



EPREUVE

D’ANGLAIS

DUREE : 30mn

Coefficient 3

CONSIGNES SPECIFIQUES

Lisez soigneusement les consignes ci-dessous afin de réussir au mieux cette épreuve :

- Vous devez répondre à l’intégralité des 45 questions afin d’obtenir la note maximale.
- Toutes les pages blanches situées au verso de ce sujet peuvent être utilisées à l’usage de brouillon si vous le souhaitez. Aucun brouillon ne vous sera distribué.
- L’usage de la calculatrice ou de tout autre appareil électronique est interdit.
- Aucun autre document que ce sujet et sa grille réponse n’est autorisé.

- Attention, il ne s’agit pas d’un examen mais bien d’un concours qui induit un classement. Même si vous trouvez ce sujet « difficile », ne vous arrêtez pas en cours de composition, n’abandonnez pas, restez concentré(e) et faites de votre mieux. Les autres candidats rencontrent probablement les mêmes difficultés que vous !

Barème :

Afin d’éliminer les stratégies de réponses au hasard, **chaque bonne réponse est gratifiée de 3 points**, tandis que **les mauvaises réponses sont pénalisées par le retrait d’1 point**.

Part I - Grammar

Choose the word or phrase that best completes the sentence and put the corresponding letter on the answer sheet:

- 1) I'm an engineer. What _____?
a) are you doing b) do you make c) do you do d) are you
- 2) They _____ at the meeting last week.
a) aren't b) weren't c) don't d) didn't
- 3) Mr. Durrell called while you were out for lunch. Great! _____ him back right away.
a) I'll call b) I call c) I'm going to call d) I'm calling
- 4) Wine _____ in Italy for thousands of years.
a) was made b) is being made c) have been made d) has been made
- 5) What _____ since you arrived in France?
a) do you do b) did you do c) have you been doing d) did you make
- 6) Before moving to France, our English teacher _____ live in New Zealand.
a) was used to b) had used to c) was using to d) used to
- 7) I hope you'll excuse _____ so late for my appointment.
a) my arriving b) me to arrive c) me arriving d) I arrived
- 8) It is important that he _____ the hospital immediately.
a) will contact b) should to contact c) contact d) contacts
- 9) Lets buy the tickets on internet _____ a long queue.
a) in a case of b) in case it is c) in case there will be d) in case there is
- 10) They've lived here _____.
a) since 10 years b) ten years ago c) for ten years d) until

11) _____ you need any further assistance, do not hesitate to contact me.

- a) Would b) Should c) Could d) May

12) While I _____ to work, I saw an accident.

- a) had driven b) am driving c) would drive d) was driving

13) _____ jacket is that.

- a) Who b) Who's c) Whom d) Whose

14) At that moment I didn't realise that you _____ the report yet!

- a) hadn't finished b) haven't finished c) weren't finishing d) didn't finish

15) I don't speak Spanish. _____ !

- a) So do I b) I don't c) Neither do I d) Me too

16) "I saw John going into the cinema yesterday." "That _____ John. He is in Japan."

- a) mustn't be b) can't have been c) couldn't be d) mustn't have been

17) Hardly _____ finished the meeting, when the boss called me into his office.

- a) I had b) have I had c) had I d) I did have

18) By the time the politicians _____ on an effective environmental policy, it will be too late.

- a) will agree b) are agreed c) will have agreed d) agree

19) I wish you _____ all the time.

- a) don't shout b) won't shout c) haven't shouted d) wouldn't shout

20) We had decided to go on holiday together, but in the end our plans _____ .

- a) fell through b) fell down c) had fallen in d) will fall down

21) I think this house _____ built in the 16th century.

- a) might be b) might have been c) will have been d) might have

22) I wish you'd tell me what I _____ do in this difficult situation.

- a) shall b) would c) should d) ought

23) The trouble is _____ he says his colleagues disagree with him.
a) what b) which c) whatever d) whichever

24) He doesn't like repairing the car himself. He prefers _____ by a mechanic.
a) to have it do b) having it done c) to do d) to have done it

25) The plane was due at 9.45. It is now 11.00, so it _____ landed by now.
a) might b) could c) could have d) must have

PART II - VOCABULARY

**CHOOSE THE ONE WORD OR PHRASE THAT BEST COMPLETES THE SENTENCE
AND PUT THE CORRESPONDING LETTER ON THE ANSWER SHEET:**

26) Hurry up or you'll _____ your train.

- a) lose b) miss c) fail d) rate

27) Could you _____ me your pen, please. Mine isn't working.

- a) borrow b) use c) lend d) give

28) It is very useful to know _____ language.

- a) a strange b) a foreign c) another d) a French

29) The company _____ a lot of money on their new headquarters.

- a) spent b) dispensed c) cost d) paid

30) Jill has an excellent memory. She _____ just about everything.

- a) remembers b) reminds c) collects d) reviews

31) I _____ for the job, but I didn't get it.

- a) appointed b) presented c) applied d) posted

32) Due to the sudden crash at the stock exchange, the country experienced a lot of _____ difficulties.

- a) economical b) economic c) economy d) economics

33) Even though he was a very good tennis player, I managed to _____ him.

- a) win b) have c) gain d) beat

34) How long did the _____ from Paris to Rome take by train?

- a) travel b) tour c) journey d) voyage

35) Last year our company made a _____ of several million pounds.

- a) profit b) benefit c) gain d) raise

36) I _____ to see you at the meeting. Why didn't you come?

- a) thought b) looked c) attended d) expected

37) I had to take the stairs because the lift was out of _____ .

- a) work b) running c) order d) function

38) We should make _____ of meeting more regularly.

- a) a point b) an agenda c) an appointment d) an item

39) I was _____ by the wording of the advertisement.

- a) mistaken b) misguided c) misunderstood d) misled

40) He was completely taken _____ by the sales representative's talk.

- a) in b) over c) away d) down

41. We look forward _____ business with you again soon.

- a) to do b) to make c) to doing d) making

42) When did the accident _____ .

- a) pass b) happen c) arrive d) come

43) Many students have contacted the university to _____ about the changes implemented by the new government.

- a) enquire b) discuss c) tell d) demand

44) We must act on global warming now! The future of the planet is _____ .

- a) in hand b) at large c) on danger d) at stake

45) Most people can't _____ the day without having at least one cup of coffee.

- a) get by b) get through c) get over d) at