

## I. Grammar

1. Teenagers get fat ..... a result of eating too much junk food.

- ☐ A) with                      ☐ B) from                      ☐ C) as                      ☐ D) for

2. If we (1) ..... some tools, we (2) ..... to repair the motorbike, but we haven't got any with us.

- ☐ A) (1) had; (2) could                      ☐ B) (1) have; (2) will be able  
☐ C) (1) had; (2) would be able                      ☐ D) (1) had had; (2) could

3. Lucy denied ..... in the Maths test.

- ☐ A) to cheat                      ☐ B) cheating                      ☐ C) to cheating                      ☐ D) cheat

4. I ..... some Swahili words, but now I don't remember them.

- ☐ A) have known                      ☐ B) would know                      ☐ C) had known                      ☐ D) used to know

5. The exact time of the match ..... yet.

- ☐ A) hasn't been decided                      ☐ B) hasn't decided  
☐ C) didn't decide                      ☐ D) wasn't decided

6. I met the girl ..... father is a famous scientist.

- ☐ A) that                      ☐ B) who's                      ☐ C) whose                      ☐ D) which

7. My brother has been married ..... Dorothy for half a year.

- ☐ A) with                      ☐ B) to                      ☐ C) for                      ☐ D) of

8. Take the bus, and get ..... at Victoria Coach Station.

- ☐ A) away                      ☐ B) off                      ☐ C) out                      ☐ D) on

9. By the time they arrived, the show

- ☐ A) has already started.                      ☐ B) used to start already.  
☐ C) was already starting.                      ☐ D) had already started.

10. I'm the best basketball player in the team,

- ☐ A) aren't I?                      ☐ B) am I?                      ☐ C) do I?                      ☐ D) don't I?

## II. Vocabulary and communication

11. Right after his final exams, Matthew decided to ..... in the Army.

- ☐ A) join                      ☐ B) apply                      ☐ C) attach                      ☐ D) enrol

12. A theatre ..... is responsible for helping actors prepare for their performance.

- ☐ A) scriptwriter                      ☐ B) usher                      ☐ C) makeup artist                      ☐ D) curator

13. The famous TV series - 'The Spider Man' ..... from a comic book.

- ☐ A) originated                      ☐ B) invented                      ☐ C) introduces                      ☐ D) turned

14. My grandparents' house was badly damaged by the strong winds during the ..... last Sunday.

- ☐ A) landslide                      ☐ B) flood                      ☐ C) tornado                      ☐ D) avalanche

15. My neighbours got ..... after being married for fifteen years.

- ☐ A) engaged                      ☐ B) divorced                      ☐ C) brought up                      ☐ D) acquainted

16. Could you lend me your smartphone? My battery is dead and I left my ..... at home.

- ☐ A) browser                      ☐ B) charger                      ☐ C) hard drive                      ☐ D) memory stick

### III. Reading

Dear Terry,

Greetings from Perugia, Italy! The city is really busy because a lot of tourists are here for EuroChocolate, the city's annual chocolate festival. Actually, all the hotels were full, so I'm staying in a hostel instead. The festival lasts for nine days and includes lots of fun events. I've tried lots of different types of tasty chocolate and I've seen a display of chocolate sculptures!

See you when I get back,

Donald

Hi Jane!

I woke up early so I'm going for a stroll on the beach now. Much nicer day today. Earlier, I picked up some groceries from the shop. There's bread and fruit in the kitchen for breakfast. Also, I asked the receptionist about the book festival. It starts next Wednesday, but that's the day we fly home.

Linda

Hi Ted,

Here I am in Gothenburg, Sweden! I'm here for the International Science Festival. The event has attracted over 100,000 science fans to the city! I haven't got to know many people though, because most people don't speak English. It's a pity I can't speak Swedish! Anyway, yesterday, I took part in the Young Scientist's Competition. I didn't win, but I really enjoyed showing off my invention.

See you soon,

Sandra

Dear Diary,

What a day! I've just returned home and I feel exhausted! In the end, the fundraiser was huge success. We had a minor problem with the sound during the concert, but Frank took care of it before anyone noticed. And most important of all, we raised over £5,000! Lisa and I plan to take the cheque to the homeless shelter tomorrow morning. I can't wait to see the look on their faces!

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#### 17. Donald

- ☐ A) has seen a display of chocolate bars.  
☐ C) didn't enjoy the chocolate he tasted.

- ☐ B) plans to meet Terry in Perugia.  
☐ D) wanted to stay in a hotel room.

#### 18. Sandra is disappointed because

- ☐ A) nobody can speak Swedish.  
☐ C) the festival is too crowded.

- ☐ B) she lost the Young Scientist's Competition.  
☐ D) she is having difficulty meeting people.

#### 19. Linda informs Jane about

- ☐ A) an event she plans to attend.  
☐ C) the weather conditions.

- ☐ B) about products that she need to buy.  
☐ D) her visit at the book festival.

#### 20. The diary entry is about

- ☐ A) a successful author.  
☐ C) a problem with the orphanage.

- ☐ B) a problem that Frank caused.  
☐ D) a charity event.

#### 21. Choose the true information.

- ☐ A) Ted regrets that he can't speak Swedish.  
☐ C) EuroChocolate is a yearly festival.

- ☐ B) Linda isn't going for a walk just now.  
☐ D) Frank feels very tired now.

### IV. General knowledge about English-speaking countries

#### 22. Australia is home to the largest structure built by living organisms on the planet. It is:

- ☐ A) the Great Barrier Reef  
☐ C) Ayers Rock

- ☐ B) Sydney Opera House  
☐ D) a termite tower in the Outback

#### 23. Gaelic is

- ☐ A) an old Scottish language.  
☐ C) a Scottish dish.

- ☐ B) a famous rock star from Scotland.  
☐ D) a Scottish holiday celebrated on 6<sup>th</sup> January.

#### 24. Jane Austen was an English novelist. Her famous novel is:

- ☐ A) *The Jungle Book*  
☐ C) *The Merry Wives of Windsor*

- ☐ B) *Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone*  
☐ D) *Pride and Prejudice*

#### 25. .... are the islands which belong to the UK.

- ☐ A) The Hawaii      ☐ B) The Shetlands

- ☐ C) The Bahamas      ☐ D) The Maldives

#### 26. The ..... Sea is not a sea that borders Australia.

- ☐ A) Tasman      ☐ B) Coral

- ☐ C) Timor      ☐ D) Red