____4_____ the hall and _____5_____ her seat. The orchestra _____6_____ some music. She had listened for a while before she _____7_____ her neighbour: "What _____8_____?" "_____9_____ symphony," he answered. "Oh, dear! I _____10_____ the first eight!" exclaimed the lady.

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| 1. _____ | (A) to
(B) for | (C) at
(D) in |
| 2. _____ | (A) come
(B) comes | (C) came
(D) had come |
| 3. _____ | (A) is already beginning
(B) is already begun | (C) had begun yet
(D) had already begun |
| 4. _____ | (A) in
(B) into | (C) to
(D) — |
| 5. _____ | (A) finded
(B) found | (C) founded
(D) was found |
| 6. _____ | (A) was playing
(B) was played | (C) had played
(D) has been playing |
| 7. _____ | (A) had asked
(B) asked | (C) would ask
(D) ask |
| 8. _____ | (A) do they play
(B) they are playing | (C) they have played
(D) are they playing |
| 9. _____ | (A) the nine
(B) ninth | (C) the ninth
(D) a ninth |
| 10. _____ | (A) have missed
(B) had missed | (C) was missed
(D) am missing |

2. *Поставьте вопросы к следующим предложениям:*

1. Penicillin was discovered by Alexander Fleming. (Who?)

2. He didn't see the end of the film. (Why?)

3. The weather was stormy yesterday. (What?)

4. A lot of hamburgers are eaten in the United States. (How many?)

5. I think he is still in the park. (Where?)

6. Ann has just come back from London. (When?)

7. He had to borrow some money. (Why?)

8. They have been quarrelling since morning. (How long?)

9. Stephen and Paul lead an adventurous life. (Who?)

10. I saw a very interesting film yesterday. (What kind?)

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите ошибочный:

1. You have been in London three **times**, haven't you?

- (A) (B) (C) (D)

2. My friends will meet me when I will arrive at the airport.

- (A) (B) (C) (D)

3. Columbus Day is celebrated on the twelve of **October** because on that day in

- (A) " (B) (C) (D)

1492, Christopher Columbus first landed in the Americas.

4. In ancient times and throughout the Middle Ages, **many** people believed that

- (A) (B)

the earth is motionless.

- (C) (D)

5. This documentary, which was first shown on BBC 2 last year, will be repeat on

- (A) (B) (C) (D)

BBC 1 next week.

6. The Amazon valley is extremely important to the ecology of the earth, because 40

- (A)

per cent of the world's oxygen produce there.

- (B) (C) (D)

7. The water in the Great Salt Lake is at less four times saltier than sea water.

- (A) (B) (C) (D)

8. My office is in the centre of Moscow, so I am **usually** going to work **by** car.

- (A) (B) (C) (D)

9. I'm **trying** to teach oneself to **play** the **guitar** but I'm not making much progress.

- (A) (B) (C) (D)

10. This town isn't **very** well-known and there isn't many to see, so few tourists come here.

- (A) (B) (C) (D)

TEST 17

1. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно *правильный*:

A. JACK JAMEISON

There was once a small boy _____1_____ Jack **Jameison**, who _____2_____ in the village of **Jamesville**, in the state of Georgia. Young Jameison _____3_____ by _____4_____ of the villagers to be _____5_____ foolish, but he was just _____6_____ clever as any boy of his _____7_____.

One day Jack went _____8_____ the village _____9_____ to buy some groceries: some jelly, oranges, jam, and finally, five cents worth of cheese. The owner, however, objected to _____10_____ so small a piece of cheese. He said that he just _____11_____ judge the size of a five-cent piece of cheese.

"Then _____12_____ ten cents worth," _____13_____ Jack Jameison.

The owner _____14_____ _____15_____ a ten-cent piece of cheese.

"_____16_____ satisfied now, _____17_____ young man?" he asked.

Jack Jameison _____18_____ five cents on the _____19_____ and said:

"Now just cut that piece _____20_____ half."

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| 1. _____ | (A) named | (C) whose name |
| | (B) by name | (D) was named |
| 2. _____ | (A) left | (C) inhabited |
| | (B) lived | (D) resident |
| 3. _____ | (A) judged | (C) was judged |
| | (B) had judged | (D) was judging |
| 4. _____ | (A) somebody | (C) any |
| | (B) some | (D) anyone |
| 5. _____ | (A) a little | (C) a few |
| | (B) little | (D) few |
| 6. _____ | (A) so | (C) as |
| | (B) such | (D) very |

7. _____ (A) old (C) years old
(B) age (D) ages
8. _____ (A) to (C) for
(B) in (D) through
9. _____ (A) post-office (C) store
(B) department (D) school
10. _____ (A) selling (C) sale
(B) sell (D) sales
11. _____ (A) cannot (C) couldn't
(B) could (D) couldn't to
12. _____ (A) to give me (C) give
(B) give to me (D) give me
13. _____ (A) told (C) talked
(B) spoke (D) said
14. _____ (A) than (C) there
(B) then (D) that
15. _____ (A) cut (C) had cut
(B) cutted (D) was cutting
16. _____ (A) Are you (C) Were you
(B) You are (D) Is you
17. _____ (A) the (C) an
(B) a (D) -
18. _____ (A) laid (C) lay
(B) lain (D) lied
19. _____ (A) customer (C) desk
(B) counter (D) floor
20. _____ (A) at (C) in
(B) for (D) on

B. A TALKATIVE LADY

_____1_____ the passengers of the ship _____2_____ a very talkative lady who asked the captain _____3_____ questions. The captain was tired _____4_____ the lady, but he was a _____5_____ man and _____6_____ answer all her questions.

One afternoon she asked: "Captain, what will happen if our ship _____7_____ an iceberg in the ocean?"

The captain _____8_____ and answered: "Nothing special, madam. The iceberg _____9_____ as if _____10_____ had happened."

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| 1. _____ | (A) Between
(B) Among | (C) In front of
(D) Beyond |
| 2. _____ | (A) it was
(B) she was | (C) there was
(D) there it was |
| 3. _____ | (A) lots
(B) lots of | (C) a lot
(D) a great number |
| 4. _____ | (A) with
(B) _____ from | (C) of
(D) because of |
| 5. _____ | (A) well-bred
(B) ill-bred | (C) absent-minded
(D) left-handed |
| 6. _____ | (A) must
(B) had to | (C) could
(D) should |
| 7. _____ | (A) meets
(B) will meet | (C) would meet
(D) had met |
| 8. _____ | (A) smiles
(B) smiled | (C) was smiling
(D) had smiled |
| 9. _____ | (A) goes
(B) went | (C) was going
(D) will go |
| 10. _____ | (A) some
(B) something | (C) anything
(D) nothing |

2. *Поставьте вопросы к следующим предложениям:*

1. This house belongs to the Emersons. (Who?)
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2. Our company has just moved into a new office. (When?)

3. We used to go to the theatre on Friday nights. (Where?)

4. Marion is from Spain. (Where?)

5. Linda has been watching TV since morning. (How long?)

6. Dick won't be able to join us tomorrow. (Why?)

7. They usually work till 6 o'clock. (Who?)

8. Paul has got three cars. (How many?)

9. She speaks English very well. (How?)

10. The article will be translated tomorrow. (When?)

3. Из четырех вариантов выберите единственно правильный (наиболее точно отражающий смысл подчеркнутого слова):

1. It is known that Ivan the Terrible was very cruel.

(A) impatient

(B) serious

(C) brutal

(D) reliable

2. The biography is a very popular form of prose.
(A) science fiction (C) historical work
(B) poetry (D) writing
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3. I like Mark Twain's humorous stories.
(A) funny (C) artistic
(B) intelligent (D) interesting
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4. This railway line connects Moscow and St Petersburg.
(A) separates (C) links
(B) divides (D) serves
-
5. Most students hate exams.
(A) fear (C) fail
(B) strongly dislike (D) find pleasant
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6. I think he is an imitator, not a creator.
(A) a copier (C) a burglar
(B) an originator (D) a writer
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7. In Britain the Queen is the formal head of state, but it is the prime minister and the cabinet who govern.
(A) rule (C) advise
(B) choose (D) watch
-
8. Sharks must swim all the time to avoid sinking.
(A) swiftly (C) accurately
(B) often (D) constantly
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9. The number of unemployed people in our country is increasing.
(A) working (C) jobless
(B) well-to do (D) educated
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10. It is a school for gifted children.
(A) talented (C) blind
(B) ordinary (D) handicapped
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TEST 18

7. Прочтите текст "A Story About Forks" и выберите единственно правильный ответ.

A STORY ABOUT FORKS

In 1608 an Englishman whose name was Thomas **Coryate** visited Italy. He liked the country and noted down every interesting thing he found. But there was one thing which he found more interesting than the others. In his diary Thomas wrote, "When the Italians eat meat, they use small forks. They do not eat with hands because, as they say, people do not always have clean **hands**."

Before leaving for England, Thomas Coryate bought a few forks.

At home Thomas gave a dinner party to show the invention to his friends. When the servants brought the steak, he took out a fork and began to eat like they did in Italy.

Everybody looked at him in surprise. When he told his friends what it was, they all wanted to take a good look at the strange thing. All his friends said that the Italians were very strange people because the fork was very inconvenient.

Thomas Coryate tried to prove the opposite. He said it was not nice to eat meat with **one's** fingers because they were not always clean.

Everybody got angry at that. Did Mr Coryate think that people in England always had dirty hands? And weren't the ten fingers we had enough for us?

Thomas Coryate wanted to show that it was very easy to use the fork. But the first piece of meat he took with the fork fell to the floor. His friends began to laugh and he had to take the fork away.

Only fifty years later did people in England begin to use forks.

Вопросы к тексту:

1. Why did Thomas Coryate bring forks to England?

- (A) He wanted to make his friends surprised.
- (B) He believed **it** was not nice to eat meat with fingers.
- (C) Forks were beautiful.
- (D) He wanted to make business selling forks.

2. Why did everybody look at Thomas when he began to eat like the Italians?

- (A) They believed that was bad manners.
- (B) Nobody ate meat with hands in England.
- (C) Everybody thought it was an amazing invention.
- (D) Nobody had seen a fork before.

3. Coryate's friends ...

- (A) began to eat meat with forks at once.
- (B) became ashamed of eating meat with their hands.
- (C) didn't like the forks.
- (D) didn't pay any attention to the forks.

4. Why did the first piece of meat fall to the floor when Thomas took it with the fork?

- (A) The fork was very inconvenient to use.
- (B) The fork was bad.
- (C) Thomas was not used to eating with a fork.
- (D) The steak was too tough.

5. When did people in England begin to use forks?

- (A) In 1658.
- (B) In 1568.
- (C) In 1856.
- (D) In 1685.

2. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

1. You are so intelligent! How many languages _____?

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| (A) are you speaking | (C) do you speak |
| (B) you speak | (D) speak you |

2. During his second voyage to America Christopher Columbus _____ some islands of the West Indies.

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| (A) found out | (C) invented |
| (B) founded | (D) discovered |

3. You'll find your way to the village without difficulty _____.

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| (A) if you will have a map | (C) if you have a map |
| (B) if you had a map | (D) if you're having a map |

4. Nobody likes talking to Bill because he is fond of giving_____.
- (A) a useless advice (C) useless advice
(B) useless advices (D) some useless advices
5. _ Hemingway lived mostly in Cuba where he **wrote** *The Old Man and the Sea*.
- (A) In his later years (C) In his lasted years
(B) In his latter years (D) In his lasting years
6. Andrew promised to be here at six **o'clock** yesterday. Do you know what time _____?
- (A) did he come (C) he came
(B) does he come (D) he did come
7. I was very busy last week. I **couldn't** even find the time to watch the news on TV. — _____
- (A) Nor I could. (C) So could I.
(B) Neither could I. (D) I neither.
8. Unfortunately **I've** never seen Mary __. They say she took the first place at the competition last year.
- (A) to dance (C) dances
(B) dance (D) is dancing
9. They want their _ to become a doctor. They don't even think that she can be against it.
- (A) fifteen years old girl (C) fifteen-year-old girl
(B) fifteen-years girl (D) a fifteen-year-aged girl
10. Our literature teacher _ . a lot of poems by heart.
- (A) makes us to learn (C) makes us learning
(B) makes that we learn (D) makes us learn
11. It **doesn't** take me long to get to work because I live _ the office.
- (A) near (C) near to
(B) nearly (D) close
12. In Washington no building may be more than 40 metres tall _ the city's many monuments from view.
- (A) so as to hide not (C) for not hiding
(B) so not to hide (D) in order not to hide

13. According to the manager's order you _____ wear jeans in the office.
(A) needn't (C) may not
(B) mustn't (D) **don't** have to
14. A friend of mine would never let her children _____ a pet in the flat.
(A) keeping (C) keep
(B) to keep (D) kept
15. My sister phoned yesterday and she told me that she _____ a house.
(A) has bought (C) had bought
(B) bought (D) will buy
16. Which of you _____ how to spell this word?
(A) knows (C) does know
(B) know (D) do know
17. I **don't** know _____ about it.
(A) something (C) nothing
(B) anything (D) none
18. My sister used to spend hours talking to somebody _____ the phone.
(A) through (C) with
(B) on (D) at
19. The first modern Olympic Games took place in Greece in 1896, _____?
(A) did they (C) isn't it
(B) didn't it (D) didn't they
20. We travel everywhere _____ train because my wife is afraid of flying by air.
(A) by (C) by the
(B) on (D) in the
21. Mary was supposed to write an essay yesterday but she **hasn't** done it _____.
(A) since (C) still
(B) already (D) yet
22. I wanted to discuss a very important problem with John but he couldn't talk to me because he _____.
(A) didn't have a lot time (C) didn't have much time
(B) had few time (D) had a little time

23. When Albert Einstein went to school, _____ thought much of his mental abilities.
- (A) nor his parents nor his teachers
(B) neither his parents nor his teachers
(C) neither his parents and his teachers
(D) neither his parents or his teachers
24. He is very experienced because he has been working here _____ six years.
- (A) since (C) during
(B) for (D) by
25. _____, London is one of the oldest and most interesting cities in the world.
- (A) In my opinion (C) For my mind
(B) In my mind (D) By my opinion

3. *Переведите следующие предложения на английский язык:*

1. Здоровье и счастье важнее денег.

2. Я жду вас с девяти часов утра. Почему вы всегда опаздываете?

3. Я не люблю чай с сахаром. — А я люблю.

4. Я только что прочитал очень смешную книгу. Я могу дать ее вам, если хотите.

5. Он даже не открывает учебник. Интересно, сдаст ли он экзамен?

6. Разве вы не знаете, что вода закипает при 100°C?

7. Когда будет опубликована эта статья?

8. Когда я вернулся домой, мои родители уже спали.

9. Это был самый дешевый отель, который мы могли найти.

10. На вашем месте я бы пользовался словарем гораздо чаще.

TEST 19

/. Прочтите текст "Health Tips For Travellers" и выберите единственно правильный ответ.

HEALTH TIPS FOR TRAVELLERS

Travel is fun. Travel is exciting. But it's not fun **or** exciting if you get ill. You may think, "Not me. I won't fall ill on my holiday!" But, **for** many people, that is what happens.

Of course you do not want to spend **your** holiday ill in bed. If you have heart trouble, you don't want to make it worse. So what can you do to stay in good health? There are three things you should remember when you travel: relax, sleep and eat well.

A holiday is supposed to be a time for relaxing. But to our regret very often it is not. Think about what you do when you are a tourist. There are so many places to visit: museums, shops, parks and churches. You may spend most days walking around these places. This can be very tiring. Your feet may hurt. You've got a terrible headache after a few hours. If this is the way you feel, you should take a rest. Do not ask your body to do too much. A tired body means a weak body. And a weak body gets ill easily. So sit down for a few hours in a nice spot. In good weather, look for a quiet park bench. **Or you** can stop at a cafe. You can learn a lot by watching people while you rest.

You should not forget about sleep. If you want to stay healthy you need to **get** a good night's rest. You may have trouble sleeping at night when you travel. Your hotel room may be noisy or the bed may be **uncomfortable**. If this is true, don't hesitate to change rooms or hotels. Or, you may not get enough sleep for another reason. In many cities the nightlife can be very exciting. You may want to stay out late at night. In this case you should plan to sleep for an hour during the day. That extra hour can make a big difference.

Finally, if you want to stay in good shape, you must eat well. That means eating the right kinds of food. Your body needs fresh fruit and vegetables, and some meat, milk or cheese. No doubt when you are in a new country, you will wish to try new food. But you need to be careful about how much you eat. Try to avoid eating lots of rich food.

So, remember this: if you want to **enjoy** your holiday, take good care of yourself. Give your body some rest. Get enough sleep and eat good, healthy food.

Вопросы к тексту:

1. This **passage** is about

- (A) what to eat when you travel.
 - (B) relaxing when you travel.
 - (C) how exciting travel is.
 - (D) how to stay healthy when you travel.
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2. A holiday is not fun if

- (A) you are reluctant to go.
 - (B) you are suddenly taken ill.
 - (C) you spend most days doing the sights.
 - (D) have trouble sleeping at night.
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3. Sightseeing is

- (A) the best way to relax.
 - (B) never any fun.
 - (C) very tiring.
 - (D) unhealthy.
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4. It's a good idea

- (A) to spend holidays in other countries.
 - (B) to get some rest every day.
 - (C) not to take very long holidays.
 - (D) to keep your first-aid kit handy when you are on holiday.
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5. You can fall ill more easily if

- (A) you are tired.
 - (B) you stay out late at night.
 - (C) you are sleepy.
 - (D) you sleep an extra hour during the day.
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6. Your body needs sleep

- (A) to enjoy the nightlife.
 - (B) to keep fit.
 - (C) not to spoil your appetite.
 - (D) to be strong enough to go sightseeing.
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7. When you travel you should eat

- (A) something different.
- (B) more frequently.
- (C) fresh fruit and vegetables.
- (D) lots of rich food.

8. For good health you need

- (A) to travel much.
- (B) to lead an active life.
- (C) to get enough sleep.
- (D) to eat a lot of rich food.

2. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

A. WILLIAM THACKERAY

William Thackeray was born in 1811 in Calcutta. _____1_____ his parents sent him to England where he _____2_____ his early training at the famous Charter House School. Then he went to Cambridge, but _____3_____ to take his degree. He _____4_____ an artist.

As he had some _____5_____ he went to the Continent **and** spent some time travelling.

When he _____6_____ to England he was compelled to turn his attention to literature as _____7_____. He wrote many humorous tales and sketches and some other works of satirical character. He was also a clever writer of magazine articles.

Soon _____8_____, *Vanity Fair*, began to appear in a monthly magazine. Then came another novel, and in 1851 he became a public lecturer. For his lectures he chose *The English Humorists of the Eighteenth Century*. These lectures were very popular in London. _____9_____ Thackeray _____10_____ these lectures in Scotland and America.

Thackeray wrote some other novels and became very popular and famous _____11_____. This distinguished novelist died suddenly _____12_____ 1863.

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| 1. _____ | (A) At seven | (C) When he had seven years |
| | (B) At the age of seven | (D) When he was seven years |
| 2. _____ | (A) receives | (C) had received |
| | (B) received | (D) was receiving |

3. _____ (A) did not wait to take (C) did not wait taking
(B) expected no taking (D) hadn't expected to take
4. _____ (A) made up one's mind to become (C) made up his mind becoming
(B) made up his mind to become (D) made up mind to become
5. _____ (A) destiny (C) fortune
(B) fate (D) rich
6. _____ (A) returned (C) had returned
(B) was returned (D) was returning
7. _____ (A) means of support (C) a means of a support
(B) a mean of support (D) a means of support
8. _____ (A) the first he's novel (C) his the first novel
(B) his first novel (D) the first of his novel
9. _____ (A) After (C) After that time
(B) After then (D) Afterwards
10. _____ (A) listened to (C) delivered
(B) explained (D) put down
11. _____ (A) at the world (C) throughout the world
(B) through world (D) in world
12. _____ (A) at the end of (C) on the end of
(B) in the end of (D) end of

B. THE FOX AND THE GOAT

One hot summer day a fox was very thirsty. He was _____ 1 _____ some water to drink. At last he ran up to an old well. The water was out of his reach. When he was trying to get the water he _____ 2 _____ into the well. The water was not deep, and he began to drink at once. When he had drunk enough, he tried to get _____ 3 _____. But the sides of the well were high, and he _____ 4 _____ not _____ 5 _____ the top.

After the fox _____ 6 _____ there for a long time he heard a noise. That was a goat who came to the well. The goat saw the fox and asked, "What _____ 7 _____

down there?" "Oh, I ____ 8 ____ the water. It's ____ 9 ____ fresh. Come down here." The goat was ____ 10 ____ to listen to the fox, and jumped down. After the goat had got into the well, the fox climbed up the goat's back and got out of the well. Then he turned round and went away.

1. _____ (A) looking after (C) looking at
(B) looking for (D) looking into
2. _____ (A) fell (C) failed
(B) had fallen (D) was **falling**
3. _____ (A) from (C) **off**
(B) out of (D) out
4. _____ (A) might (C) should
(B) could (D) ought
5. _____ (A) **get** (C) reach
(B) approach to (D) come up
6. _____ (A) was being (C) **is**
(B) has been (D) had been
7. _____ (A) you are doing (C) did you do
(B) do you do (D) are you doing
8. _____ (A) drink (C) am drinking
(B) **drank** (D) am drunk
9. _____ (A) so (C) such
(B) **enough** (D) much
10. _____ (A) silly enough (C) silly very much
(B) enough silly (D) so silly

3. Выполните письменно следующее задание:

Write a short paragraph (10-12 sentences) about your favourite singer or pop group.

down from the top of the page. The first line is the title of the page, "102". The second line is the page number, "TEST 19". The rest of the page is a series of horizontal lines, which are the main body of the test. The lines are evenly spaced and extend across the width of the page. There is no text or other content on the page.

TEST 20

1. Прочтите текст "Acid Rains" и выберите единственно правильный ответ.

ACID RAINS

Every year **more** and more plants and animals disappear never to be seen again. Strangely, it is the most intelligent but most thoughtless animal that is causing most of the problems — man. Nature is very carefully balanced and if this balance is disturbed, animals can disappear alarmingly fast. Every day, thousands of species of animals draw closer to extinction. There are countless number of species which may become extinct before they are even discovered.

In many lakes the fish are dying. Fishermen are worried because every year there are fewer fish and some lakes have **no** fish at all. Scientists **are** beginning to get worried too. What is killing the fish?

The problem is acid rain. Acid rain is a kind of air pollution. It is caused by factories that burn coal or oil or gas. These factories send smoke high into the air. The wind often carries the smoke far from the factories. Some of the harmful substances in the smoke may come down with the rain hundreds of miles away.

The rain in many places isn't natural and clean any more. It's full of acid chemicals. When it falls in lakes, it changes them too. The lakes become more acidic. Acid water is like vinegar or lemon juice. It hurts when it gets in your eyes. It also kills the plants and animals that usually live in lake water. That is why the fish are dying in lakes.

But dead **fish** may be just the beginning of the problem. Scientists are finding other effects of acid rain. In some large areas trees are dying. Not just one tree here and there, but **whole** forests. At first scientists couldn't understand why. There were no bugs or diseases in these trees. The weather was not dry. But now they think that the rain was the cause. Acid rain is **making** the earth more acidic in these areas. Some kinds of trees cannot live in the soil that is very acidic.

Now scientists are also beginning to study the effects of acid rain on larger animals. For example, they believe that some deer in Poland are less healthy because of acid rain. If deer are hurt by the rain, what about people? This is the question many people are beginning to ask. No one knows the answer yet. But it is an important question for us all.

Вопросы к тексту:

1. This passage is about
 - (A) fishing.
 - (B) acid rain.
 - (C) air pollution.
 - (D) destructive human activity.

2. Every year thousands of species of animals
 - (A) are hunted for their meat and skins.
 - (B) migrate to other places.
 - (C) starve to death.
 - (D) **die** out.

3. Acid rain is caused by
 - (A) natural gas.
 - (B) the ozone layer depletion.
 - (C) acidic lake water.
 - (D) emissions of industrial enterprises.

4. Which of the following is true?
 - (A) Dead fish in lakes is the only problem caused by acid rains.
 - (B) Scientists are sure that acid rains are not harmful for mankind.
 - (C) If we don't make an attempt to stop acid rains we may never see some animals again.
 - (D) There's no reason to worry about several trees that died of some unknown disease.

5. What was not mentioned in the text?
 - (A) Acid rain is capable of dissolving some rocks and stones.
 - (B) Fish are unable to live in the water containing acidic chemicals.
 - (C) Coal, oil or gas form dangerous combinations after being burnt.
 - (D) Scientists reckon that if some larger animals can be affected by acid rains, people may be in great danger.

6. Factory smoke

- (A) stays **over** the factories.
 - (B) is usually clean now.
 - (C) **turns** into air.
 - (D) can travel hundreds of miles.
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7. Scientists think acid rain

- (A) is killing people.
 - (B) helps kill bugs.
 - (C) fertilizes the soil.
 - (D) is killing trees.
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8. The word bug in this context means

- (A) an **infectious** disease.
 - (B) a small insect.
 - (C) a dangerous bird.
 - (D) a small animal.
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2. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

A. I'LL TEACH HIM A LESSON

It happened on a crowded bus ____1____ the rush **hour**. A boy of about twelve sat by the window, watching the changing scenery and pretending ____2____ the old men and women standing **near** him.

A distinguished-looking gentleman ____3____ the boy: — If I ____4____ you 5 pounds will you stand up and ____5____ your seat?

— Sure! — answered the boy, smiling.

The man took ____6____ out of his pocket and handed it to the boy. The boy took the money and stood up at once.

— The seat is ____7____! — said the man to an elderly lady standing ____8____ to him.

She blushed and answered:

— Thank you very much, but I can't possibly take the seat for which you have paid ____9____!

— _____10_____ about that, Madam. You see, I'm an old teacher. I have given the boy some money to teach him a lesson. _____11_____ is too expensive!

The lady sat down and asked the boy:

— I say, Bob, have you thanked the gentleman _____12_____ the 5 pounds he gave you?

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| 1. _____ | (A) at
(B) on | (C) in
(D) for |
| 2. _____ | (A) seeing not
(B) not see | (C) not seeing
(D) not to see |
| 3. _____ | (A) told to
(B) said | (C) talked to
(D) said to |
| 4. _____ | (A) will give
(B) give | (C) gave
(D) had given |
| 5. _____ | (A) let me to have
(B) let me have | (C) let me
(D) let to have me |
| 6. _____ | (A) five pounds note
(B) a five-pounds note | (C) five-pound note
(D) a five-pound note |
| 7. _____ | (A) your
(B) of you | (C) your's
(D) yours |
| 8. _____ | (A) near
(B) next | (C) by
(D) around |
| 9. _____ | (A) so much
(B) so many | (C) too many
(D) a lot of |
| 10. _____ | (A) Not to worry
(B) Don't worry | (C) Not worry
(D) No worry |
| 11. _____ | (A) Some
(B) Nothing | (C) Any
(D) Anything |
| 12. _____ | (A) of
(B) with | (C) for
(D) because |

B. QUICK WORK

Last Wednesday Tom Smith received a letter from the local police. In the letter he _____1_____ to call at the police station. Tom wondered why _____2_____ by the police. Still he went to the police station.

At the station a smiling policeman _____3_____ that his bicycle _____4_____. The policeman said that the bicycle _____5_____ in a small village four hundred miles away, The bicycle had been sent to his home _____6_____. Tom was surprised when _____7_____ the news. He never expected _____8_____. It was stolen _____9_____ when Tom was _____10_____.

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| 1. _____ | (A) asked | (C) was asked |
| | (B) has been asked | (D) asks |
| 2. _____ | (A) was he wanted | (C) he was wanted |
| | (B) had he been wanted | (D) he wanted |
| 3. _____ | (A) said him | (C) told to him |
| | (B) told | (D) told him |
| 4. _____ | (A) had been found | (C) was founded |
| | (B) was found | (D) has been found |
| 5. _____ | (A) was being picked up | (C) has been picked up |
| | (B) had been picked up | (D) picked up |
| 6. _____ | (A) on train | (C) in train |
| | (B) by train | (D) with train |
| 7. _____ | (A) he had heard the news | (C) he had listened to the news |
| | (B) he listened the news | (D) he heard the news |
| 8. _____ | (A) the bicycle found | (C) the bicycle to be found |
| | (B) the bicycle is found | (D) that the bicycle will be found |
| 9. _____ | (A) twenty years ago | (C) in twenty years |
| | (B) twenty years later | (D) after twenty years |
| 10. _____ | (A) a fifteen boy | (C) a boy of fifteen |
| | (B) a boy of fifteen years | (D) a fifteen-years-old boy |

TEST 21

1. Прочтите текст "What Happened to the Dinosaurs" и выберите единственно правильный ответ.

WHAT HAPPENED TO THE DINOSAURS?

Science may never answer the most puzzling question. What killed these mighty creatures?

One of the most popular theories about the death of the dinosaurs is that the world just grew too cold for them. Indeed, for large, cold-blooded creatures, even a few nights of cold could spell death.

Not everyone agrees that a change in weather would have been enough to kill the dinosaurs.

The latest development in the debate amongst scientists about what killed the prehistoric dinosaurs is the suggestion that acid rain was the cause. Some geologists suggest that a large meteor hitting the earth at 65 kilometres per second would have led to strongly acidic rain falling all over the world. These geologists calculated that if an ice-rich meteor weighing 12.5 million billion kilograms, hit the Earth, it would shock-heat the atmosphere enough to produce huge amounts of nitrogen oxides. This would result, they say, in strongly acid rain around the world. If the meteor were travelling more slowly, or if it were more rock-like in structure, this strongly acid rain would be limited to a small area so that the world effect would be much less important. However, other groups of researchers have suggested that volcanoes, rather than meteors, could have produced these heavy doses of acid rain, but over a much longer period — over 10,000 years.

The idea of a great asteroid or comet crash is fascinating. But it would mean the dinosaurs would all have been killed within a very short time — perhaps over a few months or years. What if the dinosaurs did not die out so quickly? Many scientists think that the dinosaurs had started to die off millions of years before the end of the Cretaceous Period. And even more amazing, fossils have been found in the United States and southern China that might show dinosaurs lived long after they were supposed to have disappeared!

Could the death of the dinosaurs have been caused by their moving into new areas? Illness and disease can be carried by travelling animals. Is it possible that dinosaurs and other creatures died of terrible diseases caught from other animals?

If this was what ended the dinosaurs, does this mean there was no asteroid or comet crash? Some scientists think the dinosaurs might have been affected by such

an object **from** outer space, but only when they were already in trouble. Ill and dying the dinosaurs might have looked up to see a fiery ball falling from the sky. If so, it might just have sealed the dinosaurs' fate.

Вопросы к тексту:

1. Which of the following sentences best describes the main idea contained in the passage?
 - (A) Scientists know for sure that a sudden and unexpected event killed all the dinosaurs on the earth.
 - (B) There are several theories about the dinosaurs' death, but none of them can explain why they disappeared so suddenly from the earth's surface.
 - (C) Some of the theories about the dinosaurs' death **are** more fascinating than others, but none is certain.
 - (D) The dinosaurs' death can be explained if we combine two theories together.

2. What do some geologists think would happen if a large piece of ice-rich meteor hit the earth at great speed?
 - (A) A huge volcano would be formed.
 - (B) 12.5 million billion kg of nitrogen oxide would be produced.
 - (C) Strongly acidic rain would result all over the world.
 - (D) The heat would kill all living things in the area.

3. The geologists think that if a rocky meteor hit the earth it would
 - (A) have little effect on things living nearby.
 - (B) have very long-lasting effect.
 - (C) take a long time to have any effect.
 - (D) not have any important world-wide effects.

4. Which of the following is true?
 - (A) Volcanoes couldn't produce heavy doses of acid rain for a long time.
 - (B) The idea of a meteor would mean that the dinosaurs were killed within a few months or years.
 - (C) The dinosaurs had started to die off millions of years before the end of the Jurassic Period.
 - (D) The dinosaurs were cold-blooded that's why they liked cold weather.

5. The speed of the meteor that might have hit the earth was about

- (A) 12.5 million kilometres per second.
- (B) 85 kilometres per second.
- (C) 65 hundred kilometres per second.
- (D) 65 kilometres per second.

6. Which of the following was not mentioned in the text?

- (A) A large meteor could produce a strong acid rain.
- (B) A volcano could produce a strong acid rain.
- (C) Fossils have been found in southern Korea and some states.
- (D) A comet might have hit the earth when the dinosaurs were in trouble.

3. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

A. WHO STOLE WHAT?

One evening I _____ 1 _____ home _____ 2 _____ a quiet dark street in a suburb of London. _____ 3 _____ man stopped me and asked for a lift. I agreed and he got _____ 4 _____ the car beside me.

_____ 5 _____ I drove I suddenly remembered _____ 6 _____ headlines I _____ 7 _____ in the popular newspapers, describing the activities of thieves and murderers. I _____ 8 _____ suspicious of the man sitting _____ 9 _____.

I _____ 10 _____ in my pocket for my gold watch, and, sure enough, the watch _____ 11 _____! So the newspapers were right after all!

Luckily, I _____ 12 _____ a pistol in the car. It was not loaded, but that did not matter. Stopping the car I quickly _____ 13 _____ the pistol. Pushing the pistol into the man's ribs I _____ 14 _____ give _____ 15 _____.

It was _____ 16 _____ to see the man's reaction. He was a very strange robber! All trembling and shaking, he handed me the watch. "Now, get out, quick!" I ordered. He rushed _____ 17 _____ car and ran like a rabbit.

Proud of my presence of mind I drove home. _____ 18 _____ later I was undressing to go to bed and suddenly I _____ 19 _____ my dressing table. What do you think I _____ 20 _____ there? My watch which I _____ 21 _____ to put on!

1. _____ (A) **drived**
(B) was driving

- (C) had driven
(D) had been driving

2. _____ (A) along
(B) over

- (C) at
(D) to

3. _____ (A) — (C) The
(B) A (D) Some of
4. _____ (A) of (C) to
(B) on (D) into
5. _____ (A) Since (C) As
(B) For (D) As soon as
6. _____ (A) all (C) all the
(B) any (D) —
7. _____ (A) have recently seen (C) have recently been seen
(B) recently saw (D) had recently seen
8. _____ (A) began feel (C) has begun to feel
(B) began to feel (D) had begun to feel
9. _____ (A) next to me (C) next me
(B) at me (D) near to me
10. _____ (A) was feeling (C) had felt
(B) fell (D) felt
11. _____ (A) disappeared (C) was disappeared
(B) had disappeared (D) has disappeared
12. _____ (A) had (C) had had
(B) have had (D) have got
13. _____ (A) have taken out (C) was taken out
(B) was taken out (D) took out
14. _____ (A) ordered his to (C) ordered him
(B) ordered him to (D) ordered to him to
15. _____ (A) the watch me (C) me the watch
(B) to me the watch (D) the watch
16. _____ (A) amused (C) amusingly
(B) amusing (D) **amusable**
17. _____ (A) out of (C) out
(B) of (D) off

18. _____ (A) Sometimes (C) **Sometime**
 (B) Some times (D) Some time
19. _____ (A) looked for (C) looked after
 (B) looked at (D) looked into
20. _____ (A) saw (C) had seen
 (B) was seeing (D) was seen
21. _____ (A) forgot (C) had forgotten
 (B) have forgotten (D) was forgetting

B. PSYCHOLOGY IS THE SCIENCE OF THE FUTURE

One day Mr and Mrs Wilson took Frank, their _____ 1 _____, to a toy shop. It was a good shop with _____ 2 _____ best toys. They bought some good toys and were _____ 3 _____ the shop, when Frank saw a wooden rocking-horse. He got on it and refused to leave the shop.

"_____ 4 _____", said a shop assistant to the parents. "We have a psychologist here. He will _____ 5 _____ you at once."

And indeed, a distinguished-looking man came out. He smiled politely, came up to the horse and whispered _____ 6 _____ words into the boy's ear.

Immediately the boy got down, took his mother's hand and went out.

"_____ 7 _____ much of psychology until now", said Mr Wilson. "Now I **think** it's the science of the future! What did the gentleman tell you, Frank?"

"If you _____ 8 _____ that horse, I'll cut your throat with a razor."

1. _____ (A) five-years-old son (C) five-year-old son
 (B) five-year-age son (D) five-year son
2. _____ (A) much (C) little
 (B) a lot of (D) many of
3. _____ (A) nearly to leave (C) nearly leave
 (B) about to leave (D) about leaving
4. _____ (A) No worry (C) Not worry
 (B) Not to worry (D) Don't worry
5. _____ (A) make the child obey (C) make the child to obey
 (B) do the child to obey (D) make the child obeying

TEST 22

1. Прочтите текст "Future King Joins Trade Union" и выберите единственно правильный ответ.

FUTURE KING JOINS TRADE UNION

It has recently been reported that Prince Charles, Prince of Wales and heir to the throne of the United Kingdom, has joined a trade union. He has become a member of the trade union for writers, the Society of Authors. Prince Charles, born in 1948, is the author of two books: *The Old Man of Lochnagar* and *A Vision of Britain*. The first book is a children's story in which a mysterious old man haunts the mountain of Lochnagar in Scotland. The second book has caused a lot of discussion. The matter is **the** Prince of Wales is an advocate of more traditional architecture and would like to witness a return to the principles of classical architecture. It's only natural that the architectural establishment has been angered with his views.

Isn't it strange that a millionaire of royal blood chose to join the trade union? Of course, he can expect some legal services as a member of the Society of Authors. His Union could help him to check the contracts with publishers in order to make sure that he is treated fairly. He might use the Society's photocopying equipment a little cheaper. If he fell on hard times, he could get financial help from the trade union.

Mark **le** Fanu, General Secretary of the Society of Authors, **which** was founded in 1884 but became an official trade union only in 1978, is happy to welcome the Prince to the membership of the Union. He thinks it's unlikely that the Prince will ever need the Union's legal services. But he is sure that applying for membership the Prince displays a true interest in writing.

The Prince doesn't overestimate his own literary talents. However, the critics say, that unlike many other famous people, the Prince of Wales wrote every word of his books himself.

The Prince of Wales is not the only and the first notable personage — member of the Society. Such writers as Graham Greene and George Bernard Shaw have also been members. A number of people who are better known for their public standing than for their writing have been members too. Among these is Sir Winston Churchill, the former British Prime Minister, who was really talented with his pen. The Society unites 5000 members and many modern politicians are also applying for membership being novelists or thriller writers.

Вопросы к тексту:

1. Which of the following sentences best describes what this passage is about:
 - (A) Prince Charles rejected the proposal to join the trade union for writers.
 - (B) The Prince of Wales first rejected the proposal to join the trade union for writers but then changed his mind.
 - (C) The Prince of Wales applied for membership and joined the trade union for writers.
 - (D) Prince Charles even doesn't think of joining a trade union.

2. Which of the following is true?
 - (A) The Prince is modest about his own literary talents.
 - (B) The Prince thinks highly of his own literary talents.
 - (C) The Prince is sure he is one of the most famous writers in the world.
 - (D) The Prince has never tried to estimate his own literary talents.

3. Which of the following was not mentioned in the text?
 - (A) The Prince's children are happy that the Prince has joined the trade union.
 - (B) It's unlikely that the Prince will ever need to take advantage of the Union's legal services.
 - (C) Mark le Fanu is happy to welcome the Prince to his membership in the Society.
 - (D) The Prince has become a member of the Society of Authors.

4. As a member of the Society of Authors the Prince can expect:
 - (A) advertising of his books.
 - (B) meetings with his readers arranged by the Union.
 - (C) legal services, such as checking his contracts with publishers.
 - (D) regular salary as a writer and member of the Union.

5. The book entitled *A Vision of Britain* has caused a lot of controversy because:
 - (A) Prince Charles has a strong distaste for classical architecture.
 - (B) Prince Charles is an advocate of classical architecture and would like to see a return to its principles.

- (C) Prince Charles likes very much modern architecture and shares views of architectural establishment.
 (D) Prince Charles supports every idea of modern architects.

6. The critics say that

- (A) there is a group of writers who help the Prince to create his books.
 (B) his wife and his mother help him to write his books.
 (C) he copied works of some not very well known writers and used his name to promote the books.
 (D) he wrote every word of his books himself.

2. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно правильный:

A. Several US presidents _____ 1 _____ but only one British Prime Minister. This was Spencer Perceval who _____ 2 _____ in the lobby of the House of Commons in 1812. His _____ 3 _____ was John Bellingham, a bankrupt businessman. Bellingham was angry _____ 4 _____ the government because he _____ 5 _____ bankrupt. He _____ 6 _____ and _____ 7 _____ in prison while he _____ 8 _____ business in Russia. Perceval _____ 9 _____ almost immediately and Bellingham _____ 10 _____ within a week.

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|----------|---|------------------------------------|
| 1. _____ | (A) was shot
(B) have been shot | (C) has been shot
(D) are shot |
| 2. _____ | (A) is shot
(B) were shot | (C) was shot
(D) have been shot |
| 3. _____ | (A) murder
(B) adviser | (C) murderer
(D) partner |
| 4. _____ | (A) with
(B) for | (C) on
(D) about |
| 5. _____ | (A) go
(B) goes | (C) had gone
(D) had been gone |
| 6. _____ | (A) has arrested
(B) has been arrested | (C) arrested
(D) was arrested |

7. _____ (A) put (C) took
(B) putted (D) send
8. _____ (A) had done (C) was done
(B) was doing (D) had been doing
9. _____ (A) dead (C) have died
(B) was died (D) died
10. _____ (A) was hanged (C) was hung
(B) will be hanged (D) was hanging

B. Suddenly he _____ 1 _____. He felt that _____ 2 _____ 3 _____ him. It seemed _____ 4 _____ him that he _____ 5 _____ light footsteps. He _____ 6 _____ at the shadowy road behind him. There was no one to be seen but it was _____ 7 _____ dark that it _____ 8 _____ difficult for a clever pursuer to hide _____ 9 _____. He walked on again holding his breath and listening _____ 10 _____. There it was again. He spun **around** just _____ 11 _____ time to see a shadow _____ 12 _____ quickly into a doorway about three metres behind him.

1. _____ (A) stop (C) stopped
(B) was stopping (D) to stop
2. _____ (A) someone (C) anyone
(B) some (D) none
3. _____ (A) follows (C) was followed
(B) was following (D) has followed
4. _____ (A) for (C) from
(B) to (D) -
5. _____ (A) had listened (C) had heard
(B) listened to (D) was hearing
6. _____ (A) turn and look (C) turns and looks
(B) turning and looking (D) turned and looked
7. _____ (A) too (C) such
(B) enough (D) so
8. _____ (A) would not be (C) is not
(B) will not be (D) is

TEST 23

1. Прочтите текст "The Pilgrims" и выберите единственно правильный ответ.

THE PILGRIMS

The Pilgrims were puritans, that is to say, people of England who objected to the form of religious feelings shown to God and religious services used in the Church of England. King James punished all who refused to follow laws and traditions of the Church of England and to give money to support it. These people had to leave their country and went to Holland trying to find religious freedom there. But they were not allowed to own land in Holland and, besides, they did not want their children to grow up and become Dutch-speaking people. They wanted to remain English; so, they soon returned to England with the idea of leaving for America. There, where the lands were still wild, they hoped to build homes for themselves and start a new life based on their own ideals of religious and civil rights. Pilgrim Fathers decided to form a colony that should be governed by just and equal laws, established by common agreement.

With the idea of a new England in America some of the strongest English people crossed the broad Atlantic on the little ship known as "The Mayflower". These people were independent and God-fearing. Some of them were also learned.

The departure of the Pilgrims from England marks a period in history.

Towards the end of November in 1620, this company of about a hundred persons, with Captain Miles Standish as their leader, landed on Cape Cod, not far from where Boston now is.

A short time after landing, they found a suitable place to live and, about Christmas, began to cut trees and build houses. Winter came on, and they were not prepared for difficult times. Many of them got ill and about half of them died. But those who survived did not give up; they were not easily discouraged by the difficulties.

In the spring and summer following that hard winter, their crops grew, and the colony became rich. They made friends with the Indians and were not afraid of them. At last, they felt sure that they had found the land that they had hoped to find so long. In the autumn, they decided to have a great holiday and to unite in giving thanks to God for everything they had received. They also invited the Indians, and all sat down together to celebrate the first Thanksgiving Day in America.

Вопросы к тексту

1. This text tells us about

- (A) strong people from America who formed a colony not far from the place where Boston now is.
 - (B) strong and determined people from England who did not share religious views of the Church of England and left for America to form there a new colony based on their own religious beliefs.
 - (C) supporters of the Church of England who went to America to start their religion there.
 - (D) a lot of English people who called themselves Pilgrims and who decided to leave for America because there was a lot of land there to cultivate and to grow crops.
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2. Pilgrims are

- (A) people from Holland who first came to England and then to America to find a better life there.
 - (B) a group of English puritans who sailed to America to escape from the religious beliefs of the Church of England and to make a new kind of society based on their religious ideals and beliefs.
 - (C) a group of Americans who shared the religious beliefs of the Church of England and started a colony to show their religious feelings to God.
 - (D) European people who did not want for some reason to stay in Europe any longer.
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3. The Pilgrims decided to leave for America with the idea in their minds

- (A) to form a colony there which they wanted to base on equal religious and civil laws established by common consent.
 - (B) to find some suitable settlements where they could live far away from the Church of England.
 - (C) to travel about America and to learn much about it because many of them were educated people.
 - (D) to share their knowledge of agriculture with the American Indians.
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4. They crossed the Atlantic

- (A) in many boats that were badly equipped and many of them sank on their way to America.

- (B) on a big ocean liner that was **very** quick and comfortable.
 - (C) on a ferry-boat on which they also brought horses, tracks and a lot of other things.
 - (D) in a little sailing vessel, called "The Mayflower", which landed at the end of November 1620 on Cape Cod.
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5. Some time after landing

- (A) they grew crops and got very rich.
 - (B) they decided to return to England because winter came and they were not prepared for its difficulties.
 - (C) they found a place where they began to build houses and though that winter was severe and many of them died, those who had survived, grew crops next autumn, a year later, and became rich.
 - (D) they opened schools and hospitals in the Indian settlements.
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6. The first Thanksgiving Day in America

- (A) was arranged by Pilgrim settlers as a day of prayer for everything God had given them and where Indians were invited because they helped the Pilgrims to grow crops in that hungry winter of 1620 when the Pilgrims landed in those places.
 - (B) was arranged by the Hollanders who came to America to find a better life.
 - (C) was organised by the Americans who decided to thank God for the crops he had given them.
 - (D) was arranged by the Indians for the knowledge of agriculture the Pilgrims had shared with them.
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2. Из четырех вариантов (A), (B), (C), (D) выберите единственно **правильный**:

1. The teacher said that if we _____ the article, we would have to read it again.

(A) wouldn't understand	(C) didn't understand
(B) don't understand	(D) had understood

2. It was announced on the radio that a criminal _____ from _____ prison and the police were looking after him.

(A) has escaped	(C) had escaped
(B) escaped	(D) was escaped

3. These trousers look _____ long for a six-year-old boy.
(A) much (C) a lot
(B) rather (D) enough
4. Elizabeth II _____ the Queen of England for forty-six years.
(A) will be (C) is
(B) had been (D) has been
5. I don't know if he _____ to the party tomorrow.
(A) comes (C) came
(B) will come (D) was coming
6. The doctor told the parents _____ so nervous.
(A) not to be (C) to be not
(B) do not be (D) not be
7. My sister's invited you to her birthday party, _____ she?
(A) isn't (C) hasn't
(B) doesn't (D) didn't she
8. I wonder where _____ her holiday last year.
(A) did she spend (C) spent she
(B) she did spend (D) she spent
9. There _____ bad news on television nowadays.
(A) is too much (C) are too a lot of
(B) are too many (D) is a very little
10. If you want to save your money, don't keep _____ in the bank.
(A) it (C) them
(B) they (D) its
11. This dress is _____ fashionable!
(A) such (C) much
(B) so (D) a lot
12. No matter how hard he tried he could not make his dog _____ his orders.
(A) obey (C) obeying
(B) to obey (D) obeyed

13. You have to arrive _____ the **airport** two hours before your flight leaves.
(A) for (C) in
(B) to (D) at
14. We didn't enjoy the play. — _____.
(A) I didn't too. (C) I did either.
(B) Neither did I. (D) Nor didn't I.
15. Which song would you like to _____?
(A) hearing (C) listen
(B) listen to (D) listening
16. I'm so tired _____ all your **complaints**!
(A) off (C) in
(B) of (D) with
17. If you want some more coffee, help _____.
(A) yourself (C) you
(B) myself (D) oneself
18. When I heard his story, I couldn't help _____.
(A) to laugh (C) laughter
(B) laugh (D) laughing
19. I don't think she knows _____ can save **her**.
(A) what (C) whom
(B) which (D) that
20. Alan said that was _____ he had ever driven.
(A) a very fast car (C) one of the fastest cars
(B) one of the most fast (D) one of fastest cars
21. The Moscow Art Theatre _____ in 1898 by K. **Stanislavski** and
V. Nemirovich-Danchenko.
(A) found (C) was finded
(B) founded (D) was founded
22. The Browns are in Moscow. I saw them _____.
(A) before five minutes (C) five minutes ago
(B) since five minutes (D) five minutes before

ANSWERS

- 1. (D) 2. (C) 3. (B) 4. (A) 5. (C) 6. (D) 7. (B) 8. (A) 9. (D) 10. (C) 11. (A) 12. (B) 13. (D) 14. (C) 15. (A) 16. (B) 17. (D) 18. (A) 19. (C) 20. (B) 21. (D) 22. (A) 23. (C) 24. (B) 25. (D)

- 1. At the age of 15, I was a member of the school choir.
- 2. I am always late for class. Yesterday, I was late for my English lesson.
- 3. I won't be able to go to the library with you on Saturday because I'm going to the gym.
- 4. Could you explain the rules of the game to me?
- 5. When we left the house, I had already prepared my bag for my new school.
- 6. My father will be very happy if you can help me with my homework.
- 7. What are you going to do on your vacation? Are you going to the beach?
- 8. Don't forget to bring your ID card to the library.
- 9. Ask him to ring me up tonight.
- 10. The teacher said that the test was very easy.

TEST 1

1. A LETTER FROM LONDON

Dear Alice,

Hi! I'm on holiday in London. I am staying with my friend, Jane. She lives in the centre of London, near Hyde Park.

I have been here since Saturday and I have **already** done lots of things. I have visited the Tower of London, the British Museum and Madam Tussaud's.

I went to Madam **Tussaud's** on Monday. It was terrible. When I entered the Chamber of Horrors, I screamed.

Yesterday Jane and I went shopping. I wanted to buy some souvenirs. But while I was paying for a T-shirt, someone stole my bag. Luckily, I had already spent nearly all my money.

There are a lot of things I haven't done yet. I haven't been on a boat trip down the Thames yet, I haven't seen the Millennium Dome.

If the weather is fine tomorrow, I will go on a boat trip. I hope Jane will be able to keep me company.

I like London very much. I have never seen such a beautiful city. You **must** visit it some day.

I will be back in a week, so I will call you then.

Love,

Ann.

3. 1. (D) 2. (C) 3. (B) 4. (C) 5. (C) 6. (D) 7. (C) 8. (B) 9. (A) 10. (B) 11. (C) 12. (D)
13. (A) 14. (D) 15. (A) 16. (D) 17. (C) 18. (B) 19. (D) 20. (A) 21. (A) 22. (B) 23. (A)
24. (C) 25. (D)

4. 1. At the age of 15 Jack London became a sailor.
2. Ann is always late for her classes. Yesterday she was 10 minutes late for her English lesson.
3. I won't be able to go to the theatre with you on Sunday. My cousin is coming and I'll have to meet her.
4. Could you explain this rule to me once again?
5. When we left the house, it had already stopped raining and the sun was shining brightly again.
6. Nothing will make me leave the house in such nasty weather.
7. What are you going to do tonight? — I am going to the exhibition with Linda.
8. Did you like the film? — No, I didn't. — Neither did I.
9. Ask him to ring me up tonight.
10. The Volga is much longer than the Thames.

TEST 2**1. A FRIGHTFUL NIGHT**

One dark night a young man was going home from the railway station. It was very late and there were very few people in the **streets**.

The young man was very nervous because he had never returned home so late. Suddenly he felt that somebody was following him. The young man thought that it was a robber and decided to walk as quickly as he could.

When he looked back he saw that the man was still following him. The young man turned into another street. The man turned into that street too. Now the young man was quite sure that the man was a robber.

The young man turned round and asked: "What do **you** want? Why are you following me?" "I am going to see Mr Brown," said the man, "and the porter at the station told me: 'If you follow this young man, you will find **his** house easily, he lives next door to Mr **Brown**.'"

3. 1. (C) 2. (B) 3. (D) 4. (B) 5. (C) 6. (A) 7. (C) 8. (A) 9. (C) 10. (A) 11. (D) 12. (A) 13. (B) 14. (B) 15. (C) 16. (C) 17. (D) 18. (A) 19. (C) 20. **(D)** 21. (A) 22. (D) 23. (C) 24. (A) 25. (D)

4. 1. We had to return (come back) home as we had missed the last train.
2. I don't like horror films. — Neither do I.
3. Stop talking! I can't hear anything (can hear nothing).
4. Do your parents make you wash up (wash the dishes)?
5. Nobody ever tells me anything.
6. What is the weather like today? — It's cold, a strong wind is blowing.
7. I wonder which of them has told (told) a lie.
8. How long will it take us to get to Red Square?
9. This dress is much more expensive than that **one**.
10. We watched the children decorating (decorate) the New Year tree.

TEST 3**1. A TRAVELLER'S TALE**

It happened many years ago. I was in India. I was hunting there. Once I spent the whole day in the jungle. It had got completely dark when I decided to return to my camp. I was walking along a narrow path. Strange sounds were heard everywhere. On my right there was a river and on my left there was a thick tropical forest.

Suddenly I saw something terrible in the jungle on my left. Two green eyes were looking at me. It was a man-eating tiger, ready to spring on me.

I knew that if I started to run the tiger would catch me easily. As I could swim well I made up my mind to escape that way. I looked at the river on my right. There in the river was a huge crocodile. It was waiting for me with open jaws.

I fainted. A moment later I jumped to my feet again. What do you think I saw? The tiger was in the jaws of the crocodile.

Five years have passed since that time but I still remember every moment of that terrible night.

3. 1. (B) 2. (A) 3. (B) 4. (A) 5. (C) 6. (D) 7. (A) 8. (C) 9. (A) 10. (D) 11. (C) 12. (D) 13. (B) 14. (C) 15. (B) 16. (D) 17. (A) 18. (D) 19. (C) 20. (C) 21. (B) 22. (A) 23. (C) 24. (B) 25. (B)

4. 1. Have you read the book I gave you last week?
 2. I wonder why Sasha didn't phone me (didn't ring me up) last night.
 3. You'd better go to bed earlier.
 4. His elder sister is graduating from the University this year.
 5. I've been learning French for three years.
 6. You had to get up early yesterday, didn't you?
 7. Who does your son look like?
 8. Mary writes in English much better than she speaks it.
 9. Have you ever been to Germany? — Yes, I was there a year ago.
 10. This time tomorrow we'll be swimming in the Black Sea.

TEST 4

1. AN INTERVIEW WITH A POP STAR

P: Our special guest in the studio today is Bob Bubble. Welcome to the show, Bob.

B: Thanks. It's great to be here.

P: You are only 21, but you have already sold 10 million records. How old were you when you wrote your first song?

B: I was 15.

P: Did you take vocal lessons when you were a kid?

B: No, I didn't. My parents hoped that I would become a lawyer. So I sang and wrote my songs in secret — late at night in my room, when everyone was sleeping. When my first album appeared, my parents were shocked. My father said that I had disappointed him.

P: Is he still disappointed in you?

B: No. I think he is proud of me.

P: How many songs have you written?

B: About 150.

P: Bob, I know you don't have (haven't got) much free time, but what do you usually do when you're not busy singing?

B: Well, I am fond of windsurfing.

P: One last question, Bob. Are you married?

B: Not yet. I will get married only when I meet the girl of my dream.

2. 1. (B) 2. (D) 3. (C) 4. (D) 5. (B) 6. (C) 7. (D) 8. (B) 9. (A) 10. (A) 11. (C) 12. (B) 13. (B)
14. (C) 15. (A) 16. (D) 17. (A) 18. (B) 19. (C) 20. (A) 21. (C) 22. (D) 23. (B) 24. (B) 25. (B)

3. 1. Most of all I like to read (I like reading) detective stories and science **fiction**.
2. Have you ever been to Rome? — Yes, I have. — When were you there?
3. I won't be able to go to the theatre with them tomorrow. — Neither will I.
4. It wasn't difficult to translate this article, was it? (The article wasn't difficult to translate, was it?) — No, it wasn't.
5. I live on the second floor of a five-storey(ed) block of flats.
6. Do you know how many universities there are in Washington?
7. Shakespeare was eighteen when he got married.
8. **It's** difficult for me to learn poems by heart.
9. The most popular hobby is collecting stamps.
10. **She** said that she lived in Pushkin Street.

TEST 5

1. THE SAILOR AND THE MONKEYS

Once a sailor came to South America. He had a lot of red woollen caps with him. He was going to sell them there. On his way to the nearest town he had to go through a forest in which there were a lot of monkeys in the trees.

At noon, when the sun was shining brightly in the sky, the sailor lay down on the grass to rest under a large tree. He took one of the caps out of his bag and put it on his head and almost immediately he fell asleep.

When he woke up he found that all the caps had disappeared. Suddenly he heard some strange noise over his head. He looked up and **saw** the trees full of monkeys and each monkey was wearing a red woollen **cap**! They had stolen all his red caps! The sailor began to shout and throw stones at them but the monkeys weren't going to give the red caps back. They were very pleased with themselves.

The sailor got very angry with **the** monkeys. He took off the cap which he had put on before going to sleep and threw it angrily on the ground: "If you keep my caps and don't want to give them back to me, you may take this one **too**!"

At the same moment all the monkeys took off the red caps and threw them on the ground.

The sailor took the caps, put them into the bag and went away.

3. 1. (B) 2. (C) 3. (B) 4. (A) 5. (A) 6. (B) 7. (D) 8. (B) 9. (C) 10. (D) 11. (C) 12. (D) 13. (B)
14. (D) 15. (A) 16. (B) 17. (B) 18. (A) 19. (C) 20. (A) 21. (C) 22. (D) 23. (B) 24. (A) 25. (D)

4. 1. Can you **hear** anything? — I'm listening very carefully but I **can** hear nothing (I can't hear anything).
2. We didn't expect him to tell the truth.
3. He always gives good advice but I don't always follow it.
4. What time does the film begin? — At 8.
5. Did he have to stay at home? — Yes, he did.
6. This holiday has been celebrated in England since the **15th** century.
7. I haven't read this novel yet. — Neither have I.
8. There are a lot of historical and architectural monuments in Moscow.
9. Has anybody seen him leave the room?
10. If I were you I wouldn't argue with him.

TEST 6

1. A SLEEPLESS NIGHT

One night I was alone at home with my ten-year-old daughter. She woke me up in the middle of the night: "Mum, mum! There is a man outside the house. He is watching me through the window!"

I looked out of the window. I could see the shape of a man outside. Who was he? What was he doing there?

"I must get to the telephone in the hall and telephone the police," I thought.

I went downstairs hardly daring to breathe, afraid that he **would** hear my movements. I reached for the telephone, lifted the receiver and dialled 999. The police answered and I explained what had happened. They said that they would come at once.

Soon a police car stopped in front of the house. I hurried downstairs and opened the front door. A police officer came in.

"What has happened?" he asked.

After listening to my story he went out, and after a while returned.

"It's all right," he said. "I have just seen that man. He is walking his dog. By the way, he lives in the house opposite."

3. 1. (A) 2. (D) 3. (B) 4. (C) 5. (C) 6. (A) 7. (B) 8. (B) 9. (D) 10. (A) 11. (C) 12. (D) 13. (D) 14. (A) 15. (B) 16. (A) 17. (C) 18. (A) 19. (A) 20. (C) 21. (B) 22. (D) 23. (B) 24. (B) 25. (B) 26. (D) 27. (B) 28. (B) 29. (D) 30. (A)

4. 1. I haven't seen her for ages. Has she changed much?
2. It's a famous picture. It was painted by Turner.
3. I won't be able to go to the country **tomorrow**. — Neither will I.
4. This money isn't mine. I can't take it.

5. Michael said that he had already looked through the morning papers.
6. He asked me not to tell anyone about it.
7. The text isn't difficult at all, is it? — No, it isn't. It's very easy.
8. We didn't expect him to return so late.
9. How many rooms are there in your flat?— There are 3 rooms in our flat.
Have you got a telephone? — Yes, we have.
10. Do you know how many plays Shakespeare wrote? — About 30.

TEST 7

1. A CLEVER TRICK

It was a cold and stormy night. A traveller **was** riding a horse. It was raining cats and dogs and he was wet to the skin. He had been riding for a few hours before he could find an inn.

When he **entered** the inn he saw a lot of people there. They were sitting in front of the fire and there wasn't a seat left for him.

A good idea struck him. He called the waiter and said to him in a loud voice: "Boy, take a plate of oysters to my horse."

Everybody was surprised. The waiter put some oysters on the plate and went out. Naturally, the other people went out to see if the horse **would** eat the oysters.

A few minutes later the waiter returned with the news that the horse had refused to eat the oysters. When the other people returned they saw that the traveller was sitting comfortably in a chair. He was warming his feet beside the fire. And suddenly everybody realized why the traveller had ordered the **waiter** to take the oysters to the horse.

3. 1. (C) 2. (B) 3. (A) 4. (D) 5. (B) 6. (B) 7. (D) 8. (C) 9. (B) 10. (C) 11. (D) 12. (B) 13. (C)
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4. 1. What will you be doing at four o'clock tomorrow?

2. Shall I go shopping? — No, you needn't.
3. How long does it take you to get to school?
4. I learned about it last week.
5. I've been waiting for my sister for half an hour.
6. What wonderful weather (we are having)! Let's go to the country.
7. I didn't hear you come in.
8. We've got little time (We haven't got much **time**).
We'll have to take a taxi.
9. Excuse me, could you repeat the last sentence?
10. Last week I met an old **friend** of mine whom I hadn't seen for a few months.

TEST 8

1. A SAD STORY

Three men came to New York. They arrived at a very large hotel and took a room there. Their room was on the forty-fifth floor.

In the evening the three men went to the theatre and came back to the hotel very late.

"I am very sorry," said the clerk of the hotel, "but our lifts **aren't** working tonight. If you **don't** want to walk upstairs to your room we will make beds for you in the hall."

"No, no," said one of the three men. "No, thank you. We **don't** want to sleep in the hall. We will walk up to our room."

Then he told his two friends, "It won't be easy to walk up to the forty-fifth floor, but I think I know how to make it easier. On our way to the room I will tell you some jokes. Andy **will sing** us some songs. Then Peter will tell us some interesting stories."

So they began to walk upstairs to their room. Tom told them many jokes, Andy sang some songs. At last they came to the thirty-fourth floor. They were tired and decided to have a rest.

"Well," said Tom, "now it is your turn, Peter." "I will tell you a sad **story**," said Peter. "We have left the key to our room in the hall."

3. 1. (B) 2. (B) 3. (C) 4. (A) 5. (D) 6. (C) 7. (C) 8. (B) 9. (D) 10. (B) 11. (A) 12. (B) 13. (C) 14. (D) 15. (B) 16. (B) 17. (B) 18. (A) 19. (C) 20. (D) 21. (D) 22. (B) 23. (C) 24. (C) 25. (A) 26. (A) 27. (D) 28. (C) 29. (A) 30. (B)

TEST 9

1. THEY OVERDID IT

The London **police** were looking for a criminal who had robbed a bank. One day they caught him and took him to prison. But while they were taking photographs of him from the front, from the left, from the right, with a hat, without a hat — he suddenly attacked one of the policemen and ran **away**.

Then a week later the telephone rang in the police station and somebody said: "You are looking for Ben Jackson, aren't you?" — "Yes." — "Well, he was at Victoria Station an hour ago. He has **probably** left London by now."

The city police immediately sent four different photos of the robber to the railway police. All the trains were searched.

Less than two hours later they got a telephone call from a small town not far from London. "We have caught three of the men," they said happily, "and we hope to catch the fourth very soon."

3. 1. (D) 2. (D) 3. (A) 4. (C) 5. (A) 6. (B) 7. (D) 8. (C) 9. (B) 10. (A) 11. (C) 12. (B) 13. (D) 14. (A) 15. (B) 16. (D) 17. (C) 18. (A) 19. (D) 20. (B) 21. (A) 22. (B) 23. (C) 24. (B) 25. (A) 26. (B) 27. (C) 28. (A) 29. (D) 30. (C)

TEST 10

1. CONVERSATION

Ann: Do you like travelling?

Bill: Yes, I like travelling very much. It is my hobby. I always take my camera with me and take pictures of everything that interests me: the ruins of ancient buildings, the sights of cities, views of mountains, lakes, valleys, waterfalls and even animals and birds.

Ann: What countries have you visited?

Bill: Well, I have been to Italy, Greece, Russia and India. Some day I will go to the United States. My cousin lives there. She has invited me several times already. When I have enough money, I will go to the States.

Ann: I have never been to any of these countries. When were **you** in Russia?

Bill: Two years ago.

Ann: Did you go there alone?

Bill: No, I went there with my father. We visited Moscow and St Petersburg, the most beautiful cities of Russia.

Ann: I have **always** wanted to travel to other countries, but I haven't had the opportunity. I went to Germany in my childhood, but I haven't been anywhere since then.

2. 1. (B) 2. (C) 3. (C) 4. (D) 5. (C) 6. (B) 7. (D) 8. (A) 9. (D) 10. (A) 11. (D) 12. (B) 13. (B) 14. (D) 15. (A) 16. (B) 17. (B) 18. (C) 19. (A) 20. (D) 21. (B) 22. (B) 23. (D) 24. (C) 25. (A)

3. 1. The Volga is the longest river in Europe, isn't it?
 2. Who is older, **Olga** or Mary? — **Olga** is. She is 3 years older than Mary.
 3. Two months ago we got a flat in a new 16-storey(ed) block of flats on the 4th floor. There are 4 rooms, a kitchen, a bathroom and a small hall in our flat.
 4. I've got a lot of English books. You can take any of them.
 5. When my friend and I left the house (**went** out into the street), it was cold and a strong wind was blowing.
 6. Why didn't **you** go to school **yesterday**? — I didn't feel well (I felt bad).
 7. My younger brother Mike likes to give advice to his **friends**.
 8. If we don't hurry up, we'll miss the train.
 9. The film was better than we had expected.
 10. My mother makes me do my morning **exercises** every day.

TEST 11

1. THE CANTERVILLE GHOST

When Mr Hiram B. Otis, the American Minister, decided to buy **Canterville** Chase, everyone told him that it was a foolish thing to do. There was no doubt that a ghost lived in the house. Indeed, Lord Canterville himself mentioned (had **mentioned**) the fact to Mr Otis when they were discussing the sale.

"We haven't lived in the **place** ourselves," said Lord **Canterville**, "since the day when my grand-aunt was frightened by the ghost. It happened many years ago. My grand-aunt was dressing for dinner when she suddenly felt two skeleton hands being placed on her shoulders. The fright made her very ill, and she never really recovered."

"I **don't** believe in ghosts," said Mr Otis.

"I must tell you, Mr Otis, that the ghost has been seen by several living members of our family, as well as by the local priest."

"My Lord," said Mr Otis, "I want to buy this house. I come from a modern country where everything has its value in money. If there is such a thing as a ghost in Europe, an American **will buy** it."

Lord Canterville smiled: "There really is a ghost. It has been living (has **lived**) in the house for three centuries, since **1584** in fact. It always appears before the death of any member of our family."

"Well, so does the family doctor, no doubt, Lord Canterville."

A few weeks later Mr Otis and his family moved to Canterville Chase.

3. 1. (C) 2. (B) 3. (B) 4. (C) 5. (D) 6. (B) 7. (A) 8. (C) 9. (B) 10. **(D)** 11. (A) 12. **(B)** 13. (B) 14. (A) 15. (C) 16. (D) 17. (A) 18. (D) 19. (C) 20. (D) 21. (B) 22. (B) 23. (C) 24. (D) 25. (D)

4. 1. This play is much spoken about. Have you seen it yet?
 2. You should have a rest. — I'm not tired at all.
 3. My twelve-year-old daughter reads very little. I can't make her read more.
 4. He said that he had a lot of pen-friends all over the world.
 5. What were you doing at 8 o'clock yesterday? — I was watching TV.
 6. Mr White wanted his son to become a doctor.
 7. If I were you I would fly there.
 8. Don't you know that the Browns have already left Moscow?
 9. She has (got) wonderful fair hair and blue eyes.
 10. I don't like his stories. — Neither do I.

TEST 12

1. THE WINCHESTER MYSTERY

One night Mrs Joyce Boweles was driving her car from Winchester to Chilcomb with a friend of the family, Mr Ted Pratt.

Suddenly they saw an orange light in the sky. The car started to shake and Mrs Bowles couldn't control it. Some unknown power lifted it, then pushed to the left, then stopped the engine and switched off the **lights**.

"It was then that we saw a cigar-shaped object about five yards long. There were three figures inside," said Mrs Bowles. The three figures were the crew of the UFO. Mrs Bowles said that she had never been so frightened before.

At first, the alien crew looked like ordinary people. They were wearing silver clothes. Then an alien came out of the UFO. He was quite tall and seemed to be about **forty-five** years old. He had long fair hair and a short beard. He put his arm on the roof of the car and looked at the two frightened people inside. He had clear, white skin and pink eyes. Mrs Bowles was afraid that the alien would kill them, but he only looked at the car's **instuments**. Suddenly the lights switched on automatically and they shone (were shining) four times brighter than normal. Mrs Bowles wanted to **say** "Thank you" but before she opened her mouth the UFO and its crew had already disappeared into the night.

3. 1. (D) 2. (C) 3. (A) 4. (C) 5. (B) 6. (A) 7. (C) 8. **(B)** 9. (D) 10. (C) **11.** (A) 12. (C) 13. (D) 14. (C) 15. (A) 16. (D) 17. (C) 18. (A) 19. (B) 20. (D) 21. (A) 22. (B) 23. (C) 24. (A) 25. (D)
4. 1. If you come at seven o'clock, you'll be able to see an interesting TV programme.
2. Are you hungry? — Yes, I am. I haven't had dinner yet.
3. As soon as the new information is got, we'll ring you up.
4. There will be a lot of shops in this street.
5. Where is everybody hurrying? — To the stadium.
6. I've got a lot of records. You can take any of them.
7. I've never been to a big **city**.
8. My parents don't want me to become an actress.
9. They are going to sell their house because they're moving to another town.
10. She translates newspaper articles much better than you (do).

TEST 13

1. MISS EVANS

One night in April 1912, a new ocean liner was crossing the Atlantic. It had set **out** two days before and was going to New York. It was the largest and fastest ship in the world called *Titanic*.

The passengers were having a good time when the ship suddenly hit an iceberg.

Everyone was told to come out of their rooms. Unfortunately there were not enough lifeboats for all the passengers.

There was not very much time left. The iceberg was on one side of the ship. It looked like a high, white wall.

A woman came to the side of the ship. Her two children were in one of the lifeboats, and she was very much afraid.

"My children are in the lifeboat. I must go with them!" the woman called to the people in the lifeboat.

"**There's** no more room," someone called out. "If we take one more, the lifeboat will sink."

There was a young woman in the lifeboat called Miss Evans. When she heard the woman calling, she stood up in the lifeboat and touched one of the men on the arm.

"Let me get back to the ship," she said. "This woman must be with her children."

"The ship is sinking. Very soon it will go down under the water," said the man.

"I know it," said Miss Evans.

People helped her to get back on the ship. Very soon after that there was a great noise, and the *Titanic* went down under the water.

3. 1. (B) 2. (C) 3. (A) 4. (B) 5. (D) 6. (C) 7. (D) 8. (A) 9. (C) 10. (A) 11. (A) 12. (D) 13. (D) 14. (A) 15. (B) 16. (A) 17. (C) 18. (B) 19. (B) 20. (D) 21. (B) 22. (B) 23. (A) 24. (C) 25. (D)
4. 1. Parents want their children to be kind and honest.
 2. John speaks neither German nor French.
 3. What are you going to do tonight? — I haven't decided yet.
 4. I am very sorry but I can't accept your invitation.
 I have so much work (to do)!
 5. Have you got any relatives in St Petersburg? — Yes, I have.
 My cousin lives there.
 6. Where is the money? — It's on the table.
 7. What language is she speaking? I can't understand anything.
 (I can understand nothing.)
 8. Nothing could make us go out in such rainy weather.
 9. The Severn is much longer than the Thames, isn't it?
 10. If I were you I wouldn't buy this suit.

TEST 14

1. AN INTERVIEW FOR A JOB

On Wednesday I had an important interview for a job. I got up at 7 o'clock in the morning and shaved carefully. I put on my best jacket and trousers. I had to travel by train, so I walked to the station.

On my way I saw a man who was painting his fence with red paint. The man didn't notice me: he was looking at the fence. Then he turned suddenly and splashed my beautiful trousers! The man apologised to me, but the damage had already been done.

"If I go home, I will be late for the interview," I thought. There was a department store not far from the station, so I decided to buy a new pair.

I found a nice pair of trousers and since I was in a hurry, I decided to change on the train. The shop was full, so I paid hurriedly for my trousers, took my shopping bag and left. I arrived at the station just in time to catch the train. Now I was sure that I wouldn't be late for the interview. I smiled happily at an elderly lady who was staring at my trousers and went to the toilet to change. I threw my stained trousers out of the window. Then I opened the bag to get my new ones, but all I found was a pink woollen sweater!

3. 1. (A) 2. (A) 3. (C) 4. (D) 5. (A) 6. (C) 7. (C) 8. (D) 9. (B) 10. (B) 11. (B) 12. (A) 13. (A) 14. (C) 15. (C) 16. (B) 17. (D) 18. (C) 19. (D) 20. (C) 21. (D) 22. (A) 23. (C) 24. (C) 25. (D)

TEST 15

1. GOOD LUCK, CARL!

Carl Osbourne lives in Glasgow. He ought to be in *The Guinness Book of Records* because he has had a terrible time this year.

The trouble started one fine morning at the beginning of January when Carl found that his car had disappeared from his garage. He hasn't seen it since that time!

In February he bought a new car, but he hadn't had it for more than two weeks when he crashed into a lamp-post.

Three days ago Carl sat on a seat that had been painted only a few minutes before. He was wearing a brand-new suit that he had bought only the previous week.

In the summer Carl spent his holiday at the seaside. When he arrived home, he discovered that his house had been broken into. His television and video-recorder had disappeared.

Now poor Carl doesn't know what he has done to deserve this bad luck. He just hopes that his luck will change soon.

2. 1. What doesn't she like?

2. What fell on the floor?

3. Where did you use to live?

4. How long has he been studying?

5. When did you see *Dracula*?

6. Who will you have to borrow 10 pounds from?

7. Why are there a lot of words of French origin in English?

8. Where do you think he is now?

9. What is the British national flag called?

10. What was the weather like yesterday?

3. (C) 2. (B) 3. (B) 4. (A) 5. (C) 6. (D) 7. (B) 8. (A) 9. (D) 10. (B) 11. (B) 12. (C)

4. (B) 2. (D) 3. (B) 4. (B) 5. (A) 6. (A) 7. (C) 8. (C) 9. (C) 10. (D)

TEST 16

1. A. RUSSIA'S FIRST SURGEON

1. (D) 2. (A) 3. (D) 4. (B) 5. (B) 6. (C) 7. (D) 8. (A) 9. (C) 10. (D) 11. (A) 12. (C)

13. (B) 14. (A) 15. (D) 16. (A) 17. (C) 18. (B) 19. (D) 20. (B)

B. A VISIT TO A CONCERT

1. (B) 2. (C) 3. (D) 4. (D) 5. (B) 6. (A) 7. (B) 8. (D) 9. (C) 10. (A)

2. 1. Who was penicillin discovered by?

2. Why didn't **he see the end of** the film?

3. What was the weather like yesterday?

4. How many hamburgers are eaten in the United States?

5. Where do you think he is?

2. When did Ann come back from London?
 3. Why did he have to borrow some money?
 4. How long have they been quarrelling?
 5. Who leads an adventurous life?
 6. What kind of film did you see yesterday?
3. 1. (B) 2. (C) 3. (C) 4.(D) 5. (D) 6. (D) 7. (A) 8. (C) 9. (B) 10. (B)

TEST 17

1. A. JACK JAMEISON

1. (A) 2. (B) 3. (C) 4. (B) 5. (A) 6. (C) 7. (B) 8. (A) 9. (C) 10. (A) 11. (C) 12. (D) 13. (D) 14. (B) 15. (A) 16. (A) 17. (D) 18. (A) 19. (B) 20. (C)

B. A TALKATIVE LADY

1. (B) 2. (C) 3. (B) 4. (C) 5. (A) 6. (B) 7. (A) 8. (B) 9. (D) 10. (D)
2. 1. Who does this house belong to?
 2. When did your company move into a new office?
 3. Where did you use to go on Friday nights?
 4. Where is Marion from?
 5. How long has Linda been watching TV?
 6. Why won't Dick be able to join us tomorrow?
 7. Who usually works till 6 o'clock?
 8. How many cars has Paul got?
 9. How well does she speak English?
 10. When will the article be translated?
3. 1. (C) 2. (D) 3. (A) 4. (C) 5. (B) 6. (A) 7. (A) 8. (D) 9. (C) 10. (A)

TEST 18

1. A STORY ABOUT FORKS

1. (B) 2. (D) 3. (C) 4. (C) 5. (A)
2. 1. (C) 2. (D) 3. (C) 4. (C) 5. (A) 6. (C) 7. (B) 8. (B) 9. (C) 10. (D) 11. (A) 12. (D) 13. (B) 14. (C) 15. (C) 16. (A) 17. (B) 18. (B) 19. (D) 20. (A) 21. (D) 22. (C) 23. (B) 24. (B) 25. (A)
3. 1. Health and happiness are more important than money.
 2. I've been waiting for you since nine o'clock in the morning. Why are you always late?
 3. I don't like tea with sugar. — But I do.
 4. I've just read a very funny book. I can give it to you if you want (like).
 5. He doesn't even open the textbook. I wonder if he will pass the exam.
 6. Don't you know that water boils at 100 °C?
 7. When will this article be published?
 8. When I returned home my parents were already sleeping.

9. It was the cheapest hotel we could find.
10. If I were you I would use the dictionary much more often.

TEST 19

1. HEALTH TIPS FOR TRAVELLERS

1. (D) 2. (B) 3. (C) 4. (B) 5. (A) 6. (B) 7. (C) 8. (C)
2. A. 1. (B) 2. (B) 3. (A) 4. (B) 5. (C) 6. (A) 7. (D) 8. (B) 9. (D) 10. (C) 11. (C) 12. (A)
B. 1. (B) 2. (A) 3. (D) 4. (B) 5. (C) 6. (D) 7. (D) 8. (C) 9. (A) 10. (A)

TEST 20

1. ACID RAINS

1. (B) 2. (D) 3. (D) 4. (C) 5. (A) 6. (D) 7. (D) 8. (B)
2. A. 1. (C) 2. (D) 3. (D) 4. (B) 5. (B) 6. (D) 7. (D) 8. (B) 9. (A) 10. (B) 11. (B) 12. (C)
B. 1. (C) 2. (C) 3. (D) 4. (A) 5. (B) 6. (B) 7. (D) 8. (C) 9. (A) 10. (C)

TEST 21

1. WHAT HAPPENED TO THE DINOSAURS?

1. (B) 2. (C) 3. (D) 4. (B) 5. (D) 6. (C)
2. A. 1. (B) 2. (A) 3. (B) 4. (D) 5. (C) 6. (C) 7. (D) 8. (B) 9. (A) 10. (D) 11. (B) 12. (A)
13. (D) 14. (B) 15. (C) 16. (B) 17. (A) 18. (D) 19. (B) 20. (A) 21. (C)
B. 1. (C) 2. (B) 3. (B) 4. (D) 5. (A) 6. (C) 7. (C) 8. (A)

TEST 22

1. FUTURE KING JOINS TRADE UNION

1. (C) 2. (A) 3. (A) 4. (C) 5. (B) 6. (D)
2. A. 1. (B) 2. (C) 3. (C) 4. (A) 5. (C) 6. (D) 7. (A) 8. (B) 9. (D) 10. (A)
B. 1. (C) 2. (A) 3. (B) 4. (B) 5. (C) 6. (D) 7. (D) 8. (A) 9. (B) 10. (B) 11. (A) 12. (A)

TEST 23

1. THE PILGRIMS

1. (B) 2. (B) 3. (A) 4. (D) 5. (C) 6. (A)
2. 1. (C) 2. (C) 3. (B) 4. (D) 5. (B) 6. (A) 7. (C) 8. (D) 9. (A) 10. (A) 11. (B) 12. (A) 13.
(D) 14. (B) 15. (B) 16. (B) 17. (A) 18. (D) 19. (A) 20. (C) 21. (D) 22. (C) 23. (B) 24.
(B) 25. (A)

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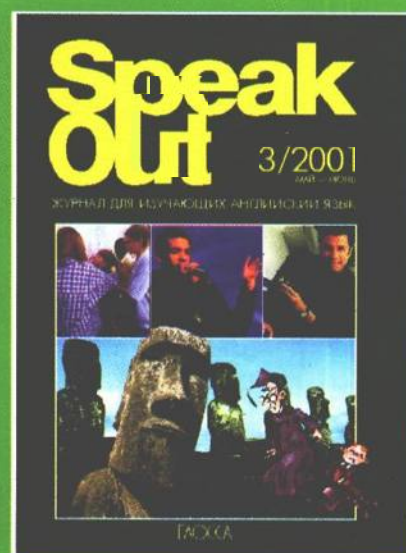
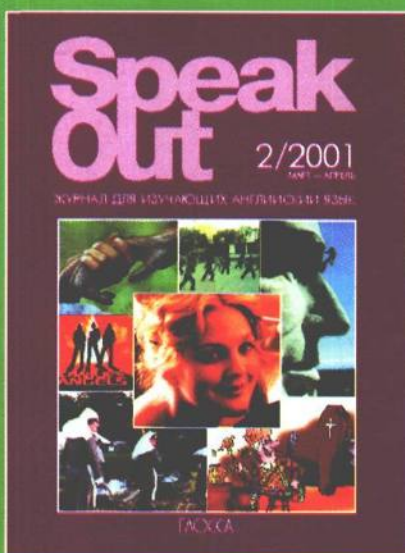
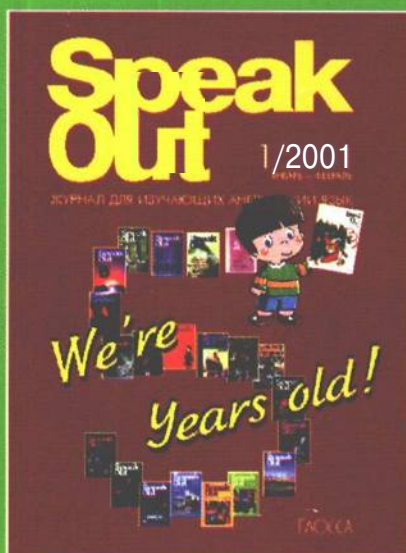
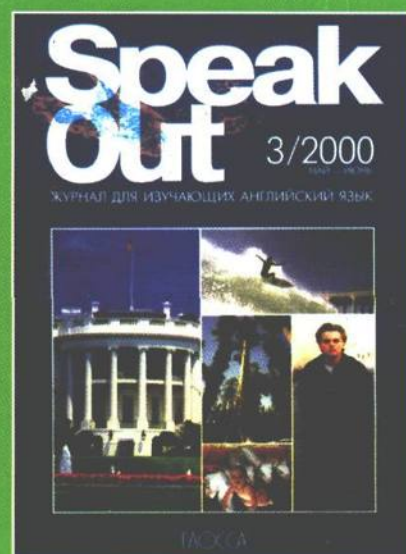
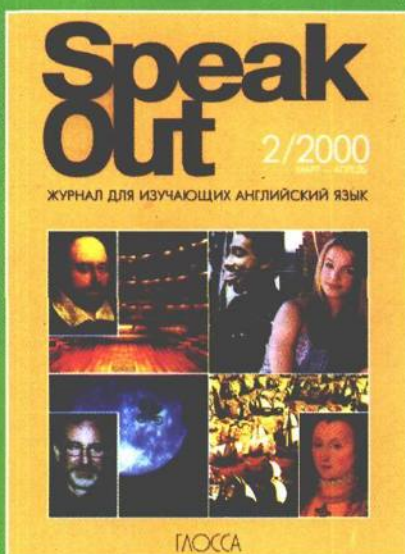
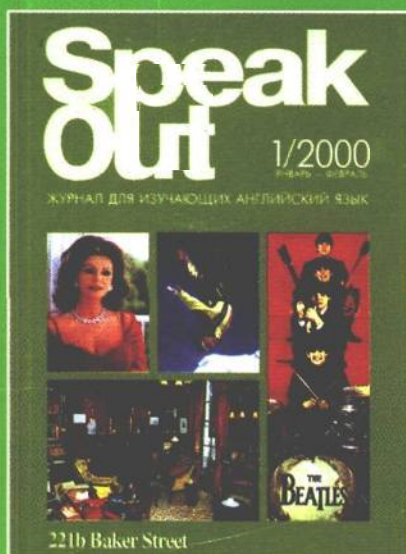
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