



## Evergreen Placement Test

- (11) I wish I \_\_\_\_\_ in such a cold country!  
a) didn't live  
b) haven't lived  
c) \_\_\_\_\_  
d) am not living
- (12) If Jack \_\_\_\_\_ music, he wouldn't have become a concert pianist.  
a) hadn't studied  
b) didn't study  
c) wouldn't have studied  
d) hasn't studied

### Section 2

Choose the best word or phrase (a, b, c or d) to fill each blank.

- (13) I always go to the movies \_\_\_\_\_ Fridays.  
a) on  
b) in  
c) at  
d) by
- (14) I will \_\_\_\_\_ you tomorrow.  
a) shout  
b) cry  
c) call  
d) say
- (15) Hannah's a really \_\_\_\_\_ person. She's always smiling.  
a) sensible  
b) interesting  
c) talkative  
d) cheerful
- (16) I have no \_\_\_\_\_ what time the swimming pool opens.  
a) belief  
b) opinion  
c) idea  
d) feeling
- (17) It was a beautiful day so we went on a boat \_\_\_\_\_ on the lake.  
a) ride  
b) travel  
c) drive  
d) sightseeing
- (18) It was a great meal, but pretty expensive. Just look at the \_\_\_\_\_!  
a) ticket  
b) recipe  
c) invoice  
d) bill
- (19) Laura rarely leaves the house without \_\_\_\_\_ her make-up on.  
a) doing  
b) putting  
c) having  
d) getting  
c) \_\_\_\_\_
- (20) Joel came back from his holiday in Brazil looking really \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) tanned  
b) sunned  
c) coloured  
d) darkened

### Section 3

Choose the best word or phrase (a, b, c or d) to fill each blank.

- (21) I'm not very interested \_\_\_\_\_ sports.  
a) for  
b) about  
c) in  
d) to

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- (22) She likes \_\_\_\_\_ expensive clothes.  
a) to wearing  
b) wearing  
c) wear  
d) is wearing
- (23) Harry \_\_\_\_\_ his father's car when the accident happened.  
a) was driving  
b) drove  
c) had driven  
d) has been driving
- (24) I was wondering \_\_\_\_\_ tell me when the next plane from Chicago arrives?  
a) could you  
b) can you  
c) if you could  
d) please
- (25) If I \_\_\_\_\_ you had cancelled the meeting I wouldn't have turned up!  
a) knew  
b) have known  
c) had known  
d) know
- (26) I like your hair. Where \_\_\_\_\_?  
a) cut you it  
b) did you have it cut  
c) do you cut it  
d) have it cut
- (27) I think Joey must \_\_\_\_\_ late tonight. His office light is still on.  
a) have worked  
b) work  
c) be working  
d) to work
- (28) John tells me Jack's going out with Helen, \_\_\_\_\_ I find hard to believe.  
a) that  
b) who  
c) whose  
d) which
- (29) We \_\_\_\_\_ to the new house by the end of the week, so we won't be here next Sunday.  
a) will have moved  
b) will be moving  
c) will move  
d) are moving
- (30) What \_\_\_\_\_ this weekend, Lance?  
a) will you do  
b) are you doing  
c) will you have done  
d) do you do
- (31) The weather has been awful. We've had very \_\_\_\_\_ sunshine this summer.  
a) little  
b) a little  
c) few  
d) a few
- (32) Did you hear what happened to Kate? She \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) is arrested  
b) arrested  
c) has been arrested  
d) is being arrested

### Section 4

Choose the best word or phrase (a, b, c or d) to fill each blank.

- (33) I often \_\_\_\_\_ football when I'm at the beach.  
a) have  
b) go  
c) do  
d) play

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- (34) My sister \_\_\_\_\_ the cooking in our house.  
a) does  
b) makes  
c) cooks  
d) takes
- (35) Don't forget to \_\_\_\_\_ the light when you go out.  
a) turn up  
b) turn in  
c) turn off  
d) turn over
- (36) I hope this cut on my hand \_\_\_\_\_ quickly.  
a) cures  
b) heals  
c) treats  
d) restores
- (37) She just burst into \_\_\_\_\_ when she heard the tragic news.  
a) crying  
b) tears  
c) cries  
d) break down
- (38) He \_\_\_\_\_ that he hadn't stolen the computer, but no one believed him.  
a) reassured  
b) informed  
c) insisted  
d) persuaded
- (39) Could you \_\_\_\_\_ me that book for a couple of days, please?  
a) lend  
b) owe  
c) borrow  
d) rent
- (40) Greg is \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of time at Yvonne's house these days!  
a) taking  
b) spending  
c) having  
d) doing

### Section 5

Choose the best word or phrase (a, b, c or d) to fill each blank.

- (41) Who \_\_\_\_\_ in that house?  
a) does he live  
b) lives  
c) did he live  
d) he lives
- (42) I will call you when I \_\_\_\_\_ home.  
a) get  
b) will get  
c) got  
d) getting
- (43) If you \_\_\_\_\_ me, what would you do?  
a) was  
b) would be  
c) were  
d) have been
- (44) I don't know where \_\_\_\_\_ last night.  
a) did he go  
b) he did go  
c) went he  
d) he went

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- (45) John and Betty are coming to visit us tomorrow but I wish \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) they won't  
b) they hadn't  
c) they didn't  
d) they weren't
- (46) I'm so hungry! If only Bill \_\_\_\_\_ all the food in the fridge!  
a) wasn't eating  
b) didn't eat  
c) hadn't eaten  
d) hasn't eaten
- (47) I regret \_\_\_\_\_ harder in school.  
a) not studying  
b) not to study  
c) to not study  
d) not have studied
- (48) Surely Sue \_\_\_\_\_ you if she was unhappy with your work.  
a) will tell  
b) would have told  
c) must have told  
d) had told
- (49) Our neighbours aren't very polite, and \_\_\_\_\_ particularly quiet!  
a) neither they aren't  
b) either they aren't  
c) nor are they  
d) neither did they be
- (50) We had expected that they \_\_\_\_\_ fluent English, but in fact they didn't.  
a) were speaking  
b) would speak  
c) had spoken  
d) spoke
- (51) I'd rather \_\_\_\_\_ next weekend, but I do!  
a) I don't have to work  
b) I didn't have to work  
c) not to work  
d) no working
- (52) Harriet is so knowledgeable. She can talk about \_\_\_\_\_ subject that comes up.  
a) whatever  
b) whenever  
c) wherever  
d) whoever

### Section 6

Choose the best word or phrase (a, b, c or d) to fill each blank.

- (53) I always \_\_\_\_\_ milk in my coffee.  
a) have  
b) eat  
c) cook  
d) make
- (54) I \_\_\_\_\_ TV every evening.  
a) watch  
b) look at  
c) see  
d) hear
- (55) Can you give me a \_\_\_\_\_ with my bag.  
a) leg  
b) back  
c) hand  
d) head

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- (56) Before you enter the triathlon, please bear in \_\_\_\_\_ that you're not as young as you used to be!
- a) thought
  - b) question
  - c) mind
  - d) opinion
- (57) The breath test showed he had consumed more than three times the legal limit of alcohol, so the police arrested him for \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) trespassing
  - b) mugging
  - c) speeding
  - d) drunk driving
- (58) The meeting was \_\_\_\_\_ and not very interesting.
- a) time-wasting
  - b) time-consuming
  - c) time-using
  - d) out of time
- (59) After the movie was released, the main \_\_\_\_\_ point was its excessive use of violence.
- a) discussion
  - b) speaking
  - c) conversation
  - d) talking
- (60) There have been several big \_\_\_\_\_ against the use of GM foods recently.
- a) campaigns
  - b) issues
  - c) boycotts
  - d) strikes