

## TEST GRILĂ LA LIMBA ENGLEZĂ

**Instrucțiuni:**

*Timpul de lucru este de 90 minute.*

*Toate subiectele sunt obligatorii.*

*Răspunsurile se scriu pe foaia de concurs.*

*Nota minimă de trecere a probei este 5,00 (20 itemi).*

**A. Partea I: CITIT**

Choose the correct answer a, b, c or d.

Born in Westmoreland Country, Virginia, in 1758, Monroe attended the College of William and Mary, fought with distinction in the Continental Army, and practiced law in Fredericksburg, Virginia.

As a youthful politician, he joined the anti-Federalists in the Virginia Convention which ratified the Constitution, and in 1790, an advocate of Jeffersonian policies, was elected United States Senator. As Minister to France in 1794-1796, he displayed strong sympathies for the French cause; later, with Robert R. Livingston, he helped negotiate the Louisiana Purchase.

1. When was Monroe born?
  - a. 1790;
  - b. 1758;
  - c. 1974;
  - d. 1796.
2. What college did he attend?
  - a. Continental Army;
  - b. French cause;
  - c. College of William and Mary;
  - d. Louisiana Purchase.
3. When was the Minister to France?
  - a. 1770;
  - b. 1794-1796;
  - c. 1790;
  - d. 1758.

Hi! My name is Gabriel Stone. I'm 21 and I live in Glendale Heights, Chicago, Illinois. I study electronics at a college in downtown Chicago. I can say that my life is very steady.

Any of my weekdays begins at 6.30 a.m., when I get up and go outside for a one-hour jog. Then I come back home, take a shower, get dressed for the day and then I prepare myself a light breakfast that usually consists of a glass of milk and some cereals or a two-egg omelette, bacon and toast. Generally, at 8.00 a.m. I leave for college. But sometimes mom gives me a ride downtown. Then I don't have to take the train and I can leave 10 minutes later than usual.

4. What is the text about?
  - a. weekdays;
  - b. daily routines;
  - c. lunch;
  - d. having fun.
5. What does he do after he gets up?
  - a. eats;
  - b. takes a ride;
  - c. one-hour jog;
  - d. takes the train.

6. What time does he wake up?

- a. 7.30;
- b. 6.30;
- c. 8.00;
- d. 6.45.

Today the artist Vincent van Gogh is very famous, but he was never famous during his life.

Vincent was Dutch. His family was from a small village in the Netherlands. His brother, Theo, was a very important person in his life. Vincent was usually poor, but his brother always helped him with money.

Vincent was always good at painting, but he had many different jobs. He worked for an art company, and in a bookshop, and he was a teacher. He was interested in religion, and he wanted to study theology, but he wasn't a very good student. When he was 27 he started to work as a painter. He lived in Belgium, the Netherlands, and France, where he was with his friend, the painter Paul Gauguin. But Vincent was never really happy, and he was often not well. When he was only 37, he ended his life.

When Vincent was alive, he wasn't famous and his paintings weren't popular. Today his pictures are very expensive, and you can see them in art galleries all over the world.

7. What is the text about?

- a. Paul Gauguin;
- b. Belgium;
- c. Vincent van Gogh;
- d. Netherlands.

8. What's the main idea of the last paragraph?

- a. Even though he wasn't famous during his life, he's very appreciated now, after his death;
- b. Vincent was always good at painting;
- c. Vincent was never happy;
- d. His family was not rich.

9. What nationality was van Gogh?

- a. Russian;
- b. Dutch;
- c. Greek;
- d. French.

Born on August 29<sup>th</sup>, 1958, Jackson made his show business debut with four of his older brothers in the Jackson Five pop group, and went on to head the stage clan with a soprano and dazzling dance moves. By 1969, the group had signed a contract with Motown Records, becoming one of the last great acts to emerge from the legendary label.

The Jacksons produced seven platinum singles for Motown, selling over a million, and three multi-platinum albums, selling more than two million. They moved to CBS's Epic Records in 1976. Despite the early success, Jackson was to recall those years as unhappy and lonely ones. Eventually the family act broke up, as Jackson went solo.

10. What is the topic of the text?

- a. CBS's Epic Records;
- b. Jackson's early beginnings;
- c. Jackson Five;
- d. Selling albums.

11. When was Jackson born?

- a. 1976;
- b. 1958;
- c. 1954;
- d. 1972.

12. How many platinum singles did the Jacksons produce for Motown?
- two;
  - a million;
  - seven;
  - three.

The man in the picture is Ali. Ali is from Saudi Arabia, but he is living in the United States. Ali will stay in the United States for one year. During the year, Ali wants to do two things. First, he wants to learn English. Second, he wants to quit smoking.

Ali has smoked for nine years. He smokes a pack of cigarettes every day. Ali says, 'I tired to quit smoking in Saudi Arabia, but it was impossible. My brothers smoke. All my friends smoke. At parties and at meetings, almost all the men smoke. Here in the United States, not as many people smoke. It will be easier to quit here'.

13. What is the topic of the text?
- Living in Saudi Arabia;
  - Smoking;
  - Living in the USA;
  - Friends.
14. How long has Ali smoked?
- two months;
  - nine years;
  - two years;
  - nine months.
15. What is the first thing Ali wants to do here, in the United States?
- to quit smoking;
  - to go to parties;
  - to learn English;
  - to smoke.

## **B. Partea a II-a: ELEMENTE DE GRAMATICĂ ȘI VOCABULAR**

Choose the correct answer a, b, c, or d:

16. My father's picture is on \_\_\_\_\_ wall.
- that;
  - these;
  - those;
  - some.
17. \_\_\_\_\_ people don't respond to antibiotics.
- Much;
  - Any;
  - No;
  - Some.
18. Have you got \_\_\_\_\_ cigarettes?
- some;
  - any;
  - this;
  - a.
19. Billiards \_\_\_\_\_ his favourite game.
- are;
  - were;
  - been;
  - is.

20. Now I \_\_\_\_\_ an interesting movie.  
 a. am watching;  
 b. watches;  
 c. watch;  
 d. will watch.
21. Switch \_\_\_\_\_ the light, will you?  
 a. off;  
 b. in;  
 c. out;  
 d. away.
22. I \_\_\_\_\_ the way people behave in this country.  
 a. like;  
 b. am liking;  
 c. am fond;  
 d. likes.
23. My brother \_\_\_\_\_ our aunt next month.  
 a. visit;  
 b. will visit;  
 c. visiting;  
 d. visited.
24. Last year I \_\_\_\_\_ to Montreal.  
 a. will go;  
 b. go;  
 c. went;  
 d. goes.
25. Usually he \_\_\_\_\_ at seven o'clock.  
 a. is wakes up;  
 b. wake up;  
 c. wakes up;  
 d. will be waking up.
26. Mary and John have two \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a. child;  
 b. childrens;  
 c. children;  
 d. child.
27. The person who drives a car is the \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a. driver;  
 b. engineer;  
 c. motorist;  
 d. conductor.
28. By the way, can you \_\_\_\_\_ me a favour?  
 a. do;  
 b. take;  
 c. offer;  
 d. give.
29. You want some tea. You say, '\_\_\_\_\_ a cup of tea, please.'  
 a. I like;  
 b. I love;  
 c. I desire;  
 d. I would like.

30. Someone offers you some food which you don't want. You say, '\_\_\_\_\_.'
- Please;
  - No, thank you!
  - Thanks!
  - You're welcome.
31. My granny cooks a really \_\_\_\_\_ apple pie.
- tasteful;
  - tasting;
  - tasteless;
  - tasty.
32. Do you need \_\_\_\_\_?
- a help;
  - helps;
  - any help;
  - no help.
33. My advice is: don't panic; stay \_\_\_\_\_.
- quiet;
  - quite;
  - tranquil;
  - calm.
34. Nobody likes to pay \_\_\_\_\_ prices.
- high;
  - big;
  - large;
  - great.
35. Let's go \_\_\_\_\_ in Oxford Street.
- shop;
  - shopping;
  - shopped;
  - to shop.

### C. Partea a III-a: SCRIS

Choose the correct answer a, b, c, or d:

36. Which is the correct order?
- Movie action favourite my is this.
  - This is my favourite action movie.
  - Is my movie favourite this action.
  - Action movie this favourite my is.
37. Choose the most appropriate line to start an informal letter:
- Good morning!
  - Sorry!
  - Dear Sam,
  - Bye!
38. Choose the most appropriate line to end a formal letter of accepting an invitation.
- Hope you can help!
  - Thank you once more for your kind invitation ...
  - Perhaps we can get together soon ...
  - Bye!

39. Choose the most appropriate line to start an informal letter of asking for advice:
- I've got a problem, and I think you can help ...
  - How are you?
  - I hope everything turns out well ...
  - How do you do!
40. Choose the correct order:
- Always wake 6 o'clock up I at.
  - I always wake up at 6 o'clock.
  - O'clock 6 I always wake up at.
  - O'clock I always wake up at 6.
41. An informal letter of making an invitation begins like this:
- Accommodation can be provided by arrangements ...
  - If I were you ...
  - Well done!
  - Let me tell you when & where ...
42. Which is the most appropriate line to end an informal letter of apologizing?
- Please say you'll forgive me ...
  - I can't make it because ...
  - It was not my intention to ...
  - I hope it isn't too much trouble ...
43. Choose the most appropriate line to start a formal letter:
- Sir/Madam ...
  - John ...
  - Dear friend ...
  - Dear mother ...
44. Which is the most appropriate line to end a formal letter of complaint:
- Solve this problem!
  - I look forward to hearing from you ...
  - I hope that this matter can be resolved ...
  - Let me know if you solved the problem ...
45. Which is the correct order?
- The USA George Washington the first president was of.
  - George Washington was the USA the first president of.
  - George Washington was president the first of the USA.
  - George Washington was the first president of the USA.

NOTĂ: Evaluarea se efectuează astfel:

- Partea I = 3 puncte (15 itemi x 0,2 puncte = 3 puncte);
- Partea a II-a = 4 puncte (20 itemi x 0,2 puncte = 4 puncte);
- Partea a III-a = 2 puncte (10 itemi x 0,2 puncte = 2 puncte);
- Se acordă 1 punct din oficiu.

**GRILA DE EVALUARE**

1	a	b	c	d
2	a	b	c	d
3	a	b	c	d
4	a	b	c	d
5	a	b	c	d
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39	a	b	c	d
40	a	b	c	d
41	a	b	c	d
42	a	b	c	d
43	a	b	c	d
44	a	b	c	d
45	a	b	c	d

**NOMOGRAMA  
DE CONVERSIE A ITEMILOR REZOLVAȚI CORECT ÎN NOTĂ**

Nr. itemi rezolvați corect	Nota	Nr. itemi rezolvați corect	Nota	Nr. itemi rezolvați corect	Nota
0.	1				
1.	1,20	16.	4,20	31.	7,20
2.	1,40	17.	4,40	32.	7,40
3.	1,60	18.	4,60	33.	7,60
4.	1,80	19.	4,80	34.	7,80
5.	2,00	20.	5,00	35.	8,00
6.	2,20	21.	5,20	36.	8,20
7.	2,40	22.	5,40	37.	8,40
8.	2,60	23.	5,60	38.	8,60
9.	2,80	24.	5,80	39.	8,80
10.	3,00	25.	<b>6,00</b>	40.	9,00
11.	3,20	26.	6,20	41.	9,20
12.	3,40	27.	6,40	42.	9,40
13.	3,60	28.	6,60	43.	9,60
14.	3,80	29.	6,80	44.	9,80
15.	4,00	30.	7,00	45.	10