TEST (NOUNS AND ARTICLES)

Choose the correct variant:

- 1) ... Statue of Liberty was ... gift of friendship from ... France to ... United States.
- a) the, the, the
- b) the, a, -, the
- c) the, the, -, the
- d) the, a, the, the
- 2) Rita is studying ... English and ... math this semester.
- a) the, the
- b) the, -
- c) an, a
- d) -, -
- 3) Please, give me ... cup of ... strong coffee with ... cream and ... sugar. I don't like ... black coffee, I'm afraid.
- a) a, -, -, -, -
- b) the, the, the, -
- c) the, -, -, -,
- d) a, the, -, -, the
- 4) On our trip to ... Spain, we crossed ... Atlantic Ocean.
- a) the, the
- b) the, -
- c) -, the
- d) -, -
- 5) Mel's mother is in ... hospital, so she didn't come to ... work yesterday.
- a) the, the
- b) -, -
- c) the, -
- d) -, the
- 6) Make these nouns plural:

memo, louse, roof, echo, swine, grown-up, breakdown, ox, antenna, curriculum, criterion, deer, trout

- a) memoes, louses, roofs, echoes, swines, grown-ups, breakdowns, oxen, antennas, curriculums, criteria, deer, trouts
- b) memos,lice,roofs, echoes, swine, grown-ups, breakdowns, oxen, antennae, curricula, criteria, deer, trout
- c) memoes, lice, roofs, echoes, swines, grown-ups, breakdowns, oxen, antennas, curricula, criteria, deer, trouts
- d) memos,lice,roofs, echos, swine, growns-up, breakdowns, oxen, antennae, curricula, criteria, deer, trout
- 7) Nick is ... doctor in ... small hospital in London. His wife works as ... nurse in ... same hospital.
- a) a, -, the, -
- b) the, a, the, the
- c) a, the, a, the

- d) a, a, a, the
- 8) It was a long voyage. We were at ... sea for three weeks and had ... nice time.
- a) -, -
- b) the, a
- c) -, a
- d) the, a
- 9) On her way home she usually bought a slice of honey cake at
- a) the bakers`
- d) the baker
- c) the baker's
- 10) Is there ...church in ... Green Street?
- a) a, -
- b) a, the
- c) the, -
- d) -, -
- 11) ... Andes are in ... South America.
- a) The, -
- b) -, -
- c) The, the
- d) -, the
- 12) ... National Gallery is to ... north of ... Trafalgar Square.
- a) -, the, -
- b) The, -, -
- c) The, the, -
- d) The, the, the
- 13) This is a... book. You can open it at any page and make sure that it's interesting. Why don't open ... page five?
- a) fifty pages`, -
- b) fifty-page, -
- c) fifty pages, the
- d) fifty-page, the
- 14) This is not ... car, this is ... car.
- a) my wife, my wife's parents
- b) my wife's, my wife parents'
- c) my wife's, my wife's parents'
- d) my wife's, my wife parent's
- 15) ... meeting has been cancelled.
- a) Tomorrow`s
- b) Tomorrow
- c) Tomorrow`
- d) The tomorrow`
- 16) It's only ... walk from my house to work.
- a) ten minutes`
- b) ten minutes's

c) a ten minutes` d) ten minutes 17) ... people spend ... their time at ... work. a) Most, most, b) Most, most of, c) Most of, most, the d) Most of, most, -18) ... President Clinton lives in ... White House. a) -, b) The, c) The, the d) -, the 19) Sam plays ... violin, and Kim plays ... basketball at ... Boy's Club near ... Times Square. a) the, the, the b) the, -, the, c) the, -, -, the d) a, -, -, -20) Scientists hope to send ... expedition to ... Mars during ... 2010s. a) the, the, the b) an, the, c) an, -, d) an, -, the 21) The sunlit ... look wonderful. a) roof b) rooves c) roofs d) roofes 22) I don't want ... or help. a) advice b) an advice c) advise d) advices 23) Her favourite flowers are a) forgets-me-nots b) forgets-me-not c) forget-me-nots d) forget-me-not 24) In stressing her ... peasant origin she found it easier to disregard her. a) mother-in-law b) mother's-in-law c) mother-in-law's

25) She looked like a ... picture herself, extremely cheerful and simple.

d) mother's-in-law's

- a) children's
- b) child's
- c) child
- d) children
- 26) It's ... third door down ... corridor.
- a) the, the
- b) the, a
- c) a, the
- d) a, a
- 27) It happened in ... winter of 1996.
- a) a
- b) an
- c) the
- d) -
- 28) It's ... second volume and ... chapter 3 is in ... third.
- a) a, -, a
- b) a, the, a
- c) the, -, the
- d) the, the, the
- 29) This is ... last time I do you ... favor.
- a) the, a
- b) a, the
- c) a, a
- d) the, the
- 30) ... sooner you can do it ... better.
- a) a, a
- b) the, a
- c) a, -
- d) the, the