

## **QCM (20 points)**

*Cocher la bonne réponse sur la grille fournie*

*(bonne réponse: 3 points ; mauvaise réponse: -1 point ; pas de réponse: 0 point)*

1. I would very much like to participate ..... this event.
  - a) at
  - b) for
  - c) with
  - d) in
  
2. When I was living in Germany, we ..... all get up early on a Saturday morning to go to the flea market.
  - a) will
  - b) were
  - c) would
  - d) used
  
3. You promised ..... the goods by June and it is now September.
  - a) delivering
  - b) to deliver
  - c) to be delivered
  - d) deliver
  
4. Malcolm has just completed ..... MBA at Harvard Business School.
  - a) ----
  - b) the
  - c) a
  - d) an
  
5. In Northern Ireland a bomb went ....., killing two people.
  - a) out
  - b) off
  - c) up
  - d) of
  
6. We are not there .....
  - a) already
  - b) some
  - c) still
  - d) yet

7. He really wasn't the right person for the job, ..... he?
- a) did
  - b) will
  - c) was
  - d) wasn't
8. You will have to ..... an effort if you intend to graduate this year.
- a) do
  - b) make
  - c) have
  - d) be
9. Melinda speaks .....
- a) perfectly Japanese
  - b) a perfect Japanese
  - c) Japanese perfectly
  - d) Japanese perfect
10. Your car definitely needs .....
- a) to be cleaning
  - b) cleansing
  - c) cleaning
  - d) to clean
11. After a serious dispute over inheritance, the two brothers made .....
- a) up
  - b) along
  - c) over
  - d) up with
12. I can't understand your attitude. You do nothing but .....
- a) complaining
  - b) complained
  - c) complain
  - d) to complain
13. Can you give me .....?
- a) information
  - b) informations
  - c) some information
  - d) an information
14. After making such a mess, ..... you could do is tidy up.
- a) the last
  - b) the least
  - c) least
  - d) the less

15. What are you having .....
- a) to drink
  - b) for a drink
  - c) with a drink
  - d) for drink
16. You ..... alterations to your plans again.
- a) have done
  - b) have made
  - c) have held
  - d) have enabled
17. He's been living in France ..... he was 10.
- a) until
  - b) ever more
  - c) for
  - d) ever since
18. The lawyer ..... the contract, so we are now ready to go ahead with the deal.
- a) have drawn
  - b) drew
  - c) has drawn
  - d) will draw
19. Do you think that we will be able to go to China this year? Yes, I .....
- a) hope
  - b) hope so
  - c) hope it
  - d) hope that
20. I'll take care of the children while you ..... the shopping.
- a) would do
  - b) are doing
  - c) will be doing
  - d) did
21. Jeremy ..... me €450 to buy a new sofa.
- a) borrowed
  - b) lent
  - c) charged
  - d) asked
22. He stopped ..... for health reasons.
- a) to smoke
  - b) to have a smoke
  - c) smoking
  - d) the smoking

23. As a child, Dickens ..... roam the streets of London soaking up the local culture.
- a) would
  - b) used
  - c) was used to
  - d) had to
24. The meeting tomorrow is .....
- a) off
  - b) of
  - c) out
  - d) behind
25. You are doing well. Keep ..... the good work.
- a) on
  - b) with
  - c) up
  - d) in
26. We won't be here next week. We ..... to London for a wedding.
- a) will be travelling
  - b) would travel
  - c) would be travelling
  - d) are to be travelling
27. We didn't know that the hotel was ..... with rats.
- a) inflicted
  - b) infested
  - c) invaded
  - d) infected
28. I can't stand ..... in your shadow.
- a) to live
  - b) living
  - c) to have to live
  - d) to have lived
29. There has been an accident. Could you please call ..... ambulance.
- a) the
  - b) a
  - c) an
  - d) ---
30. She is so condescending and constantly trying to .....
- a) put me up
  - b) put me aside
  - c) put me off
  - d) put me down

31. The decorator has just finished painting my house and I must say he did .....
- a) a well job
  - b) the job good
  - c) a good job
  - d) the good job
32. .... surrendered, we would have been forced to declare war.
- a) Had they not
  - b) Hadn't they
  - c) They had not
  - d) They not had
33. I was shocked when she ..... her attempt to commit suicide.
- a) said me
  - b) said me about
  - c) told about
  - d) told me about
34. The ..... damaged.
- a) equipments are
  - b) equipment are
  - c) equipment is
  - d) equipments is
35. Leave it to me! I'll see ..... all the arrangements.
- a) for
  - b) to
  - c) with
  - d) on
36. Following the accident, he was prosecuted for ..... driving.
- a) reckless
  - b) heedless
  - c) irresponsible
  - d) quick
37. I would advise you to ..... clear of that part of town.
- a) stop
  - b) steer
  - c) stick
  - d) stray
38. Although he was not registered, he ..... sit the exam.
- a) is allowed to
  - b) could be able to
  - c) might
  - d) was allowed to

39. .... his friends knew he was seriously ill.
- a) Not much of
  - b) Not many of
  - c) Not many
  - d) Not much
40. He told the judge that his poverty had ..... him to crime.
- a) induced
  - b) compelled
  - c) brought
  - d) driven

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1. d	2.c	3.b	4.d	5.b	6.d	7.c	8.b	9.c	10.c
11.a	12.c	13. c	14.b	15 a	16.b	17.d	18.c	19.b	20.b
21.b	22.c	23.a	24.a	25.c	26.a	27. b	28.b	29.c	30.d
31.c	32.a	33.d	34.c	35.b	36.a	37.b	38.d	39.b	40.d

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1. Malcolm has taken part ..... the competition for the tenth consecutive time.
  - a) at
  - b) in
  - c) for
  - d) with
  
2. We have ..... in-depth research into Molecular Biology.
  - a) did
  - b) made
  - c) carried out
  - d) conducted
  
3. The various entrance examinations taken by 2 ..... school leavers, will be centralised by the Education Ministry next year.
  - a) millions
  - b) in a million
  - c) millions of
  - d) million
  
4. “..... do you go to the theatre?” “Once in a blue moon”.
  - a) Whenever
  - b) How often
  - c) How about
  - d) How long
  
5. If the syllabus ..... changed, we would progress in marketing much faster.
  - a) is to be
  - b) has been
  - c) were
  - d) be
  
6. You can reach me ..... 0985/59096378.
  - a) with
  - b) by
  - c) in
  - d) on
  
7. It is really not the best way to proceed, ..... it?
  - a) won't
  - b) is
  - c) isn't
  - d) wasn't



8. I have no time. Well, you are just going to have to ..... the time for me then.

- a) do
- b) make
- c) have
- d) be

9. Melinda speaks .....

- a) perfectly Russian
- b) a perfect Russian
- c) Russian perfectly
- d) Russian perfect

10. We will have to work ..... the cost of going to college very carefully.

- a) out
- b) of
- c) off
- d) for

11. I don't think I have met ..... girl as this for a long time.

- a) as diligent a
- b) diligent
- c) a diligent
- d) as diligent

12. Why can't you stop ..... like a child?

- a) behaving
- b) behaved
- c) behave
- d) to behave

13. I'm sorry but I do not have ..... at this point in time.

- a) information
- b) any information
- c) informations
- d) an information

14. After making such a mess, ..... you could do is tidy up.

- a) the last
- b) the least
- c) least
- d) the less

15. "What will you ....." "A glass of beer, please".

- a) to drink
- b) drinking
- c) have
- d) have for drink

16. The car is quite new but is in bad .....
- a) state
  - b) condition
  - c) situation
  - d) damage
17. He's been living with his father ..... his parents divorced.
- a) until
  - b) ever more
  - c) for
  - d) ever since
18. A couple have been shot dead in front of their five children by soldiers who fired on the car ..... the family was travelling.
- a) where
  - b) in which
  - c) whose
  - d) in that
19. If you are in search of a bargain at the sales, you ..... better get there early.
- a) should
  - b) had
  - c) ought
  - d) did
20. I'll take care of the children while you ..... your hair done.
- a) would get
  - b) will be getting
  - c) are getting
  - d) got
21. His mother ..... him €650 to pay for a flight to Beijing.
- a) borrowed
  - b) charged
  - c) asked
  - d) lent
22. He stopped by ..... this letter this morning.
- a) to hand in
  - b) to have handed in
  - c) handing in
  - d) the handing in of
23. As a child, Poe ..... roam the streets of Baltimore with his mother and younger sibling.
- a) would
  - b) used
  - c) was used to
  - d) had to

24. The sofa is so big that it takes ..... half the living room.
- a) off
  - b) on
  - c) up
  - d) in
25. You need to read a lot to keep ..... with new developments in the area.
- a) out
  - b) on
  - c) in
  - d) up
26. We guarantee ..... the goods by the end of the week.
- a) to be delivering
  - b) to deliver
  - c) deliver
  - d) delivering
27. I think we should ..... a start.
- a) have
  - b) get
  - c) do
  - d) make
28. If we got a virus on our network, we ..... all our data.
- a) will lose
  - b) would loose
  - c) would lose
  - d) will lost
29. I spent ..... talking to Jane and then I went home.
- a) a time
  - b) some time
  - c) sometimes
  - d) any time
30. She is so patronising and constantly trying to .....
- a) put me up
  - b) put me aside
  - c) put me off
  - d) put me down
31. People do not smoke as much as they .....
- a) used to
  - b) used to be
  - c) used
  - d) were used to

32. She bored everybody by delivering ..... on the Philosophy of Human Geography.
- a) a two-hours lecture
  - b) a lecture of two hours
  - c) a lecture two hours
  - d) a two-hour lecture
33. Sales ..... rising continuously for 10 months.
- a) has been
  - b) will be
  - c) have been
  - d) are being
34. This area is quite noisy ..... night.
- a) in
  - b) at
  - c) during
  - d) on the
35. .... I wasn't feeling very well, I still went to the party.
- a) Even though
  - b) Whether
  - c) Thought
  - d) Despite
36. He is always taking the ..... for my accomplishments.
- a) biscuit
  - b) limelight
  - c) credit
  - d) stage
37. I've never been very good ..... dealing with conflict.
- a) for
  - b) with
  - c) on
  - d) at
38. Yes, I see what you mean. I ..... wrong about her.
- a) ought to have been
  - b) could have been
  - c) might have
  - d) won't have been
39. I am ..... from my work by the incessant noise upstairs.
- a) perturbed
  - b) disrupted
  - c) interrupted
  - d) distracted
40. I feel much better since I ..... drinking.
- a) gave up
  - b) gave in
  - c) took on
  - d) took in

## Corrigé

### QCM: 20 points/60

1. b	2. c	3. d	4. b	5. c	6. d	7. b	8. b	9. c	10. a
11. a	12. a	13. b	14. b	15. c	16. b	17. d	18. b	19. b	20. c
21. d	22. a	23. a	24. c	25. d	26. b	27. d	28. c	29. b	30. d
31. a	32. d	33. c	34. b	35. a	36. c	37. d	38. b	39. d	40. a

### Proposition de Corrigé – Version : 20 points/60

Je m'agenouille pour examiner le sol. Il est propre, balayé une fois par jour, il ressemble au sol de n'importe quelle pièce. Au-dessus de la cheminée, sur le mur et le plafond, il y a de la suie. Il y a aussi une marque/trace, de la taille de ma main, faite en frottant le mur avec de la suie. A cela près/sinon, les murs ne portent aucune trace. Quels sont ces signes que je cherche/Quels signes puis-je chercher ? J'ouvre la porte et, d'un geste, j'ordonne aux hommes de remettre leurs affaires en place.

Pour la deuxième fois, j'interroge les deux gardiens qui sont de service dans la cour.

« Dites-moi exactement ce qui s'est passé quand les prisonniers ont été questionnés.

Dites-moi ce que vous avez vu, vous. »

C'est le plus grand qui répond, un garçon à la mâchoire longue, qui semble grave/motivé et passionné, et qui m'a toujours plu/que j'ai toujours apprécié.

« L'officier ...

L'officier de police?

Oui... L'officier de police venait dans la salle où l'on gardait les prisonniers, et il en pointait/montrait certains du doigt. Nous allions chercher les prisonniers qu'il voulait et nous les emmenions à l'interrogatoire. Après, nous les ramenions.

Un par un ?

Pas toujours, Par deux, quelquefois.

Vous savez qu'un des prisonniers est mort ensuite/après un interrogatoire. Vous vous rappelez ce prisonnier ? Savez-vous ce qu'ils lui ont fait ?

On nous a dit qu'il avait perdu la raison et qu'il les avait attaqués.

Oui ?

C'est ce que nous avons entendu dire. J'ai aidé à le transporter jusqu'à la (grande) salle, là où ils dormaient tous. Il respirait bizarrement – (un souffle) très rapide, très profond/rapidement et profondément. Je ne l'ai jamais revu. Le lendemain, il était mort.

Continuez, je vous écoute. Je voudrais/veux que vous me disiez tout ce que vous pouvez vous rappeler/dont vous vous souvenez »

Le garçon a une expression tendue. Je suis sûr qu'on lui a conseillé de ne pas parler.

« Cet homme, a été/ils l'ont interrogé plus longtemps que les autres. Je l'ai vu assis tout seul dans un coin, après qu'ils l'ont emmené la première fois. Il se tenait la tête. » Il jette un coup d'œil à son compagnon. « Il ne voulait rien manger. Il n'avait pas faim. Sa fille était avec lui : elle a essayé de lui faire prendre de la nourriture, mais il n'en voulait pas/le faire se nourrir mais il a refusé.

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1. Blue whales ..... sometimes weigh up to 120 tonnes.

- a) shan't
- b) can
- c) should
- d) must

2. His table manners really ..... me ..... eating my soup.

- a) put ... up
- b) put ... out
- c) put ... off
- d) put ... on

3. The fans ..... in delight when the singer entered the stage.

- a) grinned
- b) yelped
- c) groaned
- d) screamed

4. When you buy a flight ticket, travel insurance is generally ..... extra.

- a) an occasional
- b) an optional
- c) a different
- d) a proposed

5. This plant is ..... water.

- a) of need of
- b) needing
- c) in need of
- d) need

6. They didn't want a church wedding, so they got married at the .....

- a) department store
- b) citizens' advice bureau
- c) law courts
- d) registry office

7. He's enjoying life on a ....., even though he's only 56.

- a) rent
- b) pension
- c) retirement
- d) leave

8. John ..... at the party completely out of the blue.

- a) turned off
- b) turned up
- c) turned in
- d) turned over

9. The cost of living has gone up while there has been a ..... in wages.

- a) subtraction
- b) deduction
- c) drop
- d) dropping

10. .... here for the last ten years and I'm still learning new things about the job.

- a) I have worked
- b) I worked
- c) I had worked
- d) I am working

11. Hold the door for me please, .....?

- a) will you
- b) do you
- c) will you do
- d) can you

12. The law stipulates that all cars ..... with rear seatbelts.

- a) be fitted
- b) fitted
- c) is fitted
- d) are fit

13. When we were kids we ..... for hours on end at the beach.

- a) did play
- b) would play
- c) had played
- d) have played

14. At the time of the burglary, I ..... in the garden and hadn't seen anyone enter the house.

- a) have been working
- b) had been working
- c) had worked
- d) was working

15. "..... Mary this morning? I need to see her before noon."

- a) Had you seen
- b) Did you see
- c) Have you seen
- d) Had you saw

16. He ..... from the heart operation now.

- a) recovers only
- b) is only recovering
- c) only recovers
- d) only is recovering

17. My father isn't easy to .....

- a) get off with
- b) get over with
- c) get out with
- d) get on with

18. He was asked to teach at the local school because of his ..... university experience.

- a) useful
- b) extensive
- c) terrible
- d) appropriate

19. She went to university to study physics, ..... her brother became a chef.

- a) except
- b) whereas
- c) on the other hand
- d) even more so

20. They went for a .....

- a) ten miles walk
- b) ten-mile-walk
- c) ten-mile walk
- d) ten-miles walk



21. He regularly drank half a bottle of whiskey, ..... he knew was bad for his health.

- a) what
- b) that
- c) who
- d) which

22. The former soldiers held a memorial service for the .....

- a) dead
- b) died
- c) death
- d) dying

23. This photo ..... me of my sister.

- a) reminds
- b) remembers
- c) recalls
- d) repeats

24. I don't know what .....

- a) is the right order
- b) it's the right order
- c) the right order is
- d) its right order

25. Architecture is a subject ..... I know very little.

- a) on which
- b) about
- c) which
- d) about which

26. She said she ..... to Paris the following day.

- a) travelled
- b) was travelling
- c) is travelling
- d) travels

27. Motorway cameras discourage motorists .....

- a) to speed
- b) from speed
- c) to speeding
- d) from speeding

28. Whether we get married or not really depends ..... our finances.

- a) of
- b) to
- c) on
- d) from

29. He's rather proficient ..... Maths.

- a) of
- b) in
- c) at
- d) by

30. The new car can travel very .....

- a) speedily
- b) fastly
- c) hardly
- d) quickly

31. She has ..... in that sector.

- a) a lot of experience
- b) much experience
- c) a lot of experiences
- d) many experiences

32. We have no school tomorrow, so I ..... get up early.

- a) mustn't
- b) have to
- c) must to
- d) don't have to

33. I'd love to make that cheese cake but I don't have a .....

- a) receipt
- b) prescription
- c) recipe
- d) planning

34. The thief managed to ..... £250,000 in cash.

- a) get around
- b) get away with
- c) get by on
- d) get down with

35. I've worked in this firm ..... seven years.

- a) for
- b) during
- c) after
- d) while

36. I've been to several Middle Eastern countries ..... Israel, Jordan and Kuwait.

- a) example
- b) as
- c) such as
- d) such

37. If we had known she was going to forget her words during the presentation, we ..... her to be the first speaker.

- a) would not ask
- b) would have asked
- c) would not had asked
- d) would not have asked

38. I've been living here in New York ..... last year.

- a) during
- b) since
- c) for
- d) by

39. We travelled on the Orient Express and had a wonderful .....

- a) voyage
- b) ride
- c) travel
- d) trip

40. The TGV can travel up to 450 .....

- a) kilometres per hour
- b) kilometre per hour
- c) kilometres hour
- d) kilometre hour

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*Divide result by 3 for mark out of 20*

1. b	2.c	3.d	4.b	5.c	6.d	7.b	8.b	9.c	10.a
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21.d	22.a	23.a	24.c	25.d	26.b	27.d	28.c	29.b	30.d
31.a	32.d	33.c	34.b	35.a	36.c	37.d	38.b	39.d	40.a

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« Vous connaissez Gatsby depuis longtemps ? me suis-je renseigné.

- Plusieurs années, répondit-il avec satisfaction. J'ai eu le plaisir de faire sa connaissance à la fin de la guerre. Mais j'ai su que j'avais rencontré un homme de bonne éducation après avoir discuté avec lui pendant une heure. Je me suis dit : « c'est le genre d'homme que l'on aimerait ramener chez soi et présenter à sa mère et sa sœur ». Il fit une pause. Je vois que vous regardez mes boutons de manchette. »

Je ne les avais pas regardées mais je le faisais maintenant. Elles étaient composées de morceaux d'ivoire étrangement familiers.

« Excellents spécimens de molaires humaines, m'informa-t-il.

- Bien ! Je les regardai de près. Voilà une idée intéressante.
- Ouais. Il fit remonter ses manches sous son manteau. Ouais, Gatsby est très prudent au sujet des femmes. Il ne se permettrait pas même de regarder la femme d'un ami. »

Lorsque le sujet de cette confiance instinctive revint s'asseoir à la table, Mr Wolfshiem but son café d'un trait et se leva.

« J'ai apprécié mon déjeuner, dit-il, et je m'empresse de vous quitter, jeunes gens, avant d'abuser de votre hospitalité.

- Ne vous faites pas de soucis, Meyer », dit Gatsby, sans enthousiasme. Mr Wolfshiem leva la main, comme pour nous bénir.

« Vous êtes très poli, mais j'appartiens à une autre génération, annonça-t-il de façon solennelle. Restez assis là, discutez de sport et de vos jeunes amies et de votre – ». Il nous livra un nom imaginaire d'un autre geste de la main. « En ce qui me concerne, j'ai cinquante ans, et je n'imposerai pas ma présence plus longtemps. »

Lorsqu'il serra les mains et se tourna, son nez tragique tremblait. Je me demandai si j'avais pu dire quelque chose d'offensant.

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1. Please refrain ..... in this building.

- a) of smoke
- b) from smoking
- c) for smoking
- d) to smoke

2. This machine is very ....., it saves us a lot of money.

- a) effective
- b) workable
- c) efficient
- d) performing

3. No witnesses of the accident have .....

- a) come out.
- b) looked into.
- c) looked up.
- d) come forward.

4. The director moved to California where he ..... two new films at the time of his death.

- a) was to make
- b) was making
- c) has been making
- d) has to make

5. Having left London at 9am they ..... in Paris by now.

- a) have arrived
- b) should arrive
- c) should have arrived
- d) were arrived

6. .... the HR manager says, the planned cutbacks will go ahead.

- a) However
- b) Whenever
- c) No matter where
- d) No matter what

7. Not only ..... football very well, but he was also a very good musician.

- a) was playing Paul
- b) did Paul play
- c) Paul plays
- d) has Paul played

8. I wish you ..... with us to the match last weekend.

- a) have come
- b) had come
- c) came
- d) come

9. The head teacher ordered the children .....

- a) stop the fight.
- b) to stop to fight.
- c) to stop fighting.
- d) stop fighting.

10. I promise to phone you the moment I .....

- a) arrive.
- b) am arriving.
- c) will arrive.
- d) arrived.

11. Susan's boss coaxed her ..... on weekends.

- a) into working
- b) for working
- c) in order to work
- d) so as to work

12. Only later on ..... I had been talking to a very famous actor.

- a) did I realise
- b) I realised
- c) I have realised
- d) have I realised

13. Do you remember ..... the tickets yesterday?

- a) to buy
- b) buying
- c) having been bought
- d) to have bought

14. Certain products are quite hard to ..... in developing countries.

- a) come off
- b) come by
- c) come over
- d) come for

15. It's high time you .....

- a) did go to bed
- b) go to bed
- c) went to bed
- d) do go to bed

16. We've just bought a really time-saving..... for making bottles.

- a) furniture
- b) machine
- c) equipment
- d) machinery

17. I hope you ..... before our next inspection.

- a) are having to see it
- b) have it to see
- c) will see to have it
- d) will have it seen to

18. The exam was ..... difficult that several students walked out.

- a) as
- b) so
- c) such
- d) very

19. The television is still on, my parents ..... to turn it off.

- a) should have forgotten
- b) must have forgotten
- c) are to forget
- d) have to forget

20. The builders have been working on that row of houses ..... ages.

- a) since
- b) during
- c) for
- d) from

21. The company's annual turnover is about 40,000,000 euro.

- a) 40 million of euro
- b) 40 millions euro
- c) 40 millions of euro
- d) 40 million euro

22. Why was .....

- a) such a project put forward
- b) put forward such a project
- c) put forward a such project
- d) a such project put forward

23. The new manager has had a very positive ..... on all the staff.

- a) effect
- b) effecting
- c) affect
- d) affecting

24. The teacher ..... John ..... the written work before he went home.

- a) did/make
- b) had/done
- c) made/do
- d) made/make

25. If you ..... the question correctly you ..... \$100,000.

- a) will answer/win
- b) are answering/are winning
- c) had answered/have won
- d) answer/will win

26. While you are travelling, don't forget to ..... me.

- a) keep on to
- b) keep in touch with
- c) keep time with
- d) keep contact to

27. Seldom ..... to take time off work to spend with her children.

- a) she is able
- b) was she being able
- c) she was able
- d) has she been able

28. Ten years after the company's creation, they are proud to announce .....

- a) an important profit
- b) a great benefit
- c) a substantial profit
- d) an interesting benefit

29. She is a very ..... person, the slightest thing makes her cry.

- a) sensible
- b) sensitive
- c) senseless
- d) sensational



30. The students were happy to ..... all the things the visiting professor could ..... them.
- a) teach/teach
  - b) learn/learn
  - c) teach/learn
  - d) learn/teach
31. Now is hardly the time to ..... a pay rise.
- a) put in for
  - b) put up with
  - c) put out of
  - d) put down to
32. You can go in to see the manager now, he appears ..... on the phone.
- a) finishing
  - b) to finish
  - c) having finished
  - d) to have finished
33. .... better for the interview, she would have had a better chance of getting the job.
- a) If Mary prepared
  - b) If Mary did prepare
  - c) Had Mary prepared
  - d) Was Mary preparing
34. I am not ..... so late.
- a) used staying up
  - b) used to staying up
  - c) used having stayed up
  - d) used to stay up
35. This manufacturer is going to ..... a new subsidiary in Eastern Europe.
- a) set up
  - b) settle
  - c) set out
  - d) settle down
36. .... you see Kevin, please give him this message.
- a) Do
  - b) Will
  - c) Should
  - d) –
37. .... he got the job ..... KPMG, he moved ..... New York.
- a) For/in/at
  - b) From/in/to
  - c) After/at/in
  - d) After/at/to

38. All the students suggested ..... later in the morning.

- a) being started
- b) starting
- c) to start
- d) having to start

39. You ..... to go to the tax office this morning as I've already talked to them on the phone.

- a) won't have needed
- b) needn't
- c) will need
- d) won't need

40. After the storm many people.....

- a) had the roofs of their houses repaired.
- b) were to have repaired the roofs of their houses.
- c) made the roofs of their houses repaired.
- d) did have repaired the roofs of their houses.

## CORRIGE ANGLAIS

### QCM :

1. b	2.c	3.d	4.b	5.c	6.d	7.b	8.b	9.c	10.a
11.a	12.a	13.b	14.b	15.c	16.b	17.d	18.b	19.b	20.c
21.d	22.a	23.a	24.c	25.d	26.b	27.d	28.c	29.b	30.d
31.a	32.d	33.c	34.b	35.a	36.c	37.d	38.b	39.d	40.a

### VERSION :

« N’y a-t-il pas une rivière / un ruisseau près d’ici ? murmura / chuchota-t-il.

- C’est vrai, il y a une rivière. Elle est au bord du champ d’à côté, en fait. On y trouve des poissons, des bien gros. Tu peux les voir dans les bassins sous les saules, frétilant de la queue.
- C’est le pays doré / d’or – ou presque, murmura-t-il.
- Le pays d’or ?
- Ce n’est rien vraiment. Un paysage que j’ai vu en rêve quelquefois.
- Regarde ! murmura Julia. »

Une grive s’était posée sur une branche, à moins de cinq mètres, presque à la hauteur de leurs visages. Peut-être ne les avait-elle pas vus. Elle était au soleil, eux à l’ombre. Elle déploya ses ailes, les replia précautionneusement, rentra sa tête un moment comme en signe d’obéissance au soleil, avant de commencer à déverser / répandre un torrent de chant / chanson. Dans la quiétude de l’après-midi, le volume sonore était impressionnant. Winston et Julia étaient accrochés / agrippés l’un à l’autre, fascinés. La musique continua, minute après minute, variant étonnamment, sans jamais se répéter, comme si l’oiseau montrait / vantait délibérément sa virtuosité. Parfois, il s’arrêtait quelques secondes, étirait puis rangeait / rentra ses ailes, puis gonflait sa poitrine tachetée et reprenait son chant. Winston le regardait avec une sorte de vague respect. Pour qui, pourquoi cet oiseau chantait-il ? Aucun partenaire / compagnon ne le regardait. Quelle raison l’avait poussé à s’asseoir à l’orée de la forêt et déverser son chant dans le vide / néant ? Il se demanda si, après tout, il y avait un microphone caché près d’ici. Lui et Julia n’avaient échangé que des murmures et cela n’aurait pas enregistré ce qu’ils avaient dit, mais cela aurait enregistré la grive. Peut-être qu’à l’autre bout de l’instrument un petit homme ressemblant à un scarabée écoutait attentivement, écoutait cela. Mais, graduellement, le flot de musique chassa / dissipa toute spéculation de son esprit. On aurait dit qu’une espèce de liquide l’avait recouvert et s’était mélangé à la lumière du soleil que filtraient / filtrée par les feuilles.

George Orwell - 1984

## ANGLAIS

***QCM***  
(20 POINTS SUR 60)

**Cochez la bonne réponse sur la grille fournie**

*(Bonne réponse: 3 points ; mauvaise réponse: -1 point ; pas de réponse: 0 point)*

1/ John did not allow his handicap ..... from working.

- a) preventing him
- b) prevent him
- c) to prevent him
- d) to be preventing him

2/ You are invited to ..... the course which will start in September.

- a) register for
- b) inscribe to
- c) subscribe to
- d) subscribe for

3/ After a long and exhausting climb, they ..... reached the mountain top.

- a) eventually
- b) at the end
- c) by the end
- d) finally

4/ I have developed ..... taste for finance.

- a) a deep
- b) a real
- c) a terrible
- d) a profound

5/ Please ..... the box until you have read all the instructions.

- a) not to open
- b) have to open
- c) not open
- d) do not open

6/ We are here today to discuss ..... the preliminary report.

- a) about
- b) of
- c) -
- d) on

7/ His job entailed writing many letters of apology to customers ..... developing new products.

- a) rather than
- b) than
- c) instead
- d) rather

8/ She couldn't stand the noise of the traffic below, which ..... her from sleeping.

- a) perturbed
- b) disturbed
- c) interrupted
- d) prevented

9/ The new hand-held computer games are hard to ..... in the pre-Christmas period.

- a) come by
- b) come off
- c) come to
- d) come over

10/ When the employees have begun to respect the new guidelines, ..... bring in the new bonus scheme.

- a) we would be able to
- b) would we be able to
- c) will we be able to
- d) we will be able to

11/ I hope to have ..... my ambition to be a partner in the law firm by the time I am 40.

- a) achieved
- b) reached
- c) completed
- d) obtained

12/ I only wish he would tell me what I ..... do in this difficult situation.

- a) would
- b) shall
- c) should
- d) ought

13/ As soon as the ferocious tiger escaped from his cage, he ..... the hills.

- a) made off
- b) made for
- c) made up
- d) made out

14/ You may borrow my camera ..... you return it in one piece.

- a) as long as
- b) even if
- c) as much as
- d) whether

15/ Isn't it time you ..... that report?

- a) do finish
- b) finish
- c) finished
- d) did finish

16/ This old computer really .....

- a) needs repaired.
- b) requires to be repaired.
- c) needs to be repairing.
- d) needs repairing.

17/ I never managed to ..... the teacher that I hadn't cheated.

- a) admit
- b) convince
- c) trust
- d) confide

18/ Bifocal glasses are among the inventions ..... Benjamin Franklin.

- a) which have been attributed to
- b) what have been attributed to
- c) which attributed to
- d) which were attributed to

19/ The video is still here! John ..... to return it to the library.

- a) should have forgotten
- b) is to forget
- c) has to forget
- d) must have forgotten

20/ She has been writing that article ..... ages.

- a) for
- b) since
- c) during
- d) from

21/ The cost of the house was approximately €350,000.

- a) 350 thousand of euros
- b) 350 thousands euros
- c) 350 thousands of euros
- d) 350 thousand euros

22/ He's got an awfully high opinion ..... himself.

- a) on
- b) of
- c) to
- d) for

23/ I don't ..... babysitting, I'm staying in anyway.

- a) mind
- b) care for
- c) object
- d) matter

24/ Mercury ..... by Theophrastus in 300 BC.

- a) has been first discovered
- b) is first discovered
- c) was first discovered
- d) it was first discovered

25/ More newspapers are sold ..... the President's personal life becomes interesting.

- a) always
- b) however
- c) whenever
- d) whether

26/ I like using IT tools ..... Dreamweaver and Adobe Photoshop.

- a) as
- b) such as
- c) that
- d) than

27/ .....we know the children are safe, we will not worry about them.

- a) Even though
- b) Although
- c) As long as
- d) However

28/ The trainer knew that we were busy and promised not to ..... us very long.

- a) postpone
- b) retard
- c) withhold
- d) keep

29/ Students are expected to respect the ..... of next Friday for handing in the paper.

- a) deadline
- b) delay
- c) timing
- d) schedule

30/ I don't know how she ..... him for all those years.

- a) put down to
- b) put up with
- c) put in for
- d) put out of

31/ I'm ..... my driving test next week, I hope I'll .....

- a) passing; success.
- b) taking; pass.
- c) passing; pass.
- d) passing; succeed.

32/ ..... food in this restaurant is quite expensive.

- a) A
- b) These
- c) -
- d) That

33/ John would have finished the marathon ..... over a longer period.

- a) if he trained
- b) if he did train
- c) was he training
- d) had he trained

34/ He stopped the car ..... a phone call.

- a) to make
- b) making
- c) to making
- d) so to make

35/ One of ..... is the Sound of Music.

- a) favourite film
- b) my favourite film
- c) my film favourite
- d) my favourite films

36/ The company's turnover rose ..... 10 % ..... €25m.

- a) to; at
- b) by; to
- c) from; to
- d) by; at

37/ She's moving ..... Paris ..... the end of the month.

- a) to; for
- b) in; at
- c) in; to
- d) to; at



38/ Sean ..... a lot of business in the Far East recently.

- a) has been doing
- b) has been making
- c) has made
- d) made

39/ All exchange students are expected to ..... with the laws of their host country.

- a) consent
- b) comply
- c) agree
- d) assent

40/ I'm amazed at how generous she is when you know ..... she earns.

- a) how not very much
- b) how least
- c) how little
- d) how less



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*Corrigé*

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21.d	22.b	23.a	24.c	25.c	26.b	27.c	28.d	29.a	30.b
31.b	32.c	33.d	34.a	35.d	36.b	37.d	38.a	39.b	40.c

## QCM

*Cochez la bonne réponse sur la grille fournie*

**(Bonne réponse: 3 points ; mauvaise réponse: -1 point ; pas de réponse: 0 point)**

- 1/ ..... has always been a hugely popular sport in France.
  - a) To ride
  - b) To cycle
  - c) Cycle
  - d) Cycling
  
- 2/ The healthful properties of ..... for centuries.
  - a) have known
  - b) have knew
  - c) have been known
  - d) have been knowing
  
- 3/ Egypt is a city ..... ancient traditions can still be seen.
  - a) those
  - b) that
  - c) which
  - d) where
  
- 4/ ..... the Great Chicago Fire was caused by a cow kicking over a lantern has been told to American school children for many generations.
  - a) That
  - b) -
  - c) To burn in
  - d) Burning in
  
- 5/ He was a beautiful pianist, ..... he was barely 6 years old..
  - a) besides
  - b) whether
  - c) although
  - d) even
  
- 6/ ..... not until the invention of computers that supply chain management became so effective.
  - a) There
  - b) There was
  - c) It
  - d) It was
  
- 7/ Those for ..... sailing is an obsession would find life in Baltimore to their liking.
  - a) who
  - b) where
  - c) whom
  - d) whose
  
- 8/ He suffered from kidney ..... in the last days of his life.
  - a) sickness
  - b) failure
  - c) failing
  - d) ailing

- 9/ Succulent tomatoes are hard to ..... in northern Europe in the winter months.
- a) come off
  - b) come to
  - c) come over
  - d) come by
- 10/ You ..... start writing the report until you've read all the relevant documents.
- a) couldn't
  - b) wouldn't
  - c) shouldn't
  - d) won't
- 11/ He hopes to have ..... the level of assistant manager by the time he turns 35.
- a) reached
  - b) completed
  - c) obtained
  - d) acquired
- 12/ Your former boss gave us a ..... account of all that you achieved with your previous employer.
- a) broad
  - b) glowing
  - c) bright
  - d) awful
- 13/ We need to crack down on the ..... use of drugs.
- a) wide
  - b) outright
  - c) widespread
  - d) large
- 14/ I will lend you the money ..... you repay me by the weekend.
- a) as long as
  - b) even if
  - c) as much as
  - d) whether
- 15/ He was able to predict what was going to happen with ..... accuracy.
- a) good
  - b) clear
  - c) uncanny
  - d) carefree
- 16/ The Cherokee Indians, ..... west on the Trail of Tears in the 19th century, were originally from the Appalachian Mountains.
- a) forcing
  - b) forced
  - c) had forced
  - d) being forced
- 17/ She never managed to ..... to the crime.
- a) convince
  - b) honour
  - c) confide
  - d) admit

- 18/ ..... eating a Black Forest Gateau, Charles broke a tooth.
- a) During
  - b) While
  - c) Until
  - d) Since
- 19/ ..... do I have a headache, I also have a really bad cold.
- a) Not only
  - b) Although
  - c) As soon as
  - d) Until
- 20/ She has been living in London ..... many years.
- a) for
  - b) since
  - c) during
  - d) from
- 21/ He takes home about €2,000 every month.
- a) two thousand of euro
  - b) two thousands euro
  - c) two thousands of euro
  - d) two thousand euro
- 22/ We need to find a new site with ..... access to the European motorway network.
- a) outright
  - b) ready
  - c) widespread
  - d) pronounced
- 23/ I don't know him very well, he's just a ..... acquaintance.
- a) latest
  - b) quite
  - c) fast
  - d) casual
- 24/ Although ..... the UK illegally may be risky, many who find work there think it worthwhile.
- a) he enters
  - b) having entered
  - c) entering
  - d) when entering
- 25/ In 1970, Mr George Kell, a Canadian scientist, ..... that warm water freezes more quickly than cold water.
- a) proving
  - b) proved
  - c) has proved
  - d) proves
- 26/ He enjoys using IT tools ..... Flash and Adobe Photoshop.
- a) such as
  - b) which
  - c) than
  - d) as

- 27/ Only through diplomatic foreign intervention can a Middle East ceasefire .....
- a) be reached.
  - b) to reach.
  - c) reaching.
  - d) being reached.
- 28/ It is very important not to ..... the customer any longer than necessary.
- a) postpone
  - b) retard
  - c) withhold
  - d) keep
- 29/ Fox hunting as a valid form of pest control has come under stark criticism ..... animal rights activists.
- a) over
  - b) as
  - c) to
  - d) by
- 30/ They have .....
- a) been to England many times.
  - b) been many times to England.
  - c) many times been to England.
  - d) many times gone to England.
- 31/ He ..... his pilot's test last week and ..... with flying colours.
- a) took; passed
  - b) passed; succeed
  - c) took; managed
  - d) passed; passed
- 32/ The winter snow was ..... 16 feet deep in places.
- a) out from
  - b) up to
  - c) out of
  - d) across from
- 33/ People have been ..... print versions of newspapers less frequently in recent years.
- a) purchased
  - b) purchase
  - c) purchasing
  - d) purchases
- 34/ They postponed the meeting ..... the funeral of a former colleague.
- a) to attend
  - b) attending
  - c) to attending
  - d) so to attend
- 35/ In this office there is always a lot of ..... activity going on, however, nothing seems to get done.
- a) careless
  - b) frenetic
  - c) high

d) speedy

36/ The employment rate dropped ..... 65% ..... 63% in a short period due to the credit crunch.

- a) to; at
- b) from; to
- c) by; to
- d) by; at

37/ Mary's flight from Sydney took over 13 hours: She ..... be exhausted.

- a) could
- b) would
- c) must
- d) may

38/ Only if ..... will customers really know what they are eating.

- a) is the law changed
- b) the law is changed
- c) the law being changed
- d) is changed the law

39/ One of the least well-known treasures in Paris is ..... the Parisians call "La Mosquée d'Islam".

- a) that
- b) why
- c) what
- d) where

40/ At each end of the tube ....., one which gathers light and one which magnifies the image.

- a) two lenses are
- b) two lenses are there
- c) are two lenses there
- d) are two lenses





