

TEACHER ELIGIBILITY TEST (TET)-PAPER-I(A)

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER - MODEL TEST

Model Paper No. 1

Subject : English (Language - II)

Maximum Marks : 30

Total Questions : 30

Marking : 1 Mark each, No Negative Marking

Instructions: This paper contains 30 multiple-choice questions covering Vocabulary, Grammar, Punctuation & Capitalisation, Writing Skills, Dictionary Skills, Reading (Prose & Poetry) and Methodology of Teaching English. Each question carries 1 mark. Choose the most appropriate option for each question.

PART A: VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR & LANGUAGE SKILLS (Q.1 - Q.24)

1. The committee took a pragmatic approach to solving the budget crisis.

Choose the synonym that best replaces the underlined word.

- (A) idealistic
- (B) practical
- (C) theoretical
- (D) emotional

2. Despite the criticism, she remained resolute in her decision.

Choose the antonym of the underlined word.

- (A) determined
- (B) wavering
- (C) confident
- (D) firm

3. The principal gave a speech on good moral ____.

Choose the correct homophone to fill the blank.

- (A) principle
- (B) principal
- (C) principel
- (D) prinicple

4. She went to the bank to deposit money, then sat on the bank of the river.

Identify the type of word relationship shown by "bank" in this sentence.

- (A) Homophones
- (B) Synonyms
- (C) Homonyms
- (D) Antonyms

5. Choose the idiom that means "to face a difficult situation directly and bravely."

- (A) beat around the bush
- (B) bite the bullet
- (C) let the cat out of the bag
- (D) spill the beans

6. The manager decided to look into the matter before taking action.

Choose the meaning of the underlined phrasal verb.

- (A) ignore
- (B) investigate
- (C) postpone
- (D) approve

7. Identify the word that is spelt in American English.

- (A) colour
- (B) centre
- (C) organize (D) travelled

8. Choose the correctly formed adjective from the noun "beauty" using suffixation.

- (A) beautify
- (B) beautiful
- (C) beautness
- (D) beautily

9. Identify the correct plural form of the word "phenomenon".

- (A) phenomenons
- (B) phenomena
- (C) phenomenas
- (D) phenomenums

10. Choose the one-word substitute for "a person who can speak two languages."

- (A) Linguist
- (B) Bilingual
- (C) Translator
- (D) Polyglot

11. Choose the correct collocation to complete the sentence.

The doctor advised him to _____ a balanced diet.

- (A) make
- (B) do
- (C) follow
- (D) take

12. India celebrated its 75th Independence anniversary in 2022. What is the correct ordinalexpression for the year India became independent (1947)?

- (A) First
- (B) Seventy-fifth
- (C) Forty-seventh
- (D) Nineteenth

13. Unscramble the letters "TEACRH" to form a meaningful word related to education.

- (A) CHEATR
- (B) TEACHER
- (C) REACHT
- (D) CHARTE

14. "The wind whispered through the trees."

Identify the figure of speech used in this sentence.

- (A) Simile
- (B) Metaphor
- (C) Personification
- (D) Hyperbole

15. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

The athlete ran swiftly to win the race.

- (A) Adjective
- (B) Adverb
- (C) Verb
- (D) Noun

16. Choose the correct article to complete the sentence.

She is _____ honest woman and _____ European by birth.

- (A) a, a
- (B) an, a
- (C) an, an
- (D) a, an

17. Choose the correct sentence in the Present Perfect Continuous tense.

- (A) She has been working here for five years.
- (B) She had worked here for five years.
- (C) She works here for five years.
- (D) She will work here for five years.

18. Change the sentence into Passive Voice:

"The chef is preparing a delicious meal."

- (A) A delicious meal was prepared by the chef.
- (B) A delicious meal is prepared by the chef.
- (C) A delicious meal is being prepared by the chef.
- (D) A delicious meal has been prepared by the chef.

19. Convert into Indirect Speech:

The teacher said, "Practice makes a man perfect."

- (A) The teacher said that practice made a man perfect.
- (B) The teacher said that practice makes a man perfect.
- (C) The teacher told that practice had made a man perfect.
- (D) The teacher said practice will make a man perfect.

20. Identify the type of sentence:

"May you live a long and happy life!"

- (A) Assertive
- (B) Imperative
- (C) Exclamatory
- (D) Interrogative

21. Choose the correct comparative form of the sentence:

"No other metal is as precious as gold."

- (A) Gold is more precious than any other metal.

- (B) Gold is the most precious metal.
- (C) Gold is as precious as other metals.
- (D) Gold is less precious than other metals.

22. Choose the correct linker to complete the sentence.

He studied hard; _____, he failed the exam.

- (A) therefore
- (B) moreover
- (C) nevertheless
- (D) similarly

23. Choose the grammatically correct sentence.

- (A) Neither of the boys were present.
- (B) Neither of the boys was present.
- (C) Neither of the boys are present.
- (D) Neither of the boys have been present.

24. Identify the type of clause underlined.

"I will help you if you ask me."

- (A) Noun Clause
- (B) Adverbial Clause
- (C) Relative Clause
- (D) Main Clause

PART B: METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING ENGLISH (Q.25 - Q.30)

25. Which of the following best describes the major problem in teaching English as a SecondLanguage in India?

- (A) Lack of interest among teachers
- (B) Mother tongue interference
- (C) Excess vocabulary in English
- (D) Too many grammar rules in mother tongue

26. The primary objective of teaching English at the primary level is to:

- (A) enable students to translate texts
- (B) develop the four basic language skills - LSRW
- (C) make students memorize grammar rules
- (D) prepare students for competitive exams

27. Which language skill is developed first in a natural language acquisition process?

- (A) Writing
- (B) Reading
- (C) Listening
- (D) Speaking

28. In which method of teaching English is the mother tongue used to explain meanings of wordsand grammar rules?

- (A) Direct Method
- (B) Bilingual Method

- (C) Audio-Lingual Method
- (D) Structural Approach

29. Which of the following is an example of an audio-visual aid in teaching English?

- (A) Textbook
- (B) Flashcards and charts
- (C) Dictionary
- (D) Workbook

30. Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation (CCE) in English language teaching primarily focuses on:

- (A) only summative written examinations
- (B) assessing both scholastic and co-scholastic aspects regularly
- (C) evaluating students once a year
- (D) ranking students based on marks only

ANSWER KEY

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ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER - MODEL TEST

Model Paper No. 2

Subject : English (Language - II)

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PART A: VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR & LANGUAGE SKILLS (Q.1 - Q.24)

1. The new policy received an enthusiastic response from the staff.

Choose the synonym that best replaces the underlined word.

- (A) lukewarm
- (B) indifferent
- (C) eager
- (D) hostile

2. The speaker gave a concise summary of the report.

Choose the antonym of the underlined word.

- (A) brief
- (B) lengthy
- (C) clear
- (D) accurate

3. The weather was so cold that the lake began to ____.

Choose the correct homophone to fill the blank.

- (A) freaze
- (B) frieze
- (C) freeze
- (D) freize

4. Choose the sentence in which the word "fair" is used as a homonym for "just/honest" (and not "acarnival").

- (A) We went to the village fair last evening.
- (B) The judge gave a fair verdict in the case.
- (C) The fair was crowded with stalls and rides.
- (D) She bought a ticket for the fair.

5. Choose the idiom that means "to keep something a secret."

- (A) spill the beans
- (B) keep under your hat
- (C) let the cat out of the bag
- (D) make a clean breast

6. She had to put off the meeting due to an emergency.

Choose the meaning of the underlined phrasal verb.

- (A) cancel
- (B) postpone
- (C) attend
- (D) organize

7. Identify the wrongly spelt word.

- (A) Necessary
- (B) Occassion
- (C) Embarrass
- (D) Definitely

8. Choose the word formed by adding a correct prefix to "legal" to mean "not legal."

- (A) illegal
- (B) dislegal
- (C) illegal
- (D) nonlegal

9. Identify the word that does NOT change its form in plural.

- (A) mouse
- (B) sheep
- (C) tooth
- (D) child

10. Choose the one-word substitute for "a person who hates mankind."

- (A) Philanthropist
- (B) Misanthrope
- (C) Pessimist
- (D) Egoist

11. Choose the correct collocation to complete the sentence.

It is important to _____ attention while crossing the road.

- (A) make
- (B) pay
- (C) give
- (D) keep

12. Choose the correct ordinal number for the position of "December" among the months of theyear.

- (A) Tenth
- (B) Eleventh
- (C) Twelfth
- (D) Ninth

13. Unscramble the letters "LOSCHO" to form a meaningful word.

- (A) SCHOOL
- (B) COOLSH
- (C) HOOLSC
- (D) CHOOLES

14. "He is as brave as a lion."

Identify the figure of speech used in this sentence.

- (A) Metaphor
- (B) Simile
- (C) Personification
- (D) Alliteration

15. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

The news of his promotion was a pleasant surprise.

- (A) Noun
- (B) Adverb
- (C) Adjective
- (D) Verb

16. Choose the correct article to complete the sentence.

_____ Ganga is _____ longest river in India.

- (A) A, the
- (B) The, the
- (C) An, a
- (D) The, a

17. Choose the correct sentence in the Past Perfect tense.

- (A) She had finished her homework before dinner.
- (B) She finished her homework before dinner.
- (C) She has finished her homework before dinner.
- (D) She finishes her homework before dinner.

18. Change the sentence into Passive Voice:

"They will complete the project by next month."

- (A) The project will be completed by them by next month.
- (B) The project is completed by them by next month.
- (C) The project was completed by them by next month.
- (D) The project has been completed by them by next month.

19. Convert into Indirect Speech:

She said to me, "Will you help me with this work?"

- (A) She asked me if I would help her with that work.
- (B) She said that will I help her with this work.
- (C) She asked me that I will help her with this work.
- (D) She told me will you help me with this work.

20. Identify the type of sentence:

"Please switch off the lights before leaving."

- (A) Assertive
- (B) Interrogative
- (C) Imperative
- (D) Exclamatory

21. Choose the correct superlative form of the adjective "good."

- (A) gooder
- (B) best

- (C) more good
- (D) goodest

22. Choose the correct linker to complete the sentence.

She was tired; _____, she finished the work on time.

- (A) because
- (B) nonetheless
- (C) since
- (D) as

23. Choose the grammatically correct sentence.

- (A) The number of students in the class are increasing.
- (B) The number of students in the class is increasing.
- (C) The number of students in the class were increasing.
- (D) The number of students in the class have increased.

24. Identify the type of clause underlined.

"What he said" made everyone laugh."

- (A) Adverbial Clause
- (B) Relative Clause
- (C) Noun Clause
- (D) Main Clause

PART B: METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING ENGLISH (Q.25 - Q.30)

25. English is often referred to as a "library language" in the Indian context because:

- (A) it is spoken by most Indians at home
- (B) it provides access to a vast body of knowledge and literature
- (C) it is the only language used in administration
- (D) it is easier to learn than regional languages

26. Which of the following is NOT considered a terminal objective of teaching English at thesecondary stage?

- (A) To enable students to communicate effectively
- (B) To develop reading habits for pleasure and information
- (C) To enable students to memorize the entire textbook word for word
- (D) To enable students to use English for higher studies

27. Skimming and scanning are techniques primarily used to develop which language skill?

- (A) Listening
- (B) Speaking
- (C) Reading
- (D) Writing

28. The Direct Method of teaching English emphasizes:

- (A) translation of every sentence into the mother tongue
- (B) teaching grammar rules deductively first
- (C) direct association between words/phrases and meaning without translation
- (D) memorizing long lists of vocabulary before speaking

- 29.** In a lesson plan, the stage where the teacher introduces new content and connects it to previous knowledge is called:
- (A) Evaluation
 - (B) Presentation
 - (C) Recapitulation/Warm-up
 - (D) Homework assignment
- 30.** A good English textbook for primary classes should primarily:
- (A) contain only grammar rules and exercises
 - (B) be graded according to the learner's age, interest and language level
 - (C) have content translated from regional language textbooks
 - (D) focus only on examination-oriented questions

ANSWER KEY

Model Paper No. 2

Q1: (C)	Q7: (B)	Q13: (A)	Q19: (A)	Q25: (B)
Q2: (B)	Q8: (C)	Q14: (B)	Q20: (C)	Q26: (C)
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ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER - MODEL TEST

Model Paper No. 3

Subject : English (Language - II)

Maximum Marks : 30

Total Questions : 30

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PART A: VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR & LANGUAGE SKILLS (Q.1 - Q.24)

1. The old man gave us some profound advice before he passed away.

Choose the synonym that best replaces the underlined word.

- (A) shallow
- (B) wise
- (C) casual
- (D) brief

2. The villagers welcomed the strangers with great hospitality.

Choose the antonym of the underlined word.

- (A) warmth
- (B) hostility
- (C) kindness
- (D) generosity

3. I need to buy a new _____ of shoes for the trek.

Choose the correct homophone to fill the blank.

- (A) pear
- (B) pair
- (C) pare
- (D) per

4. Choose the sentence where the word "spring" is used to mean "a season" (and not "to jump" or "a coil").

- (A) The cat will spring onto the table.
- (B) The mechanic replaced the spring in the seat.
- (C) Flowers bloom in spring.
- (D) He had a spring in his step.

5. Choose the idiom that means "an extremely easy task."

- (A) a piece of cake
- (B) a bitter pill
- (C) a tough nut to crack
- (D) an uphill task

6. The students came across a rare manuscript in the library.

Choose the meaning of the underlined phrasal verb.

- (A) created
- (B) discovered by chance
- (C) destroyed
- (D) borrowed

7. Identify the word that is spelt in British English.

- (A) analyze
- (B) theater
- (C) programme
- (D) color

8. Choose the correct noun form of the verb "decide."

- (A) decisive
- (B) decision
- (C) decidable
- (D) deciding

9. Identify the correct plural form of "criterion."

- (A) criterions
- (B) criteria
- (C) criterias
- (D) criterion

10. Choose the one-word substitute for "a place where animals are kept for public viewing."

- (A) Sanctuary
- (B) Zoo
- (C) Aviary
- (D) Reserve

11. Choose the correct collocation to complete the sentence.

The company had to _____ a difficult decision regarding layoffs.

- (A) take
- (B) make
- (C) do
- (D) have

12. In a race, Ravi finished just before the person who came third. What position did Ravi finish in?

- (A) First
- (B) Second
- (C) Fourth(D) Fifth

13. Unscramble the letters "GAMARMR" to form a meaningful word related to language.

- (A) GRAMMAR
- (B) MARGRAM
- (C) GAMMARR
- (D) RAMGRAM

14. "Better to reign in Hell, than serve in Heaven." Identify the figure of speech used in this line.

- (A) Antithesis

- (B) Simile
- (C) Onomatopoeia
- (D) Irony

15. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

The meeting was postponed because of heavy rain.

- (A) Adverb
- (B) Conjunction
- (C) Preposition
- (D) Pronoun

16. Choose the correct article to complete the sentence.

He is _____ university professor and _____ honourable man.

- (A) a, an
- (B) an, a
- (C) a, a
- (D) an, an

17. Choose the correct sentence in the Future Continuous tense.

- (A) She will be travelling to Delhi tomorrow.
- (B) She will travel to Delhi tomorrow.
- (C) She will have travelled to Delhi tomorrow.
- (D) She travels to Delhi tomorrow.

18. Change the sentence into Active Voice:

"The letter was written by Ramesh."

- (A) Ramesh wrote the letter.
- (B) Ramesh writes the letter.
- (C) Ramesh has written the letter.
- (D) Ramesh was writing the letter.

19. Convert into Indirect Speech:

The boy said, "Alas! I have lost my way."

- (A) The boy exclaimed sadly that he had lost his way.
- (B) The boy said that alas he lost his way.
- (C) The boy said that he has lost his way.
- (D) The boy exclaimed that alas! he had lost his way.

20. Identify the type of sentence:

"What a beautiful sunset this is!"

- (A) Assertive
- (B) Interrogative
- (C) Imperative
- (D) Exclamatory

21. Choose the sentence that correctly converts the positive degree into the comparative degree.

"Ramesh is the tallest boy in the class."

- (A) Ramesh is taller than any other boy in the class.
- (B) Ramesh is as tall as any other boy in the class.
- (C) No other boy in the class is as tall as Ramesh.
- (D) Ramesh is tall as the other boys in the class.

22. Choose the correct linker to complete the sentence.
 _____ it was raining heavily, the match was not cancelled.

- (A) Because
- (B) Although
- (C) So
- (D) Therefore

23. Choose the grammatically correct sentence using a modal auxiliary.

- (A) You must to complete the assignment by tomorrow.
- (B) You must complete the assignment by tomorrow.
- (C) You must completing the assignment by tomorrow.
- (D) You must completes the assignment by tomorrow.

24. Identify the type of clause underlined.

"Having finished his homework, he went out to play."

- (A) Noun Clause
- (B) Adverbial Clause
- (C) Participle Clause
- (D) Relative Clause

PART B: METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING ENGLISH (Q.25 - Q.30)

25. English was introduced in India as a medium of education mainly as a result of:

- (A) the Three Language Formula
- (B) Macaulay's Minute of 1835
- (C) the Kothari Commission Report
- (D) the National Curriculum Framework 2005

26. Which of the following sequences correctly represents the natural order in which language skills are typically acquired by a child?

- (A) Reading, Writing, Listening, Speaking
- (B) Listening, Speaking, Reading, Writing
- (C) Speaking, Listening, Writing, Reading
- (D) Writing, Reading, Speaking, Listening

27. The Communicative Language Teaching (CLT) approach primarily focuses on:

- (A) accurate use of grammar rules in isolation
- (B) memorizing vocabulary lists
- (C) the ability to use language effectively for real-life communication
- (D) translating texts from English to the mother tongue

28. Teaching grammar through context and use, allowing learners to discover rules themselves, is known as the:

- (A) Deductive method
- (B) Inductive method
- (C) Translation method
- (D) Drilling method

29. Remedial teaching in English is primarily aimed at:

- (A) teaching advanced learners new topics ahead of schedule
- (B) addressing specific learning gaps of slow learners through extra support

- (C) replacing the regular curriculum entirely
- (D) conducting only oral examinations

30. A test conducted at the end of a unit to assess how much students have learnt is an example of:

- (A) Formative evaluation
- (B) Diagnostic evaluation
- (C) Summative evaluation
- (D) Placement evaluation

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ANSWER KEY

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Model Paper No. 4

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PART A: VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR & LANGUAGE SKILLS (Q.1 - Q.24)

1. The CEO's candid remarks surprised the journalists at the press conference.

Choose the synonym that best replaces the underlined word.

- (A) secretive
- (B) frank
- (C) rude
- (D) vague

2. The new employee was praised for his diligent work ethic.

Choose the antonym of the underlined word.

- (A) hardworking
- (B) careful
- (C) lazy
- (D) sincere

3. The teacher asked the students to _____ their answers carefully before submitting.

Choose the correct homophone to fill the blank.

- (A) chequ
- (B) check
- (C) cheque
- (D) checque

4. Choose the sentence where the word "left" is used to indicate a direction (and not the past tense of "leave").

- (A) She left the office early yesterday.
- (B) Turn left at the next signal to reach the school.
- (C) He left without saying goodbye.
- (D) They left the keys on the table.

5. Choose the idiom that means "to do something at the last possible moment."

- (A) once in a blue moon
- (B) down to the wire
- (C) back to square one
- (D) off the hook

6. The fire brigade managed to put out the fire within an hour.

Choose the meaning of the underlined phrasal verb.

- (A) start
- (B) extinguish
- (C) ignore
- (D) report

7. Identify the wrongly spelt word.

- (A) Accommodation
- (B) Recieve
- (C) Maintenance
- (D) Privilege

8. Choose the correct adjective form of the noun "courage."

- (A) courageous
- (B) courageous
- (C) couraged
- (D) courageness

9. Identify the correct plural form of "analysis."

- (A) analyses
- (B) analyses
- (C) analysis
- (D) analysisis

10. Choose the one-word substitute for "a person who looks on the bright side of things."

- (A) Pessimist
- (B) Optimist
- (C) Realist
- (D) Idealist

11. Choose the correct collocation to complete the sentence.

It is essential to _____ a good impression during an interview.

- (A) make
- (B) do
- (C) give
- (D) have

12. A queue has 20 people. If Meena is 8th from the front, what is her position counted from the back?

- (A) 12th
- (B) 13th
- (C) 8th
- (D) 20th

13. Unscramble the letters "TANGEL" to form a meaningful word.

- (A) GENTAL
- (B) TANGLE
- (C) LATENG
- (D) ELGANT

14. "The buzzing bees moved from flower to flower." Identify the figure of speech used in this sentence.

- (A) Onomatopoeia
- (B) Simile
- (C) Personification
- (D) Hyperbole

15. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

Wow! That is an incredible performance.

- (A) Adverb
- (B) Interjection
- (C) Adjective
- (D) Conjunction

16. Choose the correct sentence with appropriate use of articles.

- (A) He is the best player in a team.
- (B) He is best player in the team.
- (C) He is the best player in the team.
- (D) He is a best player in the team.

17. Choose the correct sentence in the Simple Future tense.

- (A) I shall meet you tomorrow.
- (B) I am meeting you tomorrow.
- (C) I have met you tomorrow.
- (D) I met you tomorrow.

18. Change the sentence into Passive Voice:

"Why did she cancel the order?"

- (A) Why was the order cancelled by her?
- (B) Why the order was cancelled by her?
- (C) Why is the order cancelled by her?
- (D) Why has the order been cancelled by her?

19. Convert into Indirect Speech:

The captain said, "Let us start the game now."

- (A) The captain suggested that they should start the game then.
- (B) The captain proposed that let them start the game now.
- (C) The captain said that they will start the game now.
- (D) The captain ordered them to have started the game.

20. Identify the type of sentence:

"Did you complete the assignment on time?"

- (A) Assertive
- (B) Imperative
- (C) Interrogative
- (D) Exclamatory

21. Choose the sentence with the correct order of adjectives.

- (A) She bought a leather beautiful brown bag.
- (B) She bought a beautiful brown leather bag.

(C) She bought a brown beautiful leather bag.

(D) She bought a leather brown beautiful bag.

22. Choose the correct linker to complete the sentence.

He is good at Mathematics; _____, he struggles with languages.

(A) similarly

(B) however

(C) consequently

(D) in addition

23. Identify the sentence in which the verb is used intransitively.

(A) She sings a beautiful song.

(B) The baby sleeps peacefully.

(C) He wrote a letter.

(D) They built a house.

24. Identify the type of clause underlined.

"The man who helped us yesterday is a doctor."

(A) Noun Clause

(B) Adverbial Clause

(C) Relative Clause

(D) Main Clause

PART B: METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING ENGLISH (Q.25 - Q.30)

25. Which of the following is a major problem faced by rural learners in learning English as a second language?

(A) Excess of audio-visual aids

(B) Lack of exposure to English outside the classroom

(C) Too many English-medium schools

(D) Overuse of communicative methods

26. At the upper primary stage, one of the key objectives of teaching English is to enable learners to:

(A) translate every English text into the mother tongue

(B) use English creatively and meaningfully in various contexts

(C) memorize grammar terminology without application

(D) avoid speaking English in the classroom

27. Which of the following activities best develops the writing skill of young learners in a meaningful way?

(A) Copying paragraphs from the textbook repeatedly

(B) Writing a diary entry about their day in their own words

(C) Filling worksheets with grammar drills only

(D) Memorizing model essays for examinations

28. Role-play as a teaching technique in English classrooms primarily helps learners to:

(A) memorize spelling rules

(B) practice real-life communication in a simulated context

(C) improve handwriting

(D) learn punctuation rules

29. A "word wall" displayed in an English classroom is primarily used to:

- (A) decorate the classroom
- (B) help students build and revise vocabulary visually
- (C) test students' handwriting
- (D) display the school timetable

30. A test given before starting a new unit to identify learners' existing knowledge and gaps is called:

- (A) Summative test
- (B) Diagnostic test
- (C) Achievement test
- (D) Aptitude test

ANSWER KEY

Model Paper No. 4

Q1: (B)	Q7: (B)	Q13: (B)	Q19: (A)	Q25: (B)
Q2: (C)	Q8: (A)	Q14: (A)	Q20: (C)	Q26: (B)
Q3: (B)	Q9: (B)	Q15: (B)	Q21: (B)	Q27: (B)
Q4: (B)	Q10: (B)	Q16: (C)	Q22: (B)	Q28: (B)
Q5: (B)	Q11: (A)	Q17: (A)	Q23: (B)	Q29: (B)
Q6: (B)	Q12: (B)	Q18: (A)	Q24: (C)	Q30: (B)

TEACHER ELIGIBILITY TEST (TET) -PAPER-I(A)

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER - MODEL TEST

Model Paper No. 5

Subject : English (Language - II)

Maximum Marks : 30

Total Questions : 30

Marking : 1 Mark each, No Negative Marking

Instructions: This paper contains 30 multiple-choice questions covering Vocabulary, Grammar, Punctuation & Capitalisation, Writing Skills, Dictionary Skills, Reading (Prose & Poetry) and Methodology of Teaching English. Each question carries 1 mark. Choose the most appropriate option for each question.

PART A: VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR & LANGUAGE SKILLS (Q.1 - Q.24)

1. The negotiations between the two countries reached a deadlock.

Choose the synonym that best replaces the underlined word.

- (A) breakthrough
- (B) stalemate
- (C) agreement
- (D) compromise

2. The instructions given by the manager were quite ambiguous.

Choose the antonym of the underlined word.

- (A) unclear
- (B) confusing
- (C) clear
- (D) vague

3. My grandmother gave me sound _____ before I left for college.

Choose the correct homophone to fill the blank.

- (A) advise
- (B) advice
- (C) addvice
- (D) advize

4. Choose the sentence where the word "bear" is used as a verb (meaning "to tolerate"), not as a noun (the animal).

- (A) The bear wandered into the campsite at night.
- (B) I cannot bear this noise any longer.
- (C) The polar bear lives in the Arctic.
- (D) We saw a bear at the zoo.

5. Choose the idiom that means "to be in a very difficult or unpleasant situation."

- (A) in hot water
- (B) on cloud nine
- (C) once in a blue moon
- (D) a piece of cake

6. The new intern was asked to fill in for the absent receptionist.

Choose the meaning of the underlined phrasal verb.

- (A) resign
- (B) substitute temporarily
- (C) complain
- (D) supervise

7. Identify the word pair where both spellings are correct in their respective varieties (British - American).

- (A) colour - colour
- (B) realise - realize
- (C) tyre - tyre
- (D) kerb - curb

8. Choose the correct compound word to complete the sentence.

She always carries a _____ to protect herself from the rain.

- (A) umbrella
- (B) rain-coat
- (C) raincoat
- (D) rain coat

9. Identify the correct plural form of "datum."

- (A) datums
- (B) data
- (C) datas
- (D) datums es

10. Choose the one-word substitute for "a statement that is difficult to understand or explain."

- (A) Ambiguous
- (B) Enigma
- (C) Paradox
- (D) Anomaly

11. Choose the correct collocation to complete the sentence.

The new manager wants to _____ a meeting with all department heads.

- (A) do
- (B) hold
- (C) make (D) take

12. If today is Wednesday, the 3rd of the month, what ordinal date will the next Wednesday fall on?

- (A) 8th
- (B) 9th
- (C) 10th
- (D) 11th

13. Unscramble the letters "TENSPA" to form a meaningful word.

- (A) PATENS
- (B) PEASANT
- (C) SPEATN
- (D) PATNES

14. "Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested."

Identify the figure of speech used in this line.

- (A) Hyperbole
- (B) Metaphor
- (C) Simile
- (D) Oxymoron

15. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

The students gathered near the school gate.

- (A) Adjective
- (B) Adverb
- (C) Preposition
- (D) Conjunction

16. Choose the correct sentence with appropriate use of articles.

- (A) I saw an unicorn in my dream.
- (B) I saw a unicorn in my dream.
- (C) I saw the unicorn in my dream.
- (D) I saw unicorn in my dream.

17. Choose the correct sentence in the Present Perfect tense.

- (A) She has lived in Mumbai since 2010.
- (B) She lives in Mumbai since 2010.
- (C) She is living in Mumbai since 2010.
- (D) She lived in Mumbai since 2010.

18. Change the sentence into Active Voice:

"English is spoken all over the world."

- (A) People speak English all over the world.
- (B) People spoke English all over the world.
- (C) People have spoken English all over the world.
- (D) People are speaking English all over the world.

19. Convert into Indirect Speech:

The mother said to her son, "Don't play with fire."

- (A) The mother told her son not to play with fire.
- (B) The mother said to her son don't play with fire.
- (C) The mother ordered her son that he should not play with fire then.
- (D) The mother told her son that don't play with fire.

20. Identify the type of sentence:

"The earth revolves around the sun."

- (A) Imperative
- (B) Exclamatory
- (C) Assertive
- (D) Interrogative

21. Choose the correct comparative sentence.

"This problem is _____ than the previous one."

- (A) more difficult
- (B) most difficult
- (C) difficulter
- (D) more difficulter

22. Choose the correct linker to complete the sentence.

You can pay by cash _____ by card.

- (A) or
- (B) but(C) so
- (D) yet

23. Choose the sentence that correctly uses a modal auxiliary to express possibility.

- (A) It might rain later today.
- (B) It mighting rain later today.
- (C) It might to rain later today.
- (D) It must raining later today.

24. Identify whether the underlined clause is finite or non-finite.

"To win the championship was his lifelong dream."

- (A) Finite clause
- (B) Non-finite clause
- (C) Main clause
- (D) Relative clause

PART B: METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING ENGLISH (Q.25 - Q.30)

25. Which of the following is a sound principle of teaching English as a Second Language?

- (A) Moving from rules to examples only
- (B) Moving from known to unknown and simple to complex
- (C) Teaching all four skills in isolation without integration
- (D) Avoiding any use of context in vocabulary teaching

26. Imparting values such as cooperation and tolerance through English communication activities is best achieved through:

- (A) silent reading of the textbook only
- (B) group activities, discussions and collaborative tasks
- (C) individual written tests only
- (D) rote memorization of moral stories

27. Which of the following activities is most suitable for developing the listening skill of learners?

- (A) Asking students to write an essay
- (B) Playing an audio recording and asking comprehension questions
- (C) Asking students to do a grammar worksheet
- (D) Asking students to read aloud from the textbook

28. The Audio-Lingual Method of teaching English is based on the principle of:

- (A) translation and explicit grammar instruction
- (B) habit formation through repetition and drilling
- (C) reading literary texts for pleasure

(D) learner-centered project work

29. The use of language laboratories in teaching English primarily helps in developing:

- (A) handwriting skills
- (B) listening and speaking skills through audio practice
- (C) reading comprehension only
- (D) spelling accuracy only

30. Which of the following is an example of a co-scholastic area assessed under Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation (CCE)?

- (A) Written examination scores in English
- (B) Performance in unit tests
- (C) Participation in art, sports and cultural activities
- (D) Marks obtained in dictation

ANSWER KEY

Model Paper No. 5

Q1: (B)	Q7: (B)	Q13: (B)	Q19: (A)	Q25: (B)
Q2: (C)	Q8: (C)	Q14: (B)	Q20: (C)	Q26: (B)
Q3: (B)	Q9: (B)	Q15: (C)	Q21: (A)	Q27: (B)
Q4: (B)	Q10: (B)	Q16: (B)	Q22: (A)	Q28: (B)
Q5: (A)	Q11: (B)	Q17: (A)	Q23: (A)	Q29: (B)
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TEACHER ELIGIBILITY TEST (TET) -PAPER-I(A)

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER - MODEL TEST

Model Paper No. 6

Subject : English (Language - II)

Maximum Marks : 30

Total Questions : 30

Marking : 1 Mark each, No Negative Marking

Instructions: This paper contains 30 multiple-choice questions covering Vocabulary, Grammar, Punctuation & Capitalisation, Writing Skills, Dictionary Skills, Reading (Prose & Poetry) and Methodology of Teaching English. Each question carries 1 mark. Choose the most appropriate option for each question.

PART A: VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR & LANGUAGE SKILLS (Q.1 - Q.24)

1. The villagers were apprehensive about the new factory being built nearby.

Choose the synonym that best replaces the underlined word.

- (A) thrilled
- (B) anxious
- (C) indifferent
- (D) confident

2. The soldiers showed tremendous courage during the battle.

Choose the antonym of the underlined word.

- (A) enormous
- (B) negligible
- (C) remarkable
- (D) great

3. The farmer ploughed the _____ before sowing the seeds.

Choose the correct homophone to fill the blank.

- (A) feild
- (B) filed
- (C) field
- (D) fiell

4. Choose the sentence where the word "match" refers to a "contest/game" and not "a small stick used to light fire."

- (A) He lit the candle with a match.
- (B) India won the cricket match yesterday.
- (C) She bought a box of matches.
- (D) The match caught fire instantly.

5. Choose the idiom that means "to apologize humbly."

- (A) eat your words
- (B) eat humble pie
- (C) have a sweet tooth
- (D) bite off more than you can chew

6. The committee decided to carry out a survey before implementing the policy.

Choose the meaning of the underlined phrasal verb.

- (A) cancel
- (B) conduct
- (C) ignore
- (D) delay

7. Identify the wrongly spelt word.

- (A) Government
- (B) Tommorrow
- (C) Beginning
- (D) Separate

8. Rearrange the letters "NOITACUDE" to form a meaningful word.

- (A) EDUCATION
- (B) EDUCTAION
- (C) DEUCATION
- (D) EUDCATION

9. Identify the correct plural form of "child."

- (A) childs
- (B) childes
- (C) children
- (D) childrens

10. Choose the one-word substitute for "a list of books referred to in a piece of writing."

- (A) Index
- (B) Bibliography
- (C) Glossary
- (D) Appendix

11. Choose the correct collocation to complete the sentence.

The athlete worked hard to _____ a new world record.

- (A) make
- (B) set
- (C) do
- (D) create

12. Five students are standing in a line. Priya is standing exactly in the middle. What is her position from either end?

- (A) Second
- (B) Third
- (C) First
- (D) Fourth

13. Unscramble the letters "DRABOW" to form a meaningful word found in classrooms.

- (A) BOARWD
- (B) BLACKBOARD
- (C) BOARD
- (D) DBOARW

14. "Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled pepper." Identify the figure of speech used in this line.

- (A) Alliteration
- (B) Onomatopoeia
- (C) Simile
- (D) Personification

15. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

He finished the race, but he was very tired.

- (A) Preposition
- (B) Adverb
- (C) Conjunction
- (D) Interjection

16. Choose the correct sentence with appropriate use of articles.

- (A) He plays the violin every evening.
- (B) He plays a violin every evening.
- (C) He plays violin every evening.
- (D) He plays an violin every evening.

17. Choose the correct sentence in the Past Continuous tense.

- (A) They were playing football when it started raining.
- (B) They play football when it started raining.
- (C) They have played football when it started raining.
- (D) They played football when it starts raining.

18. Change the sentence into Passive Voice:

"Someone has stolen my bicycle."

- (A) My bicycle has been stolen.
- (B) My bicycle was stolen.
- (C) My bicycle is stolen.
- (D) My bicycle had been stolen.

19. Convert into Indirect Speech:

Ravi said, "I am going to the market now."

- (A) Ravi said that he was going to the market then.
- (B) Ravi said that he is going to the market now.
- (C) Ravi said that he will go to the market now.
- (D) Ravi told that he goes to the market now.

20. Identify the type of sentence:

"Kindly submit your assignments by Friday."

- (A) Assertive
- (B) Imperative
- (C) Exclamatory
- (D) Interrogative

21. Choose the sentence that correctly expresses the positive degree from:

"Delhi is more polluted than most other Indian cities."

- (A) Most other Indian cities are not as polluted as Delhi.
- (B) Delhi is the most polluted city in India.
- (C) Delhi is as polluted as most other Indian cities.

(D) No Indian city is more polluted than Delhi.

22. Choose the correct linker to complete the sentence.

The roads were flooded; _____, the buses were running late.

- (A) consequently
- (B) although (C) unless
- (D) whereas

23. Choose the correct Wh-question for the sentence:

"She is reading a novel by Premchand."

- (A) Who is reading a novel by Premchand?
- (B) What is she reading?
- (C) When is she reading?
- (D) Why is she reading?

24. Identify the main clause in the sentence:

"Although it was raining, the farmers continued working in the fields."

- (A) Although it was raining
- (B) the farmers continued working in the fields
- (C) it was raining
- (D) working in the fields

PART B: METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING ENGLISH (Q.25 - Q.30)

25. English is described as a "stress-timed" language, which means:

- (A) every syllable takes equal time to pronounce
- (B) stressed syllables occur at roughly regular intervals
- (C) stress falls only on the first syllable of every word
- (D) all words are pronounced with equal stress

26. One of the most important objectives of teaching English at the primary stage is to:

- (A) create a positive attitude and interest towards the language
- (B) ensure students pass written grammar tests
- (C) teach formal literary criticism
- (D) focus exclusively on translation skills

27. Which classroom activity is most effective for developing learners' speaking skills?

- (A) Dictation exercises
- (B) Pair work and group discussions
- (C) Silent reading sessions
- (D) Copying text from the blackboard

28. The Structural Approach to teaching English focuses primarily on:

- (A) teaching sentence patterns and structures in a graded manner
- (B) teaching literature appreciation
- (C) focusing only on pronunciation drills (D) teaching through translation of texts

29. Using real objects (realia) such as fruits, vegetables, or classroom items to teach vocabulary is beneficial because it:

- (A) makes learning abstract and difficult

- (B) helps learners connect words directly with real-life objects, aiding retention
- (C) is only useful for advanced learners
- (D) replaces the need for any verbal explanation

30. Portfolio assessment in English language teaching is primarily used to:

- (A) record a learner's progress and work samples over time
- (B) give a single final grade based on one test
- (C) rank students competitively
- (D) replace all classroom teaching activities

ANSWER KEY

Model Paper No. 6

Q1: (B)	Q7: (B)	Q13: (C)	Q19: (A)	Q25: (B)
Q2: (B)	Q8: (A)	Q14: (A)	Q20: (B)	Q26: (A)
Q3: (C)	Q9: (C)	Q15: (C)	Q21: (A)	Q27: (B)
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TEACHER ELIGIBILITY TEST (TET) -PAPER-I(A)

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER - MODEL TEST

Model Paper No. 7

Subject : English (Language - II)

Maximum Marks : 30

Total Questions : 30

Marking : 1 Mark each, No Negative Marking

Instructions: This paper contains 30 multiple-choice questions covering Vocabulary, Grammar, Punctuation & Capitalisation, Writing Skills, Dictionary Skills, Reading (Prose & Poetry) and Methodology of Teaching English. Each question carries 1 mark. Choose the most appropriate option for each question.

PART A: VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR & LANGUAGE SKILLS (Q.1 - Q.24)

1. The professor's meticulous research earned him international recognition.

Choose the synonym that best replaces the underlined word.

- (A) careless
- (B) thorough
- (C) quick
- (D) biased

2. The actor gave a flamboyant performance on stage.

Choose the antonym of the underlined word.

- (A) showy
- (B) modest
- (C) vibrant
- (D) dazzling

3. The king sat on his _____ during the ceremony.

Choose the correct homophone to fill the blank.

- (A) thrown
- (B) throne
- (C) throan
- (D) throwne

4. Choose the sentence where the word "row" refers to "a line of things" and not "to use oars" or "an argument."

- (A) They had a row over money matters.
- (B) He learned to row a boat last summer.
- (C) The chairs were arranged in a neat row.
- (D) Don't row with your siblings.

5. Choose the idiom that means "to start doing something with great enthusiasm."

- (A) hit the ground running
- (B) drag your feet
- (C) throw in the towel
- (D) miss the boat

6. After months of training, she finally gave up smoking.

Choose the meaning of the underlined phrasal verb.

- (A) started
- (B) continued
- (C) quit
- (D) reduced

7. Identify the word that is spelt in American English.

- (A) dialogue
- (B) catalogue
- (C) catalog
- (D) analogue

8. Choose the correct noun form of the adjective "happy" using suffixation.

- (A) happyness
- (B) happiness
- (C) happines
- (D) happieness

9. Identify the word that is always used in the plural form (has no singular equivalent with the same meaning).

- (A) scissors
- (B) table
- (C) book
- (D) chair

10. Choose the one-word substitute for "a person who is new to a profession or activity."

- (A) Veteran
- (B) Novice
- (C) Expert
- (D) Mentor

11. Choose the correct collocation to complete the sentence.

The two leaders agreed to _____ a deal after long discussions.

- (A) make
- (B) strike
- (C) do
- (D) build

12. In a list of 50 participants ranked by score, Aman ranked 12th. How many participants scored better than him?

- (A) 10
- (B) 11
- (C) 12
- (D) 13

13. Unscramble the letters "LIBARRY" to form a meaningful word.

- (A) LIBRARY
- (B) LIRBARY
- (C) RIBLARY

(D) LIBRRAY

14. "I have a million things to do today."

Identify the figure of speech used in this sentence.

- (A) Hyperbole
- (B) Understatement
- (C) Metaphor
- (D) Irony

15. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

Everyone except Ramesh attended the meeting.

- (A) Conjunction
- (B) Preposition
- (C) Adverb
- (D) Pronoun

16. Choose the correct sentence with appropriate use of articles.

- (A) She is studying to become the doctor.
- (B) She is studying to become a doctor.
- (C) She is studying to become an doctor.
- (D) She is studying to become doctor.

17. Choose the correct sentence in the Past Perfect Continuous tense.

- (A) He had been waiting for an hour when the bus arrived.
- (B) He has been waiting for an hour when the bus arrived.
- (C) He was waiting for an hour when the bus arrived.
- (D) He had waiting for an hour when the bus arrived.

18. Change the sentence into Passive Voice:

"Open the door, please."

- (A) Let the door be opened, please.
- (B) The door is opened, please.
- (C) The door was opened, please.
- (D) Let the door opened, please.

19. Convert into Indirect Speech:

The teacher asked, "Who broke the window?"

- (A) The teacher asked who had broken the window.
- (B) The teacher asked that who broke the window.
- (C) The teacher asked who broke the window then.
- (D) The teacher asked who breaks the window.

20. Identify the type of sentence:

"Stop shouting and listen to me!"

- (A) Assertive
- (B) Interrogative
- (C) Imperative
- (D) Exclamatory

21. Choose the correct sentence comparing two things using "less...than."

- (A) This phone is less expensive than that one.
- (B) This phone is more less expensive than that one.

- (C) This phone is lesser expensive than that one.
- (D) This phone is less expensiver than that one.

22. Choose the correct linker to complete the sentence.

She not only sings well _____ also dances beautifully.

- (A) and
- (B) but
- (C) or
- (D) so

23. Which of the following sentences best performs the language function of "making a politerequest"?

- (A) Give me the book.
- (B) Could you please pass me the book?
- (C) I want the book now.
- (D) Bring the book here!

24. Identify the type of clause underlined.

"That she had won the award was announced yesterday."

- (A) Adverbial Clause
- (B) Relative Clause
- (C) Noun Clause
- (D) Participle Clause

PART B: METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING ENGLISH (Q.25 - Q.30)

25. In the context of multilingual classrooms in India, English is best taught as a second languagewhen:

- (A) the mother tongue is completely ignored in the classroom
- (B) learners' existing linguistic knowledge is used as a resource for learning English
- (C) all instructions are given strictly in English from day one regardless of level
- (D) grammar rules are taught before any exposure to spoken language

26. Enabling objectives in a lesson plan are best described as:

- (A) the broad long-term goals of the entire course
- (B) the small, specific, measurable steps that lead to the terminal objective
- (C) objectives that are evaluated only at the end of the year
- (D) objectives unrelated to the lesson content

27. An English lesson that involves listening to a story, discussing it in pairs, reading a related passage, and writing a short summary reflects:

- (A) teaching skills in complete isolation
- (B) an integrated approach to developing all four language skills
- (C) a focus only on grammar teaching
- (D) rote learning of the textbook

28. A teacher who combines elements of the Direct Method, Communicative Approach, and Structural Approach based on learners' needs is using the:

- (A) Grammar-Translation Method

- (B) Eclectic Method
- (C) Audio-Lingual Method
- (D) Total Physical Response only

29. While writing lesson plan objectives, the use of action verbs such as "identify," "list," and "describe" helps to:

- (A) make objectives vague and open to interpretation
- (B) make objectives measurable and observable for evaluation
- (C) avoid the need for any assessment
- (D) focus only on teacher activities

30. Encouraging students to assess their own writing using a checklist before submission is an example of:

- (A) Summative evaluation only
- (B) Self-assessment as part of formative evaluation
- (C) Diagnostic testing
- (D) External examination

ANSWER KEY

Model Paper No. 7

Q1: (B)	Q7: (C)	Q13: (A)	Q19: (A)	Q25: (B)
Q2: (B)	Q8: (B)	Q14: (A)	Q20: (C)	Q26: (B)
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TEACHER ELIGIBILITY TEST (TET) -PAPER-I(A)

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER - MODEL TEST

Model Paper No. 8

Subject : English (Language - II)

Maximum Marks : 30

Total Questions : 30

Marking : 1 Mark each, No Negative Marking

Instructions: This paper contains 30 multiple-choice questions covering Vocabulary, Grammar, Punctuation & Capitalisation, Writing Skills, Dictionary Skills, Reading (Prose & Poetry) and Methodology of Teaching English. Each question carries 1 mark. Choose the most appropriate option for each question.

PART A: VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR & LANGUAGE SKILLS (Q.1 - Q.24)

1. The witness gave an elaborate account of the accident to the police.

Choose the synonym that best replaces the underlined word.

- (A) brief
- (B) detailed
- (C) vague
- (D) false

2. The new software made the entire process much more efficient.

Choose the antonym of the underlined word.

- (A) productive
- (B) wasteful
- (C) effective
- (D) swift

3. The doctor advised him to take complete _____ for a week.

Choose the correct homophone to fill the blank.

- (A) rest
- (B) wrest
- (C) reste
- (D) wreste

4. Choose the sentence where the word "light" refers to "not heavy" and not "illumination."

- (A) Switch off the light before leaving.
- (B) The bag was surprisingly light to carry.
- (C) Sunlight is a natural source of light.
- (D) She lit the lamp to get more light.

5. Choose the idiom that means "to reveal a secret unintentionally."

- (A) spill the beans
- (B) keep a straight face
- (C) burn the midnight oil
- (D) go the extra mile

6. The teacher asked the students to hand in their assignments by Friday.
Choose the meaning of the underlined phrasal verb.
- (A) submit
 - (B) discard
 - (C) review
 - (D) distribute
7. Identify the wrongly spelt word.
- (A) Conscience
 - (B) Pronunciation
 - (C) Rhythm
 - (D) Questionnaire
8. Choose the word formed by adding a correct prefix to "agree" to mean "to not agree."
- (A) unagree
 - (B) misagree
 - (C) disagree
 - (D) nonagree
9. Identify the correct plural form of "half."
- (A) halves
 - (B) halves
 - (C) halfes
 - (D) halfies
10. Choose the one-word substitute for "a place where coins are made."
- (A) Treasury
 - (B) Mint
 - (C) Bank
 - (D) Vault
11. Choose the correct collocation to complete the sentence.
It is important to _____ your homework before the deadline.
- (A) make
 - (B) do
 - (C) have
 - (D) take
12. A bus stops at every station on its route. If the school is the 6th stop and the library is 3 stops after the school, which stop number is the library?
- (A) 8th
 - (B) 9th
 - (C) 10th
 - (D) 7th
13. Unscramble the letters "TENS DUT" to form a meaningful word related to school.
- (A) STUDENT
 - (B) STUDNET
 - (C) TUDENTS
 - (D) DUSTENT
14. "The silence was deafening."

Identify the figure of speech used in this sentence.

- (A) Simile
- (B) Oxymoron
- (C) Personification
- (D) Hyperbole

15. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

This is my book, not yours.

- (A) Adjective
- (B) Pronoun
- (C) Possessive Pronoun (Determiner)
- (D) Noun

16. Choose the correct sentence with appropriate use of articles.

_____ Sun rises in _____ east.

- (A) A, an
- (B) The, the
- (C) A, the
- (D) The, an

17. Choose the correct sentence in the Future Perfect tense.

- (A) By next year, she will have completed her degree.
- (B) By next year, she will complete her degree.
- (C) By next year, she has completed her degree.
- (D) By next year, she completes her degree.

18. Change the sentence into Active Voice:

"The cake was baked by my mother for my birthday."

- (A) My mother baked the cake for my birthday.
- (B) My mother bakes the cake for my birthday.
- (C) My mother has baked the cake for my birthday.
- (D) My mother was baking the cake for my birthday.

19. Convert into Indirect Speech:

He said, "I will call you tomorrow if I am free."

- (A) He said that he would call me the next day if he was free.
- (B) He said that he will call me tomorrow if he is free.
- (C) He said that he would call me tomorrow if he was free.
- (D) He told that I will call you tomorrow if I am free.

20. Identify the type of sentence:

"He works as a software engineer in Bangalore."

- (A) Imperative
- (B) Assertive
- (C) Exclamatory
- (D) Interrogative

21. Choose the correct sentence converting the superlative degree into the positive degree.

"This is the most interesting book I have ever read."

- (A) No other book I have read is as interesting as this one.

- (B) This book is more interesting than other books.
- (C) This book is as interesting as other books.
- (D) Other books are more interesting than this one.

22. Choose the correct linker to complete the sentence.

He apologized; _____, she did not forgive him.

- (A) yet
- (B) and
- (C) so
- (D) for

23. Choose the grammatically correct sentence.

- (A) Each of the students have submitted their project.
- (B) Each of the students has submitted their project.
- (C) Each of the students were submitting their project.
- (D) Each of the students submit their project.

24. Identify the type of clause underlined.

"As soon as the bell rang, the students rushed out of the classroom."

- (A) Noun Clause
- (B) Adverbial Clause
- (C) Relative Clause
- (D) Main Clause

PART B: METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING ENGLISH (Q.25 - Q.30)

25. English continues to hold importance in India primarily because it serves as:

- (A) the sole language of literature in India
- (B) a link language for national and international communication, and access to knowledge
- (C) a replacement for all regional languages
- (D) the only medium permitted in schools by law

26. An objective such as "the learner will develop a positive attitude towards reading Englishbooks" primarily belongs to which domain?

- (A) Cognitive domain
- (B) Affective domain
- (C) Psychomotor domain
- (D) Linguistic domain

27. Asking learners to read a passage quickly to get the general idea before answering detailed questions is known as:

- (A) Scanning
- (B) Skimming
- (C) Intensive reading
- (D) Loud reading

28. A major limitation of the Grammar-Translation Method is that it:

- (A) develops strong speaking and listening skills
- (B) focuses heavily on reading and writing while neglecting oral skills

- (C) is based entirely on communicative tasks
- (D) avoids the use of the mother tongue completely

29. Supplementary readers in an English curriculum are primarily meant to:

- (A) replace the main textbook entirely
- (B) provide extra reading practice and foster interest in reading beyond the textbook
- (C) be used only for examinations
- (D) test students' memory of the main textbook

30. Oral testing in English language classrooms is important because it helps assess:

- (A) only spelling ability
- (B) pronunciation, fluency and speaking skills which written tests cannot fully capture
- (C) handwriting quality
- (D) only grammar rules

ANSWER KEY

Model Paper No. 8

Q1: (B)	Q7: (B)	Q13: (A)	Q19: (A)	Q25: (B)
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TEACHER ELIGIBILITY TEST (TET) -PAPER-I(A)

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER - MODEL TEST

Model Paper No. 9

Subject : English (Language - II)

Maximum Marks : 30

Total Questions : 30

Marking : 1 Mark each, No Negative Marking

Instructions: This paper contains 30 multiple-choice questions covering Vocabulary, Grammar, Punctuation & Capitalisation, Writing Skills, Dictionary Skills, Reading (Prose & Poetry) and Methodology of Teaching English. Each question carries 1 mark. Choose the most appropriate option for each question.

PART A: VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR & LANGUAGE SKILLS (Q.1 - Q.24)

1. The mountain trail was extremely arduous for the new trekkers.

Choose the synonym that best replaces the underlined word.

- (A) easy
- (B) strenuous
- (C) scenic
- (D) short

2. The manager's decision was widely considered justified by the staff.

Choose the antonym of the underlined word.

- (A) reasonable
- (B) unwarranted
- (C) fair
- (D) appropriate

3. She decided to _____ her old car before buying a new one.

Choose the correct homophone to fill the blank.

- (A) sell
- (B) cell
- (C) selle
- (D) celle

4. Choose the sentence where the word "book" is used as a verb (meaning "to reserve") and not as a noun.

- (A) She read a book on history.
- (B) Please book the tickets in advance.
- (C) The book was on the table.
- (D) He wrote a book on grammar.

5. Choose the idiom that means "to work very hard, especially late at night."

- (A) burn the midnight oil
- (B) call it a day
- (C) hit the sack
- (D) take it easy

6. The students had to go through the entire chapter before the test.

Choose the meaning of the underlined phrasal verb.

- (A) skip
- (B) review carefully
- (C) ignore
- (D) rewrite

7. Identify the word that is spelt in British English.

- (A) jewelry
- (B) fulfill
- (C) jewellery
- (D) gray

8. Choose the correct noun form of the verb "educate."

- (A) education
- (B) educative
- (C) educational
- (D) educator only

9. Identify the correct plural form of "crisis."

- (A) crises
- (B) crises
- (C) crisis
- (D) crisiss

10. Choose the one-word substitute for "writing that cannot be read."

- (A) Illegible
- (B) Illegal
- (C) Incoherent
- (D) Illogical

11. Choose the correct collocation to complete the sentence.

The students were asked to _____ notes during the lecture.

- (A) make
- (B) take
- (C) do
- (D) write

12. In a building, the dentist's clinic is on the floor immediately above the 4th floor. On which floor is the clinic located?

- (A) 3rd floor
- (B) 4th floor
- (C) 5th floor
- (D) 6th floor

13. Unscramble the letters "TENILS" to form a meaningful word related to a language skill.

- (A) LISTEN
- (B) SILENT
- (C) TINSEL
- (D) ENLIST

14. "The crowd roared like thunder when the team scored." Identify the figure of speech used in this sentence.

- (A) Metaphor
- (B) Simile
- (C) Personification
- (D) Alliteration

15. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

The children played happily in the park all afternoon.

- (A) Adjective
- (B) Adverb
- (C) Noun
- (D) Verb

16. Choose the correct sentence with appropriate use of articles.

He wants to become _____ IAS officer someday.

- (A) a
- (B) an
- (C) the
- (D) no article

17. Choose the correct sentence in the Simple Present tense.

- (A) The sun rises in the east.
- (B) The sun is rising in the east.
- (C) The sun rose in the east.
- (D) The sun has risen in the east.

18. Change the sentence into Passive Voice:

"They are constructing a new bridge over the river."

- (A) A new bridge is being constructed over the river by them.
- (B) A new bridge was constructed over the river by them.
- (C) A new bridge is constructed over the river by them.
- (D) A new bridge has been constructed over the river by them.

19. Convert into Indirect Speech:

The coach said to the players, "Well done! You played excellently."

- (A) The coach exclaimed that the players had played excellently.
- (B) The coach said to the players that they were well done.
- (C) The coach told the players that they play excellently.
- (D) The coach praised the players, saying that they had played excellently.

20. Identify the type of sentence:

"Could you please close the window?"

- (A) Interrogative used as a polite request (Imperative function)
- (B) Assertive
- (C) Exclamatory
- (D) A simple Interrogative seeking information

21. Choose the correct sentence using "as...as" to show equality.

- (A) She is as tall as her brother.

- (B) She is as taller as her brother.
- (C) She is so tall as her brother.
- (D) She is as tall than her brother.

22. Choose the correct linker to complete the sentence.

_____ he was unwell, he attended the meeting.

- (A) Even though
- (B) Because
- (C) So that
- (D) As soon as

23. Identify the sentence in which the verb is used transitively.

- (A) The children laughed loudly.
- (B) She painted a beautiful portrait.
- (C) Birds fly south in winter.
- (D) He arrived late.

24. Identify the type of conditional sentence:

"If I were the principal, I would introduce more sports activities."

- (A) Type 0 (Zero Conditional)
- (B) Type 1 (First Conditional)
- (C) Type 2 (Second Conditional)
- (D) Type 3 (Third Conditional)

PART B: METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING ENGLISH (Q.25 - Q.30)

25. The 'Three Language Formula' in Indian education policy generally recommends the teaching of:

- (A) only English and one regional language
- (B) the mother tongue/regional language, Hindi, and English (or another modern language)
- (C) only Sanskrit and English
- (D) four languages including two foreign languages

26. Which of the following best reflects a well-balanced objective for an English lesson at the upperprimary level?

- (A) Students will memorize the meanings of 50 difficult words.
- (B) Students will be able to listen to a short story and retell it in their own words.
- (C) Students will copy the lesson three times in their notebooks.
- (D) Students will translate the entire lesson into their mother tongue.

27. Teaching new vocabulary through pictures, synonyms, antonyms, and contextual usage rather than direct translation is recommended because it:

- (A) slows down vocabulary acquisition
- (B) helps learners associate meaning directly with English rather than relying on translation
- (C) is suitable only for advanced learners
- (D) increases dependence on the mother tongue

28. In the Total Physical Response (TPR) method, learners primarily respond to language input through:

- (A) written essays
- (B) physical actions and movements
- (C) multiple-choice tests only
- (D) silent reading only

29. A spiral curriculum in English language teaching involves:

- (A) teaching each topic only once without revision
- (B) revisiting key concepts and skills at increasing levels of complexity across grades
- (C) teaching all grammar rules in a single year
- (D) ignoring the sequence of difficulty

30. Using a rubric to assess a student's speaking performance based on fluency, pronunciation, and vocabulary use is an example of:

- (A) a subjective assessment with no criteria
- (B) criterion-referenced assessment
- (C) norm-referenced ranking only
- (D) an assessment with no educational value

ANSWER KEY

Model Paper No. 9

Q1: (B)	Q7: (C)	Q13: (A)	Q19: (D)	Q25: (B)
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TEACHER ELIGIBILITY TEST (TET) -PAPER-I(A)

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER - MODEL TEST

Model Paper No. 10

Subject : English (Language - II)

Maximum Marks : 30

Total Questions : 30

Marking : 1 Mark each, No Negative Marking

Instructions: This paper contains 30 multiple-choice questions covering Vocabulary, Grammar, Punctuation & Capitalisation, Writing Skills, Dictionary Skills, Reading (Prose & Poetry) and Methodology of Teaching English. Each question carries 1 mark. Choose the most appropriate option for each question.

PART A: VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR & LANGUAGE SKILLS (Q.1 - Q.24)

1. The new regulations were implemented to curb pollution in the city.

Choose the synonym that best replaces the underlined word.

- (A) increase
- (B) restrict
- (C) ignore
- (D) promote

2. The committee's report was praised for being impartial.

Choose the antonym of the underlined word.

- (A) unbiased
- (B) biased
- (C) fair
- (D) neutral

3. He could not _____ the difference between the two paintings.

Choose the correct homophone to fill the blank.

- (A) sea
- (B) see
- (C) ce
- (D) cee

4. Choose the sentence where the word "address" is used as a verb (meaning "to speak to") and not as a noun.

- (A) He wrote down her address carefully.
- (B) The principal will address the students tomorrow.
- (C) Please update your address in the records.
- (D) What is your home address?

5. Choose the idiom that means "to be very excited or happy about something."

- (A) on cloud nine
- (B) under the weather
- (C) at the end of your rope
- (D) in the same boat

6. The volunteers worked together to set up the venue for the event.

Choose the meaning of the underlined phrasal verb.

- (A) dismantle
- (B) arrange/organize
- (C) abandon
- (D) inspect

7. Identify the wrongly spelt word.

- (A) Liaison
- (B) Perseverence
- (C) Vacuum
- (D) Millennium

8. Choose the correct verb form derived from the adjective "simple."

- (A) simplicity
- (B) simplify
- (C) simpleness
- (D) simplistic

9. Identify the correct plural form of "foot" (as in the body part).

- (A) foots
- (B) feet
- (C) footes
- (D) feets

10. Choose the one-word substitute for "a person who eats too much."

- (A) Glutton
- (B) Gourmet
- (C) Connoisseur
- (D) Vegetarian

11. Choose the correct collocation to complete the sentence.

The government plans to _____ new measures to control inflation.

- (A) make
- (B) take
- (C) introduce
- (D) do

12. Anu's birthday is on the 23rd of a month. Her brother's birthday is exactly one week (7 days) later. On what date is her brother's birthday?

- (A) 28th
- (B) 29th
- (C) 30th (D) 31st

13. Unscramble the letters "CANELP" to form a meaningful word related to writing tools.

- (A) PENCAL
- (B) CLANEP
- (C) PENCIL
- (D) CLAPEN

14. "Money cannot buy happiness, but it can buy a yacht to sail beside it." Identify the figure of speech used in this line.

- (A) Simile
- (B) Irony
- (C) Onomatopoeia
- (D) Alliteration

15. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

They arrived before the meeting started.

- (A) Preposition
- (B) Conjunction
- (C) Adverb
- (D) Noun

16. Choose the correct sentence with appropriate use of articles.

She plays _____ guitar in _____ band.

- (A) a, the
- (B) the, a
- (C) the, the
- (D) a, a

17. Choose the correct sentence in the Future Perfect Continuous tense.

- (A) By next month, she will have been working here for ten years.
- (B) By next month, she will be working here for ten years.
- (C) By next month, she has been working here for ten years.
- (D) By next month, she will work here for ten years.

18. Change the sentence into Active Voice:

"The thieves were caught by the police last night."

- (A) The police caught the thieves last night.
- (B) The police catches the thieves last night.
- (C) The police has caught the thieves last night.
- (D) The police were catching the thieves last night.

19. Convert into Indirect Speech:

The stranger asked me, "How far is the railway station from here?"

- (A) The stranger asked me how far the railway station was from there.
- (B) The stranger asked me how far is the railway station from here.
- (C) The stranger asked that how far the railway station was.
- (D) The stranger asked me how far the railway station is from here.

20. Identify the type of sentence:

"Wear your seatbelt while driving."

- (A) Assertive
- (B) Interrogative
- (C) Exclamatory
- (D) Imperative

21. Choose the correct sentence converting the comparative degree into the superlative degree.

"Rohan is taller than all the other boys in his class."

- (A) Rohan is the tallest boy in his class.
- (B) Rohan is as tall as the other boys in his class.

- (C) No boy in the class is taller than Rohan except Rohan.
- (D) All the boys in the class are taller than Rohan.

22. Choose the correct linker to complete the sentence.

You should revise your notes regularly _____ you forget important concepts.

- (A) so that
- (B) lest
- (C) as if
- (D) provided that

23. Choose the correct Wh-question for the sentence:

"The meeting was postponed because of the strike."

- (A) Why was the meeting postponed?
- (B) When was the meeting postponed?
- (C) Who postponed the meeting?
- (D) Where was the meeting postponed?

24. Identify the type of conditional sentence:

"If it rains tomorrow, the picnic will be cancelled."

- (A) Type 0 (Zero Conditional)
- (B) Type 1 (First Conditional)
- (C) Type 2 (Second Conditional)
- (D) Type 3 (Third Conditional)

PART B: METHODOLOGY OF TEACHING ENGLISH (Q.25 - Q.30)

25. The view that language is primarily a tool for communication and social interaction, rather than just a set of grammar rules, is central to which approach?

- (A) Grammar-Translation Method
- (B) Communicative Language Teaching
- (C) Structural Approach
- (D) Direct repetition drilling only

26. When framing instructional objectives for an English lesson, it is most important that the objectives:

- (A) are unrelated to the assessment methods used
- (B) are aligned with the teaching activities and assessment to be used
- (C) focus only on rote memorization
- (D) are decided after the lesson is taught

27. The 'process approach' to teaching writing emphasizes:

- (A) producing a perfect final draft in one attempt
- (B) stages such as planning, drafting, revising and editing
- (C) copying model answers without changes
- (D) avoiding any peer feedback

28. Choral repetition of sentences led by the teacher is a technique most associated with:

- (A) the Communicative Approach
- (B) Audio-Lingual / drilling techniques

- (C) Project-based learning
- (D) Silent reading sessions

29. Periodic revision of the English curriculum and textbooks is necessary mainly to:

- (A) keep the curriculum unchanged regardless of learner needs
- (B) ensure relevance to learners' needs, societal changes and updated pedagogical approaches
- (C) increase the number of chapters without purpose
- (D) remove all language skill components

30. Providing constructive feedback on a student's spoken or written errors, focused on improvement rather than only marking mistakes, reflects the principle of:

- (A) evaluation as a tool for learning and improvement
- (B) evaluation purely for ranking students
- (C) ignoring errors completely
- (D) punishing students for mistakes

ANSWER KEY

Model Paper No. 10

Q1: (B)	Q7: (B)	Q13: (C)	Q19: (A)	Q25: (B)
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CORRECTIONS IN KEYS

PAPER 1

Q.NO. 12 – 1947 was India's **first** year of independence → **(A)**

PAPER 5

Q.NO. 12 - Next Wednesday after the 3rd = 10th → **(C)**

PAPER 6

Q.NO. 23 –both (A) and (B)

PAPER 10

Q. NO. 12 - 23rd + 7 days = 30th → **(C)**

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