ANSWER KEY WITH EXPLANATIONS

ELEMENTARY Test 12

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Explanations

1. My brother's birthday is _____ March.
✔ **A) in**
We use **in** with months: **in March**, **in July**.

2. The train leaves Paris _____ 4 p.m.
✔ **B) at**
We use **at** with clock times: **at 4 p.m.**, **at 9 o'clock**.

3. Vancouver is very cold _____ winter.
✔ **B) in**
We use **in** with seasons: **in winter**, **in summer**.

4. Sometimes we _____ cards.
✔ **C) play**
With **we** in the present simple, we use the verb without -s: **we play**.

5. She never _____ meat.
✔ **A) eats**
With **she** in the present simple, we add -s to the verb: **she eats**.

6. We always _____ lemonade in the evenings.
✔ **D) have**
With **we** we use **have** (not **has**). **Have lemonade** means drink lemonade.

7. A: I'm sorry. I'm late.

B: _____ Come and sit down.
✔ **B) Don't worry!**
When someone says sorry, we can answer **Don't worry!** It means 'It's OK.'

8. A: _____ your wife _____ English?

B: Yes, she does.
✔ **C) Does / speak**
Your wife is **she**, so we use **Does … speak?** After **does**, the verb has no -s or -ing.

9. "How many languages _____ you _____?"

"Three: English, German and Spanish."
✔ **B) do / speak**
With **you** we use **do**: **How many languages do you speak?** After **do**, use the base verb.

10. Why _____ you like _____ in the hotel?
✔ **A) do / working**
With **you** we use **do**. After **like**, we often use the -ing form: **like working**.

11. They never go out _____ Friday evenings.
✔ **A) on**
We use **on** with days: **on Friday**. When a day comes before a part of the day, we still use **on**: **on Friday evenings**. But we say **in the evening**.

12. She loves _____ to music.
✔ **A) listening**
After **love**, we can use the -ing form: **She loves listening to music.**

13. They often eat in a restaurant _____ Tuesdays.
✔ **A) on**
We use **on** with days: **on Tuesdays**.

14. _____ summer I play tennis _____ Sundays.
✔ **C) In / on**
We say **in summer** (season) and **on Sundays** (day).

15. "Do Mr Adams and his daughter like going _____?"

"No, they _____."
✔ **B) skiing / don't**
We say **go skiing**. The short answer for **they** with **No** is **No, they don't.**

16. "_____ they _____ a winter holiday?"

"Yes, they do."
✔ **C) Do / want**
With **they** we use **Do … want?** The answer **Yes, they do** also shows this.

17. What time _____ you go to bed?
✔ **A) do**
With **you** in present simple questions, we use **do**: **What time do you go to bed?**

18. "_____ do you do your homework?"

"After dinner."
✔ **D) When**
The answer is a time (**After dinner**), so we ask with **When**.

19. "_____ you go out on Friday evenings?"

"Yes, I do sometimes."
✔ **A) Do**
This is a yes/no question with **you**, so we start with **Do**. The answer **Yes, I do** shows this.

20. "_____ do you like your job?"

"Because it's interesting."
✔ A) Why
The answer starts with **Because**, so the question uses **Why**.

21. "_____ do you travel to school?"

"By bus."
✔ A) How
The answer **By bus** tells us the way we travel, so we ask with **How**.

22. "_____ _____ you live with?"

"With my mother and sisters."
✔ B) Who / do
The answer is about people (**my mother and sisters**), so we use **Who**. With **you** we use **do**.

23. "_____ do you _____ on Sundays?"

"I always relax."
✔ B) What / do
We ask about activities with **What do you do?** After **do you**, use the base verb **do**.

24. "_____ do you _____ on holiday?"

"To Rome or Paris."
✔ C) Where / go
The answer is a place (**To Rome or Paris**), so we ask **Where do you go?**

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