

37. Tabula rasa is a clean slate bearing no preconceived notions about the world or about.....

- a- society
- b- language
- c- paralinguistic
- d- context

38. Competence is one's underlying.....of the system

- a- behavior
- b- interaction
- c- knowledge
- d- pattern

39. Cognitive information is usually conveyed by means.....devices.

- a- affective
- b- linguistic
- c- positive
- d- assertive

40. ....is defined as the relatively permanent incorporation of incorrect linguistic forms into a person's second language competence

- a- Stabilization
- b- Imitation
- c- Realization
- d- Fossilization

41. Applied Linguistics is the academic discipline concerned with the re.....of knowledge about language t.....in the real world

- a- decision making
- b- recruitment
- c- speech
- d- writing

42. ....is in many ways a natural phenomenon be.....conscious control.

- a- Teaching
- b- Language use
- c- Studying
- d- Description

43. First-language education, when a child studies their home .....languages

- a- language
- b- country
- c- land
- d- society

22. Achievement tests should be limited to particular material addressed in a .....within a particular time frame.  
 a- curriculum  
 b- scale  
 c- language  
 d- formula

23. The purpose of .....test is to predict a person's success to exposure to the foreign language.  
 a- Achievement  
 b- Language Aptitude  
 c- Proficiency  
 d- Diagnostic

24. In subjective tests the learners ability or performance are judged by ..... opinion and judgment.  
 a- principals'  
 b- invigilators'  
 c- candidates'  
 d- examiners'

25. ....questions are moderately easy to write and easily scored.  
 a- Essay  
 b- Multiple-choice  
 c- True or false  
 d- WH

26. Essay questions can be used to measure .....order cognitive skills.  
 a- higher  
 b- lower  
 c- alphabetical  
 d- moderate

Language competence test is a test that involves components of language such as vocabulary,....., and pronunciation.

- a- listening
- b- grammar
- c- writing
- d- spelling

27. The .....selected in norm-referenced tests is chosen by how well it discriminates among students.

- a- format
- b- style
- c- content
- d- answer sheet

28. A test is valid if it tests what it is supposed to.....

- a- test
- b- share
- c- mark
- d- master

15. The phrase 'bread and butter' is an example of .....
- a- feasibility
  - b- possibility
  - c- appropriateness
  - d- attestedness
16. In order to give a systematic description of context, ..... has drawn upon, and also developed discourse analysis.
- a- Theoretical Linguistics
  - b- Applied Linguistics
  - c- Corpus Analysis
  - d- Semantics
17. Three areas of study which contribute to discourse analysis are paralinguage, pragmatics and .....
- a- genre studies
  - b- translation
  - c- literature
  - d- stylistics
18. Brochures, prayers, news bulletins, stories, conversations, consultations, lessons, emails, Web pages, and jokes are examples of.....
- a- paralinguage
  - b- pragmatics
  - c- genre
  - d- linguistics
19. Language Testing is the practice and study of evaluating the ..... of an individual in using a particular language effectively.
- a- consistency
  - b- proficiency
  - c- deficiency
  - d- frequency
20. The purpose of proficiency test is to test global ..... in a language.
- a- persistence
  - b- existence
  - c- consistence
  - d- competence
21. Diagnostic tests should elicit ..... on what students need to do in the future.
- a- conversation
  - b- observation
  - c- information
  - d- confirmation

- 30 If a test gives ..... results, it is reliable.  
a- persistent  
 b- consistent  
c- different  
d- new
- 31 Literary Stylistics raises ..... of how there is far more at stake in the use of language than the literal meaning of the words.  
a- interests  
 b- awareness  
c- spirits  
d- funds
- 32 If a glass is described as either 'half full' or 'half empty' this is an example related to .....  
a- Semantics  
b- Pragmatics  
 c- Critical Discourse Analysis  
d- Linguistics
- 33 ..... research concerned itself with both explaining and describing the process of acquiring a second language.  
a- Genre Analysis  
b- Corpus Linguistics  
c- Pragmatics  
 d- Second Language Acquisition
- 34 In Structural Linguistics, only "publically observable responses" could be subject to.....  
a- information  
 b- investigation  
c- simulation  
d- standardization
- 35 The ..... was interested not only in describing language but also in arriving at an explanatory level of adequacy in the study of language.  
 a- generative linguist  
b- psycholinguist  
c- sociolinguist  
d- behavioral psychologist
- 36 Social constructivism emphasizes the importance of social interaction and ..... in constructing both cognitive and emotional images of reality.  
a- evaluation  
 b- cooperative learning  
c- acquisition  
d- development



1) The spread of English has generated intense interest in the study of ..... and of Second-Language Acquisition

2. Success was measured in the Grammar Translation Approach in terms of the accurate use of grammar and.....

- a- language assessment
- b- neurolinguistics
- c- lexicography
- d- language pedagogy

First-language explanation and ..... were not possible in the Direct Method.

- a- morphology
- b- vocabulary
- c- listening
- d- communication

The Natural Language Learning believed that neither explicit ..... nor conscious learning had any effect.

- a- hypothesis
- b- approach
- c- instruction
- d- theory

In the Communicative Method language learning success is to be assessed by the ability to do things with the....., appropriately, fluently, and effectively.

- a- purpose
- b- language
- c- practice
- d- teaching

English for Specific Purposes (ESP) tries to develop the language and ..... skills

- a- discourse
- b- paralinguistic
- c- development
- d- grammar

The formal systems of language are pronunciation, grammar and.....

- a- speaking & listening
- b- vocabulary
- c- reading & writing
- d- translation and literature

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8. In Chomsky's view, the newborn infant ..... already contains Universal Grammar (UG).  
 a- brain  
b- exposure  
c- intelligence  
d- tongue
9. The sociolinguist Dell Hymes offered ..... in the 1960s.  
 a- Communicative Competence  
b- Genre Theory  
c- Structuralism  
d- Behaviorism
10. Successful communication according to Dell Hymes can be achieved by possibility, feasibility, appropriateness, and .....  
 a- consciousness  
b- attestedness  
c- limitedness  
d- objectiveness
11. Possibility means whether an instance conforms to the rules of grammar and .....  
 a- pronunciation  
b- phonology  
c- syntax  
d- pragmatics
12. A communicatively competent speaker may know the rules, be capable of following them, but nevertheless .....them deliberately.  
 a- break  
b- understand  
c- apply  
d- amend
13. ....is a psychological concept concerned with limitations to what can be processed by the mind.  
 a- Consciousness  
b- Possibility  
c- Feasibility  
d- Attestedness
14. The man the girl the child saw talked to was from Saudi Arabia, is an example of .....  
 a- feasibility  
b- possibility  
c- appropriateness  
d- attestedness

44) .....is the study and treatment of speech and communication impairments, whether hereditary, developmental, or acquired (through injury, stroke, illness, or age).

- a- Sociolinguistics
- b- Lexicography
- c- Corpus linguistics
- d- Clinical linguistics

45) .....is the study of the relationship between linguistic choices and effects on literature.

- a- Genre
- b- Literary stylistics
- c- Error Analysis
- d- Discourse Analysis

46) .....is the planning and compiling of both monolingual and bilingual dictionaries and other language reference works such as thesauri.

- a- Corpus Linguistics
- b- Theoretical Linguistics
- c- Lexicography
- d- Discourse Analysis

47) Noam Chomsky introduced the term .....in 1950s onward.

- a- Generative Linguistics
- b- Lexicography
- c- Psycholinguistics
- d- Forensic Linguistics

48) .....is bound to represent an abstract idealization of language rather than the way it is experienced in the real world.

- a- Pragmatics
- b- Forensic Linguistics
- c- Linguistics
- d- Ethnography

49) Linguists' concern is ..... as an end in itself rather than as a means to action based upon that knowledge.

- a- knowledge
- b- activity
- c- prescription
- d- phenomenon

50) Native speakers are considered to be people who acquired the language .....and effortlessly in childhood.

- a- similarly
- b- manually
- c- naturally
- d- verbally