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## ПЕРЕДМОВА

Один із ефективних сучасних методів навчання, засвоєння та контролю знань студентів є тестування. Навчальний посібник “ Тестові завдання з англійської мови ” є незамінним помічником для всіх, хто вивчає англійську мову. Актуальність пропонованого навчального посібника зумовлюється тим, що його розробка відповідає радикальним змінам, що здійснюються у національній системі вищої освіти в Україні, які було започатковано процесом інтеграції країни в Європейський простір вищої освіти. В цьому плані навчальний посібник “ Тестові завдання з англійської мови ” відповідає потребам часу і може служити навчальним забезпеченням формування граматичної компетенції студентів. Посібник допоможе систематизувати набуті знання і підготуватися до тестів та екзаменів.

Матеріал посібника містить різноманітні граматичні тести, поділені на такі рубрики, як Entrance Qualifying Test (вступний кваліфікаційний тест), Test Your Grammar Competence (тест для визначення рівня сформованості граматичної компетенції) та Test Yourself (перевір свій рівень англійської). Тестові завдання поділено на два рівні (Level A та Level B) в декількох варіантах, які містять матеріал різного ступеня складності. Це дозволяє ефективно використовувати матеріали курсу в групах з різним рівнем підготовки студентів і правильно організувати навчальний процес. Така структура забезпечує максимальне охоплення граматичного матеріалу, сприяє використанню студентами ресурсів як активного, так і пасивного словникового запасу і додає динамічності навчальному процесу. Кожен має можливість послідовно опанувати рівні завдань і досягти більш високих результатів.

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# Entrance Qualifying Test

## I. Choose the Correct Item

**1. We need to peel the . . . .**

- a) potato
- b) potatos
- c) potatoes

**2. They are not my . . . books.**

- a) children's
- b) childs
- c) children'

**3. Yesterday we went to the shops and ... a new carpet.**

- a) caught
- b) bought
- c) brought

**4. It never ... here in July.**

- a) rain
- b) rains
- c) raining

**5. What time ... home?**

- a) did they go
- b) they went
- c) did they went

**6. The ... are crying.**

- a) babys
- b) babyes
- c) babies

**7. How much ... do you want?**

- a) bread
- b) apples
- c) eggs

**8. My ... hamburger recipe is the best.**

- a) father-in-law
- b) fathers-in-law
- c) father's-in-law
- d) father-in-law's

**9. Let's go to ... for lunch.**

- a) Pasquale's
- b) Pasquale
- c) Pasquales

**10. The ... thing to do is to open the windows.**

- a) importanter
- b) importanest
- c) most important

**11. The ... history goes back to 1808.**

- a) state's newspaper's
- b) state's newspaper
- c) state newspaper's

**12. ... imagination ran wild as she pictured the accident.**

- a) Jennifer
- b) Jennifers
- c) Jennifer's
- d) the Jennifer

**13. The . . . toy is a stuffed catnip mouse.**

- a) kitten
- b) kitten's
- c) the kittens
- d) kinens

**14. London's a big city, but Tokyo's . . . .**

- a) bigger
- b) more bigger
- c) the biggest

**15. I think volleyball's . . . interesting than football.**

- a) more
- b) most
- c) the most

**16. I like both of them, but I think Kate is . . . to talk to.**

- a) the most easy
- b) easiest
- c) easier

**17. Mathematics is difficult, but physics is . . . to my mind.**

- a) more difficult
- b) the most difficult
- c) most difficult
- d) the more difficult

**18. The Pan-American Highway is . . . road in the world.**

- a) the longest
- b) longer
- c) most long

- d) more longer

**19. He was the . . . in the family.**

- a) oldest
- b) older
- c) eldest
- d) elder

**20. She sings . . . than her brother.**

- a) better
- b) more good
- c) gooder

**21. My grandfather is the ... person in my family.**

- a) elder
- b) eldest
- c) most old

**22. His ... decreased because his salary was cut by 7 ... .**

- a) earnings, per cents
- b) earning, per cents
- c) earnings percentage
- d) earnings, per cent

**23. I need a... coat**

- a) warmest
- b) warmer
- c) more warm
- d) most warm

**24. We arrived . . . hour ago.**

- a) a

- b) an
- c) the

**25. We saw a movie last night. ... movie was good.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the

**26. ... night is very bright tonight.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the

**27. We ... tennis on Monday evenings, but my little sister ... on Sundays.**

- a) play / play
- b) plays /plays
- c) play / plays

**28. The athlete ... with the college track team next month.**

- a) will be training
- b) will be trained
- c) will have train

**29. Before he knew what was happening, the car ... into a tree.**

- a) has crashed
- b) was crashing
- c) had crashed

**30. They're rich — they ... lots of money!**

- a) got
- b) has got
- c) have got

**31. This bag is probably**

- a) you
- b) your
- c) yours

**32. . . . Earth is ... planet.**

- a) the, a
- b) -, -
- c) an, a
- d) a, a

**33. Which river flows through ... London? - ... Thames.**

- a) -, -
- b) -, the
- c) a, the
- d) the, the

**34. There are lots of lemons, but there isn't . . . sugar.**

- a) some
- b) any
- c) a

**35. There's .. rice in the cupboard.**

- a) some
- b) any
- c) a

**36. They've got a colour TV in . . . bedroom.**

- a) there
- b) their
- c) they're

**37. The teacher wants to talk to . . .**

- a) yours
- b) you
- c) you're
- d) your

**38. The school is in River Street, next ... the supermarket.**

- a) by
- b) to
- c) at

**39. They are sitting ... the table.**

- a) on
- b) in
- c) at

**40. My parents gave ... a bike for my birthday.**

- a) me
- b) to me
- c) for me

**41. I've got . . . postcards.**

- a) any
- b) little
- c) some

**42. Remember, don't tell . . . about him. it's a secret.**

- a) nobody
- b) anybody
- c) somebody
- d) something

**43. Budapest is situated ... the River Danube.**

- a) in
- b) on
- c) at

**44. Are you having a party ... your birthday?**

- a) in
- b) on
- c) at

**45. Ireland is famous ... its contributions ... world literature.**

- a) for, to
- b) of, of
- c) for, of
- d) as, for

**46. I don't like ... Stephen ... Peter.**

- a) neither ... nor
- b) either ... or
- c) both ... and

**47. ... John . I will help you study for the test.**

- a) either ... or
- b) as ... and
- c) every ... and

**48. I go to the park every Sunday to watch the ducks on the lake ... the shirtless men playing soccer.**

- a) of
- b) and
- c) but
- d) either

**49. They decided to see the Carpathians ... their car.**

- a) -, in
- b) to, by
- c) -, with
- d) for, by

**50. There were sharks .. . the water!**

- a) on
- b) in
- c) at

**51. The soccer in the park is entertaining in the winter, ... it's better in the heat of summer.**

- a) and
- b) either
- c) but

**52. You are . . . who asks me this stupid question.**

- a) fifth
- b) five
- c) the fifth

**53. Robert .. . lunch when his uncle phoned.**

- a) was having
- b) has had
- c) had

**54. Alice .. . to Japan four times so far.**

- a) has gone
- b) has been going
- c) was

**55. Jim was cooking dinner in the kitchen while Jack .. . the dog.**

- a) is feeding
- b) has been feeding
- c) was feeding

**56. Harry was sunburnt because he . . . on the beach for six hours.**

- a) had been sitting
- b) has been sitting
- c) has sat

**57. This bouquet costs ... dollars!**

- a) two hundred of
- b) two hundred
- c) two hundreds

**58. He wears a gold ring on the ... finger of his left hand.**

- a) Your
- b) forth
- c) fourth

**59. It's my mother's birthday today. She's ...**

- a) fourteen
- b) fourth
- c) forty

**60. . . interesting newspapers and magazines are published in Ukraine.**

- a) Hundred
- b) Hundreds
- c) Two hundreds

**61. They are ... students of the University.**

- a) first-year
- b) first-years

- c) one-year
- d) a first-year

**62. She ... adjusted the fees. She adapted . . to any situation.**

- a) quickly, quick
- b) quick, quickly
- c) quickly, quickly

**63. He was a very ... person. He acted very ... .**

- a) sensible, sensibly
- b) sensible, sensible
- c) sensibly, sensible

**64. Mike wrote too ... on the exam. He always writes ... .**

- a) slowly, slowly
- b) slowly, slow
- c) slow, slowly

**65. Right now I . . . my homework.**

- a) does
- b) am doing
- c) do

**66. This week she . . . for a test.**

- a) is studying
- b) study
- c) studies

**67. We ... to the movies last night.**

- a) went
- b) were going
- c) go

**68. The kids .. . outside all day. They are very tired.**

- a) has been playing
- b) played
- c) have been playing

**69. I'm so sorry! I .. . the vase.**

- a) break
- b) broke
- c) have broken

**70. Max didn't ... yesterday afternoon; he ... at home.**

- a) go out / stayed
- b) go out / stay
- c) went out / has stayed

**71. George always .. . his mail.**

- a) is checked
- b) checks
- c) check

**72. He is ... tallest boy in ... class.**

- a) a, the
- b) an, the
- c) the, the

**73. It is ... oldest building in ... town.**

- a) the, the
- b) an, the
- c) a, the

**74. I felt . . . bit depressed.**

- a) a

- b) an
- c) the

**75. Do you have phone number?**

- a) am
- b) my
- c) mine

**76. Eleven plus thirteen. . . twenty-four.**

- a) brings
- b) makes
- c) results
- d) takes

**77. Nineteen hundred minus a thousand is . . . .**

- a) nineteen
- b) ninety
- c) nine hundred
- d) nine thousand

**78. He . . . defined the terms. The answer sounded . . .**

- a) correctly, correctly
- b) correct, correctly
- c) correctly, correct

**79. We didn't win the game — we ..**

- a) lose
- b) losed
- c) lost

**80. He woke up late, so he ... any breakfast.**

- a) didn't has

- b) didn't had
- c) didn't have

**81. ... many people at the party.**

- a) it was
- b) There was
- c) There were

**82. Where ... at the weekend?**

- a) you went
- b) did you go
- c) did you went

**83. Where ... stay?**

- a) you going to
- b) you're going to
- c) are you going to

**84. What ... you wearing to the party tonight?**

- a) are
- b) is
- c) am

**85. She can't talk to you now. She ... her hair.**

- a) washes
- b) washed
- c) is washing

**86. He is rich and famous. - ...**

- a) So do I
- b) So am I
- c) So I am

**87. I felt that somebody . . . me, but there was nobody in the sight.**

- a) was followed
- b) have followed
- c) had followed
- d) was following

**88. Look at him! He . . . the same old clothes.**

- a) wears
- b) has worn
- c) is wearing
- d) wore

**89. The train . . . just come.**

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

**90. Yesterday he . . . a permission to go there.**

- a) got
- b) get
- c) gets
- d) had got

**91. At this time tomorrow we ... an English lesson.**

- a) will be having
- b) will have
- c) will have had

**92. They said that she ... already ... the report.**

- a) has ... made

- b) had ... made
- c) was making
- d) is making

**93. Where ... to? — My mother ... me to go to the post-office.**

- a) you are going, told
- b) do you go, tells
- c) are you going, told
- d) will you go, tell

**94. The woman ... eating rice.**

- a) am
- b) are
- c) is

**95. By the time we arrive home, she ... cooking.**

- a) will have finished
- b) will finish
- c) will have been finishing

**96. They ... for a new house at the moment.**

- a) have been looking
- b) look
- c) are looking

**97. The rain ... but a strong wind ... still ... .**

- a) had stopped, blows
- b) has stopped, is . . . blowing
- c) stopped, is . . . blowing
- d) was stopped, was . . . blowing

**98. He regularly ... her at the tram stop.**

- a) see
- b) have seen
- c) sees
- d) had seen

**99. I felt nervous, so I . . . .**

- a) had a cigarette
- b) has a cigarette
- c) is a cigarette

**100. I'm thirsty. I . . . for two hours.**

- a) have run
- b) am running
- c) have been running

# Test Your Grammar

## Competence

# Noun: Number, Case.

## Articles. Adjective: Comparatives and Superlatives

Level A

Test 1

**1. Excuse me. Is there ... bank near here?**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the
- d) ---

**2. The train to Liverpool will depart from ... platform 7 in ten minutes. Will passengers please board the train now.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the

- d) ---

**3. Everyone who works in this department uses ... computer.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the
- d) ---

**4. Neil likes to listen to ... radio while he is getting dressed.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the
- d) ---

**5. Can you repair ... computer in Liam's office? It's not working.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the
- d) ---

**6. Be careful. Radiation from ... sun can cause skin cancer.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the
- d) ---

**7. Helen had eggs and bacon for ... breakfast so she wasn't very hungry at lunchtime.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the
- d) ---

**8. When Nigel was promoted at work he moved to a bigger office at ... end of the corridor.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the
- d) ---

**9. Tina went to the cinema on Friday night. She enjoyed ... film, but thought it was too long.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the
- d) ---

**10. The history of ... Winchester Cathedral in England goes back to the 7th century.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the
- d) ---

**11. ... is a science.**

- Physic
- b) Physices
- c) Physics
- d) Physicses

**12. ... have equal rights with men.**

- Woman
- b) Womans
- c) Womens

- d) Women

**13. The tourists didn't hurt their ... climbing the mountain.**

- foot
- b) feets
- c) foots
- d) feet

**14. Her ... is always very useful.**

- advices
- b) advice
- c) advicies
- d) advise

**15. The ... is heard on the radio at seven o'clock.**

- new
- b) newes
- c) newses
- d) news

**16. Those ... are very important.**

- data
- b) datum
- c) datas
- d) dates

**17. They looked at us as though we were strange ...**

- phenomenon
- b) phenomena
- c) phenomenas
- d) phenomenie

**18. Here is the ... you need.**

- formule
- b) formulas
- c) formula
- d) formulie

**19. These measures may save many ...**

- life
- b) lifes
- c) leaves
- d) lives

**20. The American nation consists of many ...**

- people
- b) peoples
- c) peoplees
- d) peopies

**21. We do not remember that ... name.**

- mans'
- b) man's
- c) of man
- d) mans's

**22. The ... programme was fulfilled by our laboratory.**

- months'
- b) month's
- c) months's
- d) of month

**23. ... vehicles are powered with mighty engines.**

- Today's

- b) Today's
- c) Today
- d) Today's

**24. ... books are interesting and valuable.**

- Mr Smith's and Mr Jones's
- b) Mr Smith's and Mr Jones
- c) Mr Smith and Mr Jones's
- d) of Mr Smith and Mr Jones

**25. ... plays are widely staged in a variety of theatres.**

- Shakespeare'
- b) Shakespeare's
- c) Shakespeares'
- d) Shakespeare

**26. The ... decisions are not always popular among the public.**

- government's
- b) governments's
- c) governments'
- d) government

**27. ... house was built last year.**

- Peter's and Helen's
- b) Peter's and Helen
- c) Peter and Helen's
- d) Peter and Helen

**28. Her skin was as dry as a ...**

- child's
- b) child's'
- c) child

- d) child's

**29. Chairs are made of ...**

- wooden
- b) wood
- c) woods
- d) somewoods

**30. Mrs. Baker went to the store to buy three ... of toothpaste.**

- pieces
- b) brushes
- c) loaves
- d) tubes

**31. The object is too ... in its natural size.**

- bigger
- b) the biggest
- c) big
- d) more big

**32. This building is much ...**

- high
- b) higher
- c) the highest
- d) more high

**33. This problem is not so ... as it may seem.**

- difficult
- b) more difficult
- c) the most difficult
- d) difficulter

**34. This is ... device I've ever known about.**

- complex
- b) more complex
- c) the most complex
- d) the complexest

**35. The nuclear radiation is ... to living beings.**

- harmfuller
- b) more harmful
- c) the most harmful
- d) harmful

**36. We are ... than our cousins.**

- elder
- b) older
- c) the oldest
- d) the eldest

**37. She looks ... today than yesterday.**

- more happy
- b) happy
- c) happier
- d) the most happy

**38. This film is much ... than that we saw yesterday.**

- the best
- b) good
- c) gooder
- d) better

**39. It was ... business practice I have ever experienced.**

- bad

- b) the worst
- c) worse
- d) baddest

**40. They live even ... than we could imagine.**

- farther
- b) further
- c) father
- d) farthest

## Test 2

**1. We bought ... book in the Barnes and Noble shop.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) some
- d) —

**2. Ms. Smith found ... glass from the broken window on the floor.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) some
- d) —

**3. There is ... room for 4 people in my car.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) some
- d) —

**4. I don't like these boots, but I really like the ... you are wearing.**

- one
- b) ones
- c) ones'
- d) —

**5. ... cups of coffee do you drink every day?**

- a) How much
- b) How many
- c) How
- d) How's

**6. There isn't ... electricity at the campsite.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) some
- d) any

**7. I'll buy ... bottle of water at the beach.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) some
- d) —

**8. Have you got ... lemons?**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) some
- d) any

**9. ... cheese do you buy for a week?**

- a) How much
- b) How many

- c) How long
- d) How

**10. Would you like ... fruit?**

- a) a
- b) some
- c) any
- d) many

**11. The blue jacket costs \$50, the white jacket costs \$70. The blue jacket is ... than the white one.**

- a) cheaper
- b) cheap
- c) less cheaper
- d) the least cheaper

**12. London is ... than New York.**

- a) nosiest
- b) noisy
- c) noisier
- d) noise

**13. Paris is the ... city I've ever seen.**

- a) beautiful
- b) more beautiful
- c) most beautiful
- d) less beautiful

**14. Every year the Guinness Book of Records announces ... person in the world.**

- a) more higher
- b) the highest

- c) highest
- d) highestest

**15. I am 1.9 cm ... than you are.**

- a) tallest
- b) more taller
- c) tallier
- d) taller

**16. This chair is ... than the other one.**

- a) much comfortable
- b) many more comfortable
- c) very comfortable
- d) more comfortable

**17. Cindy is ... girl I have ever met.**

- a) the smartest
- b) smartier
- c) the most smartest
- d) smarter

**18. Cars are getting ... as the years go by.**

- a) the cheapest
- b) most cheaper
- c) cheaper
- d) much more cheaper

**19. You can buy it at the ...**

- a) chemist
- b) chemists
- c) chemist's
- d) chemists'

**20. This is my ... room.**

- a) children
- b) childrens
- c) children's
- d) childrens'

**21. My ... friend is in Kyiv now.**

- a) fathers'
- b) father
- c) father's
- d) fathers's

**22. My ... library is very rich.**

- a) brother-in-law
- b) brother's-in-law
- c) brother's-in-law's
- d) brother-in-law's

**23. I have a ... brother.**

- a) twelve-year-old's
- b) twelve-year's-old
- c) twelve-year-old
- d) twelve-year-olds'

**24. Let's not go by train. Going by bus is ...**

- a) cheap
- b) the most cheap
- c) a lot cheaper
- d) less cheaper

**25. This is ... story in this book. I liked it best of all.**

- a) more interesting

- b) the most interesting
- c) not so interesting
- d) interesting

**26. We'd like to buy a new house, but new houses are ... than older ones.**

- a) much more expensive
- b) the most expensive
- c) expensive
- d) much expensive

**27. I have never liked studying Chemistry; it is ... subject for me.**

- a) the least interesting
- b) the most interesting
- c) less interesting
- d) interesting

**28. I can't walk very fast. You are younger; you can walk ...**

- a) much faster
- b) fast
- c) the fastest
- d) faster

**29. My elder brother is three years ... than I.**

- a) older
- b) elder
- c) the oldest
- d) the eldest

**30. Are you any good at tennis? I am ... tennis player in the world.**

- a) the worst
- b) worse
- c) bad

- d) good

**31. Philip is so quiet and obedient. He is ... child I have ever met.**

- a) well-behaved
- b) the best-behaved
- c) better-behaved
- d) behaved

**32. Your ... are here.**

- a) children' friends
- b) children friends
- c) children's friends
- d) friends of children

**33. Where are ...?**

- a) Chris's children
- b) Chris' children
- c) Chris children
- d) children of Chris

**34. ... is very changeable.**

- a) Britain weather
- b) Britain's weather
- c) weather of Britain
- d) Britain weather's

**35. Do you agree with ...?**

- a) the economic policy of the government
- b) the government economic policy
- c) the government's economic policy
- d) the policy of economic government

**36. I heard ... yesterday in the evening.**

- a) the dog barking's
- b) the dog barking
- c) the dogs' barking
- d) the dogs barking

**37. ... had a great influence on English history.**

- a) Peter-the-First reforms
- b) Peter-the-First' reforms
- c) Peter's—the-First reforms
- d) Peter-the-First's reforms

**38. He lives by ...**

- a) one's finger's ends
- b) one finger ends
- c) one finger's ends
- d) one's finger ends

**39. Is this your ...?**

- a) friend umbrella
- b) friend's umbrella
- c) umbrella of friend
- d) friend umbrella's

**40. Write your name at ...**

- a) the page's top
- b) the top of the page
- c) the page top
- d) the top's page

## Test 3

### 1. People used to pay in ...

- a) gold
- b) a gold
- c) the gold
- d) golds

### 2. I shall send the letter by ...

- a) air
- b) an air
- c) the air
- d) airs

### 3. We can fill the car up with ... at the petrol station.

- a) petrol
- b) a petrol
- c) the petrol
- d) petrols

### 4. What will ... be like tomorrow?

- a) weather
- b) a weather
- c) the weather
- d) weathers

**5. The prisoner was given only ...**

- a) bread and water
- b) a bread and water
- c) the bread and water
- d) breads and waters

**6. This old French table is a very valuable piece ...**

- a) furniture
- b) the furniture
- c) furnitures
- d) of furniture

**7. We always get lots of ... there, but they never give us much to drink.**

- a) food
- b) foods
- c) the food
- d) the foods

**8. He doesn't usually carry ... on him.**

- a) a money
- b) many money
- c) much money
- d) no money

**9. Money ... always bring happiness.**

- a) is
- b) isn't
- c) don't
- d) doesn't

**10. You did such splendid ...**

- a) work
- b) a work
- c) the work
- d) works

**11. There was ... at the Victoria Hall we could have gone to.**

- a) wonderful concert
- b) a wonderful concert
- c) the wonderful concert
- d) wonderful concerts

**12. This is ... I'm sure.**

- a) safest way out
- b) a safest way out
- c) the safest way out
- d) safest ways out

**13. Which is ... to the post-office?**

- a) right way
- b) a right way
- c) the right way
- d) right ways

**14. You are ... I want to talk to.**

- a) very man
- b) a very man
- c) the very man
- d) very men

**15. Have you read ...?**

- a) Chapter Ten
- b) a Chapter Ten

- c) the Chapter Ten
- d) the Chapters Ten

**16. Open the book at ..., please.**

- a) page twenty-five
- b) a page twenty-five
- c) the page twenty-five
- d) the pages twenty-five

**17. I know ... had nothing to do with it.**

- a) Forster family
- b) a Forster family
- c) the Forster family
- d) Forster's family

**18. His first novel was favourably received by ...**

- a) press
- b) a press
- c) the press
- d) some press

**19. Fortune favours ...**

- a) brave
- b) a brave
- c) the brave
- d) braves

**20. ... are musical people as a rule.**

- a) An Italian
- b) The Italian
- c) The Italians
- d) Italians

**21. When we reached the beach, the children ran into ... to swim.**

- a) sea
- b) a sea
- c) the sea
- d) seas

**22. In ... people lived in caves.**

- a) Stone Age
- b) a Stone Age
- c) the Stone Age
- d) Stone Ages

**23. Mr. Jones was a man of ...**

- a) decision
- b) a decision
- c) the decision
- d) some decision

**24. He received the degree of ... two years ago.**

- a) Doctor of Law
- b) a Doctor of Law
- c) the Doctor of Law
- d) some Doctor of Law

**25. The position of ... did not suit her.**

- a) governess
- b) a governess
- c) the governess
- d) governesses

**26. ... Nina wanted to play with the cat and I left her in the garden.**

- a) Little
- b) A little
- c) The little
- d) This little

**27. The dinner was served by ...**

- a) silent Mrs. Keats
- b) a silent Mrs. Keats
- c) the silent Mrs. Keats
- d) that silent Mrs. Keats

**28. I hope in ... you'll be more careful.**

- a) future
- b) a future
- c) the future
- d) futures

**29. His face always reminded Michael of ... grown old.**

- a) Lincoln
- b) a Lincoln
- c) the Lincoln
- d) some Lincoln

**30. The sunset behind the hills and ... came.**

- a) night
- b) a night
- c) the night
- d) the nights

**31. Youth lasts so short ...**

- a) time
- b) a time

- c) the time
- d) times

**32. The girl he loved was Laura Merton, ... of a retired Colonel.**

- a) daughter
- b) a daughter
- c) the daughter
- d) a certain daughter

**33. Susan is ... person in the whole family.**

- a) a wonderful
- b) a more wonderful
- c) the most wonderful

**34. He is also ... person than Paul.**

- a) a polite
- b) a more polite
- c) the most polite

**35. She has ... job of all.**

- a) a difficult
- b) a more difficult
- c) the most difficult

**36. I think dogs are ... than cats.**

- a) intelligent
- b) more intelligent
- c) the most intelligent

**37. Which instrument makes ... music in the world?**

- a) a beautiful
- b) more beautiful

- c) the most beautiful

**38. This coat is ... of all.**

- a) an expensive
- b) a less expensive
- c) the least expensive

**39. That painting is ... than the one in your living-room.**

- a) impressive
- b) less impressive
- c) the least impressive

**40. Betty is ... than Jane, but Kate is ... of all.**

Betty is:

Kate is:

- |                             |                             |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| ● a) a hard-working         | ● a) a hard-working         |
| ● b) less hard-working      | ● b) less hard-working      |
| ● c) the least hard-working | ● c) the least hard-working |

Level B

**1. Where are the ... magazines?**

- a) women's
- b) women
- c) womens
- d) woman

**2. ... twelve can be divided by 2, 3, 4 and six.**

- a) Number
- b) A number
- c) The number
- d) Numbers

**3. I'd like to make ... with you.**

- a) friend
- b) a friend
- c) the friends
- d) friends

**4. The teacher gave me ...**

- a) many good advice
- b) many good pieces of advice
- c) many good advices
- d) many pieces of good advice

**5. He was in ... when he got married.**

- a) thirties
- b) the thirties
- c) thirty age
- d) his thirties

**6. He must be near-sighted, for he wears ...**

- a) spectacle
- b) spectacles
- c) a spectacle
- d) a pair of spectacle

**7. ... birthdays both come in October.**

- a) My brother and sister's
- b) My brother and my sister
- c) My brother's and sister's
- d) My brother's sister's

**8. ... should be planted in the shade.**

- a) This kind of flowers
- b) These kind of flowers
- c) These kinds of flowers
- d) This kind flower

**9. Mother went to the doctor for ... about her stomach trouble.**

- a) advice
- b) an advice
- c) the advice
- d) advices

**10. He gained his ... by selling ... of famous authors.**

- a) wealths, works
- b) wealth, work
- c) wealth, works
- d) wealths, work

**11. The farmer has raised ... of ... of ... on his farm.**

- a) hundreds, head, cattle
- b) hundred, head, cattle

- c) hundreds, heads, cattles
- d) hundred, heads, cattle

**12. ... Heathrow Airport is the biggest international airport in the world.**

- a) A
- b) An
- c) The
- d) -----

**13. ... turn yellow in fall.**

- a) Leafs'
- b) Leaf
- c) Leaves
- d) Leave

**14. ... came that Director Li would drop in on his way here to have ... with me.**

- a) Words, words
- b) The word, a word
- c) Word, a word
- d) Word, the word

**15. We bought many ... before we moved into the new house.**

- a) furniture
- b) furnitures
- c) pieces of furniture
- d) pieces of furnitures

**16. When she got back, Jenifer was surprised to find ... broken.**

- a) the room's window
- b) the room window
- c) the window of the room
- d) the room of the window

**17. The closet is of ... the other one.**

- a) as larger as
- b) the same large as
- c) the same larger as
- d) large as

**18. What do they eat there in Honolulu? “... eat rice rather than potatoes”.**

- a) Most of people
- b) The most of people
- c) Most of the people
- d) The most people

**19. I don't think that his watch is ...**

- a) worth the price
- b) worthy the price
- c) worthy to buy
- d) worth of the price

**20. There are ... children attending school in our village than in your village.**

- a) a few
- b) few
- c) less
- d) fewer

**21. Lisa looks ... than she really is.**

- a) the older
- b) more older
- c) much older
- d) more old

**22. The ... an object is from us, the ... it looks.**

- a) further away, smaller
- b) farther away, less
- c) farther away, smallest
- d) farther away, smaller

**23. It's believed that ... one works, ... result one will get.**

- a) the more hard, the more better
- b) the harder, the better
- c) more hard, more better
- d) the harder, a better

**24. I am going to go to the ...**

- a) shoe's store
- b) shoes' store
- c) shoes store
- d) shoe store

**25. He spent all his ... on that car.**

- a) safe
- b) saving
- c) safety
- d) savings

**26. Is she very helpful? She is only a ... girl.**

- a) ten-years old
- b) ten-years olds
- c) ten-year-old
- d) ten-old-years

**27. What have you finished? I have finished ...**

- a) a day's work
- b) a day work

- c) days working
- d) the day work

**28. Mary, where is my hat? It's on ...**

- a) the hall table
- b) the hall's table
- c) the table of the hall
- d) the table of hall

**29. Ben lives in Manchester but twice ... week he has to work in London.**

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the
- d) ----

**30. He had to balance his account very carefully because he had ...**

- a) a few moneys
- b) few moneys
- c) little money
- d) a little money

**31. The activities of the Tennessee Valley Authority have aided the economic rehabilitation on the Tennessee Valley, ... of some 40 000 square miles.**

- a) an area
- b) its area
- c) area
- d) areas

**32. Would you like to hear classical music or contemporary music? Classical music is my ...**

- a) preferring
- b) preference

- c) one preferring
- d) one prefer

**33. ... is one of my favourite subjects.**

- a) A mathematic
- b) The Mathematic
- c) Mathematics
- d) The Mathematics

**34. The representatives of the party took great ... in reaching a final agreement.**

- a) a pain
- b) pains
- c) pain
- d) the pain

**35. ... police were acting upon the information they received.**

- a) The
- b) Many
- c) Much
- d) Little

**36. ... is a five-cent coin in America.**

- a) A nickel
- b) Nickel
- c) Nickels
- d) The Nickel

**37. His house is within ... from the post office.**

- a) stone's throw
- b) a throw of a stone
- c) a stone's throw

- d) the stone's throw

**38. Do you happen to know ... insulin is?**

- a) what kind of a substance
- b) what kind of substance
- c) what kind a substance
- d) of what kind of substance

**39. The victim of the accident sued the bus company for ...**

- a) the damage
- b) a damage
- c) damages
- d) damage

**40. I saw ... at the barber's.**

- a) my sister's a boy friend
- b) a boy friend of my sister
- c) boy friend of my sister
- d) my sister's boyfriend

## Test 2

**1. The interesting thing about ... is all the roads that they built in Britain.**

- a) Romans
- b) a Romans
- c) the Romans
- d) -

**2. We celebrate New Year on ... of December.**

- a) 31st
- b) a 31st
- c) the 31st
- d) the 31

**3. Bring ... from the kitchen.**

- a) milk
- b) a milk
- c) the milk
- d) milks

**4. This is ... wine I have ever drunk.**

- a) Best
- b) a best
- c) the best
- d) good

**5. ... have left London.**

- Browns
- b) A Browns
- c) The Browns
- d) Brown

**6. The Queen of Great Britain is not ...**

- a) absolute
- b) an absolute
- c) the absolute
- d) absolutes

**7. ... is the main modern art museum in London.**

- a) Tate Gallery
- b) A Tate Gallery

- c) The Tate Gallery
- d) Tate Galleries

**8. ... had never possessed a standing army or a police force.**

- a) Tudors
- b) A Tudors
- c) The Tudors
- d) Tudor

**9. Can you give me ... over there?**

- a) book
- b) a book
- c) the book
- d) the books

**10. Could you close ..., please?**

- a) Door
- b) a door
- c) the door
- d) doors

**11. The film was really boring. It was ... I've ever seen.**

- a) most boring film
- b) the more boring film
- c) the film more boring
- d) the most boring film

**12. John's grades are ... his sister's.**

- a) the higher than
- b) the highest as
- c) higher than
- d) more high than

**13. The salary of a professor is higher than ... a secretary.**

- a) —
- b) one of
- c) has
- d) that of

**14. The harder he works, ... he becomes.**

- a) very successful
- b) the more successful
- c) very much successful
- d) the most successful

**15. The noise got ... until I could not bear it any longer.**

- a) much more louder and louder
- b) loudest and loudest
- c) louder and louder
- d) the loudest

**16. Their car was twice as ... as ours.**

- a) more expensive
- b) expensive
- c) expensivie
- d) the most expensive

**17. My brother is ... than me.**

- a) elder
- b) older
- c) more older
- d) the oldest

**18. She's by far ... woman I have ever seen.**

- a) more beautiful
- b) beautifully
- c) much beautiful
- d) the most beautiful

**19. I've heard James playing the piano. He doesn't seem to be getting ...**

- a) gooder
- b) the best
- c) better
- d) the goodest

**20. That magnificent ... temple was constructed by ... Chinese.**

- a) eight-century-old, the
- b) old-eight-centuries, —
- c) eight-century's-old, a
- d) eight-centuries-old, the

**21. Mr. Watson was satisfied with the results of speaking to ... father.**

- a) Bob's and Mike's
- b) Bob and Mike's
- c) Bob's and Mike
- d) Bob and Mike

**22. ... meeting has been cancelled.**

- a) Tomorrow'
- b) Tomorrows'
- c) Tomorrows's
- d) Tomorrow's

**23. The recipe you want was in ...**

- a) last Sundays' paper
- b) last Sunday paper's

- c) last Sunday's paper
- d) last Sunday paper

**24. The ... qualifications have been questioned recently.**

- a) commander-in-chief's
- b) commander-in-chiefis
- c) commanders-in-chiefis
- d) commander's-in-chiefs

**25. Jenny had read all ... plays when she studied at school.**

- a) Shakespear and Shaw plays
- b) Shakespear's and Shaw plays
- c) Shakespear and Shaw's plays
- d) Shakespear's and Shaw's plays

**26. I didn't like the book; it was rather dull. The film is ...**

- a) as interesting
- b) more interesting
- c) the most interesting
- d) interesting

**27. "This is ... place to cross the street in," the policeman warned us.**

- a) more dangerous
- b) the most dangerous
- c) so dangerous
- d) dangerous

**28. The ... said the soonest mended.**

- a) least
- b) less
- c) last
- d) the least

**29. The dog started to run. It ran ... and soon disappeared in the distance.**

- a) faster and faster
- b) the faster and the faster
- c) the fastest
- d) fast

**30. I am sure a trolleybus is ... a metro.**

- a) as convenient as
- b) not as convenient as
- c) more convenient as
- d) convenient

**31. I have known Liz for years. She is ... than her sister Jane.**

- a) far more serious
- b) a bit serious
- c) not so serious
- d) serious

**32. Ron Gregg has just written a new book. His ... book is selling very well.**

- a) latter
- b) last
- c) latest
- d) later

**33. Please tell ... that they'll be late getting home from school.**

- a) Amanda's and Tom father
- b) Amanda and Tom father
- c) Amanda and Tom's father
- d) Amanda and Tom father's

**34. I couldn't go to ...**

- a) Catherine party

- b) Catherine party's
- c) party of Catherine
- d) Catherine's party

**35. Our ... is very nice.**

- a) neighbours garden
- b) neighbours' garden
- c) neighbour garden's
- d) neighbours gardens

**36. The ... is on the first floor.**

- a) editor-in-chief's room
- b) editor-in's-chief room
- c) editor-in-chiefis room
- d) editor-in-chief room's

**37. Keep out of ...!**

- a) harm's way
- b) harm way
- c) harm way's
- d) harming way

**38. Today they had lunch at ...**

- a) Emily
- b) Emily's
- c) Emily house
- d) Emily house's

**39. What is ...?**

- a) a new computer's cost
- b) the cost of a new computer
- c) new computer cost

- d) new computer's cost

**40. It's about ... from my house to the airport.**

- a) two hours drive
- b) drive of two hour
- c) two hour's drive
- d) a two hours' drive

Test 3

**1. I think you have made ... right choice.**

- a) the
- b) many
- c) a
- d) some

**2. Mount Everest is ... than Mont Blanc.**

- a) highest
- b) the highest
- c) the higher
- d) higher

**3. The boys gathered a bundle of ...**

- a) sticks
- b) people

- c) beads
- d) houses

**4. Over by the railroad tracks, there was a heap of ...**

- a) houses
- b) flowers
- c) stairs
- d) stones

**5. In the distance, the onlookers could see a fleet of ...**

- a) players
- b) insects
- c) stairs
- d) ships

**6. As she looked up, she saw a flight of ...**

- a) birds
- b) steirs
- c) stair
- d) stairs

**7. The flock of ... stayed together.**

- a) sheep
- b) blankets
- c) ships
- d) sheeps

**8. A crowd of ... lined up to see what was happening.**

- a) woman
- b) man
- c) people
- d) birds

**9. There was a long row of ... near the beach.**

- a) cows
- b) insects
- c) stairs
- d) houses

**10. Put the bottle of ... away.**

- a) medicine
- b) a medicine
- c) the medicine
- d) medicines

**11. There is no grass here and in the summer we have a great deal of ...**

- a) dust
- b) dusts
- c) the dust
- d) the dusts

**12. The boy showed ...**

- a) a courage
- b) many courage
- c) much courage
- d) courages

**13. We got ... from the tourist office.**

- a) an information
- b) any information
- c) some information
- d) informations

**14. His aunt, ... of uncertain age, was also present at the ceremony.**

- a) woman
- b) a woman
- c) the woman
- d) the women

**15. ... in the morning is worth two in the evening.**

- a) Hour
- b) A hour
- c) An hour
- d) The hour

**16. Ben couldn't hear ... she spoke.**

- a) word
- b) a word
- c) the word
- d) no word

**17. He bought ... ties at the shop.**

- a) dozen
- b) a dozen
- c) the dozen
- d) the dozens

**18. Her brother was ... at Berkley College.**

- a) student
- b) a student
- c) the student
- d) students

**19. The sun shone on ... of her hair.**

- a) gold
- b) a gold

- c) the gold
- d) golds

**20. Waiter, take back ... that you call soup.**

- a) water
- b) a water
- c) the water
- d) waters

**21. She has taken a lot of ... but none has cured the disease.**

- a) different medicine
- b) a different medicine
- c) the different medicine
- d) more different medicine

**22. Sorry, I've dialled ...**

- a) wrong number
- b) a wrong number
- c) the wrong number
- d) wrong numbers

**23. You are ...; you must help your parents.**

- a) grown boy
- b) a grown boy
- c) an grown boy
- d) the grown boy

**24. '... lives on a wonderful planet', the speaker said.**

- a) Mankind
- b) A mankind
- c) The mankind
- d) Some mankind

**25. ... I have met all love opera.**

- a) Italian
- b) An Italian
- c) The Italian
- d) Italians

**26. He spoke of the picture as ...**

- a) work of art
- b) a work of art
- c) the work of art
- d) works of art

**27. She had a few pleasant ... while living abroad.**

- a) experience
- b) experiences
- c) the experience
- d) the experiences

**28. Waiter! There's ... in my soup!**

- a) hair
- b) a hair
- c) the hair
- d) hairs

**29. She left on ... this morning.**

- a) 8 o'clock bus
- b) a 8 o'clock bus
- c) an 8 o'clock bus
- d) the 8 o'clock bus

**30. Have you ever been to ...**

- a) Netherlands
- b) a Netherlands
- c) the Netherlands
- d) Netherlands country

**31. He did only one-third of ...**

- a) work
- b) a work
- c) the work
- d) works

**32. "... was a very nice person", he said in a low voice.**

- a) Late Mrs. Jones
- b) A late Mrs. Jones
- c) The late Mrs. Jones
- d) This late Mrs. Jones

**33. Every morning he drove out in ...**

- a) dirty old Ford
- b) a dirty old Ford
- c) the dirty old Ford
- d) the dirty old Fords

**34. He was made a clerk in his ... bank.**

- a) father's-in-law
- b) fathers'-in-law
- c) father-in-law's
- d) father-in-laws'

**35. ... Cutler explained the operation to her carefully.**

- a) Surgeon
- b) A surgeon

- c) The surgeon
- d) A certain

**36. Davis, ... of the bar, came over and Michael made his introductions.**

- a) owner
- b) a owner
- c) an owner
- d) the owner

**37. The school was built on a hill and he could see ... below him.**

- a) Hudson river
- b) a Hudson river
- c) the Hudson river
- d) Hudson's river

**38. She stood by ... talking with somebody.**

- a) taxi
- b) a taxi
- c) the taxi
- d) some taxi

**39. Still, you didn't guess that I was ... by birth.**

- a) American
- b) an American
- c) the American
- d) American's

**40. Don't talk about them. Let's talk about something ...**

- a) an interesting
- b) more interesting
- c) the most interesting

# Verb: Present Tenses Review

Level A

Test 1

**1. I ... you should quit your job and find a career that you enjoy.**

- a) think
- b) has thought
- c) have been thinking
- d) am thinking

**2. My friend has been writing to me for years already, but he never ... a photo.**

- a) sends
- b) has sent
- c) is sending
- d) has been sending

**3. Every year, Shirley ... German Shepherd dogs. I always go visit her when she has a new litter of puppies.**

- a) breeds
- b) has bred
- c) is breeding
- d) has been breeding

**4. Your fingers are very brown. You ... too much.**

- a) have been smoking
- b) smoke

- c) are smoking
- d) have smoked

**5. “Would you like to borrow this book?” “No, thanks. I ... it before.”**

- a) have read
- b) have been reading
- c) am reading
- d) read

**6. Every time the family goes shopping, Trish ... her son push the cart in the grocery store.**

- has been letting
- b) is letting
- c) lets
- d) has let

**7. Sharon ... to travel. She goes abroad almost every summer. Next year, she plans to go to Peru.**

- a) loves
- b) has been loving
- c) is loving
- d) has loved

**8. “Have bought any new CDs recently?” “Yes. Actually I ... two this week.”**

- a) have been buying
- b) have bought
- c) buy
- d) am buying

**9. A large car ... more gasoline than a smaller one.**

- a) uses
- b) is using

- c) has used
- d) has been using

**10. Julie is very talented. She ... several musical instruments well.**

- a) has played
- b) is playing
- c) plays
- d) has been playing

**11. Brian ... Susie since he was 5 years old.**

- a) knows
- b) has known
- c) is knowing
- d) has been knowing

**12. Her phone ... for ten minutes. I wonder why she doesn't answer it?**

- a) rings
- b) has been ringing
- c) has rang
- d) is ringing

**13. Television has many advantages. It keeps us informed about the latest news, and also ... entertainment at home.**

- a) has been providing
- b) provides
- c) is providing
- d) has provided

**14. What's the matter? You look upset. Last week I lost my scarf and now I just ... my gloves.**

- a) have lost
- b) am losing

- c) have been losing
- d) lose

**15. On the other hand television ... for the violent behavior of some young people, and for encouraging children to sit indoors, instead of doing sports.**

- a) blames
- b) has blamed
- c) is blaming
- d) has been blaming

**16. The trial ... on for a long time. I wonder what the verdict will be.**

- a) has been going
- b) goes
- c) is going
- d) has gone

**17. Why haven't you brought me the letters for signature? ... them yet?**

- a) Don't you type
- b) Haven't you typed
- c) Aren't you typing
- d) Haven't you been typing

**18. Some millionaires have lots of money and ... what to do with it.**

- a) don't know
- b) aren't knowing
- c) haven't known
- d) haven't been knowing

**19. Most of the young people left this village a long time ago and nobody ... yet.**

- a) return
- b) has returned

- c) is returning
- d) has been returning

**20. Why are you busy packing? - My train ... in two hours, so we'll leave the house in an hour.**

- a) is leaving
- b) has been leaving
- c) has left
- d) leaves

**21. You usually know when someone ... garlic.**

- a) eats
- b) is eating
- c) has been eating
- d) has eaten

**22. Have you heard the news? He ... all his exams this week.**

- a) has passed
- b) is passing
- c) has been passing
- d) pass

**23. Excuse me, do you speak English? I ... for a hotel.**

- a) look
- b) am looking
- c) have been looking
- d) have looked

**24. Don't make noise: the children ... .**

- a) sleep
- b) are sleeping
- c) has slept

- d) has been sleeping

**25. I ... for 20 minutes. That's why my hair is all wet.**

- a) have been bathing
- b) bath
- c) have bathed
- d) am bathing

**26. We first came to this town more than twenty years ago. Everything ... in the town since that time.**

- a) change
- b) is changing
- c) has been changing
- d) has changed

**27. Mary will be ready soon. She ... coffee at the moment.**

- a) has
- b) has been having
- c) is having
- d) has having

**28. The weather forecast was good, but it ... at the moment.**

- a) rains
- b) has been raining
- c) is raining
- d) has rained

**29. He ... for an hour now. I expect he'll soon be finished.**

- a) has been speaking
- b) speaks
- c) is speaking
- d) has spoken

**30. Did you like the movie "Star Wars?" I don't know. I ... that movie.**

- a) never see
- b) have never been seeing
- c) have never seen
- d) am never seeing

**31. Look! The robber ... a bag.**

- a) has stolen
- b) has been stealing
- c) stoles
- d) is stealing

**32. Listen. The birds in the trees ...**

- a) sings
- b) are singing
- c) has sang
- d) has been singing

**33. Ever since he came to us that man ... to make trouble.**

- a) tries
- b) has been trying
- c) has tried
- d) is trying

**34. The children ... circles and squares right now. They are using blue, yellow and red paint.**

- a) draw
- b) has been drawing
- c) are drawing
- d) has drawn

**35. The radio ... since 7 a.m. I wish someone would turn it off.**

- a) plays
- b) has been playing
- c) has played
- d) is playing

**36. Don't forget to take your umbrella. It ... heavily.**

- a) rains
- b) is raining
- c) has been raining
- d) has rained

**37. How long ... ? I ... for ten years.**

- a) are you driving / am driving
- b) do you drive / drive
- c) have you driven / have driven
- d) have you been driving / have been driving

**38. Jim: Do you want to come over for dinner tonight? Denise: Oh, I'm sorry, I can't. I ... to a movie tonight with some friends.**

- a) am going
- b) go
- c) have gone
- d) have been going

**39. Someone ... my bicycle. The chain's fallen off.**

- a) is using
- b) uses
- c) has been using
- d) has used

**40. Don't rush me. I ... as fast as I can.**

- a) have been working
- b) am working

- c) work
- d) have worked

**1. Do boys like ... jeans?**

- a) wear
- b) wearing
- c) to wear
- d) wears

**2. What ... you ... at the weekend?**

- a) does / does
- b) do / does
- c) does / do
- d) do / do

**3. My classmates ... on picnic every month.**

- a) went
- b) goes
- c) going
- d) go

**4. Mary ... face every morning.**

- a) washes his
- b) wash my
- c) washes her
- d) washes their

**5. We ... tennis on Monday evenings, but my little sister ... on Sundays.**

- a) play / play
- b) plays / plays
- c) play / plays
- d) plays / play

**6. Can you ... Italian?**

- a) do speak
- b) speaks
- c) speak
- d) speaking

**7. A: Oh no! It ... . We can't go out. B: It always ... here in March.**

- a) is snowing / snows
- b) snows / 's snowing
- c) 's snow / snows
- d) snows / snows

**8. I ... . Because it's my happiest day today.**

- a) jumping
- b) jump
- c) 'm jumping
- d) jumped

**9. Benedict and Nina are ... only salads. Because vegetarians don't ... meat.**

- a) eat / eat
- b) eating / eating
- c) eat / eating
- d) eating / eat

**10. She often ... fish because it's good for her.**

- a) eat
- b) eats
- c) eates
- d) eating

**11. She ... a letter at the moment.**

- a) write
- b) is writing

- c) writes
- d) wrote

**12. What ... on Saturdays?**

- a) are you doing
- b) do you
- c) do you do
- d) you do

**13. Look at Jane! She ... a red dress today!**

- a) wearing
- b) is wearing
- c) is wear
- d) wears

**14. ... your homework yet?**

- a) Do you finish
- b) Have you finished
- c) Are you finishing
- d) will you finish

**15. A: Why ... we ... to a park? B: A good idea!**

- a) do / go
- b) don't / go
- c) aren't / going
- d) are / going

**16. A: ... she ... a problem now? B: No. She ... how to solve it.**

- a) Is / solve / doesn't / know
- b) Does / solve / isn't / knowing
- c) Is / solving / doesn't / know
- d) Does / solving / doesn't / know

**17. I'm English. Where are ... from?**

- a) you are
- b) are
- c) are you
- d) you

**18. ... she go to school every day?**

- a) Do
- b) Does
- c) Is
- d) Are

**19. Jane's ... her friend tonight.**

- a) sees
- b) seeing
- c) see
- d) saw

**20. There isn't ... cheese in the fridge.**

- a) some
- b) a
- c) any
- d) the

**21. ... you speak English?**

- a) Are
- b) Can
- c) Were
- d) Have

**22. "What are you doing now?" "I ... English".**

- a) is
- b) study
- c) studying
- d) am studying

**23. Do you like ... in London?**

- a) lives
- b) live
- c) lived
- d) living

**24. “Why are you ... a suit?” “You usually wear jeans.”**

- a) wears
- b) wore
- c) wear
- d) wearing

**25. She ... traveled to most parts of the world.**

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

**26. James ... to play football tomorrow.**

- a) can
- b) will
- c) is going
- d) shall

**27. ... you ever ... in a car accident?**

- a) Has / been
- b) have / been

- c) Have / be
- d) Have / was

**28. Mary ... that film.**

- a) seen already
- b) already seen
- c) has already seen
- d) have already seen

**29. Sonia ... as a computer programmer this year, but she'd like to try something different in the future.**

- a) works
- b) has worked
- c) is working
- d) has been working

**30. Do you see that big heavy cloud in the sky? I am sure it'll rain in a minute.**

- a) Do you see
- b) Have you seen
- c) Are you seeing
- d) Have you been seeing

**31. Nora, you look awfully tired. What ... all day?**

- a) do you do
- b) are you doing
- c) have you been doing
- d) have you done

**32. Linda's apartment looks nice and tidy because she ... it every two years.**

- a) redecorate
- b) is redecorating
- c) has redecorated

- d) has been redecorating

**33. A group of scientists are travelling around Africa. How many countries ... so far, I wonder?**

- a) have they visited
- b) have they been visiting
- c) they have visited
- d) do they visit

**34. I have found a good job. It's in Brazil. I ... to go to Brazil. I don't like living in cold climates.**

- a) have always wanted
- b) always wanted
- c) want
- d) is wanting

**35. ... your friends live near here?**

- a) Do
- b) Does

**36. Where ... you live?**

- a) Do
- b) Does

**37. What ... your mother do?**

- a) Do
- b) Does

**38. ... London have many museums?**

- a) Are
- b) Is
- c) Do
- d) Does

**39. What ... we have to do for homework?**

- a) Do
- b) Does
- c) Will
- d) Is

**40. How long ... it take you to get to work?**

- a) Do
- b) Does
- c) Are
- d) Is

Test 3

**1. I ... her every day and she never says hello to me.**

- a) see
- b) am seeing
- c) will see

**2. What is the name of that picture which you ... on the wall?**

- a) look at

- b) is looking at
  - c) are looking at
- 3. ... to see that film that is on at the cinema next week?**
- a) Do you go
  - b) Is you going
  - c) Are you going
- 4. ... every single thing which that man says?**
- a) Do you believe
  - b) Is you believing
  - c) Are you believing
- 5. Sometimes I ... what the teacher says to me.**
- a) don't understand
  - b) am not understanding
  - c) understand not
- 6. Later tonight I ... my uncle, who is ill in hospital.**
- a) visit
  - b) am visiting
  - c) are visiting
- 7. Why ... late every time we arrange to meet?**
- a) is he
  - b) he is
  - c) is he being
- 8. ... by air because the cost of flying is very high.**
- a) I don't often travel
  - b) I'm not often travelling
  - c) I'll not often travelling

**9. Next time you ... to my house, you must bring that book.**

- a) come
- b) is coming
- c) are coming

**10. I ... to remember your name but I'm afraid I can't remember it.**

- a) try
- b) am trying
- c) will try

**11. Every summer my friends ... me to have rest at their place.**

- a) invite
- b) invites
- c) invited
- d) didn't invite

**12. Occasionally I ... letters to my relatives at the weekend.**

- a) will write
- b) didn't write
- c) write
- d) wrote

**13. They ... work at 9 o'clock.**

- a) are usually starting
- b) usually start
- c) do usually start

**14. She ... the door when she heard the phone ring.**

- a) has just locked
- b) is locking
- c) locks

**15. Paul ... abroad once a month on business.**

- a) travel
- b) travels
- c) is travelling

**16. She ... her lunch already, even though it's only 10 o'clock.**

- a) has eaten
- b) is eating
- c) eat

**17. I usually ... to the cinema at least once a month.**

- a) am going
- b) go
- c) have gone

**18. The match ... at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon.**

- a) start
- b) starts
- c) has started

**19. Tom ... his homework ever since he got home from school.**

- a) has been doing
- b) is doing
- c) does

**20. I must admit you ... tried but I'm afraid the answer is still no.**

- a) did
- b) will
- c) do
- d) have

**21. How many times ... you been there?**

- a) has

- b) will
- c) have
- d) did

**22. She's ... working there since she left school.**

- a) had
- b) done
- c) have
- d) been

**23. The teacher suggested they ... another exercise to understand the problem better.**

- a) make
- b) do
- c) are making
- d) are doing

**24. We only have one more pot of stew — ... it ...?**

- a) make
- b) do
- c) have made
- d) is doing

**25. I have just been ... here that news has been released.**

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

**26. Don't worry even if you make a mistake because if you ..., it doesn't matter.**

- a) were doing

- b) had done
- c) do
- d) will do

**27. Come on, tell me honestly what you ... to do now.**

- a) wanted
- b) want
- c) are wanting
- d) will want

**28. Where ... tonight?**

- a) you go
- b) going
- c) are you going
- d) had you gone

**29. I hope I ... offended you.**

- a) didn't
- b) won't
- c) haven't
- d) couldn't

**30. That ... a good idea to me.**

- a) has sounded
- b) will sound
- c) sounds
- d) shall sound

**31. Please go away. I ... a letter. I need some quiet.**

- a) have written
- b) wrote
- c) am writing

- d) will write

**32. That's what you always ... .**

- a) said
- b) are saying
- c) had said
- d) say

**33. I know, but this time I ... it.**

- a) have meant
- b) mean
- c) had meant
- d) will mean

**34. I don't honestly think you ... the truth.**

- a) were telling
- b) have been telling
- c) are telling
- d) are telling

**35. At least ... me a chance.**

- a) give
- b) gave
- c) giving
- d) are giving

**36. If I ... , I know I shall regret it.**

- a) have
- b) do
- c) had
- d) were

**37. All right. You ... stay as long as you don't make any noise.**

- a) will
- b) could
- c) can
- d) are

**38. Money ... always bring happiness.**

- a) is
- b) isn't
- c) don't
- d) doesn't

**39. He ... in love with Jane since 2004.**

- a) was
- b) am
- c) has been
- d) had been

**40. She ... in love with Jim since 2004.**

- a) lay
- b) lays
- c) has been
- d) has been lying

Level B

Test 1

**1. I'm in Paris because I ... French at language school.**

- a) am studying
- b) studies
- c) have studied
- d) have been studying

**2. At the moment Cynthia ... on the floor playing with the doll.**

- a) lies
- b) is lying
- c) has lied
- d) has been lying

**3. It's the first time I ... on snow.**

- a) am sliding
- b) slide
- c) have slid
- d) have been sliding

**4. Usually I ... as a secretary at ATB.**

- a) have worked
- b) work
- c) am working
- d) have been working

**5. That pipe ... for ages. We must get it mended.**

- a) has been leaking
- b) has leaking
- c) leak
- d) is leaking

**6. Shhh! Be quiet! Tom ...**

- a) is sleeping
- b) sleeps
- c) has slept
- d) has been sleeping

**7. I hate living in Seattle because it ... there.**

- a) is always raining
- b) always rains
- c) has always rained
- d) has been raining

**8. How long ... you ... glasses?**

- a) have you been wearing
- b) wears
- c) has worn
- d) am wearing

**9. I'm sorry I can't hear what you ... because everybody ... so loudly.**

- a) are saying; are talking
- b) have said; has talked

- c) are saying; is talking
- d) have been saying; has been talking

**10. Jack ... a book about his adventures in Tibet.**

- a) has currently written
- b) is currently writing
- c) has currently writing
- d) has been currently writing

**11. ... to come over for dinner tonight?**

- a) Do you want
- b) Are you wanting
- c) Have you wanted
- d) Have you been wanting

**12. You ... all day. Let me drive now.**

- a) drive
- b) have driven
- c) have been driving
- d) are driving

**13. The business cards ... printed by a company in New York.**

- a) has normally
- b) are normally
- c) have normally
- d) ---

**14. This delicious chocolate ... made by a small chocolatier in Zurich.**

- a) is
- b) are
- c) have
- d) have been

**15. In fact, we ... here for more than five hours.**

- a) are waiting
- b) have waited
- c) wait
- d) have been waiting

**16. It's strange that people ... some movies so seriously.**

- a) are talking
- b) take
- c) have taken
- d) have been taking

**17. You ... enough lately. That's why you feel irritable.**

- a) haven't been eating
- b) have eat
- c) eat
- d) are eating

**18. Look, I ... two tickets for the circus.**

- a) have
- b) am having
- c) have had
- d) have been having

**19. Look, I ... two tickets for the circus.**

- a) have held
- b) hold
- c) am holding
- d) have been holding

**20. I ... the cinema ever since I was at primary school.**

- a) love
- b) have loved
- c) am loving
- d) have been loving

**21. It ... for two days now. There'll be a flood soon.**

- a) has rained
- b) rains
- c) is raining
- d) has been raining

**22. Right now, I ... two elephants doing tricks in the ring.**

- a) can see
- b) am seeing
- c) have seen
- d) have been seeing

**23. He ... that movie many times.**

- a) has seen
- b) sees
- c) is seeing
- d) has been seeing

**24. I ... all day and I haven't a penny left.**

- a) am shopping
- b) have shopped
- c) shop
- d) have been shopping

**25. My English ... since I moved to Australia.**

- a) improves
- b) is improving

- c) has really improved
- d) has been improving

**26. Man ... on the moon.**

- a) walks
- b) has walked
- c) is walking
- d) has been walking

**27. Susan ... Japanese yet, but she can communicate.**

- a) isn't mastering
- b) hasn't mastered
- c) doesn't master
- d) has been mastering

**28. The petrol gauge ... “Empty” for quite a long time now. Don't you think we should get some petrol?**

- a) has been saying
- b) has said
- c) says
- d) is saying

**29. Actually, I ... back from there.**

- a) have just come
- b) am coming
- c) come
- d) have been coming

**30. ... to the top of the Empire State Building?**

- a) Are you flying
- b) Do you fly
- c) Have you flown

- d) Have you been flying

**31. Tom ... in the garden all afternoon and I ... him.**

- a) has digged / have been helping
- b) has been digging / have been helping
- c) digs / am helping
- d) is digging / help

**32. Compaq ... computers, but it ... cars.**

- a) is making / isn't making
- b) makes / doesn't make
- c) has made / hasn't made
- d) has been making / hasn't been making

**33. H.P. ... a new advanced type of printer.**

- a) develops
- b) has developed
- c) is developing
- d) has been developing

**34. The yen ... against the dollar.**

- a) falls
- b) is falling
- c) has been falling
- d) fell

**35. The children ... forward to this holiday for months.**

- a) have been looking
- b) are looking
- c) look
- d) have looked

**36. Things are really great. Business ... .**

- a) has boomed
- b) is booming
- c) booms
- d) has been booming

**37. Inflation ... quickly, I'm afraid to say.**

- a) grows
- b) is growing
- c) has grown
- d) has been growing

**38. That's the best presentation I ... .**

- a) have ever heard
- b) am ever hearing
- c) ever hear
- d) have ever been hearing

**39. He's the most difficult customer I ... with.**

- a) ever deal
- b) am dealing
- c) have ever dealt
- d) have ever been dealing

**40. That helicopter ... round the house for the last hour, do you think it's taking photographs?**

- a) is flying
- b) flies
- c) has flown
- d) has been flying

## Test 2

**1. Paul isn't a very honest person. That is why when he speaks nobody ... him.**

- a) believe
- b) believes
- c) hasn't believed
- d) isn't believing

**2. I'm taking my sister out as she ... any sun for a long time.**

- a) hasn't had
- b) haven't had
- c) hadn't been
- d) will have

**3. Bill, your hair looks wet. What ... all morning in the rain?**

- a) has you done
- b) are you doing
- c) do you do
- d) have you been doing

**4. Gill can't do the dishes right now because she ... now.**

- a) is sleeping
- b) sleeps
- c) slept
- d) sleeping

**5. Don't mess with that liquid! It ... some poisonous acid!**

- a) is containing
- b) has contained
- c) contains
- d) contained

**6. ... it difficult to concentrate on your work with this music on?**

- a) Are you finding
- b) Do you find
- c) Have you found
- d) Have you been found

**7. I ... English much better now that we have a new teacher.**

- a) am understanding
- b) have understood
- c) understand
- d) have been understanding

**8. Can she ... with me, please?**

- a) go
- b) goes
- c) gone
- d) will go

**9. He denied having broken the vase, but I still ... to believe him.**

- a) refuses
- b) had refused
- c) am refusing
- d) refuse

**10. He found a new job in China. He ... to move to China because he is fond of their lifestyle.**

- a) has always wanted

- b) is always wanting
- c) always wants
- d) have always wanted

**11. ... you ever ... to LA?**

- a) Have / been
- b) Have / was
- c) Have / gone
- d) Has / been

**12. Where have you been? I ... from you for ages!**

- a) hasn't heard
- b) haven't heard
- c) didn't hear
- d) don't hear

**13. I think you ... silly! You should take all the medicine the doctor has prescribed.**

- a) are
- b) is
- c) am
- d) are being

**14. I ... what you are talking about.**

- a) haven't known
- b) don't know
- c) am not knowing
- d) hasn't known

**15. They sent me two postcards; neither of which ...**

- a) have arrived
- b) will arrive

- c) has arrived
- d) is arriving

**16. I have just sent my application form, now I ... for their answer.**

- a) am waiting
- b) have waited
- c) have been waited
- d) wait

**17. I ... to getting up early.**

- a) were used
- b) will be used
- c) am used
- d) am

**18. Their flat looks so modern! — They ... twice a year.**

- a) redecorate it
- b) have redecorated it
- c) have it redecorated
- d) are redecorating it

**19. You ... about my handwriting! Stop it!**

- a) are always complaining
- b) have always complained
- c) always complain
- d) have been always complaining

**20. The US space shuttle Atlantis ... safely to earth.**

- a) has been returned
- b) has returned
- c) returns
- d) is returning

**21. This is the first time I ... him ashamed.**

- a) see
- b) am seeing
- c) have seen
- d) have been seen

**22. After Margery ..., she will be spending six months in Europe.**

- a) have left
- b) leaved
- c) will be leaving
- d) has left

**23. He's confused. He ... to solve the problem all morning.**

- a) has tried
- b) tried
- c) tries
- d) has been trying

**24. I ... she is Ukrainian.**

- a) think
- b) am thinking
- c) have thought
- d) will be thinking

**25. What ... with yourself? There is mud all over you!**

- a) has you been doing
- b) are you doing
- c) did you do
- d) have you been doing

**26. Excuse me, I ... a public telephone. Is there one near here?**

- a) have been looking for
- b) have looked for
- c) look for
- d) am looking for

**27. Be careful with paint. It ... a certain amount of lead.**

- a) contains
- b) is containing
- c) has contained
- d) contained

**28. I think you ... very silly. Don't get out of bed. You'll only make your temperature go up again.**

- a) are
- b) are being
- c) were
- d) have been

**29. Sara, my next-door neighbour has a car, but she ... it very often.**

- a) doesn't use
- b) isn't using
- c) hasn't used
- d) hasn't been using

**30. My cousin Jake has got a lot of books, most of which he ...**

- a) doesn't read
- b) hasn't been reading
- c) hasn't read
- d) isn't reading

**31. Jim ... 20 essays so far.**

- a) checked

- b) has checked
- c) is checking
- d) checks

**32. Your perfume ... nice! What is it?**

- a) smelling
- b) smells
- c) is smelling
- d) was smelled

**33. Mary ... to the life in the city. She has just moved from her native village.**

- a) used to have
- b) has used
- c) isn't used to
- d) is getting used

**34. The soup ... delicious!**

- a) is tasting
- b) has tasted
- c) tastes

**35. I used to work in a shop, but now I ... in an office.**

- a) am working
- b) work
- c) have worked
- d) have been working

**36. They ... friends for 10 years.**

- a) are
- b) will be
- c) have been
- d) are being

**37. He is so dirty! He ... football.**

- a) has played
- b) is playing
- c) plays
- d) has been playing

**38. They ... since last April.**

- a) have been married
- b) married
- c) will be married
- d) are getting married

**39. I ... to Paris 3 times.**

- a) have been
- b) has been
- c) was
- d) will be

**40. Where do you want to go this summer? — I ... about Italy.**

- a) think
- b) am thinking
- c) have thought
- d) will be thinking

**1. Mila and I are good friends. We ... each other for four years.**

- a) know
- b) have known
- c) have been knowing
- d) were knowing

**2. I can't see Alice anywhere. Where ...?**

- a) was he
- b) did he go
- c) he goes
- d) he went

**3. Linda is very tired. She ... hard all day.**

- a) has been working
- b) is working
- c) will have been working
- d) works

**4. Where is Tom? — He's upstairs. He ... his homework.**

- a) has doing
- b) does
- c) is doing
- d) did

**5. I ... in Kamianets-Podilsky.**

- a) are
- b) was
- c) can
- d) do

**6. Can you ... how to get to the station please?**

- a) explain

- b) speak
- c) tell
- d) say

**7. What time ... the match start?**

- a) doing
- b) are
- c) does
- d) do

**8. I ... a decision yet.**

- a) haven't made
- b) made
- c) am making
- d) will make

**9. I can't go to the party on Saturday. I ... for Spain on Friday night.**

- a) have been leaving
- b) have being leaving
- c) is been leaving
- d) am leaving

**10. What ...? — Playing computer games, reading. That sort of thing.**

- a) does he like doing
- b) he likes to do
- c) he likes
- d) is he like

**11. English ... in Canada, Australia and New Zealand as well as America and Britain.**

- a) is spoken
- b) is speaking

- c) speaking
- d) speaks

**12. This weekend I ... a wedding.**

- a) am going to
- b) going to
- c) will go to
- d) go

**13. I'm tired. I just want ... bed.**

- a) go to the
- b) to go to the
- c) going to
- d) to go to

**14. Jane ... cleaning her room, and now she is going out with her friends.**

- a) is finishing
- b) has finished
- c) has finishing
- d) is finishing

**15. I didn't recognise Max. He ... so different in a suit.**

- a) is looking
- b) has looking
- c) looks
- d) locks

**16. Michael ... shopping.**

- a) loves going
- b) enjoys going for
- c) likes going to
- d) like to go

**17. You come from France, ...?**

- a) weren't you
- b) don't you
- c) haven't you
- d) aren't you

**18. They ... house tomorrow. Everything is packed.**

- a) is moved
- b) have moved
- c) is moving
- d) are moving

**19. I'd like to know where ...**

- a) is the school
- b) the school is
- c) I find the school
- d) are the school

**20. My Father ... to apply to study English at university.**

- a) want
- b) made me
- c) has decided
- d) is thinking

**21. I ... to eating English food.**

- a) like
- b) am not used
- c) used
- d) don't use

**22. Next weekend we ... a party.**

- a) are having
- b) are going
- c) are making
- d) will make

**23. I don't need to wash my car. Sam ... it for me already.**

- a) wash
- b) washes
- c) has washed
- d) has being washed

**24. Kim isn't a very honest person. That is why when he speaks nobody ... him.**

- a) believe
- b) believes
- c) hasn't believed
- d) isn't believing

**25. He ... sports cars.**

- a) has
- b) have
- c) got
- d) hasn't

**26. Linda ... to her boss for an hour now.**

- a) has been talking
- b) has been talked
- c) is talking
- d) has being talking

**27. Bill, your hair looks wet. What ... all morning in the rain?**

- a) has you done

- b) are you doing
- c) do you do
- d) have you been doing

**28. Can she ... with me, please?**

- a) go
- b) goes
- c) gone
- d) will go

**29. He denied having broken the vase, but I still ... to believe him.**

- a) refuses
- b) had refused
- c) am refusing
- d) refuse

**30. Claire's train ... at 3 o'clock. I must go and meet her at the station.**

- a) has arrived
- b) had arrived
- c) arrives
- d) are arriving

**31. He found a new job in France. He ... to move to France because he is fond of their lifestyle.**

- a) is always wanting
- b) always wants
- c) have always wanted
- d) has always wanted

**32. Would you like to borrow this book? — No, thanks. I ... it before.**

- a) have been reading
- b) have been read
- c) have read

- d) have being reading

**33. Where ...? — To the cinema. Would you like to come with me?**

- are you going
- b) you go
- c) do you go
- d) am you going

**34. They sent me two postcards; neither of which ... .**

- a) have arrived
- b) will arrive
- c) has arrived
- d) is arriving

**35. Sophie is very clever. She ... eight different languages.**

- a) is speaking
- b) are speaking
- c) is saying
- d) speaks

**36. The US space shuttle Atlantis ... safely to earth.**

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**37. He's confused. He ... to solve the problem all morning.**

- a) has tried
- b) has been trying
- c) tries
- d) tried

**38. I ... she is Ukrainian.**

- a) think
- b) have thought
- c) will be thinking
- d) am thinking

**39. Have you seen my bag? I ... for it all morning.**

- a) have been searching
- b) am searching
- c) been searching
- d) have been searching

**40. Is Clare here? — I don't know. I haven't seen ... all day.**

- a) haven't been seeing
- b) haven't seen
- c) haven't seeing
- d) haven't saw

# Verb: Past Tenses Review

Level A

Test 1

**1. The plane ... at New York three hours late.**

- a) had arrived
- b) was arriving
- c) had been arriving

- d) arrived
- 2. As soon as I saw the man, I realized that we ... before, in Caracas.**
- a) met
  - b) were meeting
  - c) had been meeting
  - d) had met
- 3. After leaving London, we ... on to Birmingham without stopping.**
- a) drove
  - b) were driving
  - c) had been driving
  - d) had driven
- 4. He had worked in the company for 15 years before he ... promoted.**
- a) got
  - b) was getting
  - c) had been getting
  - d) had got
- 5. I ... the office after everyone else.**
- a) left
  - b) was leaving
  - c) had been leaving
  - d) had left
- 6. I saw Jim at the train station. He ... for his business partner to arrive from NY.**
- a) had waited
  - b) had been waiting
  - c) was waiting
  - d) waited

**7. In 1939 the Second World War ...**

- a) had started
- b) started
- c) was starting
- d) had been starting

**8. His grandmother died last night. She ... from cancer for more than a year.**

- a) was suffered
- b) suffered
- c) had suffered
- d) had been suffering

**9. Hardly ... the door when the phone rang.**

- a) had I closed
- b) were I closing
- c) closed I
- d) had been closing

**10. I ... a shower when somebody knocked on my door.**

- a) had
- b) was having
- c) had had
- d) had been having

**11. He was put behind bars because he ... the police officer.**

- a) offended
- b) had offended
- c) was offending
- d) had been offending

**12. They ... their last winter holiday in Italy.**

- a) was spending
- b) had been spending
- c) had spent
- d) spent

**13. At three o'clock yesterday afternoon they ... at an outdoor cafe.**

- a) sat
- b) were sitting
- c) had been sitting
- d) had sat

**14. First, he ... the message. Then, he ... his boss to inform him about the accident.**

- a) read / called
- b) was reading / called
- c) read / was calling
- d) was reading / was calling

**15. Kim looked tired this morning. She ... all night long.**

- a) had been studying
- b) had studied
- c) was studying
- d) studied

**16. They ... the window when it ... to rain.**

- a) cleaned / started
- b) had been cleaning / started
- c) were cleaning / started
- d) cleaned / started

**17. She ... a car, while he ... the guitar.**

- a) was driving / played

- b) drove / played
- c) was driving / was playing
- d) drove / had played

**18. He ... when he ... on a banana skin.**

- a) walked / slipped
- b) was walking / slipped
- c) has been walking / slipped
- d) was walking / had slipped

**19. Clark Gable ... in a number of successful films.**

- a) had starred
- b) had been starring
- c) was starring
- d) starred

**20. Bob was really happy! He ... an important contract.**

- a) was signing
- b) has been signing
- c) had signed
- d) signed

**21. She ... lying in her bed when she ... a sudden noise.**

- a) had been lying / heard
- b) was lying / was hearing
- c) was lying / heard
- d) has been lying / had been hearing

**22. I ... for 11 hours, so I felt really exhausted!**

- a) had driven
- b) were driving
- c) had been driving

- d) drove

**23. He ... Las Vegas last year.**

- a) visited
- b) was visiting
- c) had visited
- d) had been visiting

**24. Andy's hands ... as he crept silently into the empty house.**

- a) shook
- b) were shaking
- c) had shaken
- d) had been shaking

**25. First she ... the driver, then she ... of the taxi.**

- a) paid / got out
- b) was paying / was getting out
- c) paid / had got out
- d) paid / had been going out

**26. She ... work before she met her friends.**

- a) was finishing
- b) had been finishing
- c) finished
- d) had finished

**27. The armchair ... brand new because Sam ... it.**

- a) was looking / fixed
- b) looked / had fixed
- c) had been looking / fixed
- d) was looking / was fixing

**28. They ... for a house for six months before they ... that one.**

- a) were looked / found
- b) had been looking / found
- c) looked / found
- d) had been looking / had been founding

**29 Davis was so annoyed! He ... at the airport for more than 3 hours in vain!**

- a) waited
- b) was waiting
- c) had waited
- d) had been waiting

**30. The sun ... as Mike ... down the country lane.**

- a) was shining / drove
- b) shined / was driving
- c) shined / drove
- d) was shining / was driving

**31. John ... his flat and ... the door.**

- a) was entering / closed
- b) entered / closed
- c) had been entering / was closing
- d) was entering / was closing

**32. By the time we got home the film ...**

- a) finished
- b) had been finishing
- c) was finishing
- d) had finished

**33. The restaurant was packed last night. Luckily, I ... a table in advance.**

- a) was booking
- b) had been booking

- c) had booked
- d) booked

**34. What ... you ... at half past six yesterday?**

- a) did / do
- b) had / been done
- c) were / doing
- d) was / doing

**35. I ... some paper work when the lights went out.**

- a) was doing
- b) had done
- c) had been doing
- d) did

**36. We were walking through the woods when we ... a gunshot.**

- a) had heard
- b) was hearing
- c) heard
- d) had been hearing

**37. By the time we got to the party, everybody ... it.**

- a) left
- b) had been leaving
- c) had already left
- d) was leaving

**38. I ... down the street when I ran into an old friend of mine.**

- a) walked
- b) was walking
- c) had been walking
- d) had walked

**39. My friend ... me for many years when I ... him last week.**

- a) didn't see / had met
- b) wasn't seeing / met
- c) hadn't seen / met
- d) hadn't been seeing / had been meeting

**40. The sun ... before I ... to bed.**

- a) set / went
- b) was setting / was going
- c) had been setting / went
- d) had set / went

## Test 2

**1. He had been away for many years and when he visited his native town, he saw that it ... greatly.**

- a) changed
- b) was changing
- c) had been changing
- d) had changed

**2. I looked everywhere for my car keys and then I remembered that my son ... the car to work.**

- a) took
- b) had taken
- c) was taking
- d) had been taking

**3. Greg didn't want to be late for the theatre. He drove as fast as he could. The play ... as he walked in the door of the theatre.**

- a) was just beginning
- b) had just begun
- c) just began
- d) had been just beginning

**4. While the kids ... in the garden, their mother was hurriedly cooking dinner.**

- a) were playing
- b) played
- c) had been playing
- d) had played

**5. Before I went to bed I decided to check the front door. I was sure my sister ... it. And I was right!**

- a) didn't lock
- b) hadn't locked
- c) locked
- d) had locked

**6. Mrs. Robson died in her sleep. Her doctor told me she ... from a weak heart for some time.**

- a) was suffering
- b) had been suffering
- c) suffered
- d) had suffered

**7. Hardly ... the place of our destination when it became quite dark.**

- a) had we reached
- b) we reached
- c) we were reaching
- d) we had been reaching

**8. Yesterday I came up to a stranger who looked like Jane Foster and started talking to her. But she wasn't Jane. It was clear I ... a mistake.**

- made
- b) was making
- c) had made
- d) had been making

**9. I got lost in the forest because I took the road I ... before.**

- a) didn't never take
- b) never took
- c) had never taken
- d) didn't take

**10. He was taken to the police station because he ... into a car in front of him.**

- a) crashed
- b) had crashed
- c) didn't crash
- d) wasn't crashing

**11. It wasn't raining when I left my office in the evening, but the ground was wet. It ... all day.**

- a) had been raining
- b) rained
- c) was raining
- d) had rained

**12. We ... TV for ten minutes when the electricity went off.**

- a) watched
- b) were watching
- c) had watched
- d) had been watching

**13. Suddenly they heard a strange noise and ... at each other in horror.**

- a) looked
- b) were looking
- c) had looked
- d) had been looking

**14. The two boys came into the house. One had a black eye and the other a cut lip. They ...**

- a) had been fighting
- b) had fought
- c) fought
- d) were fighting

**15. A man once built a house and his friends ... to visit him.**

- a) had invited
- b) was inviting
- c) invited
- d) had been inviting

**16. They ... the TV when I came in.**

- a) watched
- b) were watching
- c) have watched
- d) watch

**17. Mary ... that he was not right.**

- a) was understanding
- b) have understood
- c) has understand
- d) understood

**18. The train ... on time so we were late.**

- a) didn't come
- b) wasn't coming
- c) wasn't come
- d) didn't came

**19. How many chairs ... to the room?**

- a) you have brought
- b) have brought you
- c) you did bring
- d) did you bring

**20. When I phoned she ... a bath.**

- a) had
- b) was having
- c) was have
- d) has

**21. What ... when your mother came back home?**

- a) were you doing
- b) you did
- c) you were doing
- d) did you

**22. What ... her about the school?**

- a) you told
- b) did you told
- c) told you
- d) did you tell

**23. She ... because she couldn't find her dog.**

- a) cried
- b) was crying

- c) crying
- d) cry

**24. My parents ... in 1970.**

- a) got married
- b) get married
- c) were getting married
- d) getting married

**25. They ... a lot of articles from these French magazines last week-end.**

- a) has been translating
- b) discuss
- c) discussed
- d) had discussed

**26. When ... return home?**

- a) are they
- b) did they
- c) has they
- d) have they

**27. Helen ... this book 4 times.**

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

**28. Mary ... in the same flat since 1980.**

- a) will live
- b) lives
- c) had lived
- d) has lived

**29. We ... our reports.**

- a) have written yet
- b) have written already
- c) already have written
- d) have already written

**30. Her parents ... what to do ...**

- a) hasn't decided / yet
- b) haven't decided / already
- c) haven't decided / yet
- d) hasn't decided / already

**31. Nick ... already learnt the poem.**

- a) has yet
- b) has already
- c) have already
- d) have yet

**32. Kate ... in Moscow for ten years.**

- a) works
- b) worked
- c) has been working
- d) have been working

**33. Mike ... to school before we came home.**

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

**34. She told us last week that she ... Austria last summer.**

- a) visits
- b) visited
- c) had visited
- d) has visited

**35. After John ... his homework, he ... his grandmother.**

- a) had done / visited
- b) done / visited
- c) did / had visited
- d) done / had visited

**36. My grandmother ... at school for 30 years before she retired.**

- a) had worked
- b) had been working
- c) have been working
- d) has been working

**37. If my headache ..., we can go to the cinema.**

- a) disappear
- b) will disappear
- c) disappears
- d) disappeared

**38. If today ... Saturday, we ... to the beach.**

- a) was / gone
- b) were / could go
- c) was / could go
- d) were / went

**39. ... you like to leave?**

- a) Will
- b) Would

- c) Are
- d) Do

**40. What ... last Saturday?**

- a) were they buying
- b) they bought
- c) did they buy
- d) they were buying

Test 3

**1. Her mother ... when she was just a little girl.**

- a) is dead
- b) dead
- c) died
- d) was dead

**2. Last night they ... a strange object in the sky.**

- a) don't see
- b) see
- c) saw
- d) will be

**3. On Sunday I ... the TV on and was pleasantly surprised.**

- a) will switch
- b) didn't switch
- c) switch
- d) switched

**4. Susan ... shopping and ... a wonderful summer frock.:**

- a) a) didn't go
- a) buy

- b) goes
- c) go
- d) went
- b) bought
- c) will buy
- d) didn't buy

**5. The police chased the thieves but they ... to escape.**

- a) managed
- b) manage
- c) were managing

**6. Sarah ... dinner when she burnt her finger.**

- a) cooked
- b) were cooking
- c) was cooking

**7. This time yesterday we ... in the sea.**

- a) swam
- b) was swimming
- c) were swimming

**8. My parents ... to bed by the time I got home.**

- a) are going
- b) had been going
- c) had gone

**9. They ... a lot of animals at the zoo last weekend.**

- a) seed
- b) saw
- c) were seeing

**10. While she was lying on her bed she ... about the party.**

- a) was thinking
- b) thinks
- c) thought

**11. The people ... for an hour before the rescuers came.**

- a) are waiting
- b) waited
- c) had been waiting

**12. He ... to work when the accident happened.**

- a) is driving
- b) drove
- c) was driving

**13. They ... for hours when they stopped to have lunch.**

- a) were working
- b) had been working
- c) worked

**14. After leaving New York, we ... onto Los Angeles without stopping.**

- a) drove
- b) were driving
- c) have driven
- d) had driven

**15. Look. I'd give you her phone number if I ... it.**

- a) have had
- b) had
- c) were having
- d) was having

**16. She ran away with her lover, while her husband ... in China.**

- a) worked
- b) was working
- c) has worked

- d) had worked

**17. Where can he be? I can only imagine that he ... an accident somewhere.**

- a) had
- b) was having
- c) has had
- d) did have

**18. He had worked in the company for 15 years before he ... promoted.**

- a) got
- b) was getting
- c) has got
- d) had got

**19. We were tired as we ... for more than four hours.**

- a) was walking
- b) walked
- c) had been walking
- d) had walked

**20. We ... great fun at the Halloween party last year.**

- a) was having
- b) had
- c) has had
- d) are having

**21. I thought she was the most intellectual woman I ... ever ...**

- a) has met
- b) was meeting
- c) met
- d) had met

**22. I thought that she ... us everything.**

- a) told
- b) had told
- c) was told

**23. She said that Sally ... anything about her plans and she ... her in the cafe that evening.**

- a) didn't say, didn't see
- b) hadn't said, didn't see c
- c) didn't say, hadn't seen
- d) hadn't said, hadn't seen

**24. Hardly ... raining when a rainbow ... in the sky.**

- a) had it stopped, appeared
- b) did it stop, appeared
- c) had it stopped, had appeared
- d) did it stop, had appeared

**25. My mother was worried because I ... in touch with her for a long time.**

- a) haven't been
- b) hadn't been
- c) wasn't

**26. I ... over the phone when they brought me the letter.**

- a) talked
- b) had talked
- c) had been talking
- d) was talking

**27. I visited Brazil in USA. I ... at a nice hotel for a fortnight.**

- a) stayed
- b) had stayed

- c) had been staying
- d) was staying

**28. I had hardly ... speaking with a porter when the phone rang again.**

- a) finished
- b) finished
- c) had been finishing
- d) was finishing

**29. And I began writing to you instead of going to the seaside, as I ... before.**

- a) planned
- b) had planned
- c) had been planning
- d) was planning

Level B

Test 1

**1. I just remembered that I ... the rent yet. I'm surprised that the landlord ... me up and reminded me.**

- a) have not paid / has not rung
- b) didn't pay / didn't ring
- c) hadn't paid / wasn't ringing
- d) hadn't been ringing / has not rung

**2. I put the five-pound notes into one of the books; but the next day it ... me ages to find it because I ... which book I ... it in.**

- a) had taken / had forgotten / put
- b) took / forgot / put

- c) took / forgot / had put
- d) was taking / had forgotten / put

**3. While we were fishing someone ... into the house and ... us this note.**

- a) had broken / had left
- b) broke / left
- c) was breaking / had been leaving
- d) had been breaking / left

**4. At 3 a.m. Jane ... her husband up and said that she ... that someone ... to get into the house.**

- a) woke / thought / was trying
- b) was waking / had thought / tried
- c) had woken / thought / had been trying
- d) had been waking / had thought / tried

**5. Most people ... at work when the fire ... .**

- a) was / had started
- b) were being / had been starting
- c) was / was starting
- d) were / started

**6. I saw him when he ... the house. I ... at the corner when he ... by. He didn't say a word and I didn't say a word either.**

- a) left / was just standing / passed
- b) had left / had been just standing / had passed
- c) was leaving / had just stood / passed
- d) left / had been just standing / had passed

**7. When he ... Microsoft, Bill Gates was only 20 years old. He ... his first computer programme six years earlier.**

- a) was founding / already wrote
- b) had founded / had already been writing

- c) founded / had already written
- d) had been founding / already wrote

**8. An accident ... near my house last night. A car ... a young man. He ... his bike when someone in front of him suddenly opened a car door. Many people ... the accident. The police interrogated them last night.**

- a) had happened / had hit / rode / was seeing
- b) happened / hit / was riding / saw
- c) had been happening / hit / had been riding / had seen
- d) happened / had hit / had been riding / saw

**9. I ... a film a week ago, but I ... it very much because I ... the book. If I hadn't read the book I would probably have enjoyed the film more.**

- a) was seeing / hadn't enjoyed / had already read
- b) had seen / was enjoying / already read
- c) saw / hadn't enjoyed / already read
- d) saw / didn't enjoy / had already read

**10. They ... in the queue for over an hour when the manager ... them that there were no more tickets.**

- a) had been standing / told
- b) were standing / was talking
- c) had stood / had told
- d) stood / told

**11. Alan ... in the car accident yesterday. The other driver ... control of his car because he ... asleep.**

- a) was being / had lost / fell
- b) was / lost / had fallen
- c) was / was losing / had been falling
- d) had been / lost / fell

**12. While he ... for the bus there ... a robbery at the bank. After the robbers ... away the police ... but they were not able to catch them.**

- a) was waiting / was / had gone / came
- b) waited / was / went / had come
- c) had been waiting / were / was going / come
- d) was waiting / was / went / had come

**13. He ... to repair our washing machine that ... a few days before.**

- a) was wanting / broke
- b) had wanted / was breaking
- c) wanted / had broken
- d) wanted / had been breaking

**14. Before he ... at my door, he ... for a parking space for about ten minutes.**

- a) had rung / looked
- b) was ringing / was looking
- c) rang / had been looking
- d) rang / looked

**15. The reporter ... that a car ... into a stop sign just before reaching the crossroads.**

- a) was saying / was crashing
- b) said / had crashed
- c) had said / crashed
- d) said / crashed

**16. While I ... carefully to what ... , someone ... at my door.**

- a) listened / happened / had knocked
- b) was listening / happened / had knocked
- c) had been listening / had happened / knocked
- d) was listening / had happened / knocked

**17. As it ... out, it ... our plumber's car that ... down the street.**

- a) was turning / was / rolled

- b) turned / was / had rolled
- c) had been turning / were / had rolled
- d) had turned / was / had rolled

**18. I was exhausted at the end of the exam. I ... for over two hours.**

- a) had been writing
- b) was writing
- c) had written
- d) wrote

**19. When thieves ... my favourite leather jacket, I was really upset. I ... it for over ten years.**

- a) was stealing / had
- b) stole / had been having
- c) stole / had had
- d) had stolen / had had

**20. Please step out of the car, Mr. Jones. Do you realise you ... at over 90 mph?**

- a) were driving
- b) drove
- c) had been driving
- d) had driven

**21. We didn't really want to go and see the musical again. We ... it twice — so we said “no” and we ... to a restaurant instead!**

- a) already saw / had gone
- b) already saw / was going
- c) had already seen / had been going
- d) had already seen / went

**22. I arrived over an hour late to the office and everyone was working. Actually, they ... for over two hours on the new project and I felt really guilty.**

- a) had worked

- b) had been working
- c) worked
- d) were working

**23. The kitchen was full of steam when we arrived. Joan ... in the kitchen and she ... a huge meal for everyone at the party.**

- a) had been / had been cooking
- b) was / was cooking
- c) was / cooked
- d) was being / had cooked

**24. It was a bit embarrassing to arrive at their house and find Mary looking so sad. I think she ... before we got there.**

- a) had been crying
- b) was crying
- c) had cried
- d) cried

**25 No-one even noticed when I got home. They ... the big game on TV.**

- a) had all watched
- b) were all watching
- c) watched
- d) had been all watching

**26. Dinosaurs were the largest animals ever to live on earth, and they ... the Earth for a very long period of time.**

- a) ruled
- b) were ruling
- c) had ruled
- d) had been ruling

**27. He had been away for many years and when he ... his native town, he saw that it ... greatly.**

- a) visited / changed
- b) was visiting / was changing
- c) visited / had been changing
- d) visited / had changed

**28. I looked everywhere for my car keys and then I remembered that my son ... the car to work.**

- a) took
- b) had taken
- c) was taking
- d) had been taking

**29. Tom ... breakfast this morning because he ... any time.**

- a) wasn't eating / wasn't having
- b) hadn't eaten / didn't have
- c) didn't eat / didn't have
- d) hadn't been eating / wasn't having

**30. While the kids ... in the garden, their mother ... dinner.**

- a) were playing / was hurriedly cooking
- b) played / hurriedly cooked
- c) had been playing / was hurriedly cooking
- d) had played / hurriedly cooked

**31. Before I ... to bed I ... to check the front door. I was sure my sister ... it. And I was right!**

- a) went / had decided / hadn't locked
- b) had gone / decided / didn't lock
- c) went / decided / hadn't locked
- d) had gone / had decided / didn't lock

**32. Rescue workers ... a man, a woman, and two children from cold rushing water.**

- a) had pulled
- b) pulled
- c) were pulling
- d) had been pulling

**33. Our neighbors ... the police when they found out that somebody ... into their house.**

- a) had called / broke
- b) was calling / was breaking
- c) called / had broken
- d) called / had been breaking

**34. Our clothes were wet because we ... in the rain.**

- a) had been walking
- b) had walked
- c) were walking
- d) walked

**35. I ... Paul at the airport. He ... for his brother's plane to arrive from Canada.**

- a) had seen / had been waiting
- b) saw / was waiting
- c) was seeing / waited
- d) saw / had waited

**36. He was taken to the police station because he ... into a car in front of him.**

- a) crashed
- b) had crashed
- c) had been crashing
- d) was crashing

**37. Mrs. Smith was busy last weekend because her grandchildren ... with her.**

- a) were staying
- b) had been staying
- c) stayed
- d) had stayed

**38. A man once built a house and ... his friends to visit him.**

- a) had invited
- b) was inviting
- c) had been inviting
- d) invited

**39. The mountaineers ... in the tent when their guide ... back.**

- a) were sleeping / had got
- b) were sleeping / got
- c) had been sleeping / was getting
- d) slept / had got

**40. As soon as the holiday-makers ... the shopkeeper noticed that one of them ... a thick wallet.**

- a) were going out / had left
- b) had gone out / left
- c) went out / had left
- d) went out / had been leaving

Test 2

**1. I saw Jim at the train station. He ... for his business partner to arrive from NY.**

- a) had waited
- b) had been waiting
- c) was waiting
- d) waited

**2. When he was single he ... to Spain every winter, but now he has to go to France with his wife and children.**

- a) would go
- b) had gone
- c) want
- d) had been going

**3. In 1939 the Second World War ... .**

- a) had started
- b) started
- c) was starting
- d) had been starting

**4. His grandmother died last night. She ... from cancer for more than a year.**

- a) was suffered
- b) suffered
- c) had suffered
- d) had been suffering

**5. Hardly ... the door when the phone rang.**

- a) had we closed
- b) were we closing
- c) closed we
- d) had we been closing

**6. I ... a shower when somebody knocked on my door.**

- a) had
- b) was having
- c) had had
- d) had been having

**7. He was put behind bars because he ... the police officer.**

- a) had been offending
- b) was offending
- c) had offended
- d) offended

**8. They ... their last winter holiday in Italy.**

- a) was spending
- b) had been spending
- c) had spent
- d) spent

**9. At three o'clock yesterday afternoon they ... at an outdoor café.**

- a) sat
- b) were sitting

- c) had been sitting
- d) had sat

**10. First, he ... the message. Then, he ... his boss to inform him about the accident.**

- a) read / called
- b) was reading / called
- c) read / was calling
- d) was reading / was calling

**11. Kim looked tired this morning. She ... all night long.**

- a) had been studying
- b) had studied
- c) was studying
- d) studied

**12. They ... the window when it ... to rain.**

- a) cleaned / started
- b) had been cleaning / started
- c) were cleaning / started
- d) cleaned / started

**13. People ... by carriage in those days.**

- a) were travelling
- b) had been traveled
- c) had traveled
- d) used to travel

**14. She ... a car, while he ... the guitar.**

- a) was driving / played
- b) drove / played
- c) was driving / was playing

- d) drove / had played

**15. He ... when he ... on a banana skin.**

- a) walked / slipped
- b) was walking / slipped
- c) has been walking / slipped
- d) was walking / had slipped

**16. Clark Gable ... in a number of successful films.**

- a) had starred
- b) had been starring
- c) was starring
- d) started

**17. Bob was really happy! He ... an important contract.**

- a) was signing
- b) has been signing
- c) had signed
- d) signed

**18. She ... lying in her bed when she ... a sudden noise.**

- a) had been lying / heard
- b) was lying / was hearing
- c) was lying / heard
- d) has been lying / had been hearing

**19. She ... out a lot when she was younger.**

- a) used to go
- b) had been gone
- c) had gone out
- d) was going

**20. I ... for 11 hours, so I felt really exhausted!**

- a) had driven
- b) were driven
- c) had been driving
- d) drove

**21. He ... Las Vegas last year.**

- a) used to visit
- b) visited
- c) was visited
- d) had visited

**22. Andy's hands ... as he crept silently into the empty house.**

- a) shook
- b) were shaking
- c) had shaken
- d) used to shake

**23. They ... camping by the lake last month.**

- a) were
- b) went
- c) had gone
- d) were going to

**24. First she ... the driver, then she ... of the taxi.**

- a) paid / got out
- b) was paying / was getting out
- c) paid / had got out
- d) paid / had been going out

**25. She ... work before she met her friends.**

- a) was finishing

- b) had been finishing
- c) finished
- d) had finished

**26. The armchair ... brand new because Sam ... it.**

- a) was looking / fixed
- b) looked / had fixed
- c) had been looking / fixed
- d) was looking / was fixing

**27. They ... for a house for six months before they ... that one.**

- a) were looked / found
- b) had been looking / found
- c) looked / found
- d) had been looking / had been founding

**28. Davis was so annoyed! He ... at the airport for more than 3 hours in vain!**

- a) waited
- b) was waiting
- c) had waited
- d) had been waiting

**29. The sun ... as Mike ... down the country lane.**

- a) was shining / drove
- b) shined / was driving
- c) shined / drove
- d) was shining / was driving

**30. John ... his flat and ... the door.**

- a) was entering / closed
- b) entered / closed
- c) had been entering / was closing

- d) was entering / was closing

**31. By the time we got home the film ... .**

- a) finished
- b) had been finishing
- c) would finish
- d) had finished

**32. The restaurant was packed last night. Luckily, I ... a table in advance.**

- a) was booking
- b) had been booking
- c) had booked
- d) would book

**33. I know Jane will soon ... contact lenses.**

- a) get used to wearing
- b) get used to wear
- c) be getting used to wearing
- d) got to wear

**34. What ... you ... at half past six yesterday?**

- a) did / do
- b) had / been done
- c) were / doing
- d) was / doing

**35. I ... some paper work when the lights went out.**

- a) was doing
- b) had done
- c) had been doing
- d) done

**36. We were walking through the woods when we ... a gunshot.**

- a) had heard
- b) was hearing
- c) heard
- d) had been hearing

**37. She ... to living by the sea, but she is used to it now.**

- a) is used
- b) wasn't used
- c) used
- d) was used

**38. She ... walking long distances. She walked 3 miles a day.**

- was used to
- b) would
- c) is used to
- d) used

**39. When I was a little girl my father always ... to read us a bedtime story.**

- a) was used to
- b) would
- c) used
- d) used to be

**40. I know that man. He ... to work for me.**

- a) was used
- b) used
- c) is used
- d) was

### Test 3

**1. While I ... my homework I heard a strange noise.**

- a) am making
- b) did
- c) was making
- d) was doing

**2. The streets were wet when I left the house in the morning so I knew that it ... during the night.**

- a) was raining
- b) has been raining
- c) had been raining
- d) had rain

**3. He would have passed the exam if ... so lazy.**

- a) he'd been
- b) he wouldn't have been
- c) he hadn't been
- d) he'd have been

**4. I wish that I ... all those sweets before dinner. I don't feel hungry now.**

- a) haven't eaten
- b) would not eat
- c) didn't eat
- d) hadn't eaten

**5. They left after we ... the program.**

- a) had discussed

- b) was discussing
  - c) had been discussing
  - d) discussed
- 6. When she got to hospital they found that she ... her leg.**
- a) broke
  - b) was broke
  - c) had been broken
  - d) had broken
- 7. 'Are you going shopping tonight?' 'No, I ... yesterday.'**
- a) went
  - b) had gone
  - c) had been going
- 8. 'Did you see Nathan?' 'No, he ... by the time I arrived at his house.'**
- a) was leaving
  - b) had been leaving
  - c) had left
- 9. 'Where is Sam?' 'He ... on the phone when I saw him.'**
- a) was talking
  - b) talked
  - c) had talked
- 10. 'How often do you clean your house?' 'I usually ... clean it once a week.'**
- a) am cleaning
  - b) clean
  - c) cleaned
- 11. Jacques Cousteau ... the oceans.**
- a) explores

- b) explored
- c) is exploring

**12. He ... home early yesterday because he felt ill.**

- a) went
- b) is going
- c) used to go

**13. 'Did Alan arrive on time?' 'No, I ... for an hour before he arrived.'**

- a) was waiting
- b) had waited
- c) had been waiting

**14. Toby ... a bicycle, but now he drives a car.**

- a) is riding
- b) used to ride
- c) rides

**15. Mr. Jones ... but he does now.**

- a) used to travel
- b) travelled
- c) didn't use to travel

**16. 'Did you go out for dinner last night?' 'No, I ... a lot at lunch, so I wasn't hungry.'**

- a) had been eating
- b) had eaten
- c) was eating

**17. I ... an interesting book at the moment.**

- a) don't read
- b) read
- c) am reading

**18. I ... a noise, so I went to see what it was.**

- a) heard
- b) hear
- c) am hearing

**19. 'What time do you finish work?' 'Actually, I ... '**

- a) have just finished
- b) finish
- c) finished

**20. Bobby ... how to use a computer at present.**

- a) is learning
- b) learns
- c) learnt

**21. 'Did you enjoy your holiday?' 'Yes, we ... in a fabulous hotel.'**

- a) have stayed
- b) had stayed
- c) stayed

**22. The ferry boat ... every day at quarter past two.**

- a) is leaving
- b) leave
- c) leaves

**23. My parents ... to a party tonight.**

- a) used to go
- b) goes
- c) are going

**24. I ... getting up early in the morning.**

- a) likes

- b) don't like
- c) doesn't like

**25. She ... the cupboard, ... a dress and ... it on.**

- a) was opening ... took out ... put on
- b) opened ... took out ... put on
- c) opened ... was taking out ... had been put on

**26. 'I like your dress. Is it new?' 'No, I ... it for ages.'**

- a) had
- b) have
- c) have had

**27. They ... the telegram at 10 o'clock that evening.**

- a) received
- b) had been receiving
- c) was receiving

**28. She was upset because she ... to hear from her son for days.**

- a) was waiting
- b) has been waiting
- c) had been waiting

**29. He left his job because he ... dissatisfied for months.**

- a) had being felt
- b) felt
- c) had been feeling

**30. We ... in the same house for twelve years before we decided to move.**

- a) lived
- b) had been living
- c) left

**31. 'How is John now?' 'He ... better slowly.'**

- a) gets
- b) is getting
- c) has been getting

**32. They ... still ... the plan at midnight.**

- a) were discussing
- b) was discussing
- c) had discussed

**33. Sarah ... a new car last week.**

- a) was buying
- b) buyed
- c) bought

**34. He always ... to work by train.**

- a) went
- b) was going
- c) had been going

**35. I ... when suddenly the dog began to bark.**

- a) study
- b) studied
- c) was studying

**36. Jane ... the receiver and dialled the number.**

- a) were lifting
- b) was lifting
- c) lifted

**37. I ... home from work when it began to snow.**

- a) were walking
- b) walked

- c) was walking

**38. James Dean ... one film with Natalie Wood.**

- a) had been making
- b) was making
- c) made

**39. Walt Disney ... Mickey Mouse.**

- a) was creating
- b) creates
- c) created

**40. Helen ... to the gym every day, but now she doesn't.**

- a) used to go
- b) didn't use to go
- c) was going

# Verb: Future Tenses Review

Level A

Test 1

**1. The train ... at 12:30.**

- a) will arrive
- b) arrives
- c) will be arriving
- d) will have been arriving

**2. It ... in Brighton tomorrow evening.**

- a) will be snowing
- b) will have been snowing
- c) snows d) will snow

**3. Wait! I ... you to the station.**

- a) drive
- b) will have driven
- c) will drive d) will be driving

**4. The English lesson ... at 8:45.**

- a) starts
- b) will start
- c) will be starting
- d) will have been starting

**5. I ... my mother in April.**

- a) am going to see
- b) will have seen
- c) will be seeing
- d) would see

**6. When they ... married in March, they ... together for six years.**

- a) will get / will be
- b) will have got / will have been being
- c) get / would be
- d) get / will have been

**7. Do you think the teacher ... our homework by Monday morning?**

- a) will mark
- b) marks
- c) will be marking
- d) will have marked

**8. When I ... you tomorrow, I ... you my new book.**

- a) see / will show
- b) will see / would show
- c) will have seen / will show

- d) see / will be showing

**9. I ... the cigarettes from the corner shop when it ... .**

- a) will buy / opens
- b) would buy / will open
- c) will have bought / will be opening
- d) buy / would open

**10. Before we ... our lesson, we ... a review.**

- a) will start / have
- b) will be starting / will have
- c) start / will have
- d) would start / will be having

**11. This summer, I ... in Brighton for four years.**

- a) will have lived
- b) will have been living
- c) will be living
- d) will live

**12. The baby should be due soon; next week she ... pregnant for nine months.**

- a) will be
- b) would be
- c) will be being
- d) will have been

**13. By the time we get home, they ... football for 30 minutes.**

- a) will play
- b) will be playing
- c) will have been playing
- d) will have played

**14. When you ... off the train, I ... for you by the ticket machine.**

- a) will get / will have been waiting
- b) get / will be waiting
- c) would get / will wait
- d) will be getting / will have waited

**15. ... take your children with you to France?**

- a) Would you
- b) Are you going to
- c) Will you have
- d) Will you have been

**16. This time next week I ... in Switzerland!**

- a) will be skiing
- b) will have skied
- c) ski
- d) will have been skiing

**17. Now I ... my answers.**

- a) would check
- b) will be checking
- c) am going to check
- d) check

**18. I ... that much money; I ... my mother for a loan.**

- a) don't have / will ask
- b) won't have / would ask
- c) wouldn't have / ask
- d) won't be having / will ask

**19. By the time my friends from Japan arrive, I ... Japanese for a year.**

- a) will have learned

- b) will have been learning
- c) will learn
- d) will be learning

**20. Oh look how angry the manager is. He ... at us for not working hard enough.**

- a) would shout
- b) is going to shout
- c) will be shouting
- d) shouts

**21. When we ... to the cinema, I ... you.**

- a) will get / call
- b) will have got / would call
- c) will be getting / will call
- d) get / will call

**22. Mary wants to speak with you. — Please tell her that I ... her as soon as I'm free.**

- a) will call
- b) will have called
- c) will have been calling
- d) call

**23. Let's meet at eleven o'clock tomorrow. — Sorry, I ... at eleven o'clock.**

- a) will be working
- b) will have worked
- c) will have been working
- d) would work

**24. By the end of the evening, they ... in the park for three hours.**

- a) will have been walking

- b) will have walked
- c) will be walking
- d) will walk

**25. Say goodbye to Ann now. By the time you return, she ... for New York.**

- a) will be leaving
- b) will have left
- c) will have been leaving
- d) leaves

**26. By 2020, he ... as the director of this company for thirty years.**

- a) will work
- b) will be working
- c) will have been working
- d) works

**27. Why don't you ask Jim for help? I'm sure that he ... you.**

- a) will have been helping
- b) helps
- c) will have helped
- d) will help

**28. Please don't ring the doorbell when you get here. My baby ... .**

- a) will have slept
- b) will be sleeping
- c) would sleep
- d) will have been sleeping

**29. Where are you going to spend your vacation? — I don't know yet. Maybe we ... to Italy next summer.**

- a) will have been going
- b) will have gone

- c) go
- d) will go

**30. She promised that she ... him about it.**

- a) won't tell
- b) wouldn't tell
- c) won't have told
- d) wouldn't have told

**31. Oh, you'll recognize him. He ... a brown leather jacket and a red scarf.**

- a) will be wearing
- b) will have worn
- c) will have been wearing
- d) would wear

**32. She buys too many things. She ... all her money long before her next pay.**

- a) will be spending
- b) will have spent
- c) will have been spending
- d) would spend

**33. They ... all the problems by the end of the meeting, I am afraid.**

- a) won't settle
- b) won't have settled
- c) won't have been settling
- d) won't be settling

**34. My father is repairing our car. We hope that by Sunday he ... it.**

- a) will have repaired
- b) will repair
- c) will be repairing
- d) will have been repairing

**35. She is in the country now and she ... there for another week.**

- a) will have been staying
- b) will be staying
- c) will stay
- d) will have stayed

**36. Don't worry. I will switch off all the lights in the house when I ... to bed.**

- a) will go
- b) will have gone
- c) go
- d) will be going

**37. I ... the laundry for an hour when you get back.**

- a) will do
- b) will be doing
- c) will have been doing
- d) will have done

**38. Martha is learning German. By this time next year, Martha ... German.**

- a) will learn
- b) will be learning
- c) will have been learning
- d) will have learnt

**39. Will you lend me your season ticket? No, I ... it to you. It is against the law.**

- a) won't lend
- b) am not going to lend
- c) won't have lent
- d) won't be lending

**40. Mark: Look what I've just bought at an auction! Julia: What an extraordinary thing! Where ... you ... it?**

- a) are you going to put
- b) will you put
- c) will you be putting
- d) will you have put

## Test 2

**1. I am reading an English book now. It is so interesting that by the end of the day I ... reading it.**

- a) am finishing
- b) will have finished
- c) will be finishing
- d) will finish

**2. I don't know what he thinks about it, but I ... him.**

- a) am asking
- b) will have asked
- c) will ask
- d) will be asking

**3. They ... all the problems by the end of the meeting, I am afraid.**

- a) won't settle
- b) won't have settled
- c) aren't settling
- d) won't be settling

**4. Did you write that letter to Jack? — Oh, I forgot. Thanks for reminding me. I ... it in the evening.**

- a) will have written
- b) will have been writing
- c) will write
- d) am writing

**5. It is going to rain, and I am not sure if I will have painted the roof before it ... raining.**

- a) starts
- b) will start
- c) will be starting
- d) will have started

**6. I ... to London tomorrow; I will phone you when I arrive.**

- a) will come
- b) am coming
- c) will be coming
- d) will have come

**7. I will be back soon. I hope you ... your translation by the time I come.**

- a) will have finished
- b) will finish
- c) will be finishing
- d) will have been finishing

**8. I won't give you a definite answer until I ... from my bank.**

- a) have heard
- b) hear
- c) will hear
- d) will have heard

**9. Mother has given Sue some pocket money. But she is spending it very quickly. So, by the end of the week she ... all of it.**

- a) will have spent
- b) will spend
- c) will be spending
- d) will have been spending

**10. By the first of December this year I ... here for fifteen years already.**

- a) will have been working
- b) will work
- c) will have worked
- d) will be working

**11. Do you think ... here in a few years' time?**

- a) will you still be working
- b) you will still be working
- c) you are still working

d) will you still work

**12. By the beginning of next month the firm ... for four years.**

a) will function

b) will have been functioning

- c) is functioning
- d) will have functioned

**13. Don't worry. I will switch off all the lights in the house when I ... to bed.**

- a) will go
- b) will have gone
- c) go
- d) will be going

**14. The house ... for two hours when the firefighters finally arrive.**

- a) is burning
- b) will be burning
- c) will have burnt
- d) will have been burning

**15. If you ... me the truth, I will never speak with you.**

- a) won't tell
- b) won't be telling
- c) don't tell
- d) aren't telling

**16. You don't have to wait for me, I'll come home late. I ... out with my friend.**

- a) am dining
- b) will dine
- c) will be dining
- d) will have been dining

**17. I think I ... this piece of cake. It looks delicious!**

- a) am going to take
- b) will take
- c) will have taken
- d) will be taking

**18. I ... a famous rock star one day!**

- a) will become
- b) am going to become
- c) will be becoming
- d) will have become

**19. I'm afraid we ... on time for the meeting.**

- a) aren't be
- b) will not be
- c) to be will not
- d) will not have been

**20. I am such a spendthrift, so by the end of the week I ... all of my pocket money.**

- a) will spend
- b) will have spent
- c) will be spending
- d) will have been spending

**21. Now that I've won the lottery, I ... a new flat.**

- a) am going to buy
- b) am buying
- c) will be buying
- d) will have bought

**22. Look at the clouds! It ... to rain!**

- a) will

- b) will be
- c) is going
- d) to will have

**23. By the end of the next month, she ... for twenty years.**

- a) will teach
- b) is teaching
- c) will have been teaching
- d) will have taught

**24. The temperature ... 20°C tomorrow.**

- a) reaches
- b) is going to reach
- c) is reaching
- d) will reach

**25. I can't make head or tail of this exercise! ... you ... me?**

- a) Will / help
- b) Are / going to help
- c) Are / helping
- d) Will / be helping

**26. By the time they reach Edinburgh, they ... for 6 hours.**

- a) will have been travelling
- b) will have travelled
- c) will travel
- d) will be travelling

**27. You don't have to call Cindy. I ... her later, so I'll pass the message on.**

- a) will see
- b) will be seeing
- c) will have seen

- d) will have been seeing

**28. Excuse me. ... you ... the fax machine for long?**

- a) Will / use
- b) Will / have used
- c) Will / have been using
- d) Will / be using

**29. Everybody ... by the time you come to the party.**

- a) will go
- b) will have gone
- c) will be going
- d) is going to go

**30. She ... the report until 5 o'clock.**

- a) will not complete
- b) will not have completed
- c) will be completing
- d) will have been completing

**31. Don't call her now — she ... .**

- a) will be sleeping
- b) will have slept
- c) will sleep
- d) will have been sleeping

**32. It's 8 o'clock. Jim ... the office by the time we get there.**

- a) will leave
- b) will be leaving
- c) will have left
- d) will have been leaving

**33. I ... to Rome tomorrow morning. Here is my ticket.**

- a) am flying
- b) will fly
- c) will have flown
- d) will have been flying

**34. Look at the timetable. The bus ... in London at 6:40.**

- a) is going to arrive
- b) arrives
- c) will be arriving
- d) will have arrived

**35. She ... the report by tomorrow.**

- a) will finish
- b) will be finished
- c) will have been finishing
- d) will have finished

**36. This time next week, we ... round the islands.**

- a) will be cruising
- b) will cruise
- c) will have cruised
- d) will have been cruising

**37. When ... they ... married?**

- a) are / getting
- b) will / being
- c) will / have been married
- d) will / get

**38. I am not sure if she ... her exams.**

- a) will be passing

- b) will have passed
- c) will pass
- d) will have been passed

**39. I am tired of living in such a small apartment. I ... to a bigger house next year.**

- a) will be moving
- b) am going to move
- c) will have moved
- d) will have been moving

**40. My car is being repaired and I don't know when it ... ready.**

- a) will be
- b) will have been
- c) is being
- d) is going to be

### Test 3

**1. You don't have to wait for me, I'll come home late. I ... out with my friend.**

- a) am dining
- b) will dine
- c) will be dining
- d) will have been dining

**2. I think I ... this piece of cake. It looks delicious!**

- a) am going to take
- b) will take
- c) will be taking
- d) will have taken

**3. I ... to you as soon as I get home.**

- a) shall write
- b) wrote
- c) have written

**4. I ... a famous rock star one day!**

- a) will become
- b) am going to become
- c) will be becoming
- d) will have become

**5. I'm afraid we ... on time for the meeting.**

- a) will not have been
- b) will not be
- c) will going to be
- d) aren't be

**6. Paul ... abroad once a month on business.**

- a) travel
- b) is travelling
- c) travels

**7. I am such a spendthrift, so by the end of the week I ... all of my pocket money.**

- a) will spend
- b) will have spent
- c) will be spending
- d) will have been spending

**8. Emily ... her lunch already, even though it's only 10 o'clock.**

- a) has eaten
- b) was eating
- c) ate

**9. Now that I've won the lottery, I ... a new flat.**

- a) am going to buy
- b) am buying
- c) will have bought
- d) will be buying

**10. It's very cold here. I ... the heating on.**

- a) put
- b) had put

- c) will put

**11. Look at the clouds! It ... rain!**

- a) will
- b) will be
- c) is going to
- d) will have

**12. I can't make head or tail of this exercise! ... you ... me?**

- a) Will help
- b) Are going to help
- c) Are helping
- d) Will be helping

**13. I usually ... to the cinema at least once a month.**

- a) am going
- b) go
- c) have gone

**14. By the time they reach Edinburgh, they ... for 6 hours.**

- a) will have been travelling
- b) will have travelled
- c) will travel
- d) will be travelling

**15. You don't have to call Cindy. I ... her later, so I'll pass the message on.**

- a) will see
- b) will be seeing
- c) will have seen
- d) will have been seeing

**16. Don't call her now — she ... .**

- a) will be sleeping
- b) will have slept
- c) will sleep
- d) will have been sleeping

**17. The match ... at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon.**

- a) start
- b) starts
- c) has started

**18. This time next week, we ... round the islands.**

- a) will be cruising
- b) will cruise
- c) will have cruised
- d) will have been cruised

**19. I ... my dentist tomorrow at 5.**

- a) will be seeing
- b) will see
- c) will have seen
- d) am going to see

**20. She has resigned from her job because she ... all over the world.**

- a) will travel
- b) will be travelling
- c) will have travelled
- d) is going to travel

**21. Tom ... his homework ever since he got home from school.**

- a) has been doing
- b) does
- c) is doing

**22. Next Sunday, Sally ... to Paris for a business meeting.**

- a) will fly
- b) is flying
- c) will be flying
- d) will have flown

**23. I ... at the project for a month when you join me.**

- a) will have been working
- b) would work
- c) will have worked
- d) will be working

**24. The cake ... ready tomorrow.**

- a) won't
- b) won't be
- c) isn't
- d) doesn't

**25. Mary wants to speak with you. — Please tell her that I ... her as soon as I'm free.**

- a) will call
- b) will have called
- c) will have been calling

**26. Say goodbye to Ann now. By the time you return, she ... for New York.**

- a) will be leaving
- b) will have left
- c) will have been leaving

**27. Mary ... at seven o'clock.**

- a) will come
- b) comes
- c) will be coming
- d) is coming

**28. Please don't ring the doorbell when you get here. My baby ... .**

- a) will be sleeping
- b) will have slept
- c) will have been sleeping

**29. I ... for two hours by 12 o'clock.**

- a) will have been reading
- b) will have read
- c) am reading

**30. Oh, you'll recognize him. He ... a brown leather jacket and a red scarf.**

- a) will be wearing
- b) will have worn
- c) will have been wearing

Level B

Test 1

**1. Governments all over Europe have promised that they ... the joint problems of immigration and urban growth.**

- a) will have tackled
- b) will be tackling
- c) will tackle
- d) will have been tackling

**2. Global warming means that typhoons and hurricanes ... more prevalent in the Northern and Southern hemispheres.**

- a) will become
- b) will have become

- c) will be becoming
- d) will have been becoming

**3. During rush hour later today, tens of thousands of people ... into Tokyo and other big cities, trying to get to work.**

- a) will drive
- b) will have driven
- c) will be driving
- d) will have been driving

**4. In twenty years' time, many more conurbations ... due to sprawling urbanization.**

- a) will develop
- b) will have developed
- c) will be developing
- d) will have been developing

**5. Jane: What you ... when you grow up? James: I ... an acrobat in a circus.**

- a) will do / will be
- b) are you going to do / am going to be
- c) will do / am going to be
- d) are you going to do / will be being

**6. I'll ring you tomorrow at six. — No, don't ring at six; I ... the baby then. Ring later.**

- a) shall bath
- b) shall have been bathing
- c) shall have bathed
- d) shall be bathing

**7. The tourists ... sight-seeing in the country all next week.**

- a) will go
- b) will have gone
- c) will be going
- d) will have been going

**8. We ... still ... through the Red Sea when you arrive at Cairo.**

- a) will be sailing
- b) will sail
- c) will have been sailing
- d) are going to sail

**9. They ... a meeting between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. today.**

- a) will be attending
- b) will attend
- c) will have attended
- d) will have been attending

**10. Did you know that we ... the whole day?**

- a) would work
- b) would be working
- c) will work
- d) will have worked

**11. The travelers ... the desert this time tomorrow.**

- a) will cross
- b) will have crossed
- c) will be crossing
- d) will have been crossing

**12. There is going to be a bus strike. Everyone ... to work next week.**

- a) will walk
- b) will be walking
- c) will have walked
- d) will have been walking

**13. You have just missed the last train. Never mind, I ... .**

- a) will walk
- b) will be walking
- c) will have walked
- d) will have been walking

**14. When they ... married in March, they ... together for six years.**

- a) will get / will be
- b) get / will be
- c) will have got / be
- d) get / will have been

**15. Do you think the teacher ... our homework by Monday morning?**

- a) will mark
- b) will be marking
- c) mark
- d) will have marked

**16. John felt Terry ... him to solve the problem.**

- a) wouldn't help
- b) won't help
- c) won't have helped
- d) won't be helping

**17. After you ... a nap, you ... a lot better.**

- a) take / will feel
- b) will take / feel
- c) will have taken / will feel
- d) take / will have been feeling

**18. I ... the cigarettes from the corner shop when it ... .**

- a) buy / will open
- b) will buy / will be opening
- c) will buy / opens
- d) buy / will have opened

**19. I ... you know the second the builders ... decorating.**

- a) will have let / finish
- b) will let / have finished
- c) let / will finish
- d) will let / will finish

**20. Before we ... our lesson, we ... a review.**

- a) start / are going to have
- b) will start / will have
- c) start / will have had
- d) will have started / are going to have

**21. This summer, I ... in Brighton for four years.**

- a) will live
- b) will have lived
- c) will have been living
- d) will be living

**22. The baby should be due soon; next week she ... pregnant for nine months.**

- a) will be
- b) will have been
- c) will be being
- d) will have been being

**23. We dreamt we ... at this time next summer.**

- a) would be resting
- b) would be rested
- c) will rest
- d) will be resting

**24. By the time we ... home, they ... football for 30 minutes.**

- a) will get / will be playing
- b) get / will have been playing
- c) get / will have been played
- d) will get / will play

**25. When you ... off the train, I ... for you by the ticket machine.**

- a) get / will be waiting
- b) will get / will have been waiting
- c) will have got / will be waiting
- d) get / will have waited

**26. Next week ... the beginning of winter and the weather forecast says that there ... snow tomorrow.**

- a) is / will be
- b) will be / will be being
- c) will have been / will be
- d) will be being / will be

**27. That's what they always say, but they ... about it by next year.**

- a) will surely forget
- b) will surely have forgotten
- c) will surely be forgetting
- d) will surely have been forgetting

**28. I knew John ... on his translation for some hours when I came.**

- a) will have worked
- b) would be working
- c) would have been working
- d) will work

**29. As I ... to pass my English exam successfully next year, I ... harder this term.**

- a) will want / will have studied
- b) want / will have been studying
- c) will want / am going to study

- d) want / am going to study

**30. And after my apprenticeship, maybe I ... back to London to work there for a while.**

- a) will go
- b) will have gone
- c) will be going
- d) will have been going

**31. The next episode of "Youth Today" ... on at the same time next week.**

- a) is going to be
- b) will be
- c) will be being
- d) will have been

**32. I ... 50 people to the party, and I hope everyone ... .**

- a) will be inviting / will come
- b) am going to invite / will come
- c) will have invited / come
- d) will invite / will have been coming

**33. Where on earth is Tony? I'm tired of waiting for him. Soon we ... here for an hour.**

- a) will wait
- b) will have waited
- c) are going to wait
- d) will have been waiting

**34. Well, Mary, in six months we ... married 25 years. How about a party to celebrate?**

- a) will have been
- b) will be
- c) will be being
- d) are

**35. I ... a very rich man. I'm sure that by the time I'm 40 I ... my first million.**

- a) will be / will make
- b) am going to be / will have been making
- c) am going to be / will have made
- d) will have been / will make

**36. Once this room is finished, we ... six of the seven rooms in the house. Not bad for two days' work.**

- a) will have painted
- b) will paint
- c) are going to paint
- d) will be painting

**37. The manager informed us that we ... all the documents in time.**

- a) would have received
- b) will receive
- c) would receive
- d) will be receiving

**38. It seemed to me that they ... by twelve o'clock.**

- a) wouldn't have come
- b) wouldn't come
- c) won't have come
- d) won't come

**39. I thought that at seven o'clock all the family ... dinner.**

- a) will have
- b) would be having
- c) would have had
- d) will have been having

**40. My friend promised she ... care of everything by the time I got back.**

- a) will have taken
- b) would have taken
- c) will take
- d) will have been taking

Test 2

**1. You don't have to wait for me, I'll come home late. I ... out with my friend.**

- a) am dining
- b) will dine
- c) will be dining
- d) will have been dining

**2. I think I ... this piece of cake. It looks delicious!**

- a) am going to take
- b) will take
- c) will be taking
- d) will have taken

**3. I ... a famous rock star one day!**

- a) will become
- b) am going to become
- c) will be becoming
- d) will have become

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- a) aren't be
- b) will going to be
- c) will not be
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- a) will spend
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- d) will have been spending

**6. Now that I've won the lottery, I ... a new flat.**

- a) am going to buy
- b) am buying
- c) will be buying
- d) will have bought

**7. Look at the clouds! It ... rain!**

- a) will
- b) will be
- c) is going to
- d) will have

**8. By the end of the next month, she ... for twenty years.**

- a) will teach
- b) is teaching
- c) will have been teaching
- d) will have taught

**9. The temperature ... 20 °C tomorrow.**

- a) reaches
- b) is going to reach
- c) is reaching

- d) will reach

**10. I can't make head or tail of this exercise! ... you ... me?**

- a) Will / help
- b) Are / going to help
- c) Are / helping
- d) Will / be helping

**11. By the time they reach Edinburgh, they ... for 6 hours.**

- a) will have been travelling
- b) will have travelled
- c) will travel
- d) will be travelling

**12. You don't have to call Cindy. I ... her later, so I'll pass the message on.**

- a) will see
- b) will be seeing
- c) will have seen
- d) will have been seeing

**13. Excuse me, ... you ... the fax-machine for long?**

- a) will / use
- b) will / have used
- c) will / have been using
- d) will / be using

**14. Everybody ... by the time you come to the party.**

- a) will go
- b) will have gone
- c) will be going
- d) is going to go

**15. She ... the report until 5 o'clock.**

- a) will not complete
- b) will not have completed
- c) will have been completing
- d) will be completing

**16. Don't call her now — she ... .**

- a) will be sleeping
- b) will have slept
- c) will sleep

- d) will have been sleeping

**17. It's 8 o'clock. Jim ... the office by the time we get there.**

- a) will leave
- b) will be leaving
- c) will have left
- d) will have been leaving

**18. I ... to Rome tomorrow morning. Here is my ticket.**

- a) am flying
- b) will fly
- c) will have flown
- d) will have been flying

**19. Look at the timetable. The bus ... in London at 6:40.**

- a) is going to arrive
- b) arrives
- c) will be arriving
- d) will have arrived

**20. She ... the report by tomorrow.**

- a) will finish
- b) will be finished
- c) will have been finishing
- d) will have finished

**21. This time next week, we ... round the islands.**

- a) will be cruising
- b) will cruise
- c) will have cruised
- d) will have been cruised

**22. When ... they ... married?**

- a) are / got
- b) will / being
- c) will / have been married
- d) will / get

**23. I am not sure if she ... her exams.**

- a) will be passing
- b) will have passed
- c) will pass

- d) will have been passed

**24. I am tired of living in such a small apartment. I ... to a bigger house next year.**

- a) will be moving
- b) am going to move
- c) will have moved
- d) will have been moving

**25. My car is being repaired and I don't know when it ... ready.**

- a) will be
- b) will have been
- c) is being
- d) is going to

**26. She ... all the newspapers by 9 o'clock.**

- a) will deliver
- b) will have delivered
- c) will have been delivered
- d) will be delivering

**27. I ... my dentist tomorrow at 5.**

- a) will be seeing
- b) will see
- 1. c) will have seen
- d) am going to see

**28 I ... cleaning the house until you come back.**

- a) will have
- b) won't have finished
- c) will be finishing
- d) will have been finishing

**29. Well, I like this pair better than the other one. I ... it!**

- a) will be taking
- b) will have taken
- c) will take
- d) will have been taking

**30. She has resigned from her job because she ... all over the world.**

- a) will travel
- b) will be travelling

- c) will have travelled
- d) is going to travel

**31. Next Sunday, Candy ... to Paris for a business meeting.**

- a) will fly
- b) is flying
- c) will be flying
- d) will have flown

**32. When Jim enters a university he ... Economy for more than 4 years.**

- a) will be studying
- b) will study
- c) will have been studying
- d) will have studied

**33. The floor is so dirty I haven't cleaned it for a couple of weeks. I ... to do it on Saturday.**

- a) will do
- b) will be doing
- c) am doing
- d) am going

**34. I will leave the office after the postman ... my mail.**

- a) will be bringing
- b) will bring
- c) brings
- d) is bringing

**35. It's too late to call him now. I think I ... him tomorrow.**

- a) will call
- b) will be calling
- c) will have called
- d) will be calling

**36. I ... to Turkey tomorrow; I will phone you when I arrive.**

- a) will be coming
- b) will have come
- c) will come
- d) am coming

**37. By the second of October this year I ... here for ten years already.**

- a) will work

- b) will have been working
- c) will be working
- d) will have worked

**38. I ... at the project for a month when you join me.**

- a) will have been working
- b) would work
- c) will have worked
- d) will be working

**39. Since Andy has bought a new laptop on credit, he ... all the money by the second of April.**

- a) is paying
- b) will have paid
- c) will pay
- d) will be paying

**40. By the beginning of next month the school ... for three years.**

- a) is functioning
- b) will function
- c) will have been functioning
- d) will have functioned

### Test 3

**1. ... you be buying the house or haven't you decided yet?**

- a) Did you
- b) Have you
- c) Were you
- d) Will you

**2. What do you ... to do when you leave school?**

- a) wanted
- b) want
- c) wanting
- d) wants

**3. What ... happen to the family if he loses all his money?**

- a) does
- b) did
- c) will
- d) shall

**4. I'm sure they ... get married and live happily ever afterwards.**

- a) did
- b) have
- c) will
- d) want

**5. I really hope I ... see you again.**

- a) did
- b) shall
- c) should
- d) would

**6. If they ... arrive late, they will have to get their own meal.**

- a) do
- b) had
- c) would
- d) will

**7. "What are you thinking about?" — "This time next week, I ... on the beach."**

- a) will have sunbathed
- b) will be sunbathing
- c) will have been sunbathing

**8. "Have you just moved here?" — "No. I ... here for two years next month."**

- a) will be living
- b) will have been living
- c) have lived

**9. "Can you give Steve a message for me?" — "Certainly. I ... him at work later on today."**

- a) will be seeing
- b) will have seen
- c) will have been seeing

**10. "Those two people have been dancing all evening." — "Yes. By 11 o'clock, they ... for four hours."**

- a) will have been dancing
- b) will have danced
- c) will be dancing

**11. "You've been working hard all day." — "Yes. At 3 o'clock, I ... for six hours."**

- a) will be studying
- b) will have been studying
- c) will have studied

**12. "Have you finished decorating your house yet?" — "No, but I ... by Friday."**

- a) will be finishing
- b) will have been finishing
- c) will have finished

**13. "... to the supermarket today?" — "Yes. Do you want me to get you something?"**

- a) Will you have gone
- b) Will you have been going
- c) Will you be going

**14. "John has an exam tomorrow, doesn't he?" — "Yes. In fact, at this time tomorrow, he ... the exam."**

- a) will have been sitting
- b) will be sitting
- c) has sat

**15. "Sarah has gone to the cinema to see that film again." — "I know. After this time, she ... it five times!"**

- a) will have seen
- b) will have been seeing
- c) will be seeing

**16. "Are you typing another report?" — "Yes. By the time I finish this one, I ... twenty-three reports today!"**

- a) will have been typing
- b) will have typed
- c) will be typing

**17. When we go to Paris, we ... the Eiffel Tower.**

- a) will climb

- b) will have been climbed
- c) will have climbed

**18. James ... his studies by the end of the year.**

- a) will have been completing
- b) will have been completed
- c) will have completed

**19. This time tomorrow, I ... for the airport.**

- a) will have been leaving
- b) will be leaving
- c) will have left

**20. "What's wrong?" — "My car has broken down. ... me, please?"**

- a) Will you help
- b) You will help
- c) Shall you help

**21. Sam ... here for two years on Monday.**

- a) will work
- b) will have worked
- c) will have been working

**22. By the time I get home, I ... for three hours.**

- a) will have been walking
- b) will walk
- c) will be walking

**23. Kim ... in the school concert next week.**

- a) will be performing
- b) will have been performing
- c) will have been performing

**24. I ... you from Peter's house on my way home.**

- a) will be collected
- b) will collect
- c) will have collected

**25. "It's very hot in this room, isn't it?" — "Yes. I ... the window."**

- a) will you open
- b) open
- c) will open

**26. We're too late to catch the bus. It ... by now.**

- a) will go
- b) will have gone
- c) will have went

**27. "We've run out of milk." — "Really? I ... some more this afternoon."**

- a) will buy
- b) will have been buying
- c) will be bought

**28. It ... in Brighton tomorrow evening.**

- a) was snowing
- b) had been snow
- c) will snow

**29. Are you still writing your essay? If you ... by 4 pm, we can go for a walk.**

- a) finished
- b) finish
- c) would have finished

**30. I don't think you ... any problems when you land in Boston.**

- a) would have
- b) shall have
- c) will have

**31. Do you think the teacher ... our homework by Monday morning?**

- a) will have been marking
- b) will have marking
- c) will have marked

**32. We ... in the shelter until the bus ... .**

- a) will wait ... comes
- b) would wait ... came
- c) should wait ... comes

**33. I ... you know the second the builders ... decorating.**

- a) let ... finished
- b) will let ... have finished
- c) will let ... finish

**34. By the time we get home, they ... football for 30 minutes.**

- a) will be playing
- b) will have been playing
- c) will be played

**35. After you take a nap, you ... a lot better.**

- a) will feel
- b) will be feeling
- c) will felt

**36. This summer, I ... in Brighton for four years.**

- a) will be living
- b) will have lived
- c) will have been living

**37. When they get married in March, they ... together for six years.**

- a) will be
- b) will have been
- c) will have being

**38. When you get off the train, I ... for you by the ticket machine.**

- a) will wait
- b) will be waiting
- c) will have waited

**39. This time next week I ... in Switzerland!**

- a) will be skiing
- b) will ski
- c) will be skied

**40. When I see you tomorrow, I ... you my new book.**

- a) show
- b) will show
- c) will be shown



# Test Yourself

## Variant 1

### *I. Choose the right answer.*

1. **She wasn't able to carry all these suitcases by herself. Somebody (help) ... her.**
  - a) had helped
  - b) must have helped
  - c) was to help
  - d) should to help
  
2. **Harry's room is (expensive) ... of all the rooms, but he can afford it.**
  - a) most expensive
  - b) so expensive
  - c) expensivest
  - d) the most expensive
  
3. **There was nobody at home, ...?**

- a) was there
  - b) were there
  - c) weren't they
  - d) wasn't there
4. **You (sing) ... a lovely song when I entered the room. What was it?**
- a) sang
  - b) had sung
  - c) was singing
  - d) were singing
5. **We had better (hurry up) ... if we want to get here before dark.**
- a) to hurry up
  - b) hurry up
  - c) hurried up
  - d) hurrying up
6. **I heard the clock (strike) ... ten a long time ago.**
- a) to strike
  - b) struck
  - c) strike
  - d) has struck
7. **If Tom (work) ... hard, he will pass his exams.**
- a) works
  - b) will work
  - c) has worked
  - d) worked
8. **My room is (comfortable) ... one in our flat.**
- a) the comfortablest
  - b) more comfortable
  - c) the most comfortable
  - d) most comfortable

*II. Fill in the gaps with the comparative or superlative form of the adjectives in brackets.*

Dear Leo,

I'm writing to tell you about my new house. It's 1) ... **(big)** house I've ever lived in, but also 2) ... **(expensive)**. Still, it's much 3) ... **(nice)** than my last house. Although the garden is a little 4) ... **(small)**, the rooms are much 5) ... **(spacious)** and there is much 6) ... **(little)** noise. The area I live in now is 7) ... **(peaceful)** place I've ever lived in. The neighbours are 8) ... **(quiet)** here than anywhere else, and they are 9) ... **(friendly)** people you will ever meet.

There are lots of flowers here, so it's much 10) ... **(colourful)** than my previous home, and there is a bus stop near my house, so it's 11) ... **(convenient)** than before because I don't have to take my car to work. All in all, I can say that finding this house is 12) ... **(good)** thing that's ever happened to me! I hope you will visit me here soon.

Love, Helen

## Variant 2

### *I. Choose the right answer.*

- 1. The man is ... least 70 years old.**
  - a) in the
  - b) on the
  - c) in
  - d) at
- 2. My aunt (be/not) ... South America yet.**
  - a) hadn't been to
  - b) wasn't in
  - c) hasn't been to
  - d) hasn't been in
- 3. The car isn't worth (repair) ...**
  - a) to repair
  - b) **repairing**

- c) to be repaired
  - d) being repaired
4. **Mom isn't at home. She ... the shops and she'll be back soon.**
- a) has gone to
  - b) has been to
  - c) has been in
  - d) went to
5. **Jenny kept on (talk) ... although her husband asked her to stop.**
- a) to talk
  - b) talking
  - c) talked
  - d) talk
6. **The detective made Mr. Folgers (pay) ... the bill.**
- a) pay
  - b) to pay
  - c) paid
  - d) would pay
7. **I have lived in London for a long time, so I ... the traffic.**
- a) quite used to
  - b) get used
  - c) am quite used to
  - d) was quite used to
8. **I thought I (throw) ... my scarf into the back of the wardrobe, but I couldn't find it there.**
- a) was throwing
  - b) have thrown
  - c) had thrown
  - d) threw

***II. Find the errors in this paragraph and correct them.***

It rained, when we have arrived at the coast but by midday it had been stopping. We thought the rain lasted all day and we have been very glad it hadn't because we were wanting to go swimming. We have found a cafe where we could eat outside and were having a nice meal. By the time we finished lunch the sun shone brightly and the temperature was arising to 30 degrees. We all were running down to the beach and, after we were changing into our swimming things, we dived in the sea.

### Variant 3

#### *I. Choose the right answer.*

1. **We were rather surprised ... the price of the dress.**
  - a) of
  - b) about
  - c) at
  - d) on
  
2. **I'd like two (dozen) ... eggs.**
  - a) dozen
  - b) dozens
  - c) dozens of
  - d) dozen of
  
3. **We need ...**
  - a) an other chair
  - b) another chair
  - c) another chairs
  - d) one other chair

4. **... first-hand news.**  
a) these are  
b) those are  
c) this is  
d) they are
5. **You ... use your knowledge more effectively.**  
a) are to  
b) must to  
c) may  
d) should
6. **A lot of people (lock) ... in the Tower.**  
a) were locked  
b) have been locked  
c) are locked  
d) are being locked
7. **He had ... interest in any kind of sport.**  
a) a few  
b) little  
c) a little  
d) few
8. **It's rather late. I think I (take) ... a taxi.**  
a) can  
b) am to take  
c) have to take  
d) shall take

***II. Find the errors in this paragraph and correct them.***

Yesterday has been a bad day for Andrew. He hadn't slept well because there is a terrible storm in the night. After he has a shower, he makes breakfast. After he eaten , he got into his car and drive to work. He has driven only for five minutes when he remembered that he has left his briefcase at home. He had turned the car around and had gone home again. Then, he realized that he locked himself out. The keys are still inside the house. Andrew has already been late for work, so he decided to leave the briefcase and go to work. When he arrived, his secretary tell him that his boss has tried to call him at home. Andrew went to find his boss.

When he asks his boss why he called, he has told him that it wasn't necessary for him to come to work that day after all!

#### Variant 4

##### *I. Choose the right answer.*

1. **After it (stop) ... raining, we went out.**
  - a) stopped
  - b) has stopped
  - c) had stopped
  - d) would stop
  
2. **My friend is interested ... architecture.**
  - a) in
  - b) on
  - c) about
  - d) for
  
3. **She looked out of the window. It (still/snow) ...**
  - a) was still snowing
  - b) still snowed
  - c) has still snowed
  - d) has still been snowing

4. **All of ... sudden she stopped her dinner and went out.**  
a) a  
b) the  
c) —  
d) such
5. **He will translate the text if he (have) ... a dictionary at hand.**  
a) will have  
b) has  
c) would have  
d) have
6. **I don't know ...**  
a) where is your umbrella  
b) where your umbrella is  
c) your umbrella where is  
d) your umbrella is where
7. **I want (you/get in touch with) ... Tom.**  
a) that you get in touch with  
b) you to get in touch with  
c) you get in touch with  
d) you getting in touch with
8. **A new navigation equipment (examine) ... by our scientist now.**  
a) is being examined  
b) is examining  
c) is examined  
d) examines

***II. Find the errors in this paragraph and correct them.***

Kevin Adams likes trains. He first sees one when he was four years old and he thinks it was great. He is going to a different railway station every week and writes down the engine number of every train he sees. He did this since he was eight. By the time he was fifteen he has collected over ten thousand different engine numbers in various countries. Once, while he stand in a station in Cheshire he saw something very unusual. He was waiting for over an hour for a train to go by when suddenly he saw a very old steam train coming down the track. It hadn't stopped at the station, and Kevin notices that all the passengers weared old-fashioned clothes. When he told the station guard about this, the poor man turned pale. He said that no steam train passed through that station for years.

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