

**Part A: Grammar & Vocabulary**

- 1- Einstein changed the way we think about ..... .  
 1) space and times      2) spaces and time      3) spaces and times      4) space and time
- 2- Which sentence is grammatically correct?  
 1) How much bread are there in the basket?      2) How many loaf of bread is there in the basket?  
 3) How much bread there is in the basket?      4) How many loaves of bread are there in the basket?
- 3- We ran into ..... near the airport.  
 1) a heavy traffic      2) heavy traffic      3) many traffics      4) a few traffic
- 4- The speaker suddenly ..... just before the beginning of the ceremony.  
 1) disappeared      2) entertained      3) invited      4) imagined
- 5- This dictionary is not made for any ..... language levels; it can be used by anyone studying English.  
 1) specific      2) favorite      3) generous      4) comfortable
- 6- The letter Tom received said that he should return home as soon as ..... .  
 1) probable      2) possible      3) matter      4) notice
- 7- I'd like to ..... the red shirt my uncle gave me for a blue one.  
 1) measure      2) locate      3) exchange      4) explain
- 8- The list of endangered sea animals includes ..... 600 fishes.  
 1) similarly      2) specially      3) nearly      4) greatly
- 9- According to the researchers, the growth in ..... is very fast in developing countries.  
 1) population      2) imagination      3) communication      4) organization
- 10- It is not surprising that a man of this ..... is successful in business.  
 1) detail      2) safety      3) amount      4) ability
- 11- He belongs to the ..... for protection of nature, which is a private institute.  
 1) region      2) society      3) project      4) faculty

**Part B: Cloze Test**

Some children require programs of special education and may have to attend special schools, where what is taught and how it is taught is different from what is ...(12)... in regular schools. There are different types of special schools. Special schools ...(13)... for children who are blind or ...(14)..., and for children with mental, ...(15)... and behavioral problems. In some countries, there are also schools for clever children.

- 12- 1) traditional      2) cultural      3) available      4) interesting
- 13- 1) exist      2) prefer      3) respect      4) attract
- 14- 1) ashamed      2) deaf      3) lonely      4) needy
- 15- 1) systematic      2) native      3) regional      4) physical

**Part C: Reading Comprehension**

The rise in English is an interesting story. When Julius Caesar landed in Britain nearly two thousand years ago, English did not exist. Five hundred years later, English, incomprehensible to modern ears, was probably spoken by about as few people as currently speak Cherokee — and with about as little influence. Nearly a thousand years later, at the end of the sixteenth century, when William Shakespeare became famous throughout the world, English was the native speech of between five and six million Englishmen and it was of small reach; it stretched no further than this island of ours, no, not there over all.

Four hundred years later, the contrast is surprising. Between 1600 and the present, the speakers of English — including Scots, Irish, Welsh, American and many more — travelled into every corner of the globe, carrying their language and culture with them. Today, English is used by at least 750 million people, and barely half of those speak it as a mother tongue. At the end of the twentieth century, English is more widely spoken and written than any other language has ever been. It has become the language of the planet, the first truly universal language.

- 16- In Shakespeare's time, ..... .  
 1) English was spoken all over the world      2) Caesar landed in Britain  
 3) some Britons spoke Cherokee      4) English was not used all over the island

**17- In the last four centuries, English has spread mainly through .....** .

- 1) the travelling of Britons
- 2) the translation of Shakespeare's works
- 3) books on the importance of English culture
- 4) England's war with Scotland and Ireland

**18- The word "incomprehensible" is closest in meaning to .....** .

- 1) very strange
- 2) not interesting
- 3) difficult
- 4) impossible to understand

**19- According to the passage, English .....** .

- 1) was spoken 2000 years ago
- 2) is like the Cherokee language
- 3) is the mother tongue of about 375 million people
- 4) was first spoken by a few speakers of Cherokee

**20- The best title for this passage is ".....".**

- 1) The Contrast between English and Other Languages
- 2) English as a Mother Tongue
- 3) The History of the English Language
- 4) The Story of English Travelers and Poets