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 <u>SAMPLE PLACEMENT TEST</u>



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Choose the correct answer.

Scotland is the north part of the island of Great Britain. The Atlantic Ocean is on the west and the North Sea on the east. Some people (1)______ Scotland speak a different language called Gaelic. There are (2)______ five million people in Scotland, and Edinburgh is (3)______ most famous city.Scotland has many mountains; the highest one is called 'Ben Nevis'. A long time ago, there (4)______ many forests, but now there are only a (5)______. Scotland is only a small country, but it is quite beautiful.

Scotland

| 1. A) on | B) about | C) at | D) in | |
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| 2. A) about | B) between | C) among | D) along | |
| 3. A) his | B) your | C) it's | D) its | |
| 4. A) is | B) were | C) was | D) are | |
| 5. A) few | B) little | C) lot | D) many | |
| 6. Jane: yo | ou eat meat? | Jack: Yes, I | | |
| A) Is / is | B) Are / are | C) Do / do | D) Does / does | |
| 7. Anny: What time is it | ? | Bob: 7:10 | | |
| A) It is past seven ten | | B) It is ten to seven | | |
| C) It is ten past seven | | D) It is seven past ten | | |
| 8. Her brother is a/an He maintains financial records. | | | | |
| A) accountant | B) artist | C) dry-cleaner | D) minister | |
| 9. It's so boring here. Nothing ever happens in place. | | | | |
| A) that | B) these | C) this | D) those | |

| 10. | That dog isn't | We don't have a | a dog. | | |
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| | A) us | B) we | C) our | D) ours | |
| 11. | We have a large fami than my broth | | r is 30 and my brothe | er is 32. So, my sister is | |
| | A) younger / older C) older / the oldest | | B) older / the youngestD) younger / the youngest | | |
| 12. | I was watching TV at | I was watching TV at home when suddenly doorbell rang. | | | |
| | A) a | B) an | C) - | D) the | |
| 13. | What's the weather lil | ke in Canada? How o | often there? | | |
| | A) does it snow | B) does it snows | C) snow it | D) snows it | |
| 14. | . I the gym on Thursday evenings. | | | | |
| | A) go usually to | B) always go | C) am always going | D) often go to | |
| 15. | The washing-machine has broken down again. I think we should get | | | ld get | |
| | A) a new | B) a new one | C) new | D) new one | |
| 16. | I've got a meeting | half past six. | | | |
| | A) at | B) in | C) on | D) to | |
| 17. | My brother has stoma | che ache, he | go to the doctor. | | |
| | A) can | B) should | C) would | D) will | |
| 18. | The streets are danger | rous. They used to be | e | | |
| | A) safe | B) wide | C) narrow | D) crowded | |
| 19. | Why the do | oor? | | | |
| | A) did you closed | B) did you close | C) closed you | D) you closed | |
| 20. | We an exam | n to go to the course | last year. | | |
| | A) had | B) have had | C) has D) ha | ving | |
| 21. | She is busy at the mo | ment for the | ne dinner. | | |
| | A)She cook | B) She's cooking | C) She cooks | D) She cooked | |
| 22. | to the bask | etball match on Satu | rday? | | |
| | A) Are you going | B) Do you go | C) Will you go | D) Did you go | |
| 23. | I don't have | _ money left, becaus | se I spent all of my m | oney on this jacket. | |
| | A) any | B) many | C) lots | D) some | |

| 24. | Our friends me | eet us at the airport to | onight. | |
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| | A) are | B) are going to | - | D) will be to |
| 25. | They in New | York since they we | re kids. | |
| | A) stay | B) had stayed | C) have stayed | D)stayed |
| 26. | I online | shopping since I | to work the | re. |
| | A) use / started | B) has used / starte | d C) used / have star | ted D) have used / started |
| 27. | You have worked her | e 15 years n | ow. Do you ever thin | k about leaving? |
| | A) for | B) since | C) already | D) yet |
| 28. | When they | on the bus, their frier | nds were waiting for t | hem. |
| | A) will get | B) were getting | C) got D) get | t |
| 29. | Luckily I qu | ite slowly when a ca | at ran in front of my c | ar. |
| | A) have driven | B) am driving | C) drove | D) was driving |
| 30. | Which school | _ to go to this seme | ster? | |
| | A) did you choose | B) have you chosen | n C) choose | D) choose it |
| 31. | What's the name of th | ne man gave u | is a lift? | |
| | A) he | B) what | C) which | D) who |
| 32. | George Orwell , | was Eric Arthur | r Blair, wrote many ne | ovels and essays. |
| | A) that his real name | B) his real name | C) whose real name | D) who real name |
| 33. | he promised yesterday. | to do his homework | x, he hadn't done it | he was so ill |
| | A) Because / But | B) Although / Beca | ause C) So / But | D) Although / So |
| 34. | If they here | before eight o'clock | , we would go out for | a meal. |
| | A) will get | B) got | C) get | D) are getting |
| 35. | This swimming pool | by the prim | ne minister in 2008. | |
| | A) has been opened | B) was opened | C) was being opened | d D) opened |
| 36. | There is a lot of traffi | c on the roads. There | e any traffic or | the roads in the past. |
| | A) didn't used to be | B) didn't use be | C) didn't use to be | D) didn't used be |
| 37. | I was very fat when I | was young because | I fast food ev | ery day. |
| | A) used to eat | B) ate | C) had eaten | D) use to eat |

| 38. | I went at the weekend so I was bored at home. | | | |
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| | A) nowhere | B) anywhere | C) anything | D) something |
| 39. | These shoes are | _ big to wear. Can I | have a smaller size? | |
| | A) too | B) very | C) so | D) enough |
| 40. | This film's boring. To | urn please. | | |
| | A) it off | B) off it | C) it on | D) on it |
| 41. | You eat vegeta | able. It is good for yo | ou. | |
| | A) have to | B) can | C) should | D) mustn't |
| 42. | We at the cin | ema at 8.00, but the | film at 7.30. | |
| | A) arrived / had started | | B) had arrived / started | |
| | C) will arrive / will start | | D) were arriving / has started | |
| 43. | 3. You can touch the wall. I'vepainted it. | | | |
| | A) never | B) already | C) just | D) yet |
| 44. | Alice: I don't like for | otball. | Tom: | |
| | A) So do I. | B) Neither do I. | C) So I do. | D) Neither I do. |
| 45. | She told the children | a noise. | | |
| | A)not to make | B)that they don't m | nake C) to not make | e D) won't make |
| 46. | Mum: Please remem | ber to send her a card | d! Son: | Don't worry! I |
| | A) am not forgetting | B) don't forget | C) won't forget | D) didn't forget |
| 47. | I haven't got a ticket. | If one, I co | uld get in. | |
| | A) I'd have | B) I had | C) I have | D) I've got |
| 48. | You work h | arder if you want to | get a better job. | |
| | A) might | B) must | C) don't have to | D) mustn't |
| 49. | What kind of | _ do you often get fr | om the Internet? | |
| | A) confusion | B) election | C) decision | D) information |
| 50. | He admitted offenders. | involved in the robb | ery but refused | the names of the other |
| | A) to be/to reveal | B) being/revealing | C) being/to reveal | D) to be/revealing |