



Welcome!

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**Welcome to an English Item
Sampler!**

مرحباً بكم في نموذج لعينة من أسئلة اللغة الإنكليزية

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resemble a complete EmSAT Test.
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on your performance on these items.
The purpose of this sampler is to
familiarize you with the general content
of the exam.

يحتوي النموذج على عينة من أسئلة الاختبار القياسي في
اللغة الإنكليزية لتعريفكم بالاختبار. علماً بأن نتيجتك على هذه
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عينة الأسئلة.

Your real test will be longer in length,
depending on the subject area.

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1. Students who get good grades _____ sent to France for a two-year course.
 - A. were
 - B. to be
 - C. is being
 - D. will be

2. I can start early or work late: my hours are _____.
 - A. flexibility
 - B. flexibly
 - C. flexible
 - D. flex

3. Many people use their credit card without thinking, but eventually they will have to _____ and pay their bills.
 - A. have the best of both worlds
 - B. turn a blind eye
 - C. run wild
 - D. face the music



4. We have achieved some of our goals, but _____ remains to be done.

- A. the more
- B. much
- C. little
- D. most

5. Drag the words into the blanks below to complete the sentence.

out let kept away down locked gave in

She left the house without her keys and accidentally _____ herself _____.

6. Drag **all** the words into the spaces to make a correct sentence.

as as tall am nearly is I

My younger brother _____.



7. The guide showed us round the castle, _____ we thought was very beautiful, and then he drove us to the airport.

- A. what
- B. which
- C. that
- D. of which

8. Drag the words into the blanks below to make a correct sentence.

fastest one more than my faster fast is old mine

My new car _____.

9. The lion which escaped from the zoo was _____ last night and returned to the zoo.

- A. distinguished
- B. captured
- C. gathered
- D. released



10. You don't need to water those flowers - they're _____!
- A. approximate
 - B. absurd
 - C. artificial
 - D. accessible
11. Vans can carry light loads, but _____ items have to be transported by truck or by rail.
- A. alert
 - B. chaotic
 - C. bulky
 - D. variable
12. Flights _____ for London had to land in Manchester because of the bad weather.
- A. reluctant
 - B. bound
 - C. vague
 - D. shabby



13. As the game finished, people in the crowd jumped over the _____ and ran onto the field to hug the players.
- A. inflation
- B. barrier
- C. heel
- D. dilemma
14. The police said he had started the fire, but he denied the _____ .
- A. allegation
- B. accessory
- C. assignment
- D. annoyance
15. There was an incredible sale in the store. I got _____ and bought too much stuff!
- A. helped out
- B. spread out
- C. carried away
- D. blown up



16. Drag the words to the spaces. There are two extra words.

also and for from into it of that the to until will

Just three years after it was first announced, one _____ Dubai's grandest projects - the Dubai Water Canal - opened in November 2016. The project turns Bur Dubai _____ an island in the middle of the city, linking Business Bay and the Creek with the Arabian Gulf.

The developers believe _____ the canal will attract millions of visitors each year. Tourist and business activities in surrounding areas will increase, and anyone owning land or a house near the canal can expect _____ to rise in value.

Water flowing through the canal _____ improve the quality of water of all the waterways (Creek, Business Bay and the Water Canal). Moreover, the canal will also help _____ lower the temperature in the city.

Built by over 4,600 workers, the canal will _____ improve transport links in the city. Visitors will now be able to take a boat from the old Gold Souk in Deira all the way up _____ creek to Business Bay, or travel _____ Jumeirah to Bur Dubai.

Along the canal, footpaths, running tracks, and parks will allow locals and visitors a chance to walk _____ enjoy the canal's waterfalls, bridges, and traffic.



17. Drag the words to the spaces. There are two extra words.

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location miles number sunshine taxes

America's movie industry began life over a hundred years ago in New York; but by 1910, movie-makers wanted to find a better _____. In New York, everything was too expensive; workers, land, _____. In addition, it was difficult to make movies in winter, because of the cold _____.

However, the small city of Los Angeles in the western state of California, thousands of _____ away on the other side of the country, was full of _____. In California, the warm weather and _____ meant that people could make films all through the year; and everything was cheaper. And most of all, there was lots of cheap land for sale.

Before long, film companies started to build _____ new studios in an area called Hollywood, at the foot of some small dry hills. Movies are expensive to make. For this reason, a small _____ of big companies such as MGM, 20th Century Fox, Warner Bros. and Paramount started to take over smaller companies.

Many old film companies have _____, but some new ones have appeared, companies like Walt Disney and Steven Spielberg's company Amblin. Hollywood has changed a lot in 80 years, but still _____ us today!



18. **Anna Atkins, Photographer**

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Today everyone can take photographs quickly and easily with just a phone or digital camera, and quickly share them online with friends or family. However, when photography was new, people needed a lot of equipment, chemicals, and scientific knowledge.

Few people know that some of the first photographs ever published were taken by a woman. Anna Atkins was the daughter of an English scientist called John Children, who studied biology, astronomy, and minerals. Her mother died soon after Anna was born in 1799, so she was brought up by her father. Perhaps because of this, Anna received a good scientific education. When she was 24 years old, she helped her father with drawings of sea shells for a book that he had written. After marrying her husband John Atkins in 1825, she continued to collect and study plants and flowers.

Her husband and her father were friends with one of the first photographers in the world, Henry Fox Talbot. At the time, he was trying many new types of photography, and Anna became interested in one type: camera-less photography using cyanotype paper.

Camera-less photography, as you may have guessed, does not need a camera. Instead, the things you want to photograph are put on a special paper, called cyanotype paper. The paper has chemicals in it which change color with light. Sunlight is shone on the paper for a few minutes, and a

18 The reading says that Anna's education may have happened because _____.

- A. her father was a scientist and wanted her to learn
- B. her mother wanted Anna to be a scientist
- C. her husband pushed her to study harder
- D. Henry Fox Talbot taught her about plants and animals

19 The pictures in John Children's book were _____.

- A. drawn by his daughter
- B. photographed by his daughter
- C. photographed by Henry Fox Talbot
- D. drawn by himself



20. Write 200 - 250 words on the following topic:

"In most developed countries people are living longer lives. Discuss the positive and negative effects on a society of people living longer."

Words: 0



Answer Key

1	D
2	C
3	D
4	B
5	locked / out
6	My younger brother is nearly as tall as I am.
7	B
8	My new car is faster than my old one.
9	B
10	C
11	C
12	B
13	B
14	A
15	C
16	of, into, that, it, will, to, also, the, from, and.
17	location, taxes, weather, miles, advantages, sunshine, huge, number, disappeared, entertains
18	A
19	A
20	Essay – many answers possible (marked by hand)