

9 Quick Test

GRAMMAR

Check (✓) A, B, or C to complete the sentences.

Example: _____ it rained, we had a great time.

A Even though B However

C In spite of

- 1 I went to the Tourist Information office _____ ask for a map.
A for B to C in order
- 2 The company is expanding _____ increase their market share.
A for B so that C in order to
- 3 _____ it being pretty cold, we decided to have a picnic on the beach!
A In spite of B Although
C Even though
- 4 The company is opening overseas offices _____ they can access the global market.
A for B so that C in order
- 5 I booked the tickets online _____ I could get a cheaper price.
A so as B so that C for
- 6 _____ the mosquitoes, we had a good night's sleep.
A Although B In spite of
C Even though
- 7 _____ we went in Sweden, everyone spoke really good English!
A Wherever B Whatever C Whoever
- 8 _____ that I'm not fond of ice-skating, I actually enjoyed myself.
A Despite the fact B Although
C Even though
- 9 I like reading books on philosophy _____ I sometimes find them difficult.
A in spite of B though C despite
- 10 Gary arrived on campus at nine o'clock _____ a meeting with his tutor.
A for B so as to C to
- 11 _____ cleaned this kitchen deserves a medal!
A Whatever B However C Whoever
- 12 Tina left work slightly early _____ miss the start of the talk.
A to not B so as not to C in order not
- 13 The beach resort was a bit disappointing, but our accommodations _____ very good.
A are B were C was

- 14 _____ in my grandmother's house was sold at auction when she died.
A A furniture B The furnitures
C The furniture
- 15 Could you give me _____ advice on what kind of bike I should buy?
A an B some C some pieces of
- 16 I need to buy _____ to go with this jacket.
A a new pants B a new pant
C some new pants
- 17 There were two _____ left on the baggage claim, but neither of them were mine.
A luggage B luggages
C pieces of luggage
- 18 I'll have to get _____ for my interview – I don't have anything suitable.
A a new cloth B a new clothing
C some new clothes
- 19 A member of staff _____ going to call you shortly.
A is B are C will
- 20 I read the news online these days, so I rarely buy _____.
A some papers B paper C a paper

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VOCABULARY

a Check (✓) the correct word, A, B, or C.

Example: sell something using advertising

A launch B export

C market

- 1 to recommend and promote a product as a celebrity
A campaign B market C endorse
- 2 to give people the wrong idea and make them believe something that's not true
A mislead B airbrush C retouch
- 3 someone who receives a professional service
A owner B client C colleague
- 4 a number of stores in different locations owned by the same company
A chain B branch C multinational
- 5 the group of people that work for a company
A directors B staff C customers
- 6 a person you work with
A employer B client C colleague
- 7 a business agreement between two people or companies
A decision B profit C deal

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- 8 to buy materials or products from other countries
A import B expand C manufacture
- 9 an office or shop that is part of a larger organization
A branch B chain C firm
- 10 the main office of a company
A first office B headquarters
C top office

b Check (✓) A, B, or C to complete the sentences.

Example: I like the fact that this area is _____.

- A multicultural B overcultural
C megacultural

- 11 Your _____ amazes me sometimes – you know so little about the world.
A ignorantness B ignorance
C ignorement
- 12 I sometimes think that my attempts to improve are _____.
A hopeless B hopefull
C hopeable
- 13 I think you've _____ us – we had four coffees, not three.
A overcharged B underpaid
C undercharged
- 14 I was surprised by Jeff's _____ – he must work out at the gym a lot.
A strongness B strength
C strength
- 15 The society's meetings are biannual, i.e. we hold them _____ a year.
A once B twice C three times
- 16 The _____ meals from this supermarket are surprisingly good.
A overcooked B pre-cooked
C undercooked
- 17 I'm feeling a bit _____-social at the moment so I don't go out much.
A auto B anti C semi
- 18 Some _____ students doing Ph.Ds teach classes to get some extra money while they are studying.
A postgraduate B undergraduate
C ex-graduate
- 19 I've got a really good _____ coat so I don't mind if it rains.
A waterproof B waterless
C anti-water

- 20 Tony says very little, and it's usually _____ when he does speak.
A monosyllabic B multisyllabic
C megasyllabic

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PRONUNCIATION

a Which word has a different sound? Check (✓) A, B, or C.

Example: A colleague B export
C office

- 1 A chain B manufacture C staff
2 A client B profit C business
3 A produce B money C company
4 A company B office C client
5 A logo B commercial C owner

b Which is the correctly stressed syllable? Check (✓) A, B, or C.

Example: A manager B manager
C manager

- 6 A manufacture B manufacture
C manufacture
- 7 A redundant B redundant
C redundant
- 8 A ignorance B ignorance
C ignorance
- 9 A multinational B multinational
C multinational
- 10 A unemployment B unemployment
C unemployment

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Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation total

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