ENGLISH GRAMMAR TESTS

Mixed Tenses Multiple Choice Test 2

20 questions · Choose the correct answer. Online test and answer key with explanations:
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1. _____ I the only person to agree to the new proposal?
A) is **B)** isn't **C)** have **D)** am
E) are

2. How _____ the wounds on your arm?
A) is **B)** isn't
C) many have **D)** much is
E) are

3. _____ you still unwilling to work along with us on the project?
A) haven't **B)** are **C)** may **D)** is
E) can

4. _____ she really unacceptable for our programme?
A) do you think
B) in your opinion, is
C) why might
D) what makes you think
E) how would

5. These _____ the unfortunate children I _____ to you before.
A) are / mentioned
B) is / have mentioned
C) were / am mentioning
D) was / will mention
E) are / might mentioned

6. He _____ violently _____ his fist into the wall.
A) were / slammed **B)** can / slamming
C) is able / slam **D)** is able / to slam
E) was / slamming

7. Who _____ the people _____ on the underground?
A) is / to get **B)** can be / to get
C) are / getting **D)** have been / gotten
E) will / getting

8. How many colours _____ you _____ the portrait with?
A) are / painting **B)** can / painting
C) have / painting **D)** will / painted
E) did / paints

9. Qualified personnel just _____ want to come out to rural areas, even when they _____ good salaries.
A) will / don't offer **B)** don't / are offered
C) can / aren't offer **D)** might / has offered
E) don't / had offering

10. She repeatedly _____ romantic novels which _____ in the 18th century.
A) reads / write
B) has read / have written
C) read / might write
D) read / were written
E) reads / were writing

11. She _____ permission to see the children once a week.
A) has obtained **B)** will obtaining
C) might obtained **D)** were obtaining
E) has obtains

12. Chemical factories in this area _____ the atmosphere.
A) have polluting **B)** ought to polluted
C) pollutes **D)** polluting
E) have been polluting

13. She _____ to the works of Shakespeare often in her book.
A) referring **B)** refers
C) have been referred **D)** to refer
E) wasn't refer

14. I _____ to my son's teacher today to let her know that my son _____ ill and _____ in school this week.
A) will speak / was / hasn't being
B) would speak / are / won't be
C) spoke / is / won't be
D) spoken / was / wouldn't have been
E) might speak / were / wasn't to be

15. Which of the students _____ the window before the teacher arrived?
A) breaks **B)** breaking
C) to break **D)** had broken
E) has been breaking

16. The rain _____ and the sun _____ at about noontime.
A) has ended / is shining
B) had ended / was shining
C) was ending / to shine
D) to end / had been shining
E) has been ending / shining

17. _____ they often _____ a baby sitter?
A) will / required **B)** is / requiring
C) don't / to require **D)** do / require
E) can / requires

18. I _____ to this restaurant regularly for about eight years now.

A) coming
B) to come
C) will come
D) was coming
E) have been coming

19. I _____ raw meat of any kind! The idea _____ to me.

A) don't eat / am repelling
B) will not eat / is repelling
C) can't eat / repelled
D) might eat / has repelled
E) had been eating / repels

20. The old woman _____ bird feed hoping that the birds _____ to eat it.

A) scattered / would come
B) scatters / coming
C) has scattered / hadn't come
D) scattering / might come
E) will have been scattering / had come

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