



Alliance Française

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PLACEMENT TEST FOR ENGLISH CLASSES

**Section 1: Multiple-Choice Questions (15 questions, approx. 10 minutes)**

Each question has 4 answer options, with only one correct answer.

**Part A: Reading Comprehension and Vocabulary (6 questions)**

1. \_What time does the train leave?\_
  - A) At the station
  - B) In the morning
  - C) It's blue
  - D) At 9:00 AM
2. \_Where is the nearest supermarket?\_
  - A) On the corner of Maple Street
  - B) With your brother
  - C) Near the library
  - D) It's sunny
3. \_She works at a school. She is a...\_
  - A) Teacher
  - B) Doctor
  - C) Engineer
  - D) Lawyer
4. \_Yesterday, I \_\_\_\_\_ to the cinema.\_
  - A) going
  - B) go
  - C) went
  - D) gone
5. \_If it rains tomorrow, we \_\_\_\_\_ at home.\_
  - A) will stay
  - B) staying
  - C) stayed
  - D) have stayed

6. What does "to make up your mind" mean?\_
- A) To change your decision
  - B) To decide something
  - C) To fix something
  - D) To understand a situation

**Part B: Grammar (9 questions)**

7. She \_\_\_\_\_ reading a book right now.\_
- A) is
  - B) are
  - C) be
  - D) was
8. I \_\_\_\_\_ never been to New York.\_
- A) has
  - B) have
  - C) am
  - D) was
9. They \_\_\_\_\_ lunch when I arrived.\_
- A) were having
  - B) had
  - C) are having
  - D) have
10. If I \_\_\_\_\_ enough money, I would travel around the world.\_
- A) had
  - B) have
  - C) will have
  - D) was having
11. The book \_\_\_\_\_ by J.K. Rowling.\_
- A) is written
  - B) was written
  - C) wrote
  - D) writing
12. I can't come to the party because I \_\_\_\_\_ a meeting.\_
- A) have
  - B) will have
  - C) having
  - D) am having
13. How long \_\_\_\_\_ they lived here?\_
- A) have
  - B) has
  - C) did
  - D) are

14. I usually \_\_\_\_\_ breakfast at 7 a.m.\_

- A) have
- B) having
- C) has
- D) had

15. We \_\_\_\_\_ see a movie tonight if you want.\_

- A) can
- B) will
- C) could
- D) should

## Section 2: Open-Ended Questions (3 questions, approx. 10 minutes)

### Part C: Writing Skills

1. Write a short paragraph (50-70 words) about your last vacation. Mention where you went, what you did, and if you enjoyed it.\_

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2. Describe your daily routine. Write about your usual activities from the time you wake up until you go to bed (50-70 words).\_

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3. What is your opinion on whether people should be allowed to work from home?  
Give reasons to support your answer (50-70 words).\_

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Congratulations on completing your placement test!

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