ENGLISH COMPETITION

LEVEL 5 – 6
(Ε´ - Στ´ Δημοτικού)

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10am-11am

Questions 1 – 10 : 3 points
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3 points

1. My father and his friend ..... tennis whenever they have some free time.
   A) play   B) is playing   C) plays   D) are playing   E) to play

2. When do people decorate their homes with holly and mistletoe?
   D) At Christmas.   E) At Halloween.

3. What are they doing? Match the sentence with its corresponding picture:
   1. Sally is dancing.
   2. Sonia is singing a song.
   3. Bobby is flying a kite.
   4. Tom is taking a nap on his desk.
   5. Mary is reading a book.

   a)  b)  c)  d)  e)

   A) 1a/ 2b/ 3c/ 4d/ 5e   B) 1b/ 2c/ 3e/ 4a/ 5d   C) 1d/ 2b/ 3e/ 4a/ 5c
   D) 1b/ 2e/ 3d/ 4a/ 5c   E) 1b/ 2c/ 3d/ 4a/ 5e

4. She has her train ticket and she’s ..... tomorrow morning.
   A) leaving   B) leave   C) left   D) will leave   E) can leave

5. Look at the picture and choose the missing letters: ch_ _ _ nu _ _
   A) e, s, t, e   B) u, s, t, t, y   C) e, s, t, t, s
   D) e, s, t, d, s   E) e, s, s, t, e

6. ..... I called my sister and told her the good news.
   A) Tomorrow   B) At the moment   C) In a moment
   D) Yesterday   E) The day after tomorrow

7. Helen is thinner ..... Anne.
   A) than   B) from   C) like   D) as
   E) then

8. The dress ..... Mary wore at the party was beautiful.
   A) who   B) which   C) where   D) why
   E) witch

9. Choose the right answer to complete the question:
   What shall I order for dinner? Chicken and ..... or beef steak?
   A) chips   B) cheap   C) sheep
   D) ships   E) cips
10. My ..... Lisa is teaching me how to use a computer.
A) nephew  B) son   C) grandpa   D) daughter   E) uncle

4 points

Look at the weather forecast map and complete sentences 11-15 according to the picture.

11. ..... in Wales will be around three degrees.
A) Winds  B) Rains  C) Snowfall  D) Clouds  E) Temperatures

12. In the Scottish mountains, it will be ..... .
A) raining  B) snowing  C) foggy  D) pouring  E) sunny

13. In northern England, the ..... will be very unpleasant.
A) trip  B) snowfall  C) weather  D) climate  E) sky

14. In Northern Ireland, it will be ..... but dry.
A) windy  B) sunny  C) hot  D) cloudy  E) foggy

15. The south of England will have a lot of ..... .
A) sunshine  B) thunder  C) lightning  D) rain  E) snowfall

16. I’m going to win the contest, .....?
A) will I  B) going I  C) isn’t me  D) wasn’t I  E) aren’t I

17. A century and a millennium together make ..... years.
A) 1001  B) 101  C) 1100  D) 110  E) 1010

18. I ..... home from work when it began to rain.
A) used to drive  B) am driving  C) drive  D) was driving  E) could drive

19. Peter’s parents are away on business this week so his grandma ..... after him.
A) looks  B) is looking  C) looked  D) was looking  E) look

20. Which group of letters form the plural of “life”?
A) l, s, i, f  B) f, s, i, l, e  C) e, v, i, l  D) s, i, v, e, l  E) y, l, s, e, v
21. Children are ..... holiday from school in the summer.
A) on B) in C) to D) at E) by

22. Merlin is a character from the Arthurian legends. What is he?

23. Which is the odd one out?
A) refrigerator B) camera C) dishwasher D) microwave oven E) freezer

24. There isn’t ..... bread in that tin.
A) many B) a bit C) some D) any E) a

25. The Mississippi, the Amazon, and the Danube are well-known ..... .
A) rivers B) lakes C) seas D) countries E) towns

26. Choose the right word to complete the sentence:
In a quiz show, the ..... is the person who asks the questions.
A) winner B) competitor C) prize D) contestant E) quizmaster

27. Young children are often afraid ..... the dark .
A) with B) for C) at D) from E) of

A) vegetables B) sweets C) books D) meat E) dairy products

29. Which of these is not a job?
A) barber B) tailor C) cooker D) builder E) carpenter

30. Last week Susan felt sick and went to the doctor’s. Now she is ill ..... .
A) over B) and C) already D) again E) too

Read the following joke and answer questions 31-35:

A group of English boys went to the Zoo with their new teacher. First, they looked at the elephants. Then, as they were walking away from the elephants, they heard a lot of noise behind them. The teacher went back and found three boys fighting. He stopped them and said: “What are your names and what are you doing?” The first boy said: “My name’s Gary and I was just throwing peanuts to the elephants.” The second said: “My name’s Larry and I was throwing peanuts to the elephants, too.” The third boy said: “Well, my name’s Peter, but my friends call me Peanuts.” (Junior Comprehension, vol. 3 by Vallance D’Arcy, Longman, 2001)

31. The teacher went back to the elephants because ..... .
A) he noticed some boys were missing B) he wanted to see the elephants again
C) he heard a lot of noise behind him D) he wanted some peanuts E) he liked elephants
32. Peanuts was Peter’s ….. .
A) favourite food  B) friend  C) teacher  D) nickname  E) favourite game

33. The boys went to the Zoo with ….. .
A) their parents  B) their teachers  C) their father  D) their new teacher  E) their grandparents

34. The three boys were making a lot of noise because ….. .
A) they were feeding the animals  B) they were laughing  C) they were fighting  D) they were hiding from the teacher  E) they were playing with peanuts

35. Larry and Gary were throwing ….. .
A) peanuts to the elephants  B) Peanuts to the elephants  C) nuts to the animals  D) food to the elephants  E) peanuts to Peter

36. The ..... month of the year is May.
A) five  B) fourth  C) third  D) fifth  E) four

37. Complete the proverb below:
“….. have ears.”
A) Houses  B) Doors  C) Floors  D) Walls  E) Windows

38. Where ..... you born?
A) did  B) have  C) were  D) are  E) do

39. I don’t have nearly ..... much time for going out ..... I would like to.
A) so / that  B) more / than  C) such / that  D) too / that  E) as / as

40. A famous couple in a play written by William Shakespeare is ….. .
A) Othello and Ophelia  B) Othello and Juliet  C) Romeo and Juliet  D) Romeo and Viola  E) Romeo and Rosalind