

**Выдержки из пособия Александра Пахотина**  
**«Современные обучающие тесты на основе живых диалогов**  
**носителей языка»**  
**Второй уровень**

**От редактора**

Настоящее учебное пособие — это новый шаг в изучении английского языка. Основной принцип тестов данной книги — контроль и развитие навыков устной речи. Это достигается с помощью живых диалогов, написанных носителями языка. С такими тестами Вы еще не встречались. Они — не просто набор случайных предложений с грамматическим или лексическим заданием. Все тесты тематически связаны и дают возможность читателю не только проверить свои знания, но и познакомиться с тем, как носители языка общаются друг с другом в самых различных жизненных ситуациях.

Данная книга является второй из трех книг тестов и предназначена для тех, кто еще недостаточно хорошо знает английский. Она поможет расширить и активизировать ваш словарный запас, научит правильно употреблять слова и выражения.

Каждая из трех книг содержит по 2000 заданий. Важные грамматические структуры и явления повторяются в различных вариантах и ситуациях и, таким образом, углубляют Ваши знания и учат Вас автоматически их использовать в реальном общении с иностранцами.

Тщательно и систематически прорабатывая задание за заданием, тест за тестом, книгу за книгой, Вы сможете намного улучшить свои знания в грамматике и лексике, усовершенствовать навыки речи (если будете читать диалоги вслух), значительно расширить свой словарный запас и научитесь правильно и к месту его употреблять. При этом Ваш лексический запас пополнится не случайными словами и выражениями, а самыми важными и необходимыми для каждодневного общения в англоязычной среде. В каждой из книг тесты фокусируются на двадцати злободневных темах, среди которых здоровье и погода, дружба и характер, спорт и развлечения, путешествия и домашние обязанности, праздники и изучение иностранных языков и многое другое. Каждая последующая книга становится сложнее по уровню заданий и богаче по словарному запасу. Одним словом, выполнив в общей сложности шесть тысяч заданий (!!!), Вы почувствуете уверенность в своих знаниях и перестанете бояться разговаривать на иностранном языке.

И последнее. Все три книги тестов являются составной частью серии пособий для изучающих английский язык под названием “Живой Английский”.

## Как работать с тестами

В большинстве заданий требуется вставить в пропущенное место выбранный правильный вариант

(из предложенных трех или четырех).

Будьте внимательны. Иногда встречаются задания, где предлагается выбрать неправильный вариант.

Есть в тестах и задания другого рода — вставить предлоги, вставить глаголы в правильной форме, вставить подходящие местоимения и т. д.

Рекомендуем выбирать правильный вариант с помощью карандаша.

В этом случае, во-первых, будет легче исправить ошибки, а, во-вторых, можно будет использовать тесты многократно.

В конце книги указаны правильные варианты ответов.

В книге также имеется англо-русский словарь,

в котором можно посмотреть произношение и перевод многих трудных и незнакомых слов.

В словаре после всех неправильных глаголов в скобках даны их формы (past и past participle). Перед некоторыми словами стоит “ам”. Это обозначает американский вариант английского. “Разг” означает разговорный стиль.

## Краткая информация об основных различиях британского и американского вариантов английского языка

### Различия в лексике

Британский вариант	Американский вариант	Перевод
bloke	guy	парень
car park	parking lot	стоянка
chemist's	drugstore	аптека
crossing	crosswalk	переход
draughts	checkers	шашки (игра)
driving licence	driver's license	водительские права
get-got-got	get-got-gotten	получать, доставать
licence plate	license plate	номерной знак
lift	elevator	лифт
film	movie	фильм
flat	apartment	квартира
half an hour	a half-hour	полчаса
holiday	vacation	каникулы, праздник
ill	sick	больной

letter-box	mailbox	почтовый ящик
lorry	truck	грузовик
main road	highway	шоссе
mum	mom	мама
pantry	closet	шкаф, кладовка
pavement	sidewalk	тротуар
petrol station	gas station	заправочная станция
petrol gas	бензин,	горючее
pharmacy	drugstore	аптека
practise	practice	тренироваться
ride in a bus	ride a bus	ехать на автобусе
ring up	call	звонить
rucksack	backpack	рюкзак
shop	store	магазин
small restaurant	diner	небольшой ресторан
tap	faucet	водопроводный кран
traffic-light	stoplight	светофор
tram	streetcar	трамвай
underground	subway	метро

### Различия в написании

Британский вариант	Американский вариант	Перевод
catalogue	catalog	каталог
cheque	check	чек
flavour	flavor	вкус, аромат
programme	program	программа

### Различия в грамматике

Различия в грамматике, в отличие от лексики и правописания, не всегда строгие. В последнее время происходит заметное влияние американского варианта на британский. Надо сказать, что и американцы не всегда употребляют простое прошедшее время (Past Indefinite) вместо настоящего совершенного (Present Perfect). Приведенная ниже таблица имеет целью показать вам, что и в грамматике американский вариант тоже может отличаться от британского, но не всегда и не везде.

**Британский вариант**

**Американский вариант**

Have you a brother?  
Have you ever seen it?  
I have already written this letter.  
I haven't seen her for two years.  
He was taken to hospital.  
She was there all the time.  
Your dog is not so big as mine.  
I wish I were a student.  
I suggest (that) we should go there.

Do you have a brother?  
Did you ever see it?  
I already wrote this letter.  
I haven't seen her in two years.  
He was taken to the hospital.  
She was there all of the time.  
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## LEARNING LANGUAGES

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A: Hello, do you \_\_\_\_\_ (1) English?

1. a) spoke b) speak c) speaks

B: \_\_\_\_\_ (2).

2. a) Yes, I do b) Yes, do I c) Yes, I does

A: Ah, you speak \_\_\_\_\_ (3).

3. a) good b) very c) very well

B: Thank you. I \_\_\_\_\_ (4) it every day.

4. a) am studying b) studies c) study

A: Are you \_\_\_\_\_ (5) Hungarian?

5. a) the b) — c) of

B: Yes. \_\_\_\_\_ (6) nationality are you?

6. a) Whob) What's c) What

A: I'm American, but \_\_\_\_\_ (7) mother is Russian and \_\_\_\_\_ (7) father is Hungarian.

7. a) my ... my b) a ... my c) the ... the

B: \_\_\_\_\_ (8) you speak your \_\_\_\_\_ (9) native languages?

8. a) Can b) Are c) Able

9. a) parents' b) parent c) parents

A: Yes, but I speak Russian \_\_\_\_\_ (10) Hungarian.

10. a) best than b) better than c) the better than

B: I speak Russian, too.

A: \_\_\_\_\_ (11) languages do you speak?

11. a) Very many b) How much c) How many

B: Three — Russian, English, and Hungarian. Of course I speak Hungarian \_\_\_\_\_ (12).

12. a) better b) the best c) the better

A: I can understand Hungarian \_\_\_\_\_ (13) I can't speak it.

13. a) but b) — c) and

B: \_\_\_\_\_ (14) any Hungarian lessons?

14. a) Are you getting b) You are getting c) Getting you are

A: Yes, but I'm always \_\_\_\_\_ (15) to study.

15. a) very tired b) tired c) too tired

B: \_\_\_\_\_ (16) how you feel.

16. a) I know b) I knew c) I am knowing

A: I'm \_\_\_\_\_ (17) taking Hungarian lessons.

17. a) will b) going to stop c) going to

B: But it's \_\_\_\_\_ (18) to be able to communicate.

18. a) so important b) important so c) very so important

- A: Yes, I know. Maybe \_\_\_\_\_ (19).  
 19. a) I am not quitting                      b) I won't quit c) I won't quitting  
 B: If it's too difficult I \_\_\_\_\_ (20) help you.  
 20. a) must                      b) can                      c) have to

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- A: Hey George! \_\_\_\_\_ (1) teaching English in Hungary?  
 1. a) How are you liking                      b) How do you like                      c) How are you like  
 B: Sometimes I like it, but sometimes \_\_\_\_\_ (2).  
 2. a) I don't                      b) I am not                      c) I didn't  
 A: \_\_\_\_\_ (3) classes are you teaching this semester?  
 3. a) Many                      b) How much                      c) How many  
 B: Five.  
 A: Wow! You \_\_\_\_\_ (4) be very busy.  
 4. a) must                      b) can                      c) would  
 B: Yes, I am. \_\_\_\_\_ (5) English, too?  
 5. a) You are teaching                      b) Are you teaching                      c) Teaching you are  
 A: Yes, but I'm only teaching two \_\_\_\_\_ (6) this semester.  
 6. a) a class                      b) class c) classes  
 B: Why \_\_\_\_\_ (7) two classes?  
 7. a) are you only teaching                      b) only teaching are you                      c) you are only teaching  
 A: Because I'm trying \_\_\_\_\_ (8) Hungarian.  
 8. a) learning                      b) to learn                      c) learn  
 B: Hungarian \_\_\_\_\_ (9) a very difficult language to learn.  
 9. a) was                      b) is                      c) are  
 A: How \_\_\_\_\_ (10) to speak Hungarian so well?  
 10. a) learned                      b) did you learn                      c) are you learning  
 B: It took \_\_\_\_\_ (11) hard work. I also had \_\_\_\_\_ (12) teacher.  
 11. a) many                      b) a lot c) a lot of  
 12. a) the                      b) a                      c) —  
 A: I don't have a teacher. I'm trying to learn Hungarian \_\_\_\_\_ (13) a book.  
 13. a) from b) of                      c) into  
 B: You should get a \_\_\_\_\_ (14).  
 14. a) teacher Hungarian language                      b) language Hungarian teacher  
 c) Hungarian language teacher  
 A: Do you know any good \_\_\_\_\_ (15)?  
 15. a) teaches                      b) a teacher                      c) teachers

- B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ (16) Sandor might be able to help you.  
16. a) good friend my b) my good friend c) my friend good
- A: I've met \_\_\_\_\_ (17) Sandor. Are you still giving him English lessons?  
17. a) — b) the c) a
- B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ (18) him the 'past continuous' right now.  
18. a) I teach b) I was teaching c) I'm teaching
- A: It's difficult to teach the 'past continuous' \_\_\_\_\_ (19) Hungarians.  
19. a) to b) at c) of
- B: That's because \_\_\_\_\_ (20) doesn't have the 'past continuous'.  
20. a) Hungarians b) Hungarian c) Hungary

### 3

1. I speak \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) Russian  
b) the Russian  
c) Russia
2. English \_\_\_\_\_ more words than Hungarian.  
a) has  
b) had  
c) have
3. I wish I \_\_\_\_\_ how to speak English.  
a) known  
b) know  
c) knew
4. Most Hungarian students \_\_\_\_\_ Russian in school before 1989.  
a) have learned  
b) learn  
c) learned
5. I always \_\_\_\_\_ English after dinner.  
a) studied  
b) study  
c) studies
6. \_\_\_\_\_ English?  
a) When do you study  
b) When study do you  
c) Study when do you
7. Last year I didn't know how to speak \_\_\_\_\_ English.  
a) any  
b) the  
c) an

8. Now I know many English \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) —
  - b) word
  - c) words
9. I have English lessons \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) last morning
  - b) yesterday morning
  - c) every morning
10. English \_\_\_\_\_ all over the world.
- a) speaks
  - b) spoke
  - c) is spoken
11. I \_\_\_\_\_ English more often.
- a) should practise speaking
  - b) speaking should practise
  - c) practise should speaking
12. I spoke English \_\_\_\_\_ I was in England.
- a) during
  - b) when
  - c) before
13. "Beer" was the \_\_\_\_\_ English word I learned.
- a) second
  - b) two
  - c) many
14. Mary and Jim \_\_\_\_\_ their English in the library.
- a) practicing
  - b) is practicing
  - c) are practising
15. They usually practise English \_\_\_\_\_ the morning.
- a) in
  - b) at
  - c) on
16. They \_\_\_\_\_ practise at night. But now they don't.
- a) —
  - b) used to
  - c) are going to
17. Where do you like \_\_\_\_\_?
- a) study
  - b) to study
  - c) to studying
18. In English, \_\_\_\_\_ sentence must have a subject and a prediate.
- a) —

b) many

c) every

19. The English language's \_\_\_\_\_ important date is 1066.

a) more

b) most

c) many

20. English is a mixture of \_\_\_\_\_ languages.

a) much      b) many      c) a

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1. Do you know anyone who \_\_\_\_\_ French?

a) speaks

b) is speaking

c) speak

2. \_\_\_\_\_ people do you know that speak Italian?

a) How much

b) How many

c) How

3. Why do I \_\_\_\_\_ learn English.

a) have to

b) must

c) should

4. Before you travel abroad, you \_\_\_\_\_ learn English.

a) have to

b) should

c) can

5. If you speak English, you \_\_\_\_\_ communicate with foreigners.

a) could

b) can

c) can't

6. I \_\_\_\_\_ English when I was in Berlin.

a) am speaking

b) speak

c) spoke

7. I can \_\_\_\_\_ three languages.

a) am speaking

b) spoke

c) speak

8. There are over 800,000 English \_\_\_\_\_.

a) letters

b) words

c) word

9. It is impossible to know every English \_\_\_\_\_.

a) language

b) words

c) word

10. Arany Janos translated \_\_\_\_\_ Shakespeare's plays.

a) the

b) any of

c) some of

11. Arany Janos \_\_\_\_\_ a very large vocabulary.

a) have

b) had

c) was having

12. Steven King \_\_\_\_\_ many horror books since 1980.

a) wrote

b) has written

c) writes

13. \_\_\_\_\_ "Hamlet"?

a) You have read

b) Have you read

c) Did you reading

14. I \_\_\_\_\_ "Hamlet" five years ago in high school.

a) read

b) am reading

c) was reading

15. "Hamlet" \_\_\_\_\_ in English.

a) wrote

b) was written

c) has written

16. Jack and Jill \_\_\_\_\_ French. Now they forgot how to speak French.

a) speaks

b) speaking

c) spoke

17. Most foreigners \_\_\_\_\_ French.

a) don't know

b) didn't know

c) aren't knowing

18. You \_\_\_\_\_ about the world if you speak English.

a) must learn a lot

b) can learn a lot

c) have to learn a lot

19. If you stay in Hungary, you \_\_\_\_\_ learn English.

- a) shouldn't to
- b) won't have to
- c) can't

20. You \_\_\_\_\_ learn English. Many people have learned English.

- a) have
- b) must to
- c) can

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1. \_\_\_\_\_ German?

- a) Where do you study
- b) Where study do you
- c) You study where

2. The library is \_\_\_\_\_ place to study German.

- a) the best
- b) better
- c) the good

3. The library has a \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) foreign language room
- b) language foreign room
- c) room language foreign

4. \_\_\_\_\_ a very nice English teacher.

- a) I'm having
- b) I have
- c) I haven't

5. \_\_\_\_\_ English to graduate.

- a) I can learn
- b) I have to learn
- c) I am learn

6. \_\_\_\_\_ English at 3 o'clock tomorrow.

- a) I studied
- b) I study
- c) I'm studying

7. George \_\_\_\_\_ Russian.

- a) likes to speak
- b) speak to like
- c) to speak likes

8. \_\_\_\_\_ perfect English.

- a) Speaks my friend

b) Friend speaks my

c) My friend speaks

9. Do you have \_\_\_\_\_ English dictionary?

a) a

b) an

c) one

10. \_\_\_\_\_ it?

a) I can borrow

b) I'm borrowing

c) Can I borrow

11. Ann never \_\_\_\_\_ French to Susan.

a) speaks

b) is speaking

c) speak

12. \_\_\_\_\_ ?

a) What was you said

b) What did you say

c) What said you

13. \_\_\_\_\_ English every day in class?

a) Does he speak

b) Is he speaking

c) Does speak he

14. Mike \_\_\_\_\_ French.

a) are learning

b) is learning

c) am learning

15. His girlfriend \_\_\_\_\_ French.

a) speaks

b) speak

c) spoked

16. She likes it when Mike \_\_\_\_\_ French.

a) speaks

b) speak

c) is spoke

17. \_\_\_\_\_ English lessons every Tuesday last year.

a) I get

b) I'm getting

c) I got

18. English \_\_\_\_\_ at the business meeting.

a) were spoken

b) is spoken

c) speaks

19. Businessmen \_\_\_\_\_ English.

- a) are always knowing
- b) always know
- c) know always

20. \_\_\_\_\_ English.

- a) I like learning
- b) I learning like
- c) Learning I like

**LEARNING LANGUAGES (key)**

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|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1.b  | 2.a  | 3.c  | 4.c  | 5.b  | 6.c  | 7.a  | 8.a  | 9.a  | 10.b |
| 11.c | 12.b | 13.a | 14.a | 15.c | 16.a | 17.b | 18.a | 19.b | 20.b |

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| 11.c | 12.b | 13.a | 14.c | 15.c | 16.b | 17.a | 18.c | 19.a | 20.b |

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| 11.a | 12.b | 13.a | 14.c | 15.a | 16.b | 17.b | 18.c | 19.b | 20.b |

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| 11.b | 12.b | 13.b | 14.a | 15.b | 16.c | 17.a | 18.b | 19.b | 20.c |

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| 11.a | 12.b | 13.a | 14.b | 15.a | 16.a | 17.c | 18.b | 19.b | 20.a |