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Part I Rewrite each sentence, beginning as shown, so that the meaning stays the same. When you have finished, compare your answers with the answer key. You get 1 point for each correct answer.

1 It was silly of you to speak to him like that.
You shouldn't $\qquad$
2 "I didn't do that", he said.
He denied $\qquad$
3 We haven't seen him for a month.
It's $\qquad$
4 It is difficult to drive old cars.
Old cars $\qquad$
5 Pity I can't swim.
I wish $\qquad$
6 No, please. Don't tell her about our visit.
We'd rather $\qquad$
7 Let's try that new Chinese restaurant in Bond Street.
Why $\qquad$
8 Where does she work?
Do you happen to know $\qquad$
9 They managed to solve the mystery.
They succeeded $\qquad$
10 Tom didn't take his doctor's advice and now he is ill.
If Tom $\qquad$
11 One of my friends is coming to see us tomorrow.
A friend $\qquad$
12 Whose house is this?
Who does $\qquad$
13 How tall is the building?
What is $\qquad$
14 We very rarely leave our children unattended.
Our children are not used $\qquad$
15 I'm afraid we have no coffee.
I'm afraid we have run $\qquad$

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16 I had expected this exercise to be more difficult.
This exercise $\qquad$
17 People say he has been married four times.
He is $\qquad$
18 It wasn't necessary for you to come so early.
You $\qquad$
19 I don't want to go to Paris next week.
I don't feel $\qquad$
20 She regretted not inviting them to her birthday party.
She wished $\qquad$
21 They are building a new cinema in our town.
A new cinema $\qquad$
22 Ben didn't recover from his illness for a few weeks.
It took $\qquad$
23 She has been working here for ten days and next Friday will make it a fortnight.
By next Friday $\qquad$
24 Don't speak Polish.
The teacher told the students $\qquad$
25 I have never eaten such a delicious dish.
It's $\qquad$

Part II Choose the option which best completes each of the following sentences. When you have finished, compare your answers with the answer key. You get 1 point for each correct answer.

1 Never $\qquad$ business with that company. They are unreliable.
a) make
b) do
c) run

2 Can you help me with this suitcase?
a) It doesn't close.
b) It can't close.
c) It won't close.

3 "What did you say?" " $\qquad$ It wasn't important."
a) Don't worry.
b) Never mind.
c) I don't care.

4 No one knows why he resigned, $\qquad$ ?
a) does one
b) don't they
c) do they

5 The red curtains began to $\qquad$ after they had been hanging in the sun for three months.
a) dissolve
b) fade
c) melt

6 It is said that $\qquad$ people in the region have lost their homes.
a) thousands of
b) several thousands
c) almost fifty thousands

7 "Would you mind spelling your surname?" $\qquad$ .$"$
a) No, not at all.
b) You're quite right.
c) No, of course.

8 Why didn't she let $\qquad$ ?
a) them go
b) them to go
c) to go them

9 A shop - $\qquad$ is somebody who steals from shops.
a) thief
b) lifter
c) robber

10 She is always so naughty I can't imagine how anyone puts $\qquad$ with her.
a) up
b) off
c) -

11 He $\qquad$ her of marrying him for his money.
a) blamed
b) warned
c) accused

12 The party lasted $\qquad$ all night.
a) through
b) -
c) for

13 "Why are your hands dirty?" "। $\qquad$ my motorbike."
a) repaired
b) have been repairing
c) was repairing

14 Watch out! This pile of books $\qquad$ !
a) will fall
b) will be falling
c) is going to fall

15 They are hoping to $\qquad$ an in-house magazine next year.
a) begin
b) eject
c) launch

16 This meat is tough. You have to $\qquad$ it for a long time.
a) eat
b) bite
c) chew

17 How long $\qquad$ French before she went to France?
a) has she been studying
b) she studied
c) had she been studying

18 They were made $\qquad$ it.
a) do
b) to do
c) done

19 They congratulated her $\qquad$ doing so well in her exams.
a) on
b) for
c) of

20 She feels really $\qquad$ . She's been doing this job for too long.
a) broke
b) tied up
c) burnt out

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21 "Stop laughing!" "We can’t $\qquad$ ."
a) help it
b) hold ourselves
c) do anything against it

22 $\qquad$ you hurry, you won't catch the train.
a) Unless
b) Except
c) If

23 When it's his $\qquad$ to buy a drink he says he doesn't have enough money to pay .
a) time
b) term
c) turn

24 I'm afraid I'll never understand my children. The generation $\qquad$ is unbridgeable.
a) gap
b) conflict
c) hole

25 What would you do if you $\qquad$ Susan?
a) meet
b) would meet
c) met

Answer key

## Part I

The answer has to be exactly the same as that in the answer key. In some cases, two correct answers are provided.

1 You shouldn't have spoken to him like that.
2 He denied doing that.
3 It's a month since we last saw him.
4 Old cars are difficult to drive.
5 I wish I could swim.
6 We'd rather you didn't tell her about our visit.
7 Why don't we try / not try that new Chinese restaurant in Bond Street?
8 Do you happen to know where she works?
9 They succeeded in solving the mystery.
10 If Tom had taken his doctor's advice, he wouldn't be ill now .
11 A friend of mine is coming to see us tomorrow.
12 Who does the house belong to?
13 What is the height of this building?
14 Our children are not used to being left unattended.
15 I'm afraid we have run out of coffee.
16 This exercise was easier than I had expected / wasn't as difficult as I had expected.
17 He is said to have been married four times.
18 You needn't have come so early.
19 I don't feel like going to Paris next week.
20 She wished she had invited them to her birthday party.
21 A new cinema is being built in our town.
22 It took Ben a few weeks to recover from his illness.
23 By next Friday she will have been working here for a fortnight.
24 The teacher told the students not to speak Polish.
25 It's the most delicious dish I have ever eaten.

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Part II

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
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| b | c | b | c | b | a | a | a | b | a | c | b | b |


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| c | c | c | c | b | a | c | a | a | c | a | c |

The number of points indicates the following level of language proficiency:
22-37 points B2
38-50 points C1
If your total score is 15 points or less, do English Placement Test A2/B1.
If you have got 16-21 points on this test and 46 points or more on the English Placement Test $\mathrm{A} 2 / \mathrm{B} 1$, your language proficiency is B1/ B2.

