INTAKE TEST PRACTICAL ENGLISH
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1-30. CORRECT OR INCORRECT? Tick $(\checkmark)$ the structures that exist. Write $X$ if they don't exist. There are two examples ( 0 and 00 ).

| $0 . X$ | can did |
| :--- | :--- |
| $00 . \boldsymbol{V}$ | can do |
| 1. | doesn't like |
| 2. | are rumoured to have moved |
| 3. | had been working |
| 4. | had looking |
| 5. | are to listen |
| 6. | didn't worked |
| 7. | have got |
| 8. | is believed to have been disregarding |
| 9. | is cooking |
| 10. | is going to pass |


| $0 . X$ | can did |
| :--- | :--- |
| $00 . \checkmark$ | can do |
| 11. | will have finish |
| 12. | may have been overlooked |
| 13. | was singing |
| 14. | were to disappear |
| 15. | has going to meet |
| 16. | can't have been writing |
| 17. | has speaking |
| 18. | have wrote |
| 19. | is been living |
| 20. | will have been finished |


| $0 . X$ | can did |
| :--- | :--- |
| $00 . \boldsymbol{V}$ | can do |
| 21. | will help |
| 22. | was supposed to have been studying |
| 23. | will be flying |
| 24. | am knowing |
| 25. | are going drive |
| 26. | will have been wondering |
| 27. | can writing |
| 28. | can't have build |
| 29. | shouldn't stay |
| 30. | wouldn't had bought |

31-60. WORD FORMATION. Use the word in brackets to form a word that can fill the space. There are two examples (0) and (00).
0. She was beautiful. (BEAUTY)
00. You look lovely. (LOVE)
31. 1 $\qquad$ pressed the wrong button. (ACCIDENT)
32. There are always costs. (ADDED)
33. Does your cat show $\qquad$ towards strangers? (AGGRESSIVENESS)
34. Indiana Jones is an $\qquad$ (ARCHAEOLOGY)
35. An $\qquad$ person will do anything to achieve material gain. (AVARICE)
36. We need to $\qquad$ the area. (BEAUTY)
37. How many took part
in the race? (COMPETE)
38. This is a release that will only be appreciated by ( (COMPLETE)
39. His life was in $\qquad$ . . (DANGEROUS)
40. This is a place where $\qquad$ animals are protected. (DANGEROUS)
41. Brenda is to all feelings other than her own. (DIFFER)
42. Our results are really $\qquad$ (DISAPPOINT)
43. The speaker $\qquad$ stated that comment is nowadays more important than creativity. (DISMISS)
44. What is the $\qquad$ between New York and Rotterdam? (DISTANT)
45. This isn't an acoustic guitar but an guitar. (ELECTRICITY)
46. Do you speak ? (GREECE)
47. Yes, I'm $\qquad$ married. (HAPPY)
48. He looks unfriendly and a little frightening so, yes, I'd call him $\qquad$
$\qquad$

[^0]49. Do you speak ..... ?(IRELAND)
50. They say hate pizza with pineapple. (ITALY)
51. She is (JAPAN)
52. He is the greatest .....  ofhis generation. (MOUNTAIN)
53. Martin is a(PAINT)
54. Do only humans ..... theenvironment? (POLLUTION)
55. Luckily, we have a very partnership. (PRODUCE)
56. He loves $\qquad$ books about vampires and werewolves. (ROMANCE)
57. I admire your $\qquad$ (STRONG)
58. It was a wonderful $\qquad$ day. (SUN)
59. Mandy has a personal $\qquad$ (TRAIN)
60. I don't think you really want to know the (TRUE)
61-64. READING. Read the conversation and answer questions below.
Mark: Hi! Welcome to Hughes High School. I'm Mark.
Jason: Hello, Mark. I'm Jason. Nice to meet you.
Mark: Do you live nearby?
Jason: Yes, I can walk to school from our new house. It's just around the corner. Well, almost.
Mark: You are so lucky! You don't have to get a bus. I live about an hour and fifteen minutes away, so I have to get up early to catch the number 21.
Jason: An hour and fifteen minutes... That doesn't sound like fun.
Mark: Ha ha it isn't. Anyway, what do you think of the new building?
Jason: It looks great, but I don't like this school uniform very much. Does everyone have to wear it?
Mark: Yes, except when we are doing sports.
Jason: Of course. Can you imagine...?

Mark: Oh, and in the summer we don't have to wear a tie because it's usually too hot.

## Are these statements below true (T) or false (F)?

61. It is necessary for Jason to get a bus to school.
62. It is necessary for Mark to get up early every morning.
63. It is necessary for all students at Hugh High School to wear a uniform.
64. It is necessary for students to wear a tie in the summer.

65-68. OPEN CLOZE. Complete these sentences with family members.
65. Your sister's son is your $\qquad$
66. Your brother's daughter is your
$\qquad$
67. Your uncle's daughter is your
$\qquad$
68. If your sister is married to a man, he is your

69-77. OPEN CLOZE. Complete this email. Write only ONE word in each space.
Hi Diana,
Guess what? I've just (69) .................. to an
adventure park! I went (70) .................. my
parents and my sisters, and we (71) ..................
great fun there. There were a lot (72)
................. rides and a big wheel right in (73)
$\ldots . . . . . . . . . . . .$. centre of the park. Too bad you
didn't have time to come with us. (74)
................. was a warm day, so we (75)
.................. sit on the dry grass and eat our
home-made sandwiches. We didn't have lunch
at a restaurant (76) ................. the food there
was very expensive.
Anyway, we're going to the beach next Saturday.
(77) ................. you like to come with us? Let
me know, okay?
Write soon!
Best wishes,
Nadia

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adventure park! I went (70) my parents and my sisters, and we (71) great fun there. There were a lot (72) .................. rides and a big wheel right in (73) centre of the park. Too bad you
didn't have time to come with us. (74) was a warm day, so we (75) sit on the dry grass and eat our home-made sandwiches. We didn't have lunch at a restaurant (76)

Anyway, we're going to the beach next Saturday. (77) e know, okay?

Nadia

78-82. Make questions (?) and negatives (-). There is an example (0).
0 . I love my job.
(-) I don't love my job.
78. Alice works for that company.
(-)
..........................................
79. They like working together.
(?) $\qquad$
80. She has fallen down the stairs.
(-) $\qquad$
81. She used to like him.
(?) $\qquad$
82. They thought he was strange.
(?)
83-100. OPEN CLOZE. Write a preposition (e.g. with, for, by, to, about, etc.) in each space.
83. Her manager called $\qquad$ the meeting so we could go home early.
84. How can a frog turn a prince?
85. This table takes ........... too much space.
86. He smiled ........... her and walked away.
87. Mary will be looking $\qquad$ our children tomorrow.
88. This book belongs $\qquad$ Anna.
89. I have to fill $\qquad$ this form.
90. Does this top go $\qquad$ these trousers?
91. After she had met a few people, Mary felt ........... ease with the group.
92. Jerry was fed up $\qquad$ his colleagues.
93. Britain was going backwards in terms economic effectiveness.
94. All students are required to adhere $\qquad$ these policies of conduct.
95. Everyone chipped $\qquad$ for the gift.
96. She prevented me ........... doing something stupid.
97. Doctors advised $\qquad$ aspirin for patients with irregular heart rhythm.
98. If you put your mind $\qquad$ it, you can do anything.
99. She has finally graduated $\qquad$ college.
100. Veronica went of the house and into the garden.

101-105. REWRITING. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Use the word in bold but do not change it. There is an example ( 0 ).
0. Do they sell books?

BUY
Can you buy books there?
101. I like this one, not that one.

BUT
I like like that one.
102. My dad painted this picture.

WAS
This picture my dad.
103. Mike: "Sandy, you always say what's on your mind."
WAS
Mike told Sandy that $\qquad$ on her mind.
104. Eating raw fish is new and strange for me. USED
I'm raw fish.
105. You didn't pay attention, which is why you don't know what to do now. PAID
If you
what to do now.
106-115. MULTIPLE-CHOICE. Fill each space with a suitable word from the box.

| A. biased B. prerequisite C. redundant |
| :---: |
| D. rendition E. scarce F. aberration G. accurate |
| H. eradicate I. outstanding J. push |

106. If a description is $\qquad$ it is correct, exact, and without any mistakes.
107. I think she's beautiful and perfect, but I'm .................. since she's my daughter.
108. Are they willing to $\qquad$ themselves when things get hard?
109. Meat and butter were $\qquad$ during the war.
110. Mary's performance wasn't just great - it was ...!
111. His of Romeo and Juliet was panned by the critics.
112. Is it possible to $\qquad$ crime?
113. Quantitative genetic variation is $a(n)$ for evolutionary change.
114. The dramatic drop in test scores was illadvisedly dismissed as a(n)
115. It was announced that 1,500 military personnel had been made $\qquad$

116-135. CORRECT OR INCORRECT? Are the underlined words or phrases correct ( $\checkmark$ ) or incorrect ( $X$ )? There are two examples ( 0 and 00 ).
0 . I have seen Peter yesterday. $\mathbf{X}$
00. I saw Peter yesterday.
116. They was in London for 7 days.
117. On no account I will disappoint my parents.
118. He don't like grammar.
119. She was boring by the long movie.
120. Peter needs a kilo of sugar.
121. It's high time we move to Italy.
122. Are your ages same?
123. I travelled to one of the Spanish island.
124. When you can visit me?
125. There isn't many Scandinavian students.
126. I imagine learn the piano is difficult.
127. This room isn't enough big.
128. I don't need any bread.
129. How much tomatoes you need?
130. He fell down the stairs.
131. Kate and Brenda are friends since 2017.
132. Maria going move to Italy.
133. Are you usually driving to work?
134. I eat much cheese.
135. Franny wishes Harry didn't lie to her yesterday.
136. Everything's so expensive.
137. My plant kept on growing until it was too big.
138. He had to tell her the truth even if it meant to hurt her feelings.
139. Is this interesting book?
140. I like jazz but I am preferring classical music.
141. Do you rather have tea or wine?
142. The competitors, who take part in the race, were all amateurs.
143. I'm not interested in computer games.
144. My grandparents didn't have running water.
145.Jack and Tiffany went shopping together last Saturday.
146. If I were you, I go home.
147. I can't afford moving to Bora Bora.
148. I can't believe she wishes I would be thinner.
149. She not puts much salt on her food.
150. I can't believe you'd rather she hadn't fallen in love.

Use the answer key and count the number of correct answers.
My score: $\qquad$ correct answers.

## Advice:

| NUMBER OF <br> CORRECT <br> ANSWERS | SIGN UP FOR |
| :--- | :--- |
| $0-17$ | - (English level 2 is <br> too difficult for you.) |
| $18-47$ | English level 2 |
| $48-77$ | English level 3 |
| $78-107$ | English level 4 |
| $108-137$ | English level 5 |
| $138-150$ | English level 6 |

## Key for students:

| 1. $\checkmark$ | 48. unapproachable | 94. to | 139. X |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2. $\checkmark$ | 49. Irish (no capital=incorrect) | 95 in | 140. X |
| 3. $\checkmark$ | 50. Italians (no capital=incorrect) | 96. from | 141. X |
| 4. $X$ | 51. Japanese (no capital=incorrect) | 97. against | 142. X |
| 5. $\checkmark$ | 52. mountaineer | 98. to | 143. $\checkmark$ |
| 6. X | 53. painter | 99. from | 144. $\checkmark$ |
| 7. $\checkmark$ | 54. pollute | 100. out | 145. $\checkmark$ |
| 8. $\checkmark$ | 55. productive | 101. this one, but I don't / | 146. X |
| 9. $\checkmark$ | 56. romantic | this one, but I do not | 147. X |
| 10. $\checkmark$ | 57. strength | 102. was painted by | 148. X |
| 11. X | 58. sunny | 103. she always said what | 149. X |
| 12. $\checkmark$ | 59. trainer | was | 150. $\checkmark$ |
| 13. $\checkmark$ | 60. truth | 104. not used to eating (not |  |
| 14. $\checkmark$ | 61. false | used to eat=incorrect) |  |
| 15. X | 62. true | 105. had paid attention, you |  |
| 16. $\checkmark$ | 63. true | would know |  |
| 17. X | 64. false | 106. G (accurate) |  |
| 18. X | 65. nephew | 107. A (biased) |  |
| 19. $X$ | 66. niece | 108. J (push) |  |
| 20. $\checkmark$ | 67. cousin | 109. E (scarce) |  |
| 21. $\checkmark$ | 68. brother-in-law | 110. I (outstanding) |  |
| 22. $\checkmark$ | 69. been | 111. D (rendition) |  |
| 23. $\checkmark$ | 70. with | 112. H (eradicate) |  |
| 24. X | 71. had | 113. B (prerequisite) |  |
| 25. X | 72. of | 114. F (aberration) |  |
| 26. $\checkmark$ | 73. the | 115. C (redundant) |  |
| 27. X | 74. It | 116. X |  |
| 28. $X$ | 75. could | 117. X |  |
| 29. $\checkmark$ | 76. because / since | 118. X |  |
| 30.X | 77. would (do=incorrect) | 119. X |  |
| 31. accidentally | 78. Alice doesn't work for that | 120. $\checkmark$ |  |
| 32. additional | company. / Alice does not work for | 121. X |  |
| 33. aggression | that company. | 122. X |  |
| 34. archaeologist | 79. Do they like working together? | 123. X |  |
| 35. avaricious | 80. She hasn't fallen down the stairs / | 124. X |  |
| 36. beautify | She has not fallen down the stairs. | 125. X |  |
| 37. competitors | 81. Did she use to like him? | 126. X |  |
| 38. completists | 82. Did they think he was strange? | 127. X . |  |
| 39. danger | 83. off | 128. $\checkmark$ |  |
| 40. endangered | 84. into | 129. X |  |
| 41. indifferent | 85. up | 130. $\checkmark$ |  |
| 42. disappointing | 86. at | 131. X |  |
| 43. dismissively / | 87. after | 132. X |  |
| dismissingly | 88. to | 133. X |  |
| 44. distance | 89. in | 134. X |  |
| 45. electric | 90. with | 135. X |  |
| 46. Greek (no | 91. at | 136. $\checkmark$ |  |
| capital=incorrect) | 92. with | 137. $\checkmark$ |  |
| 47. happily | 93. of | 138. X |  |


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