

English Level Test A2 – Test 1

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Choose the best answer (A, B, C or D) for each question.

Part 1: Core grammar

Choose the word or sentence that correctly completes each item.

1. My sister _____ in a bank. She likes her job.
A work **B** works **C** working **D** is work
2. _____ you like coffee? — Yes, I do.
A Are **B** Is **C** Does **D** Do
3. There _____ two parks near my house.
A are **B** is **C** be **D** has
4. Yesterday we _____ to the cinema.
A go **B** goes **C** went **D** gone
5. Look! The children _____ in the garden.
A play **B** plays **C** played **D** are playing
6. I didn't _____ my homework last night.
A do **B** did **C** does **D** doing
7. This bag is _____ than that one.
A more cheap **B** cheaper **C** cheapest **D** the cheaper
8. How _____ apples do we need?
A much **B** any **C** many **D** some
9. Choose the correct sentence.
A She don't like fish. **B** She doesn't likes fish.
C She not like fish. **D** She doesn't like fish.
10. We _____ visit our grandparents next weekend. We bought the train tickets yesterday.
A are going to **B** going to **C** are go to **D** will to
11. Was Tom at school yesterday? — No, he _____.
A didn't **B** isn't **C** wasn't **D** weren't
12. Find the mistake: "Maria can to swim very well."
A can **B** to **C** swim **D** very well

Part 2: Vocabulary and everyday English

Choose the best word, phrase or response for each item.

13. My father's brother is my _____.
A cousin **B** nephew **C** grandfather **D** uncle

14. It's very cold today. Put on your _____.
A sunglasses **B** coat **C** shorts **D** sandals
15. You can buy medicine at a _____.
A bakery **B** library **C** pharmacy **D** post office
16. Shop assistant: "Can I help you?" Customer: "_____"
A Yes, I'm looking for a jumper. **B** Yes, I can help you.
C No, you aren't. **D** Yes, it's my pleasure.
17. A: "How was your holiday?" B: "_____"
A It's next week. **B** I went by plane.
C For two weeks. **D** It was great, thanks.
18. Which question goes with this answer: "It takes about twenty minutes."
A How often do you take the bus? **B** How long does it take to get to school?
C How much is the bus ticket? **D** When does school start?
19. I usually _____ a shower in the morning.
A make **B** do **C** take **D** get
20. The opposite of "noisy" is _____.
A busy **B** empty **C** slow **D** quiet
21. "The museum is free on Sundays." What does "free" mean here?
A You don't pay to go in. **B** It is closed.
C It is very busy. **D** It opens early.
22. Can you _____ me your pen? I forgot mine.
A borrow **B** lend **C** give back **D** take
23. Be _____! The road is dangerous.
A care **B** carefully **C** careful **D** careless

Part 3: Grammar in use

Choose the correct answer. These items are a little more difficult.

24. Have you ever _____ to Japan?
A be **B** was **C** went **D** been
25. I _____ TV when the phone rang.
A watched **B** was watching **C** am watching **D** have watched
26. She has lived here _____ 2019.
A since **B** for **C** ago **D** from
27. It's the _____ film I've ever seen.
A most funny **B** funnier **C** funniest **D** more funny
28. You _____ wear a helmet when you ride a motorbike. It's the law.
A mustn't **B** don't have to **C** can **D** must
29. If it rains tomorrow, we _____ at home.
A stay **B** will stay **C** stayed **D** would stay

30. Choose the correct sentence.
- A** I finished my homework yesterday. **B** I've finished my homework yesterday.
C I have finish my homework yesterday. **D** I finishing my homework yesterday.
31. This is the woman ——— helped me at the station.
- A** which **B** where **C** who **D** what
32. Find the mistake: "He drives very careful, so he never has accidents."
- A** drives **B** careful **C** never **D** has
33. We haven't got ——— milk. Can you buy some?
- A** some **B** many **C** a **D** any
34. A: "I'm really thirsty." B: " ——— "
- A** I'll get you some water. **B** I getting you some water.
C I got you some water tomorrow. **D** I'm get you some water.

Part 4: Reading

Read the email and choose the best answer for each question.

Hi Kemal,

Thanks for your email. Sorry I didn't write back sooner, but I've been very busy. Three weeks ago I moved to Lisbon for my new job at a travel company. I work in the office from Monday to Thursday, and on Fridays I work from home.

My flat is small, but it's bright and it has a balcony. It's only ten minutes from the office on foot, so I don't need to take the bus. The only problem is the noise. There's a restaurant downstairs, and it's open until midnight.

I haven't made many friends yet, but my colleague Ana is very kind. Last Saturday she showed me the old part of the city, and we had lunch by the river. Next month I'm going to start Portuguese lessons, because I want to understand people better.

Are you still planning to visit in the summer? You can stay with me, but you'll have to sleep on the sofa!

Write soon,

Priya

35. Why did Priya move to Lisbon?
- A** To study Portuguese. **B** To be near her family.
C For a new job. **D** To open a restaurant.
36. Where does Priya work on Fridays?
- A** In the office **B** At home **C** At a restaurant **D** By the river
37. How does Priya get to work?
- A** She takes the bus. **B** She drives. **C** She cycles. **D** She walks.
38. What is the only problem with Priya's flat?
- A** It is noisy until late. **B** It is too small.
C It is dark. **D** It is far from the office.

39. What did Priya do last Saturday?
- A** She started Portuguese lessons.
 - B** She had dinner with Kemal.
 - C** She visited the old part of the city with a colleague.
 - D** She worked in the office.
40. Which sentence is true?
- A** Priya has lived in Lisbon for three months.
 - B** Priya is going to take Portuguese lessons.
 - C** Kemal visited Priya last summer.
 - D** Priya has got a big flat with a garden.

Answer key – English Level Test A2 – Test 1

1 B	2 D	3 A	4 C	5 D	6 A	7 B	8 C	9 D	10 A
11 C	12 B	13 D	14 B	15 C	16 A	17 D	18 B	19 C	20 D
21 A	22 B	23 C	24 D	25 B	26 A	27 C	28 D	29 B	30 A
31 C	32 B	33 D	34 A	35 C	36 B	37 D	38 A	39 C	40 B

Explanations

- B** – With he, she or it in the present simple, the verb takes -s.
- D** – Present simple questions with 'you' use 'Do', and the short answer 'I do' confirms it.
- A** – Use 'there are' with plural nouns such as 'two parks'.
- C** – 'Yesterday' needs the past simple, and the past of 'go' is 'went'.
- D** – 'Look!' shows an action happening now, so we use the present continuous.
- A** – After 'didn't' we always use the base form of the verb.
- B** – Short adjectives form the comparative with -er, followed by 'than'.
- C** – 'Apples' is a countable plural noun, so we use 'how many'.
- D** – The negative with 'she' is 'doesn't', followed by the base verb without -s.
- A** – For plans already made, we use 'be going to' plus the base verb.
- C** – A question with 'Was' takes the short answer 'he wasn't'.
- B** – Modal verbs like 'can' are followed by the base verb without 'to'.
- D** – Your parent's brother is your uncle.
- B** – A coat keeps you warm in cold weather, and the other items are for hot weather.
- C** – A pharmacy is the shop that sells medicine.
- A** – The customer answers the offer of help by saying what they want.
- D** – 'How was...?' asks for an opinion about a past experience.
- B** – 'How long does it take...?' asks about time, which matches 'It takes about twenty minutes'.
- C** – The correct collocation is 'take a shower'.
- D** – 'Quiet' means with little or no noise, the opposite of 'noisy'.
- A** – Here 'free' means it costs no money.
- B** – You 'lend' something to someone and 'borrow' something from someone.
- C** – After 'be' we need an adjective, and 'careful' gives the right meaning.
- D** – The present perfect uses 'have' plus the past participle, and 'been to' means 'visited'.
- B** – The past continuous describes a longer action that a shorter past action interrupted.
- A** – Use 'since' with a point in time and 'for' with a period of time.
- C** – Two-syllable adjectives ending in -y form the superlative with -iest.
- D** – 'Must' expresses a rule or obligation.
- B** – In the first conditional, 'if' plus present simple is followed by 'will' plus the base verb.
- A** – A finished past time like 'yesterday' needs the past simple, not the present perfect.
- C** – We use the relative pronoun 'who' for people.
- B** – To describe a verb we need the adverb 'carefully', not the adjective.
- D** – In negative sentences we normally use 'any' with uncountable nouns like 'milk'.
- A** – We use 'will' ('I'll) for an offer or decision made at the moment of speaking.
- C** – She writes that she moved 'for my new job at a travel company'.
- B** – She says 'on Fridays I work from home'.
- D** – The office is 'ten minutes on foot', so she doesn't need the bus.

38. **A** – She says 'The only problem is the noise' from the restaurant, which is open until midnight.
39. **C** – Ana showed her the old part of the city, and they had lunch by the river.
40. **B** – She writes 'Next month I'm going to start Portuguese lessons'.

Notes for teachers: Give learners about 45 minutes without dictionaries. A score of 32 or more out of 40 suggests the learner is secure at A2. A score of 24–31 suggests partial control, and below 24 suggests consolidating A1–A2 material first. Common errors this test targets are third-person -s, did and didn't plus base verb, since vs for, borrow vs lend, and adjective vs adverb. Review any part where a learner scores under 70% before moving on to B1.