ENGLISH GRAMMAR TESTS

# Mixed Grammar MCQ Test With Answers + PDF Exercise 040

20 questions · Choose the correct answer. Online test and answer key with explanations:
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**1.** The detective asked the gangster where _____.
**A)** the gun was **B)** was the gun
**C)** did he hide the gun **D)** the gun hidden

**2.** After Jack _____ his poem, he decided not to show it to anybody.
**A)** finishing **B)** had finished
**C)** was finishing **D)** has finished

**3.** He thought he _____ able to find more information on British imperialism.
**A)** will be **B)** would be
**C)** is **D)** has been

**4.** If it _____ so expensive, Linda would often eat out.
**A)** weren't **B)** wouldn't be
**C)** isn't **D)** won't

**5.** The workers _____ feel so unhappy if they were treated fairly.
**A)** will **B)** were
**C)** won't **D)** would not

**6.** It is easy to develop bad study habits, but it is extremely difficult for us to rid _____ of them.
**A)** ourselves **B)** itself
**C)** themselves **D)** yourselves

**7.** We will probably have to work _____ midnight today because the report should be ready tomorrow.
**A)** for **B)** until **C)** under **D)** by

**8.** _____ cause extensive damage to our city each year.
**A)** Because of the winds during hurricanes
**B)** The winds of hurricanes
**C)** The winds which
**D)** That the winds of hurricanes

**9.** Malaria _____ by the female mosquito.
**A)** transmits **B)** transmitted
**C)** is transmitted **D)** to transmit

**10.** Water, _____, is also one of the most abundant compounds on earth.
**A)** is necessary for human survival
**B)** one of the most critical elements for human survival
**C)** it is necessary for human survival
**D)** for human survival

**11.** The Social Security Act of 1935 was _____.
**A)** written to insure workers against unemployment
**B)** it insured workers against unemployment
**C)** written that it insured workers against unemployment
**D)** workers against unemployment

**12.** Philosophers are not sure _____.
**A)** how can universal peace be secured
**B)** universal peace can be
**C)** precisely how universal peace can be secured
**D)** can universal peace be secured

**13.** Overexposure to the sun _____.
**A)** more than damage to the skin
**B)** damage to the skin
**C)** can produce damage to the skin
**D)** more damage to the skin

**14.** Antarctica is larger _____, but it has no native human population.
**A)** with some countries
**B)** Europe and Australia put together
**C)** from Europe or Australia
**D)** than Europe or Australia

**15.** _____ paper was first used by the Chinese.
**A)** That the belief **B)** The belief that
**C)** To believe that **D)** It is believed that

**16.** Gold is the preferred choice of jewelry makers _____ indestructible.
**A)** since it is **B)** it is
**C)** because of **D)** insofar as

**17.** _____ growing awareness of social ills, the philosophers wrote increasingly more to warn people.
**A)** A **B)** When a
**C)** Because their **D)** Due to their

**18.** _____ categorized as lipids.
**A)** Fats and also oils **B)** While fats and oils
**C)** Fats and oils are **D)** Fats and oils

**19.** The overwhelming majority of people who _____ in the rescue operations were volunteers.
**A)** they served **B)** did they serve
**C)** serving **D)** served

**20.** _____ is found in many kinds of fruits and vegetables.
**A)** Vitamin C **B)** That vitamin C
**C)** It is vitamin C **D)** Because vitamin C