

## MULTIPLE CHOICE TEST 0001

### I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently.

1. A. hear                      B. dear                      C. pear                      D. clear
2. A. punctual                      B. rubbish                      C. frustrate                      D. furious
3. A. theatre                      B. therefore                      C. throughout                      D. thunder
4. A. influenced                      B. terrified                      C. averaged                      D. accompanied
5. A. hat                      B. dangerous                      C. battle                      D. calculate

### II. Choose the word whose stress is different.

6. A. accurate                      B. customer                      C. computer                      D. exercise
7. A. contaminate                      B. supervisor                      C. investigate                      D. convenient
8. A. reduction                      B. popular                      C. financial                      D. romantic
9. A. environmental                      B. personality                      C. representative                      D. technological
10. A. suffer                      B. reduce                      C. sanguine                      D. intimacy

### III. VOCABULARY & GRAMMAR

#### Choose the right word or phrase to complete the sentences.

11. His \_\_\_\_\_ and bad work led to his dismissal from the firm.  
A. unpunctual                      B. unpunctuality                      C. in punctual                      D. inpunctuality
12. What do you think is more important in the person you marry \_\_\_\_\_ intelligence or  
A. attractively                      B. attraction                      C. attractiveness                      D. attracted
13. The peacocks roam \_\_\_\_\_ within Whipsawed Wild Animal Park.  
A. free                      B. leisurely                      C. pleasant                      D. comfortably
14. Doctors have accepted that acupuncture can work for pain \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. release                      B. liberation                      C. relief                      D. killing
15. You cannot ski on those tracks any longer, for most of the snow has \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. broken                      B. dissolved                      C. melted                      D. vaporized
16. I wanted to build a bookcase, but I couldn't make \_\_\_\_\_ of the instructions.  
A. sense                      B. understanding                      C. sight                      D. reality
17. The laser beam can make the birthmark less \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. remarkable                      B. noticeable                      C. conspicuous                      D. significant
18. We \_\_\_\_\_ the time: we ran out of time at last, and failed the race.  
A. outlasted                      B. overwhelmed                      C. underestimated                      D. undercharged
19. It can \_\_\_\_\_ from the passage that Mars may outshine Jupiter one day.  
A. be implied                      B. refer                      C. be inferred                      D. indicate
20. A part-time job gives me the freedom to \_\_\_\_\_ my own interests.  
A. pursue                      B. seek                      C. chase                      D. run after
21. The Chinese \_\_\_\_\_ printing.  
A. invented                      B. discovered                      C. found out                      D. revealed
22. That English will become dominant in most scientific fields is \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. predicting                      B. predictable                      C. on predictions                      D. to predict
23. Taxation has been used to increase the price and reduce the \_\_\_\_\_ of cigarettes.  
A. consumer                      B. consuming                      C. consumed                      D. consumption
24. She passed the exam with excellent results and was \_\_\_\_\_ a scholarship.  
A. rewarded                      B. presented                      C. gave                      D. granted
25. It is widely believed that human beings are descended from one common ancestor.  
A. every                      B. all                      C. every of                      D. all of
26. In the ever \_\_\_\_\_ world of computers it is necessary to be adaptable  
A. advanced                      B. advance                      C. advancing                      D. advances

27. I caught \_\_\_\_\_ of to lion lying under the tree, and my heart jumped.  
A. view                      B. sight                      C. look                      D. scene
28. What I like best of him is his \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. dependence              B. dependable              C. independence              D. dependency
29. In industrial cities, \_\_\_\_\_ of smoke are the popular sight.  
A. column                      B. pillars                      C. stacks                      D. tubes
30. It is a matter of \_\_\_\_\_ to include pens and paper in the conference documents.  
A. convenience              B. advantage              C. benefit                      D. profit
31. In the 1960s \_\_\_\_\_ was concerned about pollution.  
A. hardly everyone              B. rarely anyone              C. hardly anyone              D. rarely someone
32. We should impose restrictions \_\_\_\_\_ media advertising of alcohol  
A. in                              B. with                              C. from                              D. on
33. After the war, many of us \_\_\_\_\_ touch with our relatives.  
A. kept                              B. lost                              C. on                              D. got
34. \_\_\_\_\_ women, men are much more muscular.  
A. Comparison with              B. Comparing with              C. compared with              D. to compare
35. I hope I haven't got \_\_\_\_\_ luggage.  
A. too many                      B. so many                      C. too much                      D. so much
36. I am looking forward to \_\_\_\_\_ on vacation  
A. go                              B. be going                      C. going                              D. having gone
37. The department store \_\_\_\_\_ by the Johansson for many years.  
A. has been run                      B. is run                              C. runs                              D. has run
38. People in my office exchange cards with \_\_\_\_\_ during the holidays.  
A. ourselves                      B. themselves                      C. try others                      D. one another
39. It is 6 years \_\_\_\_\_ we moved to Chicago.  
A. when                              B. that                              C. since                              D. after
40. The theatre failed \_\_\_\_\_ a suitable play to appeal to audience.  
A. producing                      B. to produce                      C. to have produced              D. producing of
41. I wondered why he \_\_\_\_\_ his job.  
A. has changed                      B. changes                              C. used to change              D. had changed
42. She \_\_\_\_\_ to take her neighbor to court if he didn't stop making so much noise.  
A. threatened                      B. offered                              C. promised                              D. suggested
43. I think he will join us, \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. doesn't he                      B. won't he                              C. will he                              D. don't I
44. I was just about to ring up his office \_\_\_\_\_ he arrived home.  
A. when                              B. although                              C. then                              D. as
45. He put the two letters into the wrong envelopes \_\_\_\_\_ mistake.  
A. on                              B. by                              C. with                              D. in
46. Even though he was bored \_\_\_\_\_ doing the same thing every day, he was nervous \_\_\_\_\_ making a change.  
A. about/ at                      B. with/ for                              C. in/ about                              D. with/ about
47. While Peter was driving home last night, he \_\_\_\_\_ petrol.  
A. was running out              B. was running out of              C. ran out of                      D. ran out
48. They gave me their address \_\_\_\_\_ send them a brochure.  
A. so that I                              B. in order to                              C. so that I could                      D. in order that I will
49. She wondered \_\_\_\_\_ her father looked like now, after so many years away.  
A. how                              B. whose                              C. what                              D. that
50. The police suggested that anyone who saw the accident \_\_\_\_\_ in touch with them.  
A. should get                      B. got                              C. had to get                              D. would get

**IV. Choose the sentence that is similar in meaning to the one given.**

51. *I last saw him in 1998.*

- A. I didn't see him since 1998.                      B. It is in 1998 that I saw him.  
C. I haven't seen him since 1998.                      D. It has been 1998 since I saw him.

52. *They say that the doctor has made a serious mistake.*

- A. The doctor is said that he has made a serious mistake.              B. It is said that the doctor has been made a serious mistake.  
C. The doctor is said to have made a serious mistake.              D. The doctor is said to make a serious mistake.

53. *My shoes need cleaning.*

- A. I need to clean my shoes.  
C. Cleaning is needed for my shoes.
54. **You ought to make up your mind now.**  
A. It is time you made up your mind.  
C. You should have made up your mind.
55. **She is the most intelligent woman I have ever met.**  
A. I have never met a more intelligent woman than her.  
C. I have ever met such an intelligent woman.
56. **She says that it's good if I make my own decisions.**  
A. She encourages me making my own decisions.  
C. I was encouraged by her to make my own decisions
57. **I am sure that Tina didn't steal the money.**  
A. Tina couldn't steal the money.  
C. Tina mustn't have stolen the money.
58. **It is worthiness to ask John for help.**  
A. John is worthless to help.  
C. It is no use to ask John for help.
59. **We prefer going by train because we can enjoy the sight.**  
A. We would like to go by train or we will enjoy the sight.  
C. We prefer going by train to enjoying the sight.
60. **We do not need much furniture because the room is small.**  
A. The smaller the room is. the less furniture we need.  
C. The small room makes the furniture less and less.
61. **His behavior is understandable.**  
A. We can understand what he behaves.  
C. It is difficult to understand his behavior.
62. **As the luggage was so heavy, we had to take a taxi.**  
A. We had to take a taxi because of the heavy luggage.  
C. Although the luggage was heavy, we took a taxi.
63. **Apples are usually cheaper than oranges.**  
A. Oranges are usually the most expensive.  
C. Apples are not usually as expensive as oranges.
64. **I was offered to work for IBM, but I rejected.**  
A. I turned down the offer to work for IBM.  
C. IBM refused my offer to work.
65. **We could not handle the situation without you.**  
A. You didn't help us handle the situation.  
C. If you did not help us, we could not handle the situation.
- B. I have to clean my shoes.  
D. I need to have my shoes cleaned.
- B. Making up your mind is necessary.  
D. It is possible to make up your mind.
- B. She is not as intelligent as the women I have ever met.  
D. She is more intelligent than I .
- B. She encourages me to make my own decisions.  
D. Making my own decisions is her encouraging.
- B. Tina couldn't have stolen the money.  
D. Tina shouldn't have stolen the money.
- B. John is worth helping.  
D. It is no good asking John to help.
- B. We enjoy the sight although we go by train.  
D. We would like to go by train so that we can enjoy the sight.
- B. The smaller the room, the fewer furniture we need.  
D. Much furniture is needed for a small room.
- B. We can understand why he behaves like that.  
D. It is understood that he behaves.
- B. We had to take a taxi so that we can have heavy luggage.  
D. We had to take a taxi, so we had heavy luggage.
- B. Oranges are usually more expensive as apples.  
D. Apples are usually less cheap than oranges.
- B. I rejected to offer to work for IBM.  
D. I was refused by IBM at work.
- B. If you had not helped us, we could not have handled the situation.  
D. We will handle the situation if you help.

**V. Identify the error in each sentence.**

66. We were sacked due to Bill's carelessly schedule, and we all blamed him for that.  
A B C D
67. No sooner had the secretary hang up than phone rang again.  
A B C D
68. If had finish a course on computer programming, I would have a better salary.  
A B C D
69. I try hardly but I can never catch up with him, because he is so smart.  
A B C D
70. I tried to make it clear to them that urgent action were required.  
A B C D
71. At the moment the company is in the process of reorganizing their department.  
A B C D
72. The government suggested that small businesses gave their own ideas on the bill.  
A B C D
73. were at trouble because we had entered the building without permission

74. When they will pay me for the decoration, I will have enough money to buy a car.  
 A B C D
75. It's that we'll be able to afford it or not that I'm not sure about.  
 A B C D

**VI. Choose the correct answer to complete the passage:**

Everyone can dream. Indeed, everyone does dream. Those who (76) \_\_\_\_\_ that they never dream at all actually dream (77) \_\_\_\_\_ as frequently as the rest of us, (78) \_\_\_\_\_ they may not remember anything about it. Even those of us who are perfectly (79) \_\_\_\_\_ of dreaming night (80) \_\_\_\_\_ night very seldom remember those dreams in (81) \_\_\_\_\_ detail but merely retain an untidy mixture of seemingly unrelated impressions. Dreams are not simply visual we dream with all our (82) \_\_\_\_\_, so that we appear to experience sound, touch, smell, and taste. One of the world's oldest (83) \_\_\_\_\_ written documents is the Egyptian *Book of Dreams*. This volume is about 5 thousand years old, so you can (84) \_\_\_\_\_ that dreams were believed to have a special significance even then. Many ancient civilizations believed that you (85) \_\_\_\_\_ never wake a sleeping person as, during sleep, the soul had left the body and might not be able to return (86) \_\_\_\_\_ time if the sleeper were suddenly (87) \_\_\_\_\_. From ancient times to the present (88) \_\_\_\_\_, people have been (89) \_\_\_\_\_ attempts to interpret dreams and to explain their significance. There are many books available on the subject of dream interpretation, although unfortunately there are almost as many meanings for a particular dream (90) \_\_\_\_\_ there are books.

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|-------------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|
| 76. A. demand     | B. promise    | C. agree       | D. claim     |
| 77. A. also       | B. just       | C. only        | D. quite     |
| 78. A. though     | B. besides    | C. however     | D. despite   |
| 79. A. familiar   | B. accustomed | C. aware       | D. used      |
| 80. A. after      | B. on         | C. through     | D. over      |
| 81. A. great      | B. high       | C. strong      | D. deep      |
| 82. A. feelings   | B. emotions   | C. impressions | D. senses    |
| 83. A. considered | B. known      | C. regarded    | D. estimated |
| 84. A. see        | B. feel       | C. ensure      | D. think     |
| 85. A. would      | B. ought      | C. should      | D. need      |
| 86. A. by         | B. in         | C. with        | D. for       |
| 87. A. awoke      | B. awoken     | C. awake       | D. awaken    |
| 88. A. minute     | B. hour       | C. moment      | D. day       |
| 89. A. doing      | B. putting    | C. making      | D. taking    |
| 90. A. as         | B. like       | C. so          | D. such      |

**VI. Read the passage and choose the correct answers.**

Over the past 600 years, English has grown from a language of few speakers to become the dominant language of international communication. English as we know it today **emerged** around 1350, after having incorporated many **elements** of French that were introduced following the Norman invasion of 1066. Until the 1600s, English was, for the most part, spoken only in England and had not extended even as far as Wales, Scotland or Ireland. However, during the course of the next two centuries, English began to spread around the globe as a result of exploration, trade (including slave trade), colonization, and missionary work. Thus, small **enclaves** of English speakers became established and grew in various parts of the world. As these communities **proliferated**, English gradually became the primary language of international business, banking and diplomacy.

Currently, about 80 percent of the information stored on computer systems worldwide is in English. Two-thirds of the world's science writing is in English, and English is the main language of technology, advertising, media, international airports, and air traffic controllers. Today there are more than 700 million English users in the world, and over half of these are nonnative speakers, **constituting** the largest number of nonnative users than any other language in the world.

91. What is the main topic of the passage?  
 A. The number of nonnative users of English. B. The French influence on the English language.  
 C. The expansion of English as an international language. D. The use of English for science and technology.
92. The word '**emerged**' means \_\_\_\_\_  
 A. appeared B. failed C. frequented D. engaged
93. The word '**elements**' is most similar to \_\_\_\_\_  
 A. declaration B. features C. curiosities D. customs
94. Approximately when did English begin to be used beyond England?

- A. In 1066      B. Around 1350      C. Before 1600      D. After 1600
95. According to the passage, all of the following contributed to the spread of English around the world except \_\_\_\_\_
- A. the slave trade      B. the Norman invasion      C. missionaries      D. colonization
96. The word '**enclaves**' is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_
- A. communities      B. organizations      C. regions      D. countries
97. The word '**proliferated**' is closest in meaning to organized \_\_\_\_\_
- A. prospered      B. organized      C. disbanded      D. expanded
98. Which of the following is not mentioned as the field where English is the main language?
- A. advertising      B. drama      C. air control      D. media
99. The word '**constituting**' is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_
- A. looking over      B. setting down      C. doing in      D. making up
100. According to the passage, approximately how many nonnative users of English are there in the world today?
- A. a quarter million      B. half a million      C. 350 million      D. 700 million

**MULTIPLE**

**CHOICE TEST 0002**

**I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently.**

1. A. table      B. lazy      C. captain      D. favor
2. A. host      B. most      C. cost      D. post
3. A. there      B. than      C. theme      D. though
4. A. repeats      B. coughs      C. amuses      D. attacks
5. A. obey      B. pray      C. prayer      D. delay

**II. Choose the word whose stress is different.**

6. A. village      B. begin      C. column      D. pity
7. A. theory      B. generate      C. delicious      D. confidence
8. A. computer      B. obvious      C. dependence      D. horizon
9. A. convenient      B. favorable      C. evaluate      D. relationship
10. A. peculiar      B. appreciative      C. specific      D. militant

**III. Choose the right word or phrase to complete the sentences.**

11. Last night, \_\_\_\_\_ nothing to watch on TV, we went \_\_\_\_\_ out.
- A. there being      B. there having      C. having had      D. being
12. We mustn't sit on \_\_\_\_\_ chairs.
- A. breaking      B. break      C. broken      D. broke
13. Gold is \_\_\_\_\_ in color to brass.
- A. same      B. similar      C. like      D. one
14. Be patient \_\_\_\_\_ you won't succeed.
- A. because      B. or      C. though      D. when
15. I don't understand what \_\_\_\_\_ by the word 'inflation'.
- A. is meant      B. is the meaning      C. means      D. mean
16. A log grabber has a long arm \_\_\_\_\_ which stretches out to pick up logs
- A. calls a jib      B. calling a jib      C. a jib called      D. called a jib
17. A home computer \_\_\_\_\_ an opportunity for convenient and efficient work at home.
- A. provides      B. to be providing      C. which provides      D. providing it
18. Once an offending allergen has been identified \_\_\_\_\_ tests, it is possible for the doctor to give specific desensitizing injections.
- A. means of      B. by means of      C. of the means by      D. by means
19. Sometime swears people out and is worse than the lack of sleep itself.
- A. to sleep the desire      B. the desire to sleep      C. to desire sleep is      D. the desire to sleep who
20. The wheel, \_\_\_\_\_ has remained important for 4,000 years, is one of mankind's first inventions.
- A. how      B. when      C. which      D. about
21. \_\_\_\_\_ children master the basics, advanced development becomes easier.
- A. The      B. Once      C. That      D. Even though
22. Perspiration increases \_\_\_\_\_ vigorous exercise or hot weather.
- A. during      B. when      C. at the time      D. for
23. Goddard developed the first rocket to fly faster \_\_\_\_\_
- A. than sound is      B. as does sound      C. than sound      D. as sound is
24. Even if the unemployment rate \_\_\_\_\_ sharply, the drop may still be temporary.