



TEST DE POSITIONNEMENT ANGLAIS

Straightforward Quick Placement & Diagnostic test

The Straightforward Quick Placement & Diagnostic test has been designed to help you decide which of the five levels of the Straightforward series is the most appropriate for you. The Straightforward test has 50 questions, each worth one point. The first 40 are grammar questions and the final 10 are vocabulary questions. To decide your level, use the conversion chart below. Please note that these bandings are a guide. This test can also be used to diagnose grammar that you need clarification on. Please consult the relevant level and unit of the course for more information.

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Grammar

BEGINNER TO PRE-INTERMEDIATE

1. I _____ from France.
- a) is
b) are
c) am
d) be
2. This is my friend. _____ name is Peter.
- a) Her
b) Our
c) Yours
d) His
3. Mike is _____.
- a) my sister's friend
b) friend my sister
c) friend from my sister
d) my sister friend's
4. My brother is _____ artist.
- a) the
b) an
c) a
d) —
5. _____ 20 desks in the classroom.
- a) This is
b) There is
c) They are
d) There are
6. Paul _____ romantic films.
- a) likes not
b) don't like
c) doesn't like
d) isn't likes
7. Sorry, I can't talk. I _____ right now.
- a) driving
b) 'm driving
c) drives
d) drive
8. She _____ at school last week.
- a) didn't be
b) weren't
c) wasn't
d) isn't
9. I _____ the film last night.
- a) like
b) likes
c) liking
d) liked

10. _____ a piece of cake? No, thank you.
- a) Do you like
b) Would you like
c) Want you
d) Are you like
11. The living room is _____ than the bedroom.
- a) more big
b) more bigger
c) biggest
d) bigger
12. The car is very old. We're going _____ a new car soon.
- a) to buy
b) buying
c) to will buy
d) buy
13. Jane is a vegetarian. She _____ meat.
- a) sometimes eats
b) never eats
c) often eats
d) usually eats
14. There aren't _____ buses late in the evening.
- a) some
b) any
c) no
d) a
15. The car park is _____ to the restaurant.
- a) next
b) opposite
c) behind
d) in front

PRE-INTERMEDIATE TO INTERMEDIATE

16. Sue _____ shopping every day.
- a) is going
b) go
c) going
d) goes
17. They _____ in the park when it started to rain heavily
- a) walked
b) were walking
c) were walk
d) are walking
18. _____ seen fireworks before?
- a) Did you ever
b) Are you ever
c) Have you ever
d) Do you ever
19. We've been friends _____ many years.

- a) since
b) from
c) during
d) for
20. You _____ pay for the tickets. They're free.
- a) have to
b) don't have
c) don't need to
d) doesn't have to
21. Jeff was ill last week and he _____ go out.
- a) needn't
b) can't
c) mustn't
d) couldn't
22. These are the photos _____ I took on holiday.
- a) which
b) who
c) what
d) where
23. We'll stay at home if it _____ this afternoon.
- a) raining
b) rains
c) will rain
d) rain
24. He doesn't smoke now, but he _____ a lot when he was young.
- a) has smoked
b) smokes
c) used to smoke
d) was smoked
25. Mark plays football _____ anyone else I know.
- a) more good than
b) as better as
c) best than
d) better than
26. I promise I _____ you as soon as I've finished this cleaning.
- a) will help
b) am helping
c) going to help
d) have helped
27. This town _____ by lots of tourists during the summer.
- a) visits
b) visited
c) is visiting
d) is visited

INTERMEDIATE TO UPPER-INTERMEDIATE

28. He said that his friends _____ to speak to him after they lost the football match.
- a) not want
b) weren't
c) didn't want
d) aren't wanting
29. How about _____ to the cinema tonight?
- a) going
b) go
c) to go
d) for going

30. Excuse me, can you _____ me the way to the station, please?
- a) give
b) take
c) tell
d) say
31. I wasn't interested in the performance very much. _____.
- a) I didn't, too.
b) Neither was I.
c) Nor I did.
d) So I wasn't.
32. Take a warm coat, _____ you might get very cold outside.
- a) otherwise
b) in case
c) so that
d) in order to
33. _____ this great book and I can't wait to see how it ends.
- a) I don't read
b) I've read
c) I've been reading
d) I read
34. What I like more than anything else _____ at weekends.
- a) playing golf
b) to play golf
c) is playing golf
d) is play golf
35. She _____ for her cat for two days when she finally found it in the garage.
- a) looked
b) had been looked
c) had been looking
d) were looking
36. We won't catch the plane _____ we leave home now! Please hurry up!
- a) if
b) providing that
c) except
d) unless
37. If I hadn't replied to your email, I _____ here with you now.
- a) can't be
b) wouldn't be
c) won't be
d) haven't been
38. Do you think you _____ with my mobile phone soon? I need to make a call.
- a) finish
b) are finishing
c) will have finished
d) are finished
39. I don't remember mentioning _____ dinner together tonight.
- a) go for
b) you going to
c) to go for
d) going for
40. Was it Captain Cook _____ who discovered discovered?
- a) who discovered
b) discovered

- c) that discover
d) who was discovering

- c) call
d) speak

Vocabulary

41. You may not like the cold weather here, but you'll have to _____, I'm afraid.
a) tell it off
b) sort itself out
c) put up with it
d) put it off
42. It's cold so you should _____ on a warm jacket.
a) put
b) wear
c) dress
d) take
43. Paul will look _____ our dogs while we're on holiday.
a) at
b) for
c) into
d) after
44. She _____ a lot of her free time reading.
a) does
b) spends
c) has
d) makes
45. Hello, this is Simon. Could I _____ to Jane, please?
a) say
b) tell

46. They're coming to our house _____ Saturday.
a) in
b) at
c) on
d) with
47. I think it's very easy to _____ debt these days.
a) go into
b) become
c) go down to
d) get into
48. Come on! Quick! Let's get _____!
a) highlight
b) cracking
c) massive
d) with immediate effect
49. I phoned her _____ I heard the news.
a) minute
b) during
c) by the time
d) the moment
50. I feel very _____. I'm going to go to bed!
a) nap
b) asleep
c) sleepy
d) sleeper

ANSWER KEY

- 1 c
2 d
3 a
4 b
5 d
6 c
7 b
8 c
9 d
10 b
11 d
12 a
13 b
14 b
15 a
16 d
17 b
18 c
19 d
20 c
21 d
22 a
23 b
24 c
25 d
- 26 a
27 d
28 c
29 a
30 c
31 b
32 a
33 c
34 c
35 c
36 d
37 b
38 c
39 d
40 a
41 c
42 a
43 d
44 b
45 d
46 c
47 d
48 b
49 d
50 c

| Total score | Level |
|-------------|--------------------|
| 0 - 15 | Beginner |
| 16 - 24 | Elementary |
| 25 - 32 | Pre-intermediate |
| 33 - 39 | Intermediate |
| 40 - 45 | Upper Intermediate |
| 46 - 50 | Advanced |

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