



1 Choose the correct item.

- 1 Ted the shops and he'll be back soon.
 A has been in C has gone to
 B has been to D had gone in
- 2 What's really annoying about our neighbours is that their dog in the middle of the night.
 A has always barked C would always bark
 B is always barking D always barked
- 3 Don weights at the gym before he hurt his back.
 A used to lift C would be lifting
 B would have lifted D has got used to lifting
- 4 Chris his homework by the time his favourite TV show starts.
 A will do C will be doing
 B is doing D will have done
- 5 Hugh skydiving before so he was nervous.
 A would never try C had never tried
 B has never tried D had never been trying
- 6 Five in the morning is too early for us to set off. Can't we leave at 7:00?
 A rather C fairly
 B very much D pretty
- 7 useful information this website has!
 A So B Such a C How D What
- 8 Lela chicken for dinner last night.
 A has cooked C cooked
 B used to cook D would cook
- 9 Ron is participating in a marathon and by noon he for an hour.
 A will run C is going to run
 B will have been running D is running
- 10 Your cough terrible. You need to see a doctor.
 A is sounding C has sounded
 B sounded D sounds
- 11 Courtney to her friend on the phone when the line went dead.
 A was talking C had talked
 B talked D would talk
- 12 She failed to get into the college she wanted her poor grades.
 A as a result C because of
 B because D due to the fact
- 13 Watch out! You yourself with those scissors.
 A 're cutting C 'll have cut
 B 're going to cut D 'll be cutting
- 14 I pay my bills the moment I my salary.
 A 'll get C 'll be getting
 B get D 'd get
- 15 The Burj Khalifa skyscraper is one of the tallest buildings the world.
 A of B than
 C from D in
- 16 The train to Edinburgh at noon.
 A is departing C departs
 B has departed D will have departed
- 17 I to get this stain off the carpet for an hour but it won't come out.
 A 've been trying C try
 B was trying D 'd been trying
- 18 Why so much rubbish on the beach?
 A are there C is there
 B there is D there are
- 19 Richard time off work to go on holiday.
 A takes rarely C is rarely taking
 B rarely is taking D rarely takes
- 20 He's just retired and having so much free time.
 A hasn't got used to C wouldn't use to
 B didn't use to D wasn't used to

▶ Grammar in Focus

Complete the gaps with the correct word. Then put the words in brackets into the correct form.

- A Are you ready for the adventure
 1) a lifetime? Do you want to view 2) (**amaze**) tornados and jaw-dropping thunderstorms 3) a safe distance? Then, visit Silver Storm Tours and hunt down nature's 4) (**much**) thrilling storms in America!
- B 1) (**you/ever/want**) to see beautiful and historic places? More and 2) people are choosing to go on our river cruises - a special holiday 3) takes you to interesting ports along Egyptian waterways. It's an experience 4) to be missed so call us now to book your holiday!
- C Are you hardworking and 1) (**enthusiasm**)? Do you want a full-time job or just to make 2) extra money? A new café is opening soon and we 3) (**look**) for experienced staff to join our team. We intend to hold interviews 4) Sunday 10th April so don't delay - apply today!