ENGLISH GRAMMAR TESTS

When – While – Where – As Soon As MCQ Test + PDF Exercise 2

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1. _____ when he was painting the ceiling.
A) He found his passport
B) He burnt his hand
C) He bought a new car
D) He wrote a letter
E) He fell off the ladder

2. It _____ since morning when we _____.
A) has rained / went out
B) had been raining / went out
C) was raining / go out
D) rained / will go out
E) rained / went out

3. When I _____ back to the table, six soldiers _____ there.
A) came / were sitting **B)** comes / were sitting
C) has come / sit **D)** came / are sitting
E) came / will sit

4. When I _____ younger, I _____ an idea of a wife who _____ with me in my thoughts as well as aims.
A) was / had / will be
B) was / had / would be
C) had been / had / is
D) have been / have / will be
E) was / had had / had been

5. When I _____ school I _____ the university.
A) shall finish / shall enter
B) finish / enter
C) shall finish / enter
D) finish / shall enter
E) finish / entered

6. I visited my sister when she _____ in Moscow.
A) lived **B)** lives
C) were lived **D)** is living
E) were living

7. We _____ have our supper when our mother _____ from the market.
A) shall / comes **B)** shall / will come
C) will / will come **D)** shan't / come
E) shall / come

8. The passengers _____ for the train for 20 minutes when it _____ into the station.
A) waited / pulls
B) have waited / pulled
C) had been waiting / pulled
D) will wait / had pulled
E) are waiting / was pulled

9. Yesterday when I _____ her, she _____ me about you.
A) have met / told **B)** meet / told
C) have met / would tell **D)** have met / tell
E) met / told

10. When I came in, my mother _____ dinner.
A) cooked **B)** were cooking
C) will cook **D)** have cooked
E) was cooking

11. When I _____ home, I _____ a friend of mine.
A) was going / met
B) go / meet
C) was going / was meeting
D) are going / meet
E) were going / met

12. I _____ terrible when I _____ that morning.
A) felt / wake up **B)** feels / wake up
C) felt / woke up **D)** feel / woke up
E) felt / had woken up

13. When they _____ about it, there _____ much trouble.
A) finds out / be **B)** found out / were
C) is finding out / is **D)** find out / will be
E) found out / has been

14. Lane _____ through the morning papers when the telephone _____.
A) was looking / rang **B)** were looking / rang
C) are looking / rung **D)** have looked / ring
E) looked / is ringing

15. A ship _____ near the Maltese Islands when the men on board _____ a dolphin in the water.
A) was fishing / noticed
B) fished / noticed
C) was fishing / will notice
D) is fishing / noticed
E) fished / notices

16. How fast _____ you _____ when the accident _____?
A) were / driving / happened
B) did / drive / was happening
C) will / drive / had happened
D) are / driving / will happen
E) was / driving / happened

17. I _____ my hand when I _____ the dinner.
A) was burning / cooked
B) had burnt / am cooking
C) shall burn / shall cook
D) burnt / was cooking
E) have burnt / cooked

18. We _____ ready when you _____ home.
A) are / will come **B)** shall / come
C) shall be / will come **D)** shall be / come
E) will be / came

19. Two hours ago, when the children _____ in the yard, a terrible storm _____.
A) were playing / began
B) played / began
C) were playing / were beginning
D) played / were beginning
E) play / begins

20. It _____ for three hours when we _____ home.
A) will have been raining / came
B) is raining / come
C) rained / came
D) rains / came
E) had been raining / came

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