

Practice test I. (Heinemann 1997)

Listening comprehension. Section 1.

PART A.

1. (A) She'll stay for a little while.
(B) She'll talk to him about his raise.
(C) She prefers to continue working.
(D) She'd like a short vacation.
2. (A) The food doesn't have enough seasonings in it.
(B) The man isn't very funny.
(C) She agrees with the man.
(D) She isn't sure about the rice.
3. (A) He's feeling better.
(B) The film wasn't very good.
(C) He didn't enjoy the talk very much.
(D) He will see the woman later.
4. (A) It cost more than he thought it would.
(B) He would like to sell it.
(C) It isn't a very good one.
(D) He got it for a good price.
5. (A) She felt different last week.
(B) Someone cut her hair for her.
(C) She hasn't been the same all week.
(D) She cut her own hair.
6. (A) He'll bring the food quickly.
(B) He needs to write down the woman's order.
(C) He'll send a waiter to the woman's table.
(D) He'll take the food away now.
7. (A) She'll work part-time at the banquet.
(B) She'll try to find a blanket for her guest.
(C) She is still looking for a guest speaker.
(D) She lives too far away to come to the dinner.
8. (A) Who is waiting to see her.
(B) How many people can hear her.
(C) When she can see someone.
(D) What the man said.
9. (A) Give the woman instructions about the phone.
(B) Read the instructions next to the phone.
(C) Pay for his telephone.
(D) Call the woman on the phone.
10. (A) The scholar will arrive shortly.
(B) They didn't get as much money as they needed.
(C) They collected two hundred dollars.
(D) He doesn't know how to do the calculation.
11. (A) He doesn't like to walk late at night.
(B) He has two jobs.
(C) He can't go to the game.
(D) He'll come to the game late.
12. (A) Tony put it together.
(B) He is going to pick it up now.
(C) He will bring it to the picnic.
(D) Tony got it for them.
13. (A) He doesn't know when he'll take a vacation.
(B) He doesn't want to move right away.
(C) He's waiting for the woman to move out of the dorm.
(D) He needs to move before summer vacation.
14. (A) It isn't ready to use yet.
(B) It can't be fixed.
(C) It needs new legs.
(D) He'll put it in the stable to dry.
15. (A) Work on the assignment a little bit at a time.
(B) Finish the assignment on time.
(C) Take the assignment to someone else this time.
(D) Stop working on the assignment.
16. (A) Continue on in spite of the wind.
(B) Stay home and get some rest.
(C) Wait for a few seconds before deciding.
(D) Go out with the man tonight.
17. (A) Read the directions.
(B) Take back the coffee machine.
(C) Copy the instructions.
(D) Write her a check for the coffee.
18. (A) Report her problem to the police.
(B) Express her opinion to the athletic department.
(C) Go with him to complain about the high fee.
(D) Prepare a speech for students using the gym.
19. (A) His drapes are not attractive, but they keep out the heat.
(B) It wouldn't be practical for him to buy new drapes.
(C) His new drapes help keep his house warm.
(D) He did not pay a lot of money for the drapes.
20. (A) John will get a good price for Ms bike when he sells it.
(B) The man who sold John his bike was easy to deal with.
(C) John paid a good price for his bicycle.
(D) John is always happy when he's riding his bike.
21. (A) He'll get a sandwich with them.
(B) He'll join them after he finishes.
(C) He wants something different this time.
(D) He isn't hungry right now.
22. (A) One faculty member has published far more than the rest.
(B) Several English faculty have published their writing.
(C) The number of faculty in the English department is far from ideal.
(D) One English faculty member has done a lot for the department.
23. (A) They don't have enough storage space.
(B) They can't afford to buy any bookcases.
(C) This store does not sell books.
(D) All of their books are in storage.
24. (A) Ask someone to take George to the airport.
(B) Take two people to the airport.
(C) Take George to the airport early.
(D) Take someone else to the airport instead.
25. (A) He isn't really serious about taking it.
(B) He is going to have to pay for it himself.
(C) He hasn't mentioned it yet to his roommate.
(D) Someone else is paying for his room and board.
26. (A) She's worried about the rain.
(B) The picnic wasn't a good idea anyway.
(C) Rain won't be a problem.
(D) Since it has started to rain, they should move indoors.
27. (A) He can't help the woman revise her research paper.
(B) His research paper is due tomorrow.
(C) The woman probably won't be able to finish her paper on time.
(D) He doesn't know what to do with the woman's paper.
28. (A) He already belongs to the student association.
(B) He had heard about the nomination earlier.
(C) He is not going to vote for the woman.
(D) He doesn't want to be the class president.
29. (A) She wonders whether Paul has completed his work.
(B) She promised to help Paul finish his report.
(C) She'll show Paul how to get his work done on time.
(D) She knows that Paul will do what he promised.
30. (A) He can't wait for Jane any longer.
(B) He'll try to catch them at the gate.
(C) He doesn't want to go to the theater.
(D) He will join them as soon as he can.

TEST 1. PART B. (Heinemann)

31. (A) A student.
(B) A psychology professor.
(C) Professor Densmore.
(D) A geologist.
32. (A) He overslept.
(B) His alarm clock didn't work.
(C) He needed to stay at home and finish his paper.
(D) He had some alarming news.
33. (A) Sleeping.
(B) Studying computer science.
(C) Finishing a lab.
(D) Writing a paper.
34. (A) He studies too much.
(B) He is to be admired.
(C) He doesn't budget his time well.
(D) He writes very well.
35. (A) The life of a tree surgeon.
(B) A new sport.
(C) Using a throwball.
(D) Trees and their uses.
36. (A) He lost his job as a tree surgeon.
(B) He thinks trees are very easy to climb.
(C) He believes climbing trees is less dangerous and more accessible than mountain climbing.
(D) He thinks that the equipment for tree climbing is less expensive and more comfortable.
37. (A) Because Sam was heading toward the mountains.
(B) Because Sam was carrying equipment often used by mountain climbers.
(C) Because Sam was well-known as a mountain climber.
(D) Because they both were interested in mountain climbing.
38. (A) That he climbed a redwood that was leaning.
(B) That he went all the way to California to climb the tree.
(C) That he spent the night sleeping in the tree top.
(D) That he climbed in the rain.

PART C.

39. (A) She had never taught Social Studies 101 before.
(B) She was used to hearing about expectations in her senior seminar.
(C) She wanted to wait and go over the syllabus at a later time.
(D) She didn't think the students would like the new requirement.
40. (A) She preferred teaching twentieth century history.
(B) She had been teaching at Johnsville so she wanted to return there.
(C) She hadn't yet finished her advanced degrees.
(D) She decided that she preferred teaching.
41. (A) Teaching at the Social Science Research Center.
(B) Studying at Burke College.
(C) Teaching the seminar that Professor Barrett normally teaches.
(D) Teaching Social Studies 102.
42. (A) A community service requirement.
(B) A senior seminar.
(C) A two-year course on civilization.
(D) A second course covering modern American history.
43. (A) Its own eggs.
(B) Grass from neighborhood lawns.
(C) Worms and insects.
(D) Mud and sticks.
44. (A) To locate better nesting sites.
(B) To gather materials for nest-building.
(C) To incubate their eggs.
(D) To find warmer temperatures.
45. (A) To look for food.
(B) To find a place to build a nest.
(C) To spend twelve to fifteen days incubating eggs.
(D) To acquire a mate.
46. (A) So she can lay a second set of eggs.
(B) So she can collect grass and sticks to build a nest.
(C) So she can find something to eat.
(D) So she can begin her migration south.
47. (A) A clerk in the college book store.
(B) A professor from the Business and Administration Department.
(C) Mrs. Stake's assistant.
(D) Mrs. Stake's friend.
48. (A) To talk about the Business and Administration Department.
(B) To introduce herself and to help orientate the new students.
(C) To familiarize the students with their teachers.
(D) To introduce the students to Mrs. Stoke.
49. (A) Memorize the names of the teachers and always do the homework.
(B) Call Mrs. Stoke at home for emergencies and always leave a message.
(C) Know the hours for the bookstore and always be on time for classes.
(D) Call home monthly and write letters often.
50. (A) Suzanne will go to class.
(B) Mrs. Stoke will speak to the students.
(C) The students will go to their classes.
(D) Suzanne will show the students around the college.

End of Section 1.