

## 4 Quick Test

### GRAMMAR

Tick (✓) A, B, or C to complete the sentences.

Example: Ben \_\_\_\_\_ have been home. His car was outside and I saw him go in the house!

A can't  B must  C might

- He left for work at 7.30. He \_\_\_\_\_ arrived at the office by now.  
A should have  B could be  C can't
- Do you think Barry \_\_\_\_\_ stolen the laptop?  
A can't be  B may  C might have
- Betty \_\_\_\_\_ very happy. Her new job sounds absolutely fantastic.  
A must  B must have  C must be
- The business can't \_\_\_\_\_ very well. They haven't sold anything since last year.  
A do  B be doing  C to do
- We're sure \_\_\_\_\_ some live music when we go to the Summer Festival.  
A seeing  B to see  C have seen
- Lisa \_\_\_\_\_ quit her job when she hears the news.  
A is likely to  B likely to  C likes to
- Mark \_\_\_\_\_ email until he's found a job.  
A won't unlikely  B definitely   
C probably won't
- \_\_\_\_\_ you work like a professional will we pay you like a professional.  
A Not until  B Never have  C Not only
- No sooner \_\_\_\_\_ we arrived at that office than they told us to go back home.  
A did  B had  C were
- Not only \_\_\_\_\_ get lost, but you forgot to bring money for parking!  
A did you  B you did  C you'd
- Not until you \_\_\_\_\_ another country do you understand your own country.  
A got to know  B 're getting to know   
C get to know
- Rarely \_\_\_\_\_ had a more enjoyable evening.  
A did I  B I have  C have I
- \_\_\_\_\_ had we eaten our food when the waiter brought us the bill.  
A Only  B Hardly  C Rarely
- Only when you write a poem do you \_\_\_\_\_ how difficult it can be.  
A understanding  B to understand   
C understand

- I can't find my glasses. Do you think someone \_\_\_\_\_ have taken them?  
A could  B should  C must to
- You \_\_\_\_\_ have seen the police car. It drove right past here a minute ago!  
A need  B must  C need not
- Everyone else has finished with the test. You should be \_\_\_\_\_ soon, too.  
A finish  B finished  C finishes
- \_\_\_\_\_ when it got too cold for shorts did he decide to wear trousers.  
A Only  B Hardly  C Not
- Rarely \_\_\_\_\_ ever go out driving when it's snowing. It can be too dangerous.  
A do I  B does I  C I do
- \_\_\_\_\_ had I hidden the money in the book when he walked in the door.  
A Rarely  B Only  C Scarcely

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### VOCABULARY

a Tick (✓) the correct adjective or idiom A, B, or C.

Example: making somebody feel sad

A gripping  B depressing   
C intriguing

- making people reflect  
A gripping  B moving   
C thought-provoking
- not easy to believe  
A heavy-going  B implausible   
C haunting
- frightening and not easy to forget  
A haunting  B intriguing  C moving
- difficult to deal with  
A entertaining  B heavy-going   
C fast-moving

b Tick (✓) the correct word A, B, or C.

Example: to make a loud, high cry because you are hurt, frightened, or excited

A scream  B giggle  C sob

- to laugh in a silly way  
A giggle  B groan  C mumble
- to speak with difficulty, often repeating words or sounds  
A sob  B stammer  C sigh

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- 7 to speak very quietly so that other people can't hear what you are saying  
A mumble  B yell  C whisper
- 8 to cry noisily, taking sudden sharp breaths  
A sigh  B stammer  C sob
- 9 to shout loudly, e.g. because you are angry  
A sign  B yell  C giggle
- 10 to make a long, deep sound because you are in pain or annoyed  
A mumble  B groan  C whisper
- c** Tick (✓) A, B, or C to complete the sentences.
- Example: The sound of people \_\_\_\_\_ their drink drives me mad!  
A slurping  B crunching   
C splashing
- 11 The sound of my colleague \_\_\_\_\_ his fingers on his desk really bothers me.  
A ticking  B hum  C tapping
- 12 Leo stormed out of the room and \_\_\_\_\_ the door angrily.  
A slammed  B crashed  C screeched
- 13 My housemate Ben \_\_\_\_\_ so loudly I can hear him from my room.  
A rattles  B snores  C sniffs
- 14 The tap in the kitchen has been \_\_\_\_\_ for days now.  
A clicking  B dripping  C tapping
- 15 The \_\_\_\_\_ of my alarm clock wakes me up at 6.30.  
A hiss  B drip  C buzz
- 16 Before the band began to play, the crowd let out a huge \_\_\_\_\_.  
A roar  B tick  C creak
- 17 The brakes on my bicycle make a loud \_\_\_\_\_ when I stop.  
A snore  B slurp  C screech
- 18 Sam told me a funny joke and made me \_\_\_\_\_.  
A stutter  B giggle  C sob
- 19 Lola breathed out a long \_\_\_\_\_ and showed she was disappointed.  
A yell  B mumble  C sigh
- 20 The lorry was blocking the road and I had to \_\_\_\_\_ ten times before the driver moved it.  
A hoot  B creak  C hiss

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## PRONUNCIATION

- a** Which word has a different sound? Tick (✓) A, B, or C.
- Example: A fee  B exchange   
C neatly
- 1 A implausible  B enormous   
C sniffs
- 2 A fast-moving  B overly   
C thought-provoking
- 3 A orderly  B deeply  C stutter
- 4 A argued  B unbearable  C stutter
- 5 A slurp  B buzz  C crunch
- b** Which is the correctly stressed syllable? Tick (✓) A, B, or C.
- Example: A in|stall|ment  B in|stall|ment   
C in|stall|ment
- 6 A in|cess|ant|ly  B in|cess|ant|ly   
C in|cess|ant|ly
- 7 A ac|know|ledged  B ac|know|ledged   
C ac|know|ledged
- 8 A un|friend|ly  B un|friend|ly   
C un|friend|ly
- 9 A di|ag|no|sis  B di|ag|no|sis   
C di|ag|no|sis
- 10 A in|trigu|ing  B in|trigu|ing   
C in|trigu|ing

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