ENGLISH GRAMMAR TESTS

When – While – Where – As Soon As MCQ Test + PDF Exercise 3

18 questions · Choose the correct answer. Online test and answer key with explanations:
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1. While we _____ an article, Mother _____ dinner.
A) were translated / was cooking
B) were translating / cooked
C) have been translating / is cooking
D) translated / had cooked
E) are translating / was cooking

2. He looked at the carpet while _____ for her answer.
A) to wait **B)** be waiting
C) waiting **D)** waited
E) having waited

3. While the woman _____, her children quickly passed her and _____ upstairs.
A) was talking / was going
B) was talking / went
C) talks / went
D) were talking / went
E) has talked / went

4. I understood that while the student _____ I couldn't enter the room.
A) would be examined **B)** is examining
C) was examined **D)** was being examined
E) is examined

5. While we _____ sightseeing, the students _____ the book.
A) went / were reading
B) to go / were reading
C) went / are reading
D) go / were read
E) have gone / have read

6. While you _____ a rest, we _____ the task.
A) were having / did **B)** have / did
C) shall have / done **D)** have had / did
E) is having / do

7. While he _____ to school, his elder brother _____ from the Institute. His brother is a teacher now.
A) had gone / graduated
B) has been gone / will graduate
C) is going / has been graduating
D) went / graduated
E) goes / graduated

8. _____ while he was having breakfast.
A) He climbed the fence
B) His pen stopped writing
C) He fell off the ladder
D) He bit his tongue
E) He painted the ceiling

9. Mary _____ Nick where he _____ after graduating from the university.
A) asked / works **B)** ask / would work
C) ask / worked **D)** asked / would work
E) asked / has worked

10. We _____ into the room where the old man _____. He was seriously ill.
A) go / lies
B) goes / lie
C) went / is lying
D) went / was lying
E) was going / was lying

11. Mrs. Black _____ into the room where her husband _____ and began to cry.
A) comes / sits **B)** came / was sitting
C) came / is sitting **D)** came / were sitting
E) was coming / sat

12. As soon as he _____ to Copenhagen, he _____ us a letter.
A) get / send **B)** gets / sent
C) gets / will send **D)** got / should send
E) got / has sent

13. I _____ you as soon as we _____ the contract.
A) shall call / sign
B) call / sign
C) called / sign
D) would call / sign
E) is calling / are signing

14. As soon as I _____ the result, I _____ you know.
A) hear / shall let **B)** will hear / will let
C) hear / let **D)** heard / let
E) have heard / let

15. As soon as the guests _____, we _____ our party.
A) will come / began **B)** comes / begin
C) will come / begin **D)** come / shall begin
E) come / begin

16. I was in the supermarket. As soon as I _____ for the goods, somebody _____ me.
A) paid / would push
B) had paid / pushed
C) have paid / pushed
D) pay / will push
E) have paid / is pushing

17. As soon as we _____ the house, we _____ into it.
A) shall build / move
B) build / shall move
C) will build / shall move
D) built / shall move
E) build / move

18. As soon as he _____ to see me, we _____ chess.
A) will come / shall play
B) comes / shall play
C) will come / play
D) comes / played
E) came / play

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