

8 Quick Test

GRAMMAR

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

Example: We _____ go to bed early tonight. We've got to get up early tomorrow.

A ought ☐ B should ☒

C got to ☐

- 1 I'm tired of _____. I'm lazy.
A told ☐ B being told ☐ C to be told ☐
- 2 _____ worked for the company for 20 years, my dad was shocked to be fired.
A Having ☐ B Having been ☐ C Being ☐
- 3 He would _____ more local food when he visited Egypt.
A have been liking to eat ☐ B like to eat ☐ C like to have eaten ☐
- 4 He seems _____ very hard these days.
A to be working ☐ B working ☐ C being working ☐
- 5 This soup is disgusting. It _____ milk.
A tastes ☐ B tastes like ☐ C 's tasting like ☐
- 6 There's no point _____ his opinion as he never has one.
A asking ☐ B ask ☐ C to ask ☐
- 7 We hope _____ our own house next year.
A building ☐ B build ☐ C to build ☐
- 8 Our vacation _____ next Monday. I can't wait!
A began ☐ B begins to ☐ C begins ☐
- 9 The plane _____ arrive at 6:30 this evening.
A is due to ☐ B due ☐ C due to ☐
- 10 He's _____ to see his brother in the hospital tomorrow.
A will be ☐ B go ☐ C going ☐
- 11 They're _____ their house painted next summer.
A going to have ☐ B get ☐ C going getting ☐
- 12 I've heard that a famous football player is _____ at our school next month.
A speak ☐ B to speak ☐ C going speak ☐
- 13 Will you _____ dinner with Petra tonight?
A to have ☐ B be having ☐ C have to be ☐
- 14 I've enrolled in a Spanish course. The lessons _____ next Monday.
A start ☐ B will start ☐ C starting ☐
- 15 I'd like to be _____ my wedding right now, but I have to work.
A plan ☐ B to plan ☐ C planning ☐

- 16 I would like to _____ your face when they yelled, "Surprise!"
A have seeing ☐ B have seen ☐ C be seeing ☐
- 17 He denied having _____ the truck driving by, but I knew he had.
A seeing ☐ B seen ☐ C see ☐
- 18 I am _____ to start a big project, so I'm going to need some time to myself.
A about ☐ B above ☐ C beyond ☐
- 19 My cats are _____ to go to the vet soon, and I think they know I've made an appointment.
A doing ☐ B do ☐ C due ☐
- 20 I'm almost at the point of _____ in the towel on this assignment. It's so difficult!
A throw ☐ B throwing ☐ C to throw ☐

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VOCABULARY

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

Example: After running 20 miles, I had a big, painful _____ on my foot because my shoe was too loose.

A scan ☐ B blister ☒ C bandage ☐

- 1 I can't eat this pie. I'm _____ my weight.
A watching ☐ B seeing ☐ C doing ☐
- 2 I have a headache. I was reading in poor light and I _____ my eyes.
A strained ☐ B bruised ☐ C defended ☐
- 3 Colds are caused by _____.
A antibiotics ☐ B viruses ☐ C syndromes ☐
- 4 Do you know a _____ remedy for insomnia?
A real ☐ B useful ☐ C true ☐
- 5 My brother's depression was so _____ that he had to leave his job.
A unproven ☐ B mild ☐ C severe ☐
- 6 You should _____ travel insurance before you go on your trip.
A go on ☐ B take out ☐ C put off ☐
- 7 I got a good deal on a _____ air ticket from Rio to Miami.
A round-trip ☐ B guided ☐ C long ☐
- 8 My son is as stubborn as a _____. Getting him to go to bed is a nightmare!
A horse ☐ B mule ☐ C bat ☐

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9 I sleep like a _____ when I exercise during the day.

A horse ☐ B log ☐ C sheet ☐

10 These organizational tips work like a _____. I've never felt more organized!

A dream ☐ B sheet ☐ C bat ☐

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

Example: the place where bees live

A a stable ☐ B a hive ☒

C a kennel ☐

11 a doctor that specializes in taking care of backs and spines

A chiropractor ☐ B herbalist ☐

C surgeon ☐

12 very beautiful or exciting

A touristy ☐ B breathtaking ☐

C lively ☐

13 to decide that something that has been planned will not happen

A set off ☐ B postpone ☐ C cancel ☐

14 energetic, with lots of things happening

A breathtaking ☐ B touristy ☐

C lively ☐

15 not as good as it seems on paper

A overrated ☐ B touristy ☐

C picturesque ☐

16 a type of alternative medicine that relies on pleasant smells

A chiropractic ☐ B aromatherapy ☐

C hypnotherapy ☐

17 a type of alternative medicine that uses small needles

A aromatherapy ☐ B acupuncture ☐

C homeopathy ☐

18 a pill or treatment that is given in place of the real treatment

A homeopath ☐ B bargain ☐

C placebo ☐

19 a plan for where you intend to go on your trip

A itinerary ☐ B bargain ☐

C guidebook ☐

20 a painting or drawing that you do of yourself

A portrait ☐ B self-portrait ☐

C self-picture ☐

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PRONUNCIATION

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

Example: A skill ☐ B fired ☒ C sister ☐

1 A along ☐ B surgeon ☐ C top ☐

2 A heart attack ☐ B rash ☐ C bat ☐

3 A bruise ☐ B upon ☐ C stubborn ☐

4 A useless ☐ B servere ☐ C bruise ☐

5 A rip-off ☐ B mild ☐ C wind down ☐

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

Example: A prematurely ☐ B prematurely ☒

C prematurely ☐

6 A antibiotics ☐ B antibiotics ☐

C antibiotics ☐

7 A physician ☐ B physician ☐

C physician ☐

8 A poisoning ☐ B poisoning ☐

C poisoning ☐

9 A specialist ☐ B specialist ☐

C specialist ☐

10 A alternative ☐ B alternative ☐

C alternative ☐

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Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation total ☐ 50