

DIAGNOSTIC TEST - Ulan Bator

1. Two climbers are reported to ____ during the storm last night. (1 point)
 - ☐ die
 - ☐ have died
 - ☐ had died
 - ☐ died
2. Anne had to pay for everything because, as usual, Peter ____ his wallet at home. (1 point)
 - ☐ had left
 - ☐ left
 - ☐ was leaving
3. By the time the guests arrive, we ____ everything for the party. (1 point)
 - ☐ will have prepared
 - ☐ prepare
 - ☐ will be preparing
 - ☐ have prepared
4. The police stopped us and said we ____ to enter the building. (1 point)
 - ☐ can't
 - ☐ weren't let
 - ☐ weren't allowed
 - ☐ couldn't
5. I can't move the sofa. Could you ____ me a hand with it, please? (1 point)
 - ☐ borrow
 - ☐ take
 - ☐ get
 - ☐ give
6. And now for this evening's main headline: Britain ____ another Olympic gold medal! (1 point)
 - ☐ won
 - ☐ has won

- ☐ wins
- ☐ had won

7. He ____ about birds. It drives me mad! (1 point)

- ☐ will forever be talking
- ☐ has forever been talking
- ☐ forever talks
- ☐ is forever talking

8. I can't find my keys. I ____ them. (1 point)

- ☐ might have lost
- ☐ must lost
- ☐ should have lost
- ☐ may lose

9. Admission was free so we ____ any tickets. (1 point)

- ☐ needn't have bought
- ☐ needn't buy
- ☐ didn't need to buy
- ☐ mustn't have bought

10. People _____ from the illness find it difficult to relax. (1 point)

- ☐ having suffering
- ☐ who suffering
- ☐ suffered
- ☐ suffering

11. Every man, woman and child on the island ____ the effects of the fuel shortage. (1 point)

- ☐ have suffered
- ☐ has suffered

12. She ____ obsessed with rock climbing at a young age. (1 point)

- ☐ has become
- ☐ became
- ☐ becomes

☐ would become

13. When the customs officers found some illegal goods hidden in the car, he was arrested for _____. (1 point)

☐ hijacking

☐ mugging

☐ smuggling

☐ assault

14. _____ the weather was horrible, we decided to go out for a short walk. (1 point)

☐ In spite of

☐ Despite

☐ However

☐ Even though

15. Is Ben OK? He was behaving _____. (1 point)

☐ in the canteen very strangely this morning

☐ this morning in the canteen very strangely

☐ in the canteen this morning very strangely

☐ very strangely in the canteen this morning

16. He _____ a therapist for several years after he left school. (1 point)

☐ has seen

☐ has been seeing

☐ was used to seeing

☐ sees

17. Are you OK? You look really pale.' 'I need the bathroom. I think I _____ sick. (1 point)

☐ shall be

☐ will be

☐ am going to be

☐ am to be

18. At first I _____ starting work so early but this has changed. (1 point)

☐ didn't use to

☐ wasn't used to

- ☐ used to
- ☐ wouldn't be used to

19. We couldn't fall asleep because our neighbours ____ a lot of noise. (1 point)

- ☐ had been making
- ☐ had made
- ☐ were making
- ☐ made

20. The Transport Minister, ____ department the email was apparently sent, has denied all knowledge of a cover-up. (1 point)

- ☐ which
- ☐ from whose
- ☐ whose
- ☐ from his

21. The party was so boring I wish I ____ there at all. (1 point)

- ☐ didn't go
- ☐ haven't gone
- ☐ hadn't gone
- ☐ wouldn't go

22. The accident is thought ____ by leaves on the railway line. (1 point)

- ☐ to have been caused
- ☐ to have been causing
- ☐ to have caused

23. He realized that he ____ his car keys in the office. (1 point)

- ☐ was left
- ☐ left
- ☐ had left
- ☐ has left

24. They ____ out for a few years before they decided to get married. (1 point)

- ☐ had gone
- ☐ have been going

☐ had been going

☐ were going

25. The personnel consultant recommended that managers ____ apart from other staff during lunch. (1 point)

☐ not sitting

☐ not sit

☐ are not sitting

☐ not to sit

26. You'd better take your coat ____ the weather gets worse. (1 point)

☐ in case

☐ despite

☐ if

☐ otherwise

27. My new PC, ____ I bought last week, has already broken down. (1 point)

☐ that

☐ which

☐ whom

☐ —

28. Travelling by coach is cheap. ____, it can be slow in rush hour traffic. (1 point)

☐ Whereas

☐ Although

☐ Nevertheless

☐ While

29. He's not a stamp collector, ____? (1 point)

☐ is he

☐ was he

☐ isn't he

30. It was difficult at first, but I soon ____ it. (1 point)

☐ get used to it

☐ used to

☐ got used to

31. I really object ____ in rooms where other people have to eat. (1 point)

☐ to people smoke

☐ people to smoke

☐ to people smoking

☐ people smoking

32. The window ____ was really imaginative. (1 point)

☐ collection

☐ display

☐ vision

☐ exhibition

33. ____ twenty per cent of natural gas used to heat homes in the UK comes from the North Sea. (1 point)

☐ Less than

☐ Few than

☐ Lesser than

☐ Few of

34. Nowadays, ____ are much better behaved than their parents were at the same age, don't you think? (1 point)

☐ the teenagers

☐ teenagers

35. She keeps ____ her things all around the place which is so annoying. (1 point)

☐ leaving

☐ on to leave

☐ leave

☐ to leave

36. As far as I'm ____, I do not support the new government. (1 point)

☐ referred

☐ according

☐ concerned

☐ matter

37. I remember _____ to the circus by my grandfather when I was a child. (1 point)

☐ to be taken

☐ was taken

☐ having taken

☐ being taken

38. You won't pass the exam ____ you start revising immediately. (1 point)

☐ unless

☐ if

☐ as long as

☐ provided

39. She did a course in confidence building _____ overcome her phobia. (1 point)

☐ in case to

☐ so that to

☐ in order to

☐ as to

40. How long _____ you had this car? (1 point)

☐ did

☐ had

☐ do

☐ have

41. He _____ the stolen cigarettes onto the back of the lorry when the police arrived. (1 point)

☐ was loading

☐ has loaded

☐ loaded

☐ did load

42. His father asked Dan where _____ all day. (1 point)

☐ he has been

☐ he was

☐ had he been

☐ he had been

43. OK, so the dates are agreed, but ____ question of the budget to discuss. (1 point)

☐ it's still a

☐ there's still the

☐ there's still a

☐ it's still the

44. In many cultures, when the elderly become too weak to look after ____, they go and live with their families. (1 point)

☐ themselves

☐ themselves

☐ themselves

☐ theirself

45. She was only 19 when she sailed across ____ Atlantic. (1 point)

☐ an

☐ the

☐ —

☐ a

46. Someone ____ my special sports drink that I bought this morning! The bottle's half empty! (1 point)

☐ has been drinking

☐ is drinking

☐ drinks

47. The only witnesses to the accident were two _____. (1 point)

☐ passers-by

☐ passer-byes

48. Nutrition experts advise ____ too many refined foods. (1 point)

☐ not to eat

☐ us that we don't eat

☐ us not eating

☐ us not to eat

49. When are you leaving for the airport?' 'Well, my flight ____ at six thirty. (1 point)
- ☐ leaves
 - ☐ is leaving
 - ☐ will leave
 - ☐ is going to leave
50. I'll need to have the stairs _____. (1 point)
- ☐ renovate
 - ☐ renovating
 - ☐ renovated
 - ☐ to be renovated
51. She doesn't ____ of my decision. (1 point)
- ☐ agree
 - ☐ support
 - ☐ approve
 - ☐ accept
52. I'm not fussy. I'll eat ____ kind of fruit or vegetable. (1 point)
- ☐ all
 - ☐ some
 - ☐ any
53. See the woman over there by the window? Isn't she the one ____ won the lottery last week? (1 point)
- ☐ which
 - ☐ what
 - ☐ whome
 - ☐ that
54. Detective Chief Inspector Chambers, ____ the laptop was stolen, has posted a £10,000 reward. (1 point)
- ☐ from which
 - ☐ from whom
 - ☐ from who

55. Fortunately, the fire fighters _____ put the fire out before it caused too much damage. (1 point)
- ☐ are able to
 - ☐ can
 - ☐ could
 - ☐ were able to
56. It was _____ solution to the problem that the audience cheered loudly. (1 point)
- ☐ such a sensible
 - ☐ a so sensible
 - ☐ so a sensible
 - ☐ a such a sensible
57. The Prime Minister was asked what _____ to do about inner city crime. (1 point)
- ☐ he intended
 - ☐ he did intend
 - ☐ did he intend
 - ☐ intended he
58. I'm not sure if you're aware _____ the risk. (1 point)
- ☐ about
 - ☐ to
 - ☐ at
 - ☐ of
59. 'Look at those clouds!' 'Don't worry. _____ it rains, we'll still have a great time.' (1 point)
- ☐ Despite
 - ☐ Whereas
 - ☐ Even though
 - ☐ Even if
60. During the next meeting we _____ about setting goals. (1 point)
- ☐ are talking
 - ☐ talk
 - ☐ will talk
 - ☐ will be talking