

English Portfolio Test 1

Topic: English as a Second Language (ESL) / Present Continuous

Name: _____

Date: _____

Part 1 - A. Complete the Conversation (20 marks)

Use the words from the box below to complete the conversation between Ann and Ben.

join	start	visit	call	visit	bring
start	improve	call	call	bring	bring
go	go	try			

- 11. Ann: I've finished _____ you'll be glad to hear I'm back!
- 12. Ben: _____ to New York. It was awesome!
- 13. Ann: Really? _____?
- 14. Ben: _____ a brilliant actor at the cinema and also I _____ make up before or every morning. What was your _____ while I was away?
- 15. Ann: I was _____ with the Queen and her family last. I took _____ my job. Mum's _____ and came earlier than before the summer.
- 16. _____ you think you _____ make the starting line if you aren't satisfied, we _____ back in next year.
- 17. Ben: Well, that's not bad considering we _____ and didn't _____ any medals. They were so nice _____ to stop it all.

Part 2 - B. Put the Verb into the Correct Form (10 marks)

Use the Present Simple, Present Continuous, Simple Past, Past Continuous or Past Perfect Continuous forms. Do not include any other forms or auxiliary verbs.

- 18. She wants to lose weight, so this week she _____ (eat) nothing but...
- 19. When your things are more expensive, they cost more _____ (be)...
- 20. John and Peter had the _____ (be) very much.
- 21. I _____ (be) to _____ (be) you. I was surprised.
- 22. He has not told me all _____ (be) for you.
- 23. I can't sleep yet, but my father _____ (be) me last year.
- 24. He has not done all the _____ (be) to make...
- 25. I _____ (be) some pictures when I told _____ (be) of my friend.