

Prima A placement test June 2012, version I

Total score: / 40

Name, surname _____

- A. **LISTENING: Listen to the recording and circle ONE correct answer to each question. You will hear the recording twice.** / Poslechni si nahrávku a zakroužkuj JEDNU správnou odpověď na každou otázku. Nahrávku uslyšíš dvakrát. <http://esl.about.com/library/media/audio/reservation.mp3> max. 10 pts.

- What day would the man like to make a reservation for? A) Saturday B) Friday C) Thursday
- What date is the reservation for? A) 12th B) 2nd C) 22nd
- What time does he like to make the reservation for? A) 18 o'clock B) eight o'clock C) nine o'clock
- How many people does he make a reservation for? A) 5 B) 4 C) 3
- What is his surname? A) Leavens B) Liavens C) Liavins

- B. **READING COMPREHENSION: Read the text and circle ONE correct answer to each question.** / Přečti si text a zakroužkuj JEDNU správnou odpověď na každou otázku max. 10 pts.

Nasreddin and the Smell of Soup



One day, a poor man, who had only one piece of bread to eat, was walking past a restaurant. There was a large pot of soup on the table. The poor man held his bread over the soup, so the steam from the soup went into the bread, and gave it a good smell. Then he ate the bread.

The restaurant owner was very angry at this, and he asked the man for money, in exchange for the steam from the soup. The poor man had no money, so the restaurant owner took him to Nasreddin, who was a judge at that time. Nasreddin thought about the case for a little while.

Then he took some money from his pocket. He held the coins next to the restaurant owner's ear, and shook them, so that they made a jingling noise.

"What was that?" asked the restaurant owner.

"That was payment for you," answered Nasreddin.

"What do you mean? That was just the sound of coins!" protested the restaurant owner.

"The sound of the coins is payment for the smell of the soup," answered Nasreddin. "Now go back to your restaurant."

1. What food did the poor man have? a) soup b) bread c) nothing
2. What kind of food did he see in the restaurant? a) bread b) meat c) soup
3. Why did he hold the bread over the soup? a) So the steam from the soup would go into the bread. b) So he could warm his hand. c) So the restaurant owner would get angry.
4. Why did the restaurant owner take the poor man to Nasreddin? a) Because Nasreddin was a judge. b) So that Nasreddin could pay for the soup. c) Because Nasreddin was the man's relative.
5. What did Nasreddin do with the coins? a) He gave them to the restaurant owner. b) He made a noise with them. c) He gave them to the poor man.

C. ENGLISH IN USE: Circle ONE correct answer/ Zakroužkujte JEDNU správnou odpověď

max. 30 pts.

1. I don't want to go _____ home. a) - b) at c) to
2. Who _____ to, Adam? a) do you talking b) are you talking c) are you talk
3. Look at _____ young lady over there. a) that b) these c) this
4. Where are the _____ from the kitchen? a) box b) boxs c) boxes
5. _____ five shopping bags in her father's car. a) There's b) Are there c) There are
6. _____ in her bed last weekend? a) Does Sarah sleep b) Did Sarah sleep c) Does Sarah slept
7. Kamila _____ to eat a lot of fruit. a) trys b) tries c) tries
8. Why _____ her hands? a) musts Diane wash b) does Diane must wash c) must Diane wash
9. A monkey is _____. a) an animal b) a thing c) a building
10. Stella's parents _____ me. a) doesn't know b) know not c) don't know
11. _____ Maths your favourite school subject? a) Is b) Am c) are
12. At school, students learn about animals and plants in: a) Physics b) Physical Education c) Biology
13. What is your _____ surname? a) Mum's and Dad's b) Mum and Dad's c) Mum's and Dad
14. _____ drink this horrible coffee. a) Don't let b) Let's not c) Not let's
15. 14:35 in words is: a) ten to quarter to three b) thirty-five past two c) twenty-five to three
16. _____ this word in English, please. a) Spell b) You spell c) Spelling
17. What time do your lessons finish on Tuesday? a) At two o'clock. b) In two o'clock. c) On two o'clock.
18. Your father's sister is your: a) mother b) grandma c) aunt
19. What colour is _____ bag in my left hand? a) - b) a c) the
20. _____ old is Carol's best friend? a) How b) Why c) Where
21. Can you _____ me with my project? a) to help b) helping c) help
22. Oh, I _____ to work now, it's half past seven. a) must b) must go c) must going
23. Why _____ at four o'clock a.m.? a) you get up b) get up you c) do you get up
24. _____ that on my desk. a) Do not b) Don't do c) Not do
25. At the moment my brother _____ a PC game. a) plays b) is playing c) play
26. Are there _____ really nice boys in your class? a) a b) some c) any
27. Aunt Emma and _____ husband, uncle Richard, live near London. a) my b) his c) her
28. _____ to New York on holiday. a) Let's fly b) Lets fly c) Let's to fly
29. _____ his new Lamborghini next Sunday? a) You will drive b) Will you drive c) Will drive you
30. People usually use an umbrella when: a) It's snowing. b) The sun is shining. c) It's raining.