## TEST (THE VERBALS AND PHRASAL VERBS)

## Choose the correct variant:

- 1) I could remember ... him yesterday evening.
- a) call
- b) to call
- c) calling
- d) having been called
- 2) He looked so funny that I couldn't help ....
- a) laugh out
- b) to laugh out
- c) laughing out
- d) having been laughed at
- 3) Γm afraid Γll be busy on Saturday. I ... . Γve already invited the workers.
- a) will paint my house
- b) will be painting my house
- c) will be having my house painted
- d) will have my house painted
- 4) My English isn't very good, but it's enough to ... . (=manage)
- a) get out
- b) take off
- c) get by
- d) look up
- 5) Before our holiday we practised ... a few phrases in Greek.
- a) to be said
- b) to say
- c) saying
- d) having said
- 6) He pretended ... the film they were talking about earlier.
- a) to see
- b) seeing
- c) having seen
- d) to have seen
- 7) Several people ... in a car accident early this morning.
- a) are reported to have been injured
- b) are reported to have injured
- c) report to be injured
- d) have reported being injured
- 8) Did you believe the story they told you? I'm afraid, they completely ....
- a) took me in
- b) took in me
- c) took me out
- d) took them off
- 9) Riding is getting too expensive; I would ... to give it up.
- a) better

- b) prefer
- c) suggest
- d) rather
- 10) John couldn't afford ... a new car because his salary was decreased.
- a) to buy
- b) buy
- c) buying
- d) having bought
- 11) Katy is going to Australia tomorrow. I'm going to the airport to ....
- a) see her off
- b) keep her up
- c) get her on
- d) show her off
- 12) Don't worry about ... me in charge of the children, I'm quite used to ... them.
- a) leave, looking after
- b) leaving, looking after
- c) leaving, look after
- d) leave, look after
- 13) It's ... over spilt milk.
- a) no good to cry
- b) no use crying
- c) no point to cry
- d) no point in crying
- 14) You didn't post this letter! It'd ... posted.
- a) rather
- b) have been
- c) better be
- d) to be
- 15) I regret ... to your party yesterday.
- a) refusing to come
- b) to refuse to come
- c) to refuse coming
- d) refusing coming
- 16) It's so hot, would you mind ... the window?
- a) open
- b) to open
- c) opening
- d) me to open
- 17) He tried to avoid ... for ... his aunt's vase.
- a) being punished, break
- b) punishing, breaking
- c) being punished, breaking
- d) to be punished, having broken
- 18) We don't need the candle. You can ....
- a) blow it out

- b) go it out
- c) turn it out
- d) sort it out
- 19) I can't get through to him, the line is busy. Try ...him several times, and I'm sure you'll get through.
- a) call
- b) calling
- c) to call
- d) to have called
- 20) I`m sorry ... yesterday.
- a) to shout to you
- b) for shouting at you
- c) to shout at you
- d) for shouting to you
- 21) Whenever I saw him, I ....
- a) can't help at smiling to him
- b) couldn't make him to smile
- c) couldn't stop to smile on him
- d) couldn't help smiling at him
- 22) Γm going to ... my dress dry-cleaned.
- a) have
- b) do
- c) make
- d) let
- 23) Why did she drop ... college? Did she fail her exams?
- a) in
- b) after
- c) on
- d) out of
- 24) It's not worth ...now. It's too late.
- a) to go anywhere
- b) you go somewhere
- c) going anywhere else
- d) you should go
- 25) You ... better be careful not to miss the train.
- a) would
- b) should
- c) had
- d) did
- 26) I didn't hear you ... in. You must have been very quiet.
- a) come
- b) to come
- c) came
- d) coming
- 27) Γll buy a ticket on the train if the guards ... me go through the barrier.

- a) allow
- b) let
- c) permit
- d) agree
- 28) I must apologise ... you ... .
- a) keeping, to wait
- b) of keeping, to wait
- c) for keeping, waiting
- d) in keeping, waiting
- 29) You can't stop me ... what I want.
- a) doing
- b) do
- c) to do
- d) that I do
- 30) Do you want ... with you or do you want to go alone?
- a) me coming
- b) me to come
- c) that I come
- d) that I will come