LEVEL 3 - A2 du CECRL



JEUDI 9 MAI 2019 - Durée 45 minutes

- L'épreuve est individuelle. Les livres et dictionnaires sont interdits.
- Les 45 questions sont regroupées par compétence. 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 guestions (couleur claire) rapportent 5 points, les guestions
- (couleur intermédiaire) rapportent 6 points et les questions
- (couleur foncée) 7 points.
- 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.



ta grille réponses. Ce login te sera indispensable pour accéder à tes résultats sur internet.



>>> Mardi 14 mai 2019 <<<

Les corrigés des questions seront disponibles sur le site.

>>> Jeudi 6 juin 2019 <<<

Les résultats seront intégralement disponibles et chaque participant pourra imprimer son propre CERTIFICAT OFFICIEL sur son compte.

A clothes shop 1 The boy in the photo a new shirt.

A. is paying C. wants

B. is calling D. have got

2 The boy is wearing

A. a hat C. a green polo shirt

D. sunglasses B. a grey T-shirt

Find the group of words that is associated with clothes.

A. trousers, tie, shorts C. socks, skirt, bus

B. plate, jeans, pocket D. size, cloud, coat the BIG Challenge

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B Vocabulary

4 My uncle works in a where they make washing machines.

A. furniture

R moon

C. castle

D. factory

5 You can't see the house from the street because there's a high wall it.

A. over

A. pull

B. around

C. across

D. above

6 Will you on the light, please? It's dark in here.

B. switch

C. make

D. run

Jenny is nervous and uncomfortable with other people. In other words, she is

B. friendly

C. scary

D. amusing

8 Choose a name for this "family" of words: wing, pilot, fly.

A. Planes

R Rinds

C. Insects

D. Cars

C An email

Your advertisement

From: Janet and Peter Hawthorne

Sally Hardiman

Sent: 18 September

Dear Sally,

We have recently moved to Bexley from London and are looking for a piano teacher for our youngest son Billy, who will be 10 in October. We saw your advertisement in the local paper and would like to know how much you charge, when you are free, etc. Could Billy come once a week for an hour after school?

Best regards,

Janet and Peter Hawthorne

9 What do you know about Sally?

A. She lives in London.

C. She has got a son.

B. She gives piano lessons.

D. She doesn't work.

10 What do you know about Janet and Peter?

A. They have lived in Bexley for a long time.

B. Before they moved, they lived in London.

C. They want to buy a piano.

D. They met Sally in a local shop.

11 What do you know about Billy?

A. He can play the piano very well.

C. It's his birthday next month.

B. He's got a younger brother.

D. He is a teenager.

12 In the email, Janet and Peter

A. suggest several lessons every week

B. say they think Sally is a good teacher

C. ask if the lessons are free

D. ask about the cost of lessons

D Verbs

13 How often to the cinema?

A. are you going B. do you go C. have you got D. is he

14 She isn't in her office at the moment — she lunch.

A. is having

B. cooks her

C. ate the

D. can wait

15 I'm sure to the party if you invite him.

A. he comes

B. he'll come

C. he's coming

D. he would like

16 After dinner, she chapter two of the book and then went to bed. A. has written B. read

C. was making

D. looks at

17 Julia has had toothache She really must see a dentist.

C. when she got up this morning

A. two days ago B. since yesterday

D. last Monday



18 On this sort of tour bus, a lot of people prefer to sit, like the couple in the picture.

A. upstairs

B. above

C. inside

D. in the sky

19 The bus tour two hours. B. passes

C. lasts

D. times

A. visiting

A. makes

Every day, this bus takes tourists on tours of London. B. sightseeing

C. circle

D. everywhere

21 The couple are on a day to London.

A. ride

B. travel

C. voyage

D. trip

F English-speaking countries

22 American children usually go to school when they are 14 or 15.

A. second

B. high

C. primary

D. elementary

Niagara Falls are on the border between

A. the USA and Mexico

C. England and Scotland

B. Canada and the USA

D. India and Pakistan

The Union Jack is another name for the

A. uniform of an English soldier

C. American constitution

B. train from Washington, D.C. to New York D. flag of the United Kingdom

25 Find the event that happened in 1776.

A. Wellington defeated Napoleon at the battle of Waterloo.

B. William Shakespeare wrote Romeo and Juliet.

C. The first underground railway in the world was opened in London.

D. The United States said it wanted to be an independent nation.

G Situations

26 You are trying on a pair of jeans in a shop. They're too small for you. What can you say to the assistant?

A. "They don't fit."

C. "They don't suit me."

B. "Can I have a smaller size?"

D. "I'll take them."

27 Someone replies, "Yes. Take the first left." What question did you ask?

A. "Are there any more sandwiches?"

B. "Can I take one of those books?"

C. "Did I win a prize?"

D. "Do you know the way to the station?"

28 Kate is invited to Joe's parents' barbecue. She asks Joe, "Can I bring my dog?" He says, "I'm sure no one will mind." What does he mean?

A. Nobody will notice her dog. C. No one likes dogs.

B. It won't be a problem.

D. Bringing her dog isn't a good idea.

29 A woman says, "I'm sorry, I don't have an appointment. Is that all right?" Where is she?

A. At the cash desk of a supermarket.

C. In a cinema.

B. At the hairdresser's.

D. In a taxi.

30 You are calling Richard on the phone. He answers and asks you to wait. What can he say?

A. "Hold on a second."

C. "Pick up."

B. "Hang up, please."

D. "Don't be patient."

31 Fiona tells her mother, "My best friend made fun of my new necklace." What can her mother say to her?

A. "Of course. I told you it looked lovely, didn't !?"

B. "Well, it isn't everyone's cup of tea."

C. "It was nice of you to share it." D. "I'm so glad she had a good time."

H Sounds

"Done" rhymes with "....".

A. turn

B. gone

C. own

D. fun

33 The "a" in "distance" has the same sound as the "a" in "....".

A. actor

B. place

C. about

D. father

"Australia" = 0 0 o o. "Definitely" =

A. 0 0 0 0

B. 0 O o o

C.0000

 $D, \alpha \alpha \alpha \Omega$

A social media post



Ten days of rain and the river is getting higher. I wasn't worried until I spoke to Bill and Caroline who live next door. They say the same thing happened five years ago - but they weren't prepared for it. They woke up one morning to find the ground floor under 60 cm of water! So they've moved everything upstairs – everything they can move! - and, if the rain doesn't stop tomorrow, they're going to stay with some friends in Manchester. I really don't want to leave my home but, if I have to, then I'll do the same – and come and stay with one of you. Is that OK?

Comment Comment

35 Find an appropriate title for this text.

A. A Sudden Change in the Weather C. A Possible Disaster

D. Rescuing the Neighbours

B. A Terrible Holiday

36 When Meagan posted this,

A. it wasn't raining

C. she wasn't at all worried

B. her house wasn't under water D. the weather was getting better

37 What do we know for certain about Meagan?

A. She has lived in this house for less than five years.

B. She has got some friends in Manchester.

C. She knows she will have to leave her house.

D. She is going to stay with one of her friends.

38 What do you think Bill and Caroline said to Meagan?

A. "Don't worry. Nothing bad will happen."

B. "You can't be too careful."

C. "If it doesn't stop raining, we'll stay here."

D. "Do the same as we did five years ago."

J Sentences

39 When I go on holiday, my grandparents always ask a postcard.

A. for sending them

C. will I send for them

B. me to send them

D. if I send them

40 I don't think there's than a long hot bath. A. something nicer

C. ever had

B. nothing more relaxing

D. anything better

41 Of all the movies, which is your favourite? A. that have made B. you've seen

C. starred Tom Cruise D. were made in Hollywood

K The Biggest Challenge

Complete the "family" of words: hurry, run, gallop,

B. wander

A. pens/pence B. mist/missed C. meat/meet

C. hike

43 When the penguins out of their cages, we fed them with fish.

A. have all come

C. have been allowed D. are permitted

B. were finally let

44 Which pair of words doesn't sound the same?

D. weight/wait

45 is a public holiday in the USA. It commemorates something that happened almost 400 years ago.

A. Thanksgiving

C. Easter Monday

B. Remembrance Day

D. Martin Luther King Day