

LEVEL 4

A2 > A2+ du CECRL

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Durée 45 minutes

- L'épreuve est individuelle.
- Les livres et dictionnaires sont interdits.
- Il n'y a qu'une seule bonne réponse par question.
- Avec un **stylo noir** ou un **feutre noir** coche dans la GRILLE DE REPONSES, pour chaque question, la case correspondant à la bonne réponse.
- Les questions N°1 à N°18 rapportent **4 points** pour chaque bonne réponse. Les questions N°19 à N°36 rapportent **5 points** pour chaque bonne réponse. Les questions N°37 à N°54 rapportent **6 points** pour chaque bonne réponse.
- Une mauvaise réponse fait perdre un quart de sa valeur en points. Si aucune réponse n'est donnée à une question, elle rapporte 0 point. Si plusieurs réponses sont données à une question, elle rapporte 0 point.

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le login à 7 chiffres situé en haut à droite de ta grille réponses. Ce login te sera indispensable pour accéder à tes résultats sur internet.

>>> **Mercredi 13 mai 2015** <<<

Les corrigés des questions seront disponibles sur le site.

>>> **Lundi 8 juin 2015** <<<

- Les résultats seront intégralement disponibles sur le site.



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The **BIG** Challenge

THE FIRST ENGLISH CONTEST FOR SCHOOLS

QUESTIONS DE 1 A 18 : 4 POINTS

- 1 Jack and Kelly in the same class.
A. am B. are C. is D. has
- 2 Their house is fabulous. It seven bedrooms, a huge garden and a swimming pool!
A. have B. is C. has got D. got
- 3 The postman usually between 9 and 9.30.
A. is arriving B. work C. is ringing D. comes
- 4 Sarah is very busy this morning. She emails to all her friends.
A. is sending B. sends C. is having D. receives
- 5 Complete the "family" of words: potato, onion, carrot,
A. apple B. bean C. orange D. pear
- 6 Tomorrow I to paint the front door.
A. go B. am going C. can D. went
- 7 Saturday evening we are going to a concert.
A. On B. Last C. In the D. At
- 8 Which word is not associated with the internet?
A. surf B. website C. search D. cupboard
- 9 There isn't left. Can you go to the supermarket and get some?
A. any sugar B. some milk C. eggs D. many potatoes
- 10 Your friend Bill is playing in a tennis match. What can you say to him before the match?
A. Good luck! C. Good health!
B. Have a nice trip! D. Never mind!
- 11 "Machine" rhymes with ".....".
A. fine B. mean C. thin D. mine
- 12 New York City is divided into five boroughs : Manhattan, the Bronx, Queens, Staten Island and
A. Boston B. Philadelphia C. Washington D. Brooklyn
- 13 You'll never become a good pianist if you every day.
A. will play C. wouldn't practise
B. don't practise D. will practise
- 14 If you want someone to smile when you take their photo, you ask them to say ".....".
A. joy B. cream C. clown D. cheese
- 15 Bob's going to be alone on Christmas Day so inviting him to dinner?
A. let's B. how about C. we should D. can we
- 16 Which city is not a capital?
A. London B. New York C. Washington D. Dublin
- 17 Facebook, Twitter and Instagram are all social
A. contexts B. networks C. backgrounds D. shares
- 18 You see a poor man in the street and you give him some money. Your friend asks, "Why did you do that?" What can you say?
A. I complained about him. C. I couldn't stand him.
B. I felt sorry for him. D. He was sorry for me.

Lis ce texte pour répondre aux questions 19 à 23.

"Oh come on!" said Anna to her friend, Shelley. "That's the tenth red dress you've tried on and it's almost midday. Make up your mind! You like it, don't you?"

"Yes, but don't you think it's a bit tight?" asked Shelley.

"That's the fashion, miss," said the assistant, whose friendly smile was disappearing because it was time for her lunch break. "It fits you perfectly."

"Yes, it does," agreed Anna. "It looks great."

"Maybe it's a little long..."

"Well, we can shorten it for you, miss. It can be ready by tomorrow evening."

"All right, I'll take it," said Shelley. Then she looked at the price tag.

"Oh! I didn't realise... I can't afford that! Have you got anything else in red?"

Where are Anna and Shelley?

- 19 A. In Shelley's bedroom in the evening. C. In a dress shop in the morning.
B. In a department store in the afternoon. D. In the street.

Anna says that

- 20 A. Shelley should try on another dress C. the dress isn't very fashionable
B. the dress isn't right for Shelley D. Shelley should make a decision

Which sentence about the assistant is not true?

- 21 A. She smiles all the time. C. She wants to sell a dress.
B. She wants to go to lunch. D. She knows what to say to customers.

Which sentence about the dress is true?

- 22 A. It's the first dress Shelley has tried on. C. It's a little too short.
B. The three women all like it. D. It doesn't fit very well.

Does Shelley buy the dress?

- 23 A. Yes, because it's quite cheap.
B. No, because it's too tight and too long.
C. No, because it costs too much.
D. No, because she has seen another dress that she likes.

The teacher thought the question was easy, but of the students knew the answer. They all got it wrong.

- 24 A. none B. no one C. nobody D. anyone

I think the dogs are in the garden. I can hear

- 25 A. them barking B. that they bark C. they bark D. them to bark

During the football match, a fight broke between rival supporters.

- 26 A. up B. out C. away D. on

On the internet, when you see the symbol # followed by a word, this is called

- 27 A. an underscore B. a hashtag C. a dash D. a slash

The man house burned down last night has gone to live with his brother.

- 28 A. whose B. which his C. that the D. whom his

A friend shows you a web page which says that little green men from Mars have invaded the Earth. You want to tell your friend that you don't believe a word of it. What can you say?

- 29 A. What rubbish! B. What a shame! C. That's brilliant! D. How fantastic!

I think the baby has swallowed a piece of Lego. He put it in his mouth when I

- 30 A. didn't look. B. wasn't looking. C. haven't looked. D. won't look.

Which pair of words does not rhyme?

- 31 A. heart, cart B. thought, ought C. fear, wear D. their, fair

..... celebrates an event that happened in 1776.

- 32 A. Independence Day B. Thanksgiving C. Easter D. St Patrick's Day

She a film star because she was wearing old clothes and no make-up.

- 33 A. didn't look like B. looked as if C. wasn't similar D. didn't seem as

BBC for British Broadcasting Corporation.

- 34 A. looks B. means C. stands D. keeps

They didn't reserve rooms because they thought the hotel would be empty., when they arrived, the hotel was already full.

- 35 A. However B. Although C. Unless D. Luckily

You see a sign that says, "No trespassing". You are at the entrance to

- 36 A. a one-way street B. private property C. a church D. a zoo

37 The people inside the bank were terrified. The robbers lie down with their hands behind their heads.

- A. had to make B. made everyone C. let all D. told them

38 There's a man at the front door. Ask, will you? I'm too busy.

- A. what does he want C. if he's there
B. him what he wants D. him what is it

39 Jenny and her boyfriend Kevin had a big argument and didn't see each other for a week. But now they are back together again. What can Jenny say to her friends?

- A. We've turned round. C. We've made it up.
B. I've picked up Kevin. D. Kevin and I have broken up.

40 "I'm tired." "I'm not surprised! You wouldn't be so tired if you go to bed at midnight every night!"

- A. didn't B. wouldn't C. don't D. won't

41 Who was President of the USA during the American Civil War?

- A. John F. Kennedy C. Benjamin Franklin
B. George Washington D. Abraham Lincoln

42 The "th" in "this" has the same sound as the "th" in ".....".

- A. thought B. though C. through D. thick

43 You should that old bike. It's been in the garage for years and you never use it.

- A. keep out B. put away C. set off D. get rid of

44 No planes can take off tonight because of bad weather so I'm afraid you to get a flight until tomorrow.

- A. will have B. are impossible C. can't possibly D. won't be able

45 Pronunciation: "intelligent" = o O o o; "responsible" =

- A. O o o o B. o O o o C. o o O o D. o o o O

46 At a party, a girl is asking people, "Where's James?" Nobody knows, but one boy says, "He's bound to turn up." He means that James

- A. is obliged to come to the party C. will almost certainly come
B. won't come to the party D. will probably not come

47 "I have to work 10 hours a day," said the businessman. "I wish more time to spend with my family but, at the moment, it's impossible."

- A. to have B. I was having C. it could be D. I had

48 It's important to take care of your teeth. You should by a dentist at least twice a year.

- A. have checked them C. check them
B. have them checked D. having them checked

49 When I was young, there houses here. It was all countryside - open fields and woods.

- A. didn't use to be any C. were not used to being
B. used to be quite a lot of D. didn't use to have

50 They are twins and they look very similar but they've got very different personalities. In fact, they're as different as

- A. apples and pears C. sugar and salt
B. chalk and cheese D. sand and sea

51 Mr Abbot loves making things. For the last month, he a doll's house for his grand-daughter. He says it'll be ready next week.

- A. was making C. has been making
B. has made D. has been made

52 If you are, it means you are extremely happy about something.

- A. up in the air C. out of your mind
B. beyond the stars D. over the moon

53 "My computer works OK but I'm having problems with the mouse." "Well, look at it! It's dirty. cleaning."

- A. It needs to be C. It just needs
B. You should have it D. You haven't been

54 The state of Washington is of the United States.

- A. in the north east C. on the east coast
B. in the south east D. in the north west