

Practice Test 9

Practice Test 9: Choose the answer that is grammatically correct in the context of the sentence. There is only one correct answer.

1. John's _____ good-looking than his twin brother.
a. much
b. most
c. more
d. a little
2. If you finish work early, we _____ to the theatre this evening.
a. 'll go
b. go
c. going to go
d. went
3. John would be very pleased if he _____ a bonus at the end of the year.
a. received
b. receiving
c. 'd receive
d. receive
4. I _____ after Jane's cat while she's on vacation.
a. look
b. going to look
c. 'm looking
d. looked
5. Carol: "Don't tell anyone my secret." Carol told me _____ anyone her secret.
a. don't tell
b. not telling
c. not to tell
d. didn't tell
6. You look exhausted. You work _____ hard!
a. too
b. too much
c. a lot
d. enough
7. Eugenio Montale, an Italian poet, _____ the Nobel Prize in Literature in 1975.
a. was winning
b. won
c. is won
d. win
8. Lucille _____ fifteen letters since 9 o'clock.
a. has written
b. wrote
c. has been writing
d. writes
9. Jean _____ well for over a month, so her doctor prescribed some sleeping pills.
a. hadn't been sleeping
b. wasn't sleeping
c. isn't sleeping
d. doesn't sleep

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10. Do you know if tomorrow's meeting is going to _____ off?

- a. be calling
- b. be called
- c. call
- d. been called

11. Before we decided to move, our house had _____ into several times.

- a. been breaking
- b. broken
- c. been broken
- d. broke

12. This is the office _____ I work.

- a. where
- b. Nessuna risposta
- c. which
- d. whose

13. Yesterday I _____ babysit for my neighbor.

- a. must
- b. have to
- c. had to
- d. should

14. Ten-year-old Mike: "I'm _____ watch too much television during the week."

- a. not allowed to
- b. can't
- c. couldn't
- d. shouldn't

15. That man doesn't have a job, but he spends a lot of money. He _____ surely be very rich.

- a. must
- b. can't
- c. couldn't
- d. might