ENGLISH GRAMMAR TESTS

Present Tenses MCQ Test With Answers + PDF Exercise 2

20 questions · Choose the correct answer. Online test and answer key with explanations:
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1. The weather is awful; it _____ all day.
A) rains **B)** is raining
C) rained **D)** had been raining
E) has been raining

2. It is 2 o'clock. I _____ afraid I _____ late.
A) was / am **B)** shall be / am
C) am / am **D)** was / was
E) am / wasn't

3. Who usually answers these letters in your office?
A) My friend can. **B)** That man will.
C) I do, of course. **D)** Mary is.
E) Those engineers did.

4. The milk is hot. I _____ on it to make it cold.
A) am blowing **B)** blow
C) is blowing **D)** blew
E) had blown

5. - You don't like horror films, do you?

- _____. They are so terrifying.
A) Yes, I can. **B)** No, I can't.
C) No, I don't. **D)** Yes, I do.
E) No, we didn't.

6. _____ this engineer work at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs?
A) do **B)** does **C)** has **D)** had
E) shall

7. He _____ never _____ him sing.
A) has / hear **B)** has / heard
C) have / heard **D)** was / hearing
E) is / hearing

8. I think _____.
A) if he is about fifty **B)** he is about fifty
C) her about fifty **D)** him about fifty
E) be about fifty

9. I miss her very much; almost every minute of the day I think of her, or I think I _____ her.
A) am hearing **B)** hear
C) heard **D)** have heard
E) will hear

10. Look! There _____ a man sitting at the first table near the door. He _____ at us.
A) was / looks **B)** had been / looked
C) were / had looked **D)** is / is looking
E) is / was looking

11. These engineers always _____ in the office and _____.
A) stayed / learn
B) stay / learn
C) stays / learns
D) have stayed / learned
E) stay / learned

12. It's the happiest evening I _____.
A) ever have **B)** have ever had
C) ever has **D)** has ever had
E) had ever had

13. Let me show you the picture that I _____ this week. It's finished now.
A) am drawing **B)** shall be drawing
C) have drawn **D)** had drawn
E) will be drawing

14. This is the 7th year Ann and Mary _____ this school.
A) has attended **B)** have been attending
C) had been attending **D)** are attending
E) were attending

15. He _____ his English lesson in the morning; he _____ it in the evening.
A) doesn't have / is having
B) don't have / had
C) doesn't have / has
D) didn't have / have
E) hadn't / will have

16. The sun _____ in the east and _____ in the west.
A) sets / rises **B)** sets / goes
C) rises / sets **D)** goes / rises
E) set / rise

17. While _____ to school, we always _____ a bus.
A) going / take **B)** went / take
C) shall go / will take **D)** had gone / took
E) goes / takes

18. We don't like him because he always _____ lies.
A) tell **B)** was telling
C) tells **D)** are telling
E) has told

19. I _____ all my work. I am free now.
A) do **B)** am doing
C) shall do **D)** have done
E) had done

20. She _____ at school since 1984.

A) teach
B) has been teaching
C) taught
D) was teaching
E) have taught

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