

**Test 1 in Grammar L1 S2**

**Exercise 1:** Read each numbered sentence. Write T (True) or F (False) for the statement that follows. Answer in the table below

- 1- Professor Johnson has been reading a book about cockroaches.  
 ----- He has read the whole book.
- 2- He's read a book about cockroaches. ----- He has read the whole book.
- 3- He's written a magazine article about shale gas.  
 ----- He has written the whole article.
- 4- He's been waiting for some supplies. ----- He hasn't got the supplies.
- 5- They've lived in Zanzibar since 2000. ----- They don't live in Zanzibar anymore.
- 6- They've been living in Zanzibar since 2000. ----- They still live in Zanzibar.
- 7- When I got home, 'The Bill Cosby Show' had started.  
 ----- First the Bill Cosby show started. Then I got home.
- 8- When I got home, 'The Bill Cosby Show' started.  
 ----- First the Bill Cosby show started. Then I got home.
- 9- Bill's guest had lost 20 kilos when she interviewed him.  
 ----- The guest lost the weight before the interview.
- 10- By the end of the show, I had fallen asleep.  
 ----- I fell asleep before the show.
- 11- Before I went to bed, I had turned off the TV.  
 ----- I turned off the TV after I went to bed.
- 12- By midnight, I had finished the magazine article.  
 ----- I finished the article before midnight.
- 13- Roza will open her own business when she finishes school.  
 ----- Roza will open her own business. Then she'll finish school.
- 14- Steve won't resign until he finds another job.  
 ----- Steve will find another job. Then he'll resign.
- 15- Jude will retire as soon as he is sixty.  
 ----- Jude will retire. Then he'll be sixty.
- 16- Ian will call you before he gets home.  
 ----- Ian will get home. Then he'll call you.
- 17- While Heidi is at school, she'll work part-time.  
 ----- Heidi will leave school. Then she'll get a part-time job.
- 18- By the time Barbara gets her degree, she'll be twenty.  
 ----- Barbara will be twenty. Then she'll get her degree.
- 19- We will have moved to a larger house by the year 2027.  
 ----- We will move to a larger house after the year 2027.
- 20- By next year, we'll have been publishing the magazine for 20 years.  
 ----- We started the magazine less than 20 years ago.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
F	T	T	T	T	T	T	F	T	T	F	T	F	T	F	T	F	T	F	T

## Test 2 in Grammar L1 S2

**Exercise 1:** Find the following: (18 Pts.; 2 pts. for each correct answer)

- I. three sentences that are incorrect;
- II. three sentences with the present perfect which could also have the past simple (consider the difference on meaning);
- III. three sentences where only the present perfect is correct.

Answer in the table below; put the number of the sentence under the corresponding column.

1. Phone for an ambulance. I think Bob has broken his arm.
2. In his twenties, William has spent many years traveling around Latin America.
3. The Vikings have established a settlement at what is now York, in the north of England.
4. Do you know how many people have walked on the moon.
5. The room looks so much bigger now that we've painted the walls in brighter colours.
6. Sarah has agreed to lend us her laptop.
7. Tom has gone into town to buy some newspapers.
8. I've worked in Canada for three years.
9. The Earth has been formed about 4,500 million years ago.

I. Three sentences that are incorrect	II Three sentences with the present perfect which could also have the past simple	III Three sentences where only the present perfect is correct.
2	6	1
3	7	4
9	8	5

**Exercise 3:** Put the verbs between brackets in the correct tense. (1 pt. for each correct answer)

1. The road is closed. There   **HAS JUST BEEN**   an accident (JUST BE).
2. When Ken gave up smoking two years ago, he   **HAD BEEN**   a smoker for over 30 years. (BE)

**Good Luck!**