

Đề 1

Pick out the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

1. A. any B. daddy C. cat D. chat
2. A. talked B. passed C. called D. washed
3. A. come B. something C. comb D. grow

Choose the word that has the stress differently from that of the other words.

4. A. company B. official C. Australia D. encounter
5. A. knowledge B. bracket C. although D. neighbor
6. A. hopelessness B. athletics C. resident D. tolerance

Choose the best answer to complete the blank in each of the following sentences.

7. This room _____ since I was born.
A. has been painted B. was painted C. painted D. has painted
8. What _____ you _____ if you _____ a billionaire? –I would take a trip into space. A. will/do / are B. would/do / were C. can/do/was D. shall/do / are
9. Have you seen the Titanic yet? _ No, I haven't. I _____ it next Saturday. A. would see B. will see C. am going to see D. see
10. After _____ dinner, I often watch TV.

A. ate B. eat C. eaten D. eating

11. Tom said that he _____ his motorbike the day before.

A. had lost B. lost C. has lost D. lose

12. Do you believe _____ God?

A. at B. of C. about D. in

13. Air and water are necessary _____ us.

A. of B. for C. with D. to

14. The beautiful woman has a busy _____ life.

A. society B. socialize C. social D. socializing

15. English has become the main language of _____.

A. communication B. communicate C. communicant D. communicative

16. Do you think doing the household chores is the _____ of the women only?

A. responsibly B. responsible C. responsibility D. responsive

17. He did some odd jobs at home _____.

A. disappointment B. disappointedly C. disappointed D. disappoint

18. "I have bought you a toy. Happy birthday to you!" – " _____ "

A. What a lovely toy! Thanks. B. Have a nice day!

C. The same to you! D. What a pity!

19. "Your hairstyle is terrific, Cindy" – " _____ "

A. It's nice B. You're welcome C. Not at all D. Thanks, Peter

20. When students finish the secondary education, they have to take a(n)_____called GCSE. A. check B. examination C. interview D. test
21. I spoke very slowly _____ he didn't understand English very well.
A. to B. so that C. because D. so
22. When being interviewed, you should concentrate on what the interviewer is saying or asking you.
A. be related to B. express interest in C. be interested in D. pay attention to
23. "I'm going away tomorrow, mother." _ Leo told his mother that _____ away the _____.
A. he was going / following day C. I was going / day after
B. I'm going / day after D. he's going / following day
24. "It was nice of you to give me the present. Thank you" Ben said to Mary. _Ben thanked Mary_____the present.
A. of giving him C. for giving him
B. it had been nice of her to give him D. that she had been nice to give him
25. Shakespeare wrote "Romeo and Juliet" in 1605.
A. "Romeo and Juliet" were written by Shakespeare in 1605
B. "Romeo and Juliet" was written by Shakespeare in 1605.
C. "Romeo and Juliet" was written in 1605 by Shakespeare.
D. "Romeo and Juliet" were written in 1605 by Shakespeare
26. The hurricane has totally destroyed the villages._ The villages _____ by the hurricane.

A. have been totally destroyed

B. have totally been destroyed

C. has been totally destroyed

D. has totally been destroyed

27. If you don't work much harder, you won't pass the exam.

_ Unless you _____ much harder, you _____ the exam.

A. work / will pass B. don't work / will pass

C. don't work / won't pass D. work / won't pass

28. My sister is often sick because she doesn't do physical exercise.

A. If my sister does physical exercise, she won't often be sick.

B. If my sister isn't physical exercise, she does sick.

C. If my sister did physical exercise, she wouldn't often be sick.

D. If my sister wasn't physical exercise, she would do sick.

29. The river from _____ we get our water- supply is nearly empty.

A. whose B. that C. where D. which

30. My father wants to speak to you. You met him yesterday. _ My

father _____ you met yesterday, wants to speak to you.

A. whose B. whom C. whom D. that

31. In spite of his poorness, he is honest.

A. Although he is poor, he is honest. C. Despite he is poor, he is honest.

B. Although he is poor, but he is honest. D. In spite of he is poor, he is honest.

32. He only accepted the job_____the high salary.

A. though B. because C. because of D. in spite of

33. Did you read_____novel I lent you_____last week?

A. ϕ / in B. a / ϕ C. ϕ /on D. the/ ϕ

34. _____rich should help_____poor and_____disabled.

A. a / a / a B. the / the / the C. ϕ / ϕ / ϕ D. the / the / ϕ

35. The man who is speaking to John is my brother.

A. The man spoke to John is my brother.

C. The man spoken to John is my brother.

B. The man is speaking to John is my brother.

D. The man speaking to John is my brother.

36. He read The Old Man and The Sea, a novel_____by Ernest

Hemingway. A. written B. writing C. which written D. that wrote Choose the underlined part that needs correction.

37. I often listen music when I have free time.

A B C D

38. We spent a week to preparing for our concert.

A B C D

39. The phone rung while I was washing the dishes.

A B C D

40. The more I live with him, the most I love him.

A B C D

Read the passage below and choose the best answer (A, B, C or D) to each question.

The habits of those who constantly play video games are very important to people working in video game industry. If video games are going to be one of the most attractive features of future interactive systems, it is essential for producers to know what types of games to make, how best to present such games on interactive video, and how to ensure that such games maintain their fascination for people. Above all, it is vital to build up detailed profiles of people who are addicted to video games.

Until recently, the chief market for video games has been boys aged eight to fifteen. The fascination for interactive video games is seen in its purest form in this group. Video games appeal to some deep instinct in boys who find it impossible to tear themselves from them. Schoolwork is ignored, health is damaged and even eating habits are affected. Girls of the same age, however, are entirely different, demonstrating far greater freedom from the hold of video games. Quite simply, they can take video games in their stride, being able to play them when they want and then leave them alone.

41. Producers of video games are keen on _____.

- A. finding the best ways of continuing to attract people
- B. developing computer techniques in making such games
- C. learning about drug to which people are addicted
- D. designing ways

42. The people who are most attracted to video games are _____.

- A. young adult women
- B. boys from eight to fifteen years old
- C. girls between eight and fifteen
- D. supermarket assistants

43. _____ have different attitude towards playing video games.

- A. Adult men and women
- B. Boys and girls from eight to fifteen

C. Girls and boys above eight

D. Girls and boys below eight

44. The addiction to video games can be so powerful that it can _____.

A. separate boys from girls

B. make people relaxing

C. destroy people's instincts

D. make people physically ill.

45. Compared with boys of the same age, girls are _____.

A. more intelligent than boys

B. more addicted to video games

C. more concentrated on video games

D. less affected by video games

Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that best fits the blank space in the following passage.

Speech is one of the most important ways of communicating. It consists of far more than just (46)_____noises. To talk or to (47)_____by other people, we have to master a language, that is, we have to use combinations of sound that (48)_____for a particular object or idea. Communication (49)_____impossible if everyone (50)_____up their own language.

46. A. makes B. make C. to make D. making

47. A. understanding B. understand C. be understood D. be understandable

48. A. to stand B. stand C. stands D. standing

49. A. is B. will be C. would be D. was

50. A. made B. makes C. make D. will make

ĐỀ 2

Pick out the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

1. A. prepareded B. calleded C. expresseded D. employeded
2. A. should B. young C. couple D. rough
3. A. possible B. company C. job D. responsible

Choose the word that has the stress differently from that of the other words.

4. A. experience B. concentrate C. enthusiasm D. certificate

5. A. interview B. interviewee C. interviewer D. industry

Choose the best answer to complete the blank in each of the following sentences.

6. In Vietnam, application forms for the National Entrance Examinations must be _____ before the deadline, often in April.

A. issued B. signed C. filed D. submitted

7. Points will be added to the Entrance Examination scores for those who hold an excellent high school _____.

A. certificate B. diploma C. qualification D. degree

8. The world _____ a better place if we had known a hundred years ago what we know about the earth's environment.

A. should be B. might be C. was D. will be

9. If the lecturer last night _____ Dr. Mason, I would have listened carefully.

A. were B. would be C. was D. had been

10. I _____ Tom with me if I had known you and he didn't get along well with each other.

A. won't bring B. wouldn't have brought C. Didn't bring D. hadn't brought

11. Remember to bring with you your school certificate and letters of _____ from your teachers or your previous employers when you come to the interview.

A. assignment B. invitation C. recommendation D. advertisement

12. It wasn't an awful experience. It was the worst thing _____ has ever

happened to me.

A. which B. that C. what D. why

13. The party _____ we went to last night was not very enjoyable.

A. which B. when C. where D. what

14. At the end of this month, scientists at the institute will conduct their AIDS research, the results of _____ will be published within 6 months.

A. which B. whom C. that D. it

15. He read The Old Man and The Sea, a novel _____ by Ernest Hemingway. A. written B. writing C. which wrote D. that written

16. Lien passed the oral test , _____ pleased her parents.

A. that B. which C. what D. it

17. This present will be given to _____ can answer the last question.

A. whomever B. whoever C. whom D. who

18. He often gives me a lot of advice, most of _____ are very useful.

A. them B. whom C. that D. which

19. These new laws have laid legal grounds for _____ inefficient co-operatives. A. dissolving B. analyzing C. dividing D. disarming.

20. With the strong _____ of our party and Government to DoiMoi, we believe that we will build a better life for our people.

A. promise B. commitment C. investment D. reaffirm

21. _____ it is in the spring now, the flowers outside aren't blooming.

A. While B. Although C. Whereas D. However

22. _____ I didn't understand a word, I kept smiling.

A. Whereas B. However C. Even though D. Nevertheless

23. I like spending my holidays in the mountains, _____ my wife prefers the seaside.

A. though B. whereas C. despite D. in spite of

24. _____ he wasn't feeling very well, Alex was determined to take part in the racing.

A. Despite the fact that B. Despite the fact it

C. Despite D. In spite of

25. When we got home, dinner _____, so we had a drink first.

A. was preparing B. had been prepared C. was being prepared D. was prepared

26. Since 1980, scientists in the world _____ a lot of things to fight AIDS.

A. have done B. are doing C. did D. had done

27. Linda _____ her identity card again. This is the second time this _____.

A. lost/ happened B. has lost/ has happened C. has lost/ happened D. lost/ has happened

28. I started working here in 2000.

A. I have started working here since 2000.

B. I haven't worked here since 2000.

C. I have started working here since 2000.

D. I have worked here since 2000.

29. The hotel _____ we stayed wasn't very clean.

A. where B. why C. which D. when

30. It's usually difficult _____ a place to park in the city center.

A. finding B. to find C. find D. to finding.

31. It took me a long time to _____ wearing glasses.

A. get used to B. use to C. used to D. use

32. Let's have this letter _____ by express mail.

A. sends B. send C. being sent D. sent

33. "Can I help you?" _ " _____".

A. No, thanks. I'm just looking B. No, I'm seeing

C. Yes, I'm watching D. Yes, I'm thinking

34. –Will they get married? _ Yes, definitely _____ their differences.

A. however B. despite C. owing to D. although

35. Let's go to the station to see her _____.

A. through B. back C. off D. to

36. He spoke confidently and that impressed me.

A. The thing which impressed me was the confident way he spoke.

B. He spoke confidently, which impressed me.

C. The confident way in which he spoke impressed me.

D. All are correct.

37. I can't recall _____ that old movie, but maybe I did many years ago.

A. to see B. to have seen C. having been seen D. having seen

38. Henry will pass his exams _____ any means. He has studied well.

A. by B. on C. with D. in

Choose the underlined part that needs correction.

39. Higher general education and training generally took place in a university or college.

A B C D

40. There are two parallel school systems in England. The first is the state school system, that is free to all students, paid for by the state'.

ABCD

Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that best fits the blank space in the following passage.

When you first apply for a job, you (41) _____ not succeed in getting it. It's always a good (42) _____ to ask them to explain to you what prevented from beating the other candidates. Don't complain about the situation, but ask them to advise you (43) _____ what you can do better next time. Perhaps the interviewer disapproved of or disagreed with something you said. Perhaps they just glanced at your application and saw something that made it easy to choose between you and another candidate. Don't regard it as a failure, but recognize it as a chance to learn more. (44) _____ you don't worry too much about it and continue to believe in yourself, you'll (45) _____ find the chance you've been waiting for. Then, your family and friends will be able to congratulate you on your success!

41. A. might B. would C. won't D. must

42. A. means B. opinion C. idea D. method

43. A. about B. of C. over D. in

44. A. As far as B. By far C. So far D. As long as

45. A. in the end B. lastly C. at last D. eventually

Read the passage below and choose the best answer (A, B, C or D) to each question.

Higher education, also called tertiary, third stage or post secondary education, is the non-compulsory educational level following the completion of a school providing a secondary education, such as a high school, secondary school. Tertiary education is normally taken to include undergraduate and postgraduate education, as well as vocational education and training. Colleges and universities are the main institutions that provide tertiary institutions. Tertiary education generally results in the receipt of certificates, diplomas, or academic degrees.

Higher education includes teaching, research and social services activities of universities, and within the realm of teaching, it includes both the undergraduate level and the graduate level. Higher education in that country generally involves work towards a degree-level or foundation degree qualification. It is

therefore very important to national economies, both as a significant industry in its own right, and as a source of trained and educated personnel for the rest of the economy.

46. What is ‘tertiary education’?

A. Primary education B. higher education C. Secondary education D. children education

47. Where can we find tertiary education?

A. Colleges and high schools B. universities and institutes
C. Colleges and universities D. high schools and universities.

48. The word ‘degree’ in paragraph 1 refers to _____.

A. a unit for measuring angles
B. a unit for measuring temperature
C. the qualification

D. a level in a scale of how serious something is.

49. How many kinds does higher education have?

A. One B. two C. three D. four

50. _____ is important to national economies.

A. Qualification B. Foundation C. Schooling D. Higher education

ĐỀ 3

Choose the word that is stressed differently from the rest.

1. A. hospital B. inflation C. policy D. constantly

2. A. government B. consumer C. domestic D. production

3. A. priority B. industry C. subsidy D. qualify

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the rest.

4. A. choice B. chemist C. each D. achieve

5. A. applicant B. identity C. indicate D. chemistry

Choose the best answer to complete the blank in each of the following sentences.

6. If I feel too excited to sleep, I _____ reading one of our reports.

A. will try B. try C. would try D. would have tried

7. If he _____ well on the training course last year, he _____ offered the promotion now.

A. had done / would be

B. had done / would have done

C. did / would be

D. did / will be

8. What time would we get there _____ the subway?

A. we took

B. if we took

C. unless we take

D. provided that we take

9. He took me to the college _____.

A. he used to study B. in that he used to study

C. where he used to study D. which he used to study

10. _____ school is very important for _____ country to develop.

A. The / a B. \emptyset / a C. The/ \emptyset D. \emptyset / \emptyset

11. He has been learning hard to prepare _____ the coming final exam.

A. for B. with C. on D. over

12. _____ the end of the course, the students have to take an exam on four basic

skills of the target language.

A. In B. At C. On D. To

13. They are university professors who specialize _____ the history of the Russian empire.

A. on B. to C. in D. about

14. Secondary education in Hong Kong is largely based _____ the British education system. A. on B. to C. in D. about

15. Tell me the day _____ you want to leave.

A. which B. in which C. that D. when

16. Of my students, Betty is the only one _____ has found a job.

A. whom B. which C. that D. whose

17. Have you ever visited New York harbor, _____ the famous Statue of Liberty stands?

A. which B. where C. that D. over which

18. The man and his dogs _____ were buried in the demolished building after the earthquake have just been rescued safely.

A. which B. who C. that D. whom

19. GCSE courses are ____ in a variety of subjects which are usually decided by the students themselves.

A. spent B. taken C. made D. looked

20. GCSEs are not compulsory, but they are the most common qualifications taken by 14-16 year-old students.

A. specialized B. fulfilled C. applied D. Required

21. An 'A-level' in Maths or a / an _____ qualification is normally required.

A. equal B. same C. like D. equivalent

22. The control of _____ has been carried out through measures rooted in monetarism.

A. inflate B. inflation C. inflationist D. inflator

23. It is often a good idea to start with small, easily _____ goals.

A. achievable B. achieve C. achievement D. achiever

24. To my _____, I was not offered the job.

A. happiness B. dream C. joy D. disappointment

25. The Eiffel Tower _____ design was revolutionary at its time, is still a marvelous structure.

A. which B. that C. whose D. of which

26. Many children are under such a high _____ of learning that they do not feel happy at school.

A. recommendation B. interview C. pressure D. concentration

27. _____, he walked to the station.

A. Despite being tired B. Although to be tired

C. In spite being tired D. Despite tired

28. During the time of economic reforms, the economy has grown _____ with only a few major setbacks.

A. constant B. constantly C. constants D. constancy

29. The _____ effect of the new policy is that the farmer is now working for himself, and not for the state sake.

A. legal B. common C. all D. overall

30. After more than a decade of Doi Moi or economic _____, the Vietnamese Communist government has achieved diplomatic and economic links with numerous foreign partners.

A. relation B. investment C. productivity D. renovation

Choose the underlined word or phrase in each sentence that needs correction.

31. Has the letters which I want been typed yet?

A B C D

32. When GCSEs are taken in secondary school, they can often combined with other

A B C D

qualifications, or diplomas.

33. If you have already decided on a course that you would like to study at university, or we recommend that you take a look at the course requirements first.

ABCD

34. The term 'economic reform' refers to policies directing by the government to achieve

improvements in economic efficiency.

ABCD

35. Economic reforms started since 1986 in Vietnam have helped millions of people to be out of poverty and bringing the poverty rate down.

ABCD

Choose the sentence that is closest in the meaning to the root one.

36. If I / not / television / I / hear / burglar alarm / off

A. If I hadn't watched the television, I had heard the burglar alarm go off.

B. If I didn't watch the television, I had heard the burglar alarm go off.

C. If I hadn't watched the television, I would have heard the burglar alarm go off.

D. If I hadn't watch the television, I would hear the burglar alarm go off.

37. He / suffer / rare tropical disease / which / contracted / while / Africa

A. He still suffers from a rare tropical disease which he contracted while he was in Africa. B. He still suffers from a rare tropical disease which contracted while he was in Africa. C. He suffers from a rare tropical disease which was contracted while he is in Africa. D. He suffers from a rare tropical disease which he contracts while in Africa.

38. Laser / device / concentrate / light waves / intense beam.

A. Laser is a device concentrates light waves into an intense light beam.

B. The laser is a device to concentrate light waves to an intense light beam.

C. The laser is a device which concentrates light waves and an intense light beam. D. Laser is a device which concentrates light waves into an intense light beam.

39. That book / very thick / belong / younger sister.
- A. That book, what is very thick, belongs to my younger sister.
 - B. That book, that is very thick, belongs to my younger sister.
 - C. That book, which is very thick, belongs to my younger sister.
 - D. That book, which is very thick, belongs my younger sister.
40. I did not answer the door even though I knew it was my friend.
- A. Unless I knew it was my friend, I would not answer the door.
 - B. I knew it was my friend, but I did not answer the door.
 - C. Only when I answered the door did I knew it was my friend.
 - D. I answered the door since I knew it was my friend.

Read the passage and choose the best answers:

...Never say anything negative about past experiences, employers, or courses or professors. Always think of something positive about an experience and talk about that. You should also be __(31)__. If you are genuinely interested __(32)__ the job, let the interviewer know that.

One of the best ways to show you are keen on a job is to demonstrate that you have researched the organization prior to the interview. You can also __(33)__ interest by asking questions about the job, the organization, and its service and products. The best way to impress an employer is to ask questions that build your interview discussion. This shows you are interested and __(34)__ close attention to the interviewer. It is a good idea to prepare a few questions in advance, but an insightful comment based on your conversation can make an even stronger statement. At the __(35)__ of the interview, it is appropriate for you to ask when you may expect to hear from the employer.

41. A. enthusiasm B. enthusiastic C. enthusiastically D. enthusiast
42. A. with B. for C. on D. in
43. A. appear B. conceal C. show D. cover
44. A. pay B. choose C. make D. spend
45. A. close B. final C. end D. finish

Read the passage and choose the best answers:

University Entrance Examination is very important to Vietnamese students. High school graduates have to take it and get high results to be admitted to universities. The pressure on the candidates remains very high despite the measures that have been taken to reduce the heat around these exams, since securing a place in a state university is considered a major step towards a successful career for young people, especially those from rural areas or disadvantaged families. In the year 2004, it was estimated that nearly 1 million Vietnamese students took the University Entrance Examination, but on average only 1 out of 5 candidates succeeded. Normally, candidates take 3 exam subjects, and each lasts 180 minutes for the fixed group of subjects they choose. There are 4 fixed groups of subjects: Group A: Mathematics, Physics, and Chemistry; Group B: Mathematics, Chemistry and Biology; Group C: Literature, History, and Geography; Group D: Literature, Foreign Language, and Mathematics.

In addition to universities, there are community colleges, art and technology institutes, professional secondary schools, and vocational schools which offer degrees or certificates from a-few month to 2-year courses.

According to Vietnam's Ministry of Education and Training, there are currently 23 non-public universities, accounting for 11% of the total number of universities. These non-public universities are currently training 119,464 students or 11.7% of the total number of students. The government is planning to increase the number of non-public universities to 30% by 2007.

46. University Entrance Examination in Vietnam is very _____.

A. interesting B. stressful C. free D. easy

47. The word those refers to _____.

A. exam subjects B. young people C. universities D. examinations

48. In 2004, the proportion of the students who got success in University Entrance Examination was about _____ percent.

A. 5 B. 10 C. 20 D. 50

49. Which sentence refers to the University Entrance Examination in Vietnam?

A. Students find it easy to get success in the University Entrance

Examination.

B. Maths is compulsory in the University Entrance Examination.

C. Students are not allowed to choose their exam subjects.

D. There are four fixed groups of exam subjects for students to choose.

50. According to the passage, _____.

A. the Vietnamese government will close all non-public universities by next year
B. the Vietnamese government does not appreciate non-public universities

C. the Vietnamese government encourages the establishment of non-public universities
D. Vietnamese students have no alternative to continue their higher study besides universities

ĐỀ 4

Pick out the word which has different stress pattern from that of the rest.

1. A. interviewer B. preparation C. economics D. education

2. A. employment B. remember C. concentrate D. position

3. A. achievement B. communist C. constantly D. government

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that

of the others.

4. A. character B. teacher C. chemist D. technical

5. A. explained B. disappointed C. prepared D. interviewed

Choose the best answer to complete the blank in each of the following sentences.

6. Many people have objected to the use of animals in _____ experiments.

A. science B. scientist C. scientific D. scientifically

7. In Scotland, students transfer from primary to secondary education at approximately age 12. A. compound B. base C. change D. move

8. Considering peasants make up nearly 80% of Vietnam's population.

A. specialists B. economists C. professors D. farmers

9. Although he has not got necessary experience, he used to take a _____ in business administration.

A. curriculum B. course C. school D. class

10. In England schooling is compulsory _____ all children from the age of 5 to 16.

A. with B. for C. to D. over

11. That machine is useless. It _____ not been used for a long time

A. is B. was C. did D. has

12. Beethoven's Fifth Symphony _____ next weekend.

A. is going to be performed B. has been performed

C. will be performing D. will have performed

13. The trees _____.

A. were grown by John yesterday in the backyard

B. were grown in the backyard by John yesterday

C. were grown in the backyard yesterday by John

D. in the backyard were grown yesterday by John

14. Mathematics, a required subject in all schools, is _____ into many branches. A. grouped B. prepared C. divided D. added

15. The making of good habits _____ a determination to keep on training your child. A. require B. requires C. requirement D. required

16. She had to have the operation _____.

A. unless she would dies B. if she would die

C. otherwise she will die D. or she would die

17. _____ he gets here soon, we will have to start the meeting without him.

A. Suppose B. Provided C. Unless D. If

18. If my client _____ me her fax number, I _____ to post a letter to her.

A. gave, / will not have B. will give / do not have

C. had given / wouldn't have had D. had given / will not have had

19. Ms Young, to _____ many of her students are writing, is living

happily and peacefully in Canada. A. who B. whom C. that D. whose

20. We have learned English since we _____ in the sixth form.

A. are B. were C. had been D. have been

21. He is the man _____ car was stolen last week.

A. whom B. that C. which D. whose

22. Kim: "What _____ this weekend?" - Sally: "Oh, we're going hunting. It's fantastic!"

A. are you doing B. are you going C. would you do D. do you go

23. Nam: "Hello! My name is Nam. Nice to meet you" - Mai: "Hello _____"

A. I'm fine B. Really?

C. Good! D. I'm Mai. Glad to meet you

24. Tommy left high school _____ the age _____ seventeen.

A. at / of B. in / for C. on / with D. of / in

25. Maria: "Thanks for the lovely evening" - Diana: " _____".

A. No, it's not good B. I'm glad you enjoyed it

C. Yes, it's really great D. Oh, that's right

26. The preparations _____ by the time the guests _____.

A. had been finished / arrived B. have finished / arrived

C. had finished / were arriving D. have been finished / were arrived

27. Kenvin: "Let's go to the movie now" - Lan: " Oh! _____"

A. I don't B. I need it C. Why's that D. It's a good idea

28. Nam: " Whose book is this?" - Mai: " _____ "

A. No, It's over there B. It's my mother's C. It's just outside D. It's my mother

29. When I _____ to visit her yesterday, she _____ a party.

A. come / was prepared B. came / prepared C. came / was preparing D. came/has prepared

30. Reagan _____ an actor years ago.

A. is said to be B. is said to have been C. was said have been D. was said being

31. He didn't get the job _____ he had all the necessary qualifications.

A. in spite of B. although C. because D. because of

Choose the underlined part that needs correction.

32. We all know that we have to work hardly to earn a living ourselves and support the family.

A B C D

33. Anyone where works is regarded as a useful member of our society.

A B C D

34. Old people in my country always looks forward to their retirement so that they can travel.

A B C D

35. Economic reforms are often carried for to promote the

developing of a country.

A B C D

36. He was so ill that he could not do his final examination and cancelled it to the next year.

A B C D

Choose the sentence that is closest in the meaning to the root one.

37. The last time when I saw her was three years ago.

A. I have often seen her for the last three years.

B. About three years ago, I used to meet her.

C. I have not seen her for three years.

D. I saw her three years ago and will never meet her again.

38. In spite of all our efforts, we failed in the final match.

A. Although we tried very hard, we failed in the final match.

B. We made all our efforts so that we could again success in the final match. C. Whatever efforts we had made, we weren't able to win in the final match. D. We failed in the final match as a result of all our great efforts.

39. Vietnam / almost / students / stay / universities / for / four / five / years.

A. At Vietnam, almost students stay in universities for four or five years.

B. In Vietnam, almost students stay at universities for four or five years.

C. In Vietnam, almost students stay for four or five years at universities.

D. Almost students stay at universities in Vietnam for four or five years.

40. You / find / much / possible / job / vacancy.

A. You should find as much as possible about the job and the vacancy.

- B. You should find out much possible about the job and the vacancy.
- C. You should find out as much as possible about the job and the vacancy.
- D. You should find out much as possible about the job and the vacancy.

Read the passage and choose the best answers:

A student learning English occasionally meets the following problems when he (46)_____to talks and lectures. It is difficult to decide where one word finishes and the next one starts. In speech, many sounds (47)_____a student difficulty and he fails to identify them. Some words in English, which occur very commonly, have a weak form. An overseas student identifies them with difficulty. (48)_____addition, many students sometimes do not hear the unstressed syllable in a word. This problem never arises in print.

The lecturer (49)_____uses an informal style and who pronounces his vowels with a strong accent will be difficult to follow. A student takes notes more (50)_____ when the lecturer speaks with a BBC accent.

- 41. A. speaks B. hears C. wants D. listens
- 42. A. make B. cause C. do D. create
- 43. A. In B. For C. On D. With
- 44. A. which B. who C. whose D. when
- 45. A. carefully B. easily C. terribly D. carelessly

Read the passage and choose the best answers:

Instructors at American colleges and universities use many different teaching methods. Some instructors give assignments every day. They grade homework. Students in their classes have to take many quizzes, a midterm exam, and a final test. Other instructors give only writing assignments. Some teachers always follow a course outline and usually use the text book. Others send students to the library for assignment.

The atmosphere in some classrooms is very formal. Students call their instructors “Professor Smith,” “Mrs. Jones”, and so on. Some teachers wear business clothes and give lectures. Others classrooms have an

informal atmosphere. Students and teachers discuss their ideas. Instructors dress

informally, and students call them by their first names. American teachers are not alike in their teaching styles.

At most American colleges and universities, facilities for learning and recreation are available to students. Students can often use type-writers, tape recorders, video machines, and computers at libraries and learning centres. They can buy books, notebooks, and other things at campus stores. They can get advice on their problems from counselors and individual help with their classes from tutors. Students can relax and have fun on campus, too. Some schools have swimming pools and tennis courts. Most have snack bars or cafeterias.

46. What is the first paragraph about?

- A. Ways of using the textbook
- B. Ways of giving assignment
- C. Ways of teaching
- D. Ways of taking an exam

47. Which of the following statements is true?

- A. American students can call their teachers by their first names.
- B. The atmosphere in the American classrooms is always relaxed and friendly.
- C. American teachers do not dress informally.
- D. The atmosphere in America classrooms is always formal.

48. What does the word “business clothes” in the paragraph 2 mean?

- A. clothes that only business people wear
- B. trendy clothes
- C. casual clothes
- D. formal clothes

49. What can't students do at most American colleges and universities?

- A. bring the computers at the libraries home.
- B. ask their counsellors and tutors for advice.
- C. use the computers that are linked to libraries.
- D. have tutors and counselors solved their problems.

50. Which of the following statements is false about schools in America?

- A. They are well equipped.
- B. They have stores on campus.
- C. They have no recreation facilities.
- D. They offer sports and leisure facilities for students.

ĐỀ 5

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the rest.

1. A. advises B. raises C. devises D. goes

2. A. rose B. lose C. close D. chose

Choose the word (A, B, C or D) that has different stress from that of the rest.

3. A. express B. effort C. office D. comment

4. A. economic B. experience C. entertainment D. introduction

5. A. history B. depression C. invention D. completely

Choose the answer (A, B, C or D) that best completes each of the following sentences.

6. He has just come back from London, _____ is the capital of England.

A. that B. which C. where D. in which

7. No one can predict the future exactly. Things may happen _____.

A. expected B. unexpected C. expectedly D. unexpectedly

8. Ms Young, to _____ many of her students are writing, is living happily and peacefully in Canada.

A. who B. whom C. that D. whose

9. After a few decades of the economic reforms, Vietnam has increased the living _____ of people.

A. surfaces B. standards C. levels D. backgrounds

10. In five more minutes, they _____ for three hours on the phone.

A. are talking B. have talked C. will have been talking D. will talk

11. Nam: What do you think about his story? - Tan: _____, it's not true.

A. In my opinion B. I think C. According to me D. I don't think

12. If she _____ the train last night, she _____ here now.

A. took / were B. were taking / is

C. had taken / would have been D. had taken / would be

13. _____ speaking, I do not really like my present job.

A. Honest B. Honestly C. Honesty D. Dishonest

14. A letter of _____ is sometimes really necessary for you in a job interview.

A. recommend B. recommended C. recommender D. recommendation

15. _____ if he comes late?

A. What you would do B. What would you do C. What will you do D. What you will do

16. Some days of rest may help to _____ the pressure of work.

A. reduce B. lower C. chop D. increase

17. A _____ is an official document that you receive when you have completed a course of study or training.

A. vocation B. subject C. certificate D. grade

18. John: What a nice watch you are wearing, Mary! - Mary: _____.

A. Thank you. I hope you like it. B. I don't think it's nice

C. No, I don't think so D. Oh, that's right

19. He is very worried _____ his new job because he is not quite prepared _____ working.

A. on / over B. to / off C. about / for D. in / at

20. Mai: Can you lend me some money, Lan? - Lan: _____.

A. I don't have any money B. Certainly. Here you are.

C. No, I can't D. Yes, I can

21. If I _____ 10 years younger, I _____ the job.

A. am / will take B. was / have taken

C. had been / will have taken D. were / would take

22. When I _____ up this morning, my roommate _____ already.

A. am waking / leaves B. wake / has left C. woke / had left D. was waking / left

23. I think we _____ from her soon.

A. hear B. will hear C. have heard D. will have heard

24. Robert wanted to know if I would leave the _____ Friday.

A. following B. ago C. previous D. before

25. He is the man _____ car was stolen last week.

A. whom B. that C. which D. whose

26. It is of great _____ to show your interest and politeness when you are having a job interview.

A. importance B. important C. importantly D. unimportant

27. _____ instructed me how to make a good preparation for a job

interview.

A. John Robbins to that I spoke by telephone B. John Robbins, that I spoke to by telephone

C. John Robbins, to who I spoke by telephone D. John Robbins, whom I spoke to by telephone

28. She is the eldest in her house, so she has to look _____ her brother when her parents go out.

A. for B. at C. up D. after

29. A taxi crashed into _____ tree. _____ driver was badly injured.

A. a / a B. a / the C. the / a D. the / the

30. The economic renovation in Vietnam _____ in December, 1986 by the Vietnamese Communist Party.

A. initiated B. was initiating C. was initiated D. had initiated

Choose the best answer (A, B, C or D) for each of the following questions:

31. "What did you do last weekend, Tim?" Alice asked.

A. Alice asked Tim what did he do last weekend.

B. Alice asked Tim what he had done last weekend.

C. Alice asked Tim what he had done the previous weekend.

D. Alice asked Tim what had he done the previous weekend.

32. People say that Vietnamese students are not well-prepared for their future jobs. A. Vietnamese students are said not to be well-prepared for their future jobs.

B. Vietnamese students are said to be not well-prepared for their future jobs.

C. Vietnamese students say not to be well-prepared for their future jobs.

D. Vietnamese students say to be not well-prepared for their future jobs.

33. "Why don't you ask the teacher for help?" Peter asked me.

A. Peter advised me to ask the teacher for help.

B. Peter recommended me not to ask the teacher for help. ,

C. Peter told me the reason why I did not ask the teacher for help.

D. Peter suggested that he should ask the teacher for help.

34. If it does not rain tomorrow, we will water the garden.

A. Unless it rain tomorrow, we will water the garden.

B. Unless it does rain tomorrow, we will water the garden.

C. Unless it rains tomorrow, we will water the garden.

D. Unless it rains tomorrow, we will not water the garden.

35. Because he came to class late, the teacher punished him.

A. The teacher punished him if he came to class late.

B. The teacher would punish him if he came to class late

C. The teacher would not punish him if he did not come to class late.

D. The teacher would not have punished him if he had not come to class late.

36. Qualifications and experience / two elements / help us / get good jobs easily.

A. Qualifications and experience are two elements help us get good jobs easily.

B. Qualifications and experience are two elements helping us get good jobs easily.

C. Qualifications and experience are two elements which helps us get good

jobs easily.

D. Qualifications and experience are two elements helped us get good jobs easily.

Choose the underlined part (A, B, C or D) in each sentence that needs correction.

37. Although they always argue with each other, but they are good friends.

A B C D

38. More school have been built recently to make it convenient for children to go to school.

A B C D

39. My sister works for a foreign company in Ho Chi Minh City, where is one of the biggest cities in Vietnam.

A B C D

40. Since they study in the same primary school, they have known each other.

A B C D

Choose the word or phrase that best fits each space in the following passage

Many people love boats. Going out on the water (41) _____ a warm summer day is a lot of fun. (42) _____, different people like different kinds of boats. Two of the most popular kinds of boat are sailboats and speedboats. Sailboats use the (43) _____ to give them power. They only have small engines. In contrast, speedboats have large engines and go very fast. Furthermore, speedboats are usually not as (44) _____ as sailboats. Speedboats are small so that they can go fast. Sailboats, on the other hand, are big so that they are more comfortable. (45) _____, sailboats can travel into the ocean, but this

would be very dangerous in a speedboat. You can only use speedboats on rivers or lakes.

41. A. at B. on C. in D. while
42. A. However B. Although C. Because D. Unless
43. A. water B. speed C. weather D. wind
44. A. small B. fast C. warm D. big
45. B. Unfortunately B. At first C. In addition D. Except for

Read the passage carefully and choose the correct answer A, B, C or D

Diwali is a main Hindu festival. It is known as the “Festival of Lights”. It makes the victory of good over evil. In other words, lights are symbols of victory of brightness over darkness. People in India turn on lamps in every house and watch firecrackers in the night sky. These lights are a way showing *honor* to the gods of India for giving the people health, knowledge, riches and peace.

On the day of Diwali, *children* get up at 3:00 a.m and take a bath. They dress up in festival clothes, light up the candles and share sweets. There is competition among the children to light the first firecracker and to make the loudest noise. Soon, the whole sky is bright. Children seem to have the most fun during this festival.

46. What does the passage mainly discuss ?
- A. Unity among the people in India
- B. A way that children in India have fun
- C. How a festival in India is celebrated
- D. The meaning of lamplighting and firecrackers in India.
47. The word *honor* in the first paragraph 1 is closet in meaning to
- A. pride B. respect C. satisfaction D. understanding
48. All of the following are true of the festival EXCEPT_____.
- A. giving thanks to Gods

- B. lighting up candles
- C. exploding firecrackers
- D. having sports competition between children

49. The author's main purpose in paragraph 1 is

- A. to show different types of lights in Diwali
- B. to point out that the Diwali is an unusual holiday
- C. to explain the meaning of Diwali
- D. to give evidence that Diwali is celebrated at night

50. Why does the author mention *children* in paragraph 2?

- A. To focus that Diwali is a noisy festival
- B. To indicate that children enjoy the holiday of Diwali a lot
- C. To explain that the Diwali is a time for competition
- D. To indicate that the holiday is dangerous for children

ĐỀ 6

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the rest.

1. A. nursery B. work C. excursion D. certificate
2. A. application B. apply C. applicant D. applicator

Choose the word that has the main stress position differently from that of the rest.

3. A. campus B. certificate C. performance D. acceptance
4. A. impression B. existence C. compulsory D. creativity
5. A. reform B. improve C. dominate D. adopt

Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.

6. He warned her _____ the wire.
A. not touching B. not touch C. touch D. not to touch

7. Hurry up! It's time we _____ for next week's examination.
A. have studied B. studied C. had studied D. will study
8. When Jack _____ me, I _____ a letter.
A. phoned/ has been writing B. has phoned/ was writing
C. phoned/ was writing D. was phoning/ wrote
9. Be quiet! The baby _____.
A. is sleeping B. slept C. was sleeping D. sleeps
10. You should find out as much as about the job and the vacancy
A. jobs are advertised B. a job that is available. C. a seat that is available D. an empty seat.
11. Would you mind show me _____ to work the lift?
A. where B. how C. what D. why
12. The academic year in England _____ into three terms.
A. has divided B. is divided C. divides D. is dividing
13. My mother tells me that she _____ since she was four.
A. has been singing B. has been sung C. sang D. had sung
14. We saw many soldiers and horses _____ were moving to the front line.
A. which B. whom C. who D. that
15. Try these cakes ! They are _____ from wheat flour.

A. done B. made C. taken D. baked

16. A surprise party _____ by my students tomorrow.

A. is going to be organized B. is gone to organize

C. is going to organize D. a and b are correct

17. Schooling is _____ for all English children from the age of five to sixteen.

A. compulsory B. advised C. selected D. encouraged

18. Because of the coming examination, I am under a lot of study _____.

A. responsibility B. pressure C. confidence D. activities

19. Had I known she was sick , I _____ her.

A. visited B. had visited C. would have visited D. would visit

20. " _____ " the doctor advised his patient.

A. You had better stop drinking B. I would like you to drink

C. You had better to drink D. Please drink some more

21. "I will do it for you, Mary", Peter said.

A. Peter advised Mary to do it

B. Peter advised Mary not to do it.

C. Peter promised to do it for Mary

D. Peter wanted Mary to do it.

22. Some snakes are poisonous, _____ others are harmless.

A. but B. so C. for D. although

23. Please don't enter _____ knocking.

A. with B. without C. except for D. by

24. "Thanks for your help!" " _____ "

A. With all my heart B. Never mind me C. It's my pleasure D. All it is for you

25. "How do you get to work?" " _____ "

A. It is very far B. About two kilometers.

C. I walk, of course D. I was taken there.

26. "I have just passed my English proficiency test." " _____ "

A. Congratulations ! B. It's nice of you to say so!

C. That's a good idea! D. Ok! I'm enjoying in it!

27. "Happy New Year!" " _____ "

A. Thank you, I am very happy to hear that.

B. Thank you, I am too.

C. Thank you, the same to you.

D. Thank you. I wish you a happy birthday.

28. "I am expecting a baby." " _____ "

A. Good luck! Boy or girl?

B. Happy to hear that.

C. When will you give birth to a baby?

D. That's wonderful news! When's it due?

Choose the sentence that is closest in the meaning

to the root one.

29. I can't do the test because it is too difficult.

- A. If the test weren't too difficult, I can do it.
- B. If the test hadn't been too difficult, I could do it.
- C. If the test weren't too difficult, I could do it.
- D. If the test isn't too difficult, I can do it.

30. They are *cleaning* the kitchen now.

- A. The kitchen is now cleaned.
- B. The kitchen is cleaning now.
- C. The kitchen is been cleaning now.
- D. The kitchen is being cleaned now.

31. Opinion/ his performance / good.

- A. My opinion was good at his performance.
- B. For my opinion, his performance was good.
- C. In my opinion, I think his performance was good.
- D. In my opinion, his performance was good.

32. He/ afraid/ sack/ lack of education.

- A. He is afraid that he sacks lack of education.
- B. He is afraid of sacking due to lack of education.
- C. He is afraid of being sacked for lack of education.
- D. He is afraid of being sacked because he lacks of education.

33. *Without* transportation, *our modern society could not exist.*

- A. Our modern society could not exist if there is no transportation.
- B. Our modern society will not exist without having transportation.

C. If there were no transportation, our modern society would not exist.

D. If transportation no longer exists, our modern society will not exist.

34. *"You'd better think carefully before applying for that job."*

She said to me.

A. She said me to think carefully before applying for that job.

B. She says me to think carefully before applying for that job.

C. She advise me to think carefully before applying for that job.

D. She advised me to think carefully before applying for that job.

35. *The USA is a country of high youth unemployment.*

A. The USA is a country of young people.

B. It is the USA that has a great number of young people.

C. High youth unemployment is found in the USA.

D. We find high youth unemployment a problem in the USA

Choose the underlined part that needs correction.

36. Buying clothes are often a very time- consuming practice because those clothes that a person likes are rarely the one that fit him or her.

ABCD

37. After she had bought himself a new automobile, she sold her bicycle.

A B C D

38. After George had returned to his house, he was reading a book.

A B C D

39. We had better to review this chapter carefully because we will have some questions on it on our test tomorrow.

ABCD

40. Stuart stopped to write his letter because he had to leave for the hospital.

A B C D

Choose the correct word for each of the blanks.

BEFORE THE INTERVIEW

You should find out as much as possible about the job and the (41)_____. Before the interview, you have to send a letter of application and your resumes to the company to express your interest in the job and (42) _____ that you may be the most suitable candidate for the position.

When you come to the interview, remember (43) _____ with you your school certificates and letter of recommendation from your teachers or your previous employers. (44)_____ you may jot down your qualifications and experience that can relate to the job and prepare for the questions that are often asked during the interview. Make sure you know where the interview is and (45)_____ there. Be on time or a few minutes early. Don't forget to dress neatly and formally.

41. A. vacancy B. career C. profession D. place.

42. A. showing B. to show C. shown D. show

43. A. to bring B. bringing C. brought D. bring

44. A. Although B. In addition C. however D. And

45. A. how to get B. how getting C. way getting D. to get

Choose the correct answer to each of the questions.

If parents bring up a child with the aim of turning the child into a genius, they will cause great damage to him. According to several leading educational psychologist, this is one of the biggest mistakes which some parents make. Generally the child will understand very well the parents expect and will fail. Unrealistic parental expectations can cause great damage to their children.

However, if parents are not unrealistic about what they expect their children to do, but are hopeful in a sensible way, the child may succeed in doing very well especially if the parents are very supportive of their children.

Michael Li is very lucky. He is very fond of music, and his parents help him a lot by taking him to concerts and arranging private piano and violin lessons. Although

Michael's play the trumpet in a large orchestra, he never makes Michael enter music competitions if he is unwilling.

Michael's friend, Winston Chen, however, is not so lucky. Although both his parents are successful musicians, they set too high a standard for Winston. They want their son to be as successful as they are and so they enter him in every piano competition held. They are very unhappy when he does not win. "when I was your age, I used to win every competition I enter," Winton's father tells him. Winston is always afraid that he will disappoint his parents and now he always seems quiet and unhappy.

46. The main idea of the passage is_____.

- A. how parents should make a child a musician.
- B. how parents should bring up a child.
- C. what differences there are between two kinds of parents.
- D. what aim of a child can be much earlier to reach.

47. Michael is lucky because_____.

- A. His parents help him in a sensible way.
 - B. His family is rich enough to have a car.
 - C. His father is a musician in an orchestra.
 - D. He is free to do anything that he likes best.
48. Winton's parents set so high a standard for him that _____.
- A. He has to do his best to do everything.

B. He has made greater progress in music.

C. He is afraid that he may disappoint them

D. He often want to kill himself someday.

49. It is one of parents' mistakes if_____.

- A. they want their child to be a musician.
- B. They help their child to win music competition.
- C. They don't care for their child's education much.
- D. They make their child try to achieve too much.

50. According to the author's opinion, _____.

- A. It is unimportant to let the child develop in the way they want.
- B. Parents should be supportive of their children.
- C. All sensible parents can train their children to success in everything.
- D. Unrealistic parents should arrange private lessons for their children.

ĐỀ 7

Choose the word that is stressed differently from the rest.

1. A. economy B. economics C. technologically D. institution
2. A. university B. international C. agricultural D. philosophy

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the rest.

3. A. achieveded B. advanceded C. requireded D. replieded
4. A. explanation B. experience C. existence D. exciting
5. A. disaster B. crisis C. basic D. handsome

Choose the best answer to complete the blank in each of the following sentences.

6. Because _____ a lack _____ interest, tomorrow program has been called _____.

A. to/in /out B. of/of /off C. in/to /in D. of/of/away.

7. She will never try _____ that again. It was such a nasty experience.

A. to do B. to be done C. doing D. do

8. Let's go to the airport to see her _____.

A. through B. back C. off D. to

9. Those _____ to go with me, please raise your hand.

A. wanting B. who wants C. who want d. a & c are correct

10. Would you like to go to the movies tomorrow? – Sure. By then I _____ my exam.

A. will finish B. finished C. will have finished D. have finished

11. _____ the fifth largest among the nine planets that make up our solar system.

A. The Earth is B. the Earth being C. that the Earth is d. being the Earth

12. At present Mary _____ her clothes. She _____ the clothes on Sunday.

A. is washing / often washes B. has washed / is often washing

C. was washing / has often washed D. washes / often washed

13. They _____ good preparations before they _____ their final examination yesterday.

A. made / had taken B. have made / take

C. had made / took D. will have made / have taken

14. Let's put off that meeting to next Monday.

A. postpone B. arrange C. start D. decide

15. German people always say *Please* when putting a plate in front of a guest _____ English people in that case would say *Hope you enjoy it*.

A. despite B. when C. while D. though

16. They had a really good chance of winning the national _____.

A. competitor B. competition C. compete D. competitive

17. Lan is very sick now since she hasn't got used _____ the cold weather
_____ the U.S.

A. to / in B. with / on C. to / at D. with / in

18. Many women _____ the countryside have to suffer _____ domestic violence as they are not aware of their rights.

A. at / from B. to / at C. from / with D. in / from

19. I like to _____ shopping in the city.

A. doing B. do C. making D. make

20. _____ garden looks like a mess. Why don't you cut
_____ grass?

A. a / a B. a / the C. the / the D. x / x

21. _____ friend of mine gave me _____ conical hat as a souvenir.

A. the / the b. a / the C. the / a D. a / a

22. Even though I kept apologizing, _____.

A. my friend forgives me B. my friend forgave me

C. my friend does not forgive me D. my friend did not forgive me

23. Tom was still keen on his goal _____ the fact that it was very hard to achieve.

A. because B. although C. despite D. in spite

24. He _____ for Canada two years ago and I _____ him since then.

A. left / did not see B. has left / have not seen

C. left / do not see D. left / have not seen

25. The bedroom needs _____ now.

A. decorate B. decorated C. decorating D. to decorate

26. It is very kind of you _____ me a hand.

A. to give B. given C. giving D. give

27. The villagers in this commune continue to take part in many _____ ceremonies.

A. traditional B. traditionally C. untraditional D. traditions

28. “Oh, no. Did I do that? I’m sorry.” – “_____”

A. Oh, that’s alright. It can happen to anyone. B. Did i? I’m sorry.

C. I’m worried about that. D. No, of course not.

29. “_____” – “Oh, thanks. I’m glad you like it.”

A. What does your house cost?

B. I like your house. It has nice view.

C. I don’t know how to get to your house.

D. Who designed this beautiful house?

30. The air has become more and more polluted because of exhaust fumes from vehicles.

A. preserved B. wasted C. contaminated D. conserved

Choose the underlined word or phrase in each sentence that needs correction.

31. Julie failed her driving test because she hasn't practised enough.

A B C D

32. I don't mind a little inconvenient but this is impossible.

A B C D

33. The doctor called this morning while you slept.

A B C D

34. Someone would tell him the answer, so he guessed.

A B C D

35. Unless you don't know how to do this exercise, you can ask me.

A B C D

Choose the best answers to fill in the blanks:

Some people believe that soon schools will no longer be necessary. They say that (9) _____ the Internet and other new technologies, (10) _____ no longer any need for school buildings, formal class, or teachers. Perhaps this will be true one day, but this is hard to (11) _____ a world without schools. In fact, we need to look at how we can use new technology to make schools better, not (12) _____ them. We should invent a new kind of school that is (13) _____ to libraries, museums, science centers, laboratories, and even companies.

36. A. despite B. because of C. thought D. because

37. A. there are B. they are C. it is D. there is

38. A. know B. realize C. imagine D. consider

39. A. to eliminate B. eliminative C. eliminator D. elimination

40. A. limited B. linked C. contributed D. addressed

Read the passage and choose the best answers:

Before applying to a foreign university, one should consider the disadvantages of studying abroad. First, a student may feel lonely by being far home and friends. Also,

difficulty in understanding a foreign language can be very disappointing and can affect the student's grades. It can be very expensive to pay the costs of travel and housing in a different country. Finally, if there is an emergency at home, it will be hard to get home in a hurry.

However, studying in another country is advantageous in many ways. A student is exposed to a new culture. This culture teaches him or her about other people and other way of thinking, which can be promote friendships among countries. He can learn an new language which may be beneficial for keeping up with research after student has finished studying. He can learn experience not available in his country. The student may also get the opportunity to study at a university where leading expert in his field may be teaching. The leading expert can introduce the student to the most up-to-date finding of the tops researches in the field. Exposure to such available knowledge and insights into the field can aid the student in becoming an expert as well.

41. _____ to study abroad.

- A. There are only disadvantages.
- B. There are only advantages.
- C. There are both advantages and disadvantages.
- D. There are neither advantages nor advantages.

42. When studying abroad, a student _____.

- A. is homesick and feel lonely
- B. spends a lot of money for accommodation and transportation
- C. cannot go home immediately in emergency.
- D. All are correct.

43. When studying abroad, a student is exposed to a new culture that

- _____ A. has no advantage.
- B. enriches his knowledge about people and other ways of thinking.
 - C. has no effects
 - D. causes some troubles

44. At a foreign university, a student _____.

- A. can learn a foreign language.

B. cannot learn a foreign language

C. has to learn his mother tongue

D. doesn't have to learn a language

45. At a foreign university, a student may _____.

A. meet his neighbor B. travel a lot

C. meet a leading expert in his field D. All are correct

Choose the sentence that is closest in the meaning to the root one.

46. "Would you like to stay for dinner?" she asked me.

A. He asked me if I liked to stay for dinner.

B. She was very kind to offer me the dinner.

C. He offered me a dinner.

D. She invited me to stay for dinner.

47. "Whose car did you borrow last night?" I said to him.

A. I said to him whose car did he borrow last night.

B. I told him whose car had he borrowed the night before.

B. I ordered him whose car he had borrowed the night before.

C. I asked him whose car he had borrowed the night before.

48. *if / I / have / money / I / buy / a new suit*

A. If I had enough money, I will buy a new suit.

B. If I have enough money, I will buy a new suit.

C. If I have enough money, I would buy a new suit.

D. If I had enough money, I bought a new suit.

49. “Do you enjoy living in the city?” asked the man.

A. The man asked if I enjoy living in the city.

B. The man wanted to know if I enjoy living in the city.

C. The man said whether I enjoy living in the city.

D. The man wanted to know whether I enjoyed living in the city.

50. what / foreign / languages / taught / are / in / schools / your / country?

A. What foreign languages are taught in schools in your country?

B. What are foreign languages taught in schools in your country?

C. What languages foreign are taught in schools in your country?

D. What foreign languages are taught in your country in schools?

ĐỀ 8

Choose the word which is stressed differently from the rest.

1. A. economic B. experience C. entertainment D. introduction
2. A. achievement B. communist C. constantly D. government
3. A. heavy B. major C. program D. reform
4. A. production B. consumer C. domestic D. business
5. A. hospital B. inflation C. policy D. constantly

Choose a, b, c, or d that best completes each unfinished sentence.

6. An 'A-level' in Mathematics or a/ an _____ qualification, is normally required.

- A. equal B. same C. equivalent D. like

7. At the age of sixteen he _____ for a place at the University of Harvard.

- A. expected B. submitted C. required D. qualified

8. GCSEs are often a requirement for taking A-levels, a common type of university _____ requirement.

- A. entrance B. enclose C. attendance D. assessment

9. GCSE courses are _____ in a variety of subjects, which are usually decided by the students themselves.

- A. spent B. taken C. made D. looked

10. GCSEs are not compulsory, but they are the most common qualification taken by 14-16-year-old students.

A. specialized B. fulfilled C. required D. applied

11. Secondary education is the _____ of education following primary school.

A. stage B. step C. level D. standard

12. Then he'll know exactly what's required _____ him. (esp passive)

A. of B. in C. with D. for

13. That language center has a wide variety _____ subjects for you to choose.

A. at B. upon C. of D. about

14. I admired him for being so confident _____ his age.

A. for B. at C. In D. on

15. She is a slow student. She seems to be unable to concentrate on anything in _____.

A. particular B. particularly C. particularity D. particularize

16. You should find a job to live _____ from your parents.

A. dependence B. independence C. independent D. independently

17. Those who do well on the test clearly have the _____ fluency.

A. require B. requirement C. requisite D. requiring

18. Most _____ students in _____ UK prepare carefully for A-level

exams.

A. the / Ø B. Ø / the C. Ø / an D. the / an 1

9. Where is Peter? - He is at _____ school.

A. a B. an C. the D. Ø

20. _____ with my previous job, I would have won a higher promotion and I _____ in this unfortunate position now.

A. Unless I had stayed / I am not B. If I stayed / would not be

C. If had I stayed / will not be D. Had I stayed / would not be

21. If they _____ down that old opera house, we would not have any historical architecture left in the city.

A. tear B. tore C. torn D. were torn

22. I can't stand him. If he _____, I will quit.

A. is employed B. employed C. were employed D. had employed

23. Without my parents' support, I _____ my overseas study.

A. will not complete B. did not complete

C. had not completed D. would not have completed

24. _____ at home, I would enjoy my favourite show.

A. Suppose I am B. Unless were I C. Were I D. If were I

25. The man and his dogs _____ were buried in the demolished building after the earthquake have just been rescued safely.

A. which B. who C. that D. whom

26. Since the global industrialization, the number of animal species _____ have become extinct or nearly extinct has increased.

A. which B. when C. why D. whose

27. Of my students, Betty is the only one _____ has found a good job.

A. where B. that C. which D. whose

28. Have you ever visited New York harbor _____ the famous Statue of Liberty stands?

A. on where B. that C. on that D. where

29. Tell me the day _____ you want to leave.

A. which B. when C. in that D. where

30. That is the place _____ there used to be a monument.

A. where B. that C. why D. for which

31. I could not eat _____ I was very hungry.

A. even though B. in spite C. despite D. in spite the fact that

32. In spite _____, the baseball game was not cancelled.

A. the rain B. of the rain C. it was raining D. there was a rain

33. _____ he had enough money, he refused to buy a new car.

A. In spite B. In spite of C. Despite D. Although

34. _____, he walked to the station.

A. Despite being tired B. Although to be tired

C. In spite being tired D. Despite tired

35. The children slept well, despite _____.

A. it was noise B. the noise C. of the noise D. noisy Error Identification.

36. The General Certificate of Secondary Education (GCSE) is the name of a set of English qualifications, generally taking by secondary school students at the age of 15-16 in England.

ABCD

37. When GCSEs are taken in secondary school, they can often combined with other qualifications, or diplomas.

ABCD

38. If you decide to take any examination system, you should make contact with the Admissions. Office to ask for an appropriate preparation for the subject whom you are planning to study.

ABCD

39. Entry standards at Cambridge University require students who have studied to the highest level available for school students, and having achieved top grades.

ABCD

40. If you have already decided on a course that you would like to study at university , or we (we)

recommend that you take a look at the course requirements first

ABCD

Read the two passages carefully and choose the correct answer.

There is no age requirement for admission to Cambridge University, although the vast majority of undergraduates are 18 years' or older when they come into residence. All applicants will need to demonstrate that they have the maturity and personal skills to cope with university level study. A student who will be over 21 on commencing a course is classified as a mature student.

In previous years, the University has had minimum entrance requirements for all applicants, known as matriculation requirements. These included the need for a

qualification in English, a language other than English, and a mathematical or scientific subject. These requirements will be abolished from 2009 entry onwards.

Cambridge applicants are encouraged to study either four or five Advanced Subsidiary (AS) levels in Year 12. Applicants taking four subjects will not be disadvantaged compared with those taking five subjects. The university administration would normally expect A grades in subjects which are particularly relevant to the course a student is applying for. More challenging offers may be set to ensure that an applicant can cope with pressure and the demands of exams.

Advanced Extension Awards (AEAs) are based on A level subject criteria and require no additional teaching or resources. They are designed to challenge the most able students and to provide opportunities for students to show logical and critical thinking skills and a greater depth of understanding than required at A level.

41. *"There is no age requirement for admission to Cambridge University"* means that _____.

A. All students studying at Cambridge University must be under 18 years old

B. Any students can enter Cambridge University regardless of the age

C. Any students who are admitted to Cambridge University have to meet age requirement.

D. All Cambridge higher students must be more than 20 years old

42. To enter Cambridge University, students must be _____.

A. very wealthy B. under the level of university study

C. mature and personally skillful D. very intelligent

43. What is not a matriculation requirement to enter Cambridge University?

A. A Bachelor of Art in Literature

B. A language other than English

C. A qualification in English

D. A mathematical or, scientific subject According to the third paragraph,

_____.

A. Studying at Cambridge University is not a difficult task.

B. Examinations at Cambridge University are very difficult.

C. Students at Cambridge University do not to encounter any pressure.

D. Cambridge University does not require examinations.

44. Advanced Extension Awards (AEAs) are for _____ students.

A. poor B. foreign C. elderly D. good

Fill in each numbered blank with one suitable word or phrase.

Here are tips that help succeed in your job interview:

Always arrive early. If you do not know where the organization is located, call for exact directions (46)_____ advance. Leave some extra time for any traffic, parking, or (47)_____ events. If you are running late, call right away and let someone know. The best time to arrive is approximately 5 - 10 minutes early. Give (48)_____ the time to read your resume one more time, to catch your breath, and to be ready for the interview. Once you are at the office, treat everyone you encounter with respect. Be (49)_____ to everyone as soon as you walk in the door.

Wear a professional business suit. This point should be emphasized enough. First impressions are extremely important in the interview process. Women should (50)_____ wearing too much jewelry or make up. Men should avoid flashy suits or wearing too much perfume. It is also important that you feel comfortable. While a suit is the standard interview attire in a business environment, if you think it is an informal environment, call before and ask. Regardless, you can never be overdressed if you are wearing a tailored suit.

45. A. with B. in C. on D. for

46. A. expected B. unexpected C. unexpectedly D. expectedly

47. A. you B. your C. yours D. yourself

48. A. pleasant B. happy C. disappointed D. excited

49. A. avoid B. suggest C. enjoy D. mind ĐỀ 9

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently.

1. A. danger B. habitat C. campus D. cactus

2. A. breath B. threaten C. healthy D. great

3. A. windsurfing B. wilderness C. rhino D. philosopher

Choose the word whose stress is different.

4. A. possible B. important C. together D. familiar

5. A. supportive B. responsibility C. responsive D. repairable

Choose the right word or phrase to complete the sentences.

6. More and more trees in the area are found _____ from the effect of polluted air.

A. died B. to be dying C. having died D. to be died

7. Martin tried on three jackets, _____fitted him.

A. none B. none of which C. none of them D. all of them.

8. I _____ to the author if I thought he would publish the article.

A. write B. am writing C. would write D. had written

9. After Mary _____ her degree, she intends to work in her father's company.

A. will finish B. is finishing C. finishes D. will have finished

10. The water will be further polluted unless some measures _____.

A. will be taken B. are taken C. were taken D. had been taken

11. A: Could you pick me up at 6 o'clock? ~ B: _____ I'm still at the meeting then.

A. I think I couldn't B. Yes, of course I could C. No problem D. I'm afraid not

12. A: I'm terribly sorry I behaved in such a childish way. ~ B : _____.

A. Don't say that B. That's all right C. You're welcome D. Never mind

13. A football fan is _____ has a strong interest in football.

A. a thing that B. something that C. a person that D. what

14. He thought of his childhood _____ he worked in the country.

A. when B. where C. why D. which

15. The children are all _____ beautiful clothes on New Year's Day.

A. in B. on C. of D. at

16. Nowadays elephants are one of the _____ species in the world. They need protecting.

A. enlightened B. expensive C. endangered D. enlarged

17. What are the _____ between women's in old times and women in modern times?

A. differs B. different C. difference D. differences

18. In the past people believed that women's _____ roles were as mothers and wives.

A. nature B. natural C. naturism D. naturalist

19. A skilled _____ will help candidates feel relaxed.

A. interview B. interviewing C. interviewee D. interviewer

20. He has just arrived, but he talks as if he _____ all about that

A. know B. knows C. known. D. knew

21. Many of the _____ not expect to win.

A. participants in the race do

B. participants in the races does

C. participants in the race does

D. participant in the race does

22. He came home late, so I asked him where _____ been.

A. he had B. has he C. he has D. had he

23. If you take a good book on your hand, you will find it hard

_____.

A. to pick it up B. to put it down C. to read it D. to enjoy it

24. An endangered species is a species _____ population is so small that is in danger of becoming extinct.

A. whose B. which C. what D. who

25. Emily is motivated to study _____ she knows that a good education can improve her life.

A. therefore B. because of C. because D. so

26. She didn't get _____ well with her boss, so she left the company.

A. up B. at C. through D. on

27. If I _____ cross a desert, I'd probably find a camel and a guide.

A. am to B. have to C. would D. had to

28. _____ number of boys were swimming in the lake, but I didn't know _____ exact number of them.

A. A / the B. The / an C. The / the D. A / an

29. The master _____ satisfied with his students' progress that he praised them in class.

A. was so B. was so that C. was such D. is such a

30. Come and sit down. Have a cup of tea, _____?

A. wouldn't you B. will you C. haven't you D. do you

31. Warm your _____ up before you jump into a swimming pool so that you won't be cold. A. head B. arms C. feet D. body

32. She has made an _____ for the job as a nursery teacher because she likes children.

A. apply B. applicant C. application D. applied

Choose the underlined word or phrase in each sentence that needs

correcting

33. George has not completed the assignment yet, and Maria hasn't neither.

A B C D

34. As they grow older, children in many cultures taught not to rely on their parents.

A B C D

35. After Tom returned to his house, he read a book.

A B C D

Choose the sentence that is similar in meaning to the one given

36. "Do you believe in what the boy says, Mary?" said Tom.

- A. Tom asked Mary to believe in what the boy said.
- B. Tom asked Mary if she believed in what the boy said.
- C. Tom said that Mary believed in what the boy said.
- D. Tom asked Mary whether she believes in what the boy says.

37. John is fat because he eats so many chips.

- A. If John doesn't eat so many chips, he will not be fat.
- B. If John didn't eat so many chips, he would not be fat.
- C. John is fat though he eats so many chips.
- D. being fat, John eats so many chips.

38. People say he won a lot of money on the lottery.

- A. He is said that he won a lot of money on the lottery.
- B. He won a lot of money on the lottery, it is said.
- C. He is said to have won a lot of money on the lottery.

- D. He was said to win a lot of money on the lottery.
39. He was very tired but he kept on working.
- A. Despite he was very tired, he kept on working.
- B. In spite of he was very tired, he kept on working.
- C. Though his tiredness, he kept on working.
- D. Although he was very tired, he kept on working.
40. He asked me where I had bought those English books.
- A. He asked me, "Where had I bought those English books?"
- B. He said to me, "Where did you buy these English books?"
- C. He said to me, "Where I bought these English books?"
- D. He asked me, "Where did I buy those English books?"

Fill each of the numbered blanks in the following passage with suitable words TEENAGERS AND SPORT

It's quite rare to meet teenagers who don't like sports. When you are young, you know how important (41)_____ to do physical exercise if you want to be healthy and strong, and for that reason you often concentrate on just one sport with so (42)_____ enthusiasm that in the end you can't live without it. The problem is, though, that as you grow up you have less and less spare time. At your age you have to study harder if you want to get good marks to go to university, with perhaps only one afternoon a week to do any sport. This happens just when you are at the best (43)_____ for many sports, such as gymnastics and swimming. By the time you finish all your studies you will probably be too old to be really good at sports like those, but if you spend enough time on (44)_____ while you are young, then one day you will find that you are very good at your sport but too old to study, and you will find it (45)_____ to get a good job. Somehow, it doesn't seem fair.

41. A. this is B. you are C. it is D. things are

42. A. keen B. many C. great D. much

43. A. stage B. age C. period D. time

44. A. training B. practice C. exercise D. sporting

45. A. impractical B. unlikely C. improbable D. impossible

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions below

THE WILD LIFE

Wild animals (and wild plants) and the wild places where they live are seriously threatened almost everywhere. One species has become extinct in each year of this century. But many hundreds are now in danger. Lack of attention would lead to the rapid advance of the process of extinction.

Already many kinds of wild animals has been so reduced in number that their role in the ecosystem is forgotten. Animals like the great apes, the whales, seals etc. thought to be in danger of extinction.

But even more important, perhaps than individual kinds of animals and plants, whole habitats are in danger of vanishing: marshes are being drained, and the world forests, especially tropical forests are being cut down to satisfy man's needs of timber and paper.

What would our world be like if all the wild animals and wild plants vanished?- Would our life still exist then?

46. What would happen to the human beings if the wild life vanished?

A. Many species would quickly become extinct.

B. The human life would be seriously threatened.

C. Species would go on dying out.

D. Tropical forests would be cut down.

47. What is more important than individual kinds of animals and plants?

A. the vanishing of whole habitats.

B. the extinction of many species.

C. the rapid advance of the process of extinction.

D. man's need of timber and paper.

48. What does the writer caution us against?

A. cutting down the tropical forests. B. hunting wild animals.

C. draining marshes. D. destroying our environment. 49. What would happen if we cut down forests? ~ Cutting down forests would cause _____. A. the changes of temperature. B. the flood

C. both A and B are correct. D. none are correct.

50. The verb “threatened” in the passage means _____.

A. polluted B. given fear to C. vanished D. poisoned

ĐỀ 10**I. PRONUNCIATION**

Choose the word whose main stress is put differently from that of the others in the group.

1. A. project B. support C. secure D. believe
2. A. obedience B. mischievous C. biologist D. decision

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

3. A. family B. parents C. happy D. frankly
4. A. mischief B. believe C. obedience D. niece
5. A. shifts B. works C. groups D. hands

II. GRAMMAR & VOCABULARY

Choose the word, phrase or sentence a, b, c or d that best completes each unfinished sentence. 6. Many of our students come _____ poor families.

A. in B. for C. from D. over

7. Would you like to share your experience _____ the rest of the group?

A. with B. to C. among D. of

8. We are a very _____ family and support each other through any crises.

[crisis]

A. old-established B. well-to-do C. hard-up D. close-knit

9. –“Lorna, would you please drive me to class today? My car won't start”. –

“_____.”

A. Yes, I would. B. I'd be glad to. C. No, I wouldn't. D. No idea

10. _____ most men, my father enjoys cooking.

A. Not alike B. Unlike C. Unlikely D. Dislike

11. Her family and friends have given her lots of _____.

A. support B. supports C. supporters D. supportive

12. My mother often cooks big meals, _____ we have leftovers for days.

A. however B. despite C. so D. because

13. Our parents join hands to give us a nice house and a happy home.

A. deal with B. manage C. help together D. work together

14. Mark enjoys having fun by causing trouble. He's a very _____ boy.
A. stubborn B. mischievous C. spoiled D. bright
15. I _____ the new Harry Potter book now, so you can borrow my copy if you like.
A. finish B. finished C. am finished D. have finished
16. As you _____ your car at the moment, can I borrow it?
A. don't use B. aren't using C. haven't used D. won't use
17. Look at the dirt on your clothes! _____ in the garden again?
A. Do you dig B. Are you digging C. Have you dug D. Have you been digging
18. In a break-in last week, the burglars _____ all my jewellery but left the picture.
A. took B. have taken C. had taken D. were taking
19. Come and see me when you _____ your report.
A. finish B. finished C. will finish D. had finished
20. _____ was one of the most difficult tasks pioneers faced on their journeys west.
A. Crossing rivers B. While crossing rivers C. Rivers being crossed D. By crossing rivers
21. Can you tell me who is responsible _____ checking passports?
A. to B. in C. about D. for
22. She is leaving her husband _____ she cannot put up with his bad temper any longer.

A. because B. so that C. although D. so

23. Steve is a married man. He enjoys _____ at home with his wife and children.

A. to be B. being C. be D. been

24. For security reasons, passengers are requested _____ any luggage unattended.

A. not to leave B. not leave C. not leaving D. don't leave

25. _____ irritating they are, you shouldn't lose your temper with your children.

A. No matter B. However C. Despite D. Because of

26. News _____ in of a large fire in central London.

A. is coming B. are coming C. have come D. come

27. Were you going to the language center _____ I saw you yesterday morning?

A. while B. if C. because D. when

28. If I _____ a lot of money, I'd definitely stop working.

A. win B. won C. would won D. had won

29. After he had finished his English course, he went to England _____ continue his study.

A. so as B. in order C. to D. and

30. I wish George _____ to Italy with us.

A. comes B. has come C. had come D. will come

31. Hardly anybody applied for the job.

A. Nobody applied for the job because it was hard.

B. Anybody found it hard to apply for the job.

C. Few applicants were suitable for the job.

D. There were very few applicants for the job.

32. I'm sorry that I didn't finish my homework last night.

A. If only I had finished my homework last night.

B. I promise to finish all my homework from now on.

C. I regret that I finished my homework last night.

D. I wish I didn't have to do my homework last night.

33. _____ successful as a husband than as a father.

A. He is more B. He is as C. He is so D. He is much

34. You can enrich your knowledge _____ to the radio.

A. to listen B. by listening C. because of listening D. despite listening

35. _____, I will have left for the USA.

A. Receiving this letter B. To receive this letter

C. You receive this letter D. By the time you receive this letter Choose the underlined part in each sentence that should be corrected.

36. Average family size has increased from the Victorian era.

A B C D

37. They prefer to stay in their home country because family ties.

A B C D

38. In 1892, the first long-distance telephone line between Chicago and New York was formally opening. A B C D

39. There are probably around 3,000 languages speaking in the world.

A B C D

40. The development of transistors made possible it to reduce the size of many electronic devices. A B C D

Choose the item (A, B, C or D) that best completes the unfinished statement.

The nuclear family, consisting of a mother, father, and their children, may be more an American ideal than an American reality. Of course, the so-called traditional American family was always more varied than we had been led to believe, reflecting the very different racial, ethnic, class, and religious customs among different American groups.

The most recent government statistics reveal that only about one third of all *current* American families fit the traditional mold and another third consists of married couples who either have no children or have none still living at home. Of the final one third, about 20 percent of the total number of American households are single people, usually women over sixty-five years of age. A small percentage, about 3 percent of the total, consists of unmarried people who choose to live together; and the rest, about 7 percent are single, usually divorced parents, with at least one child. Today, these varied family types are typical, and therefore, normal. Apparently, many Americans are achieving supportive relationships in family forms other than the traditional one.

41. With what topic is the passage mainly concerned?

A. The traditional American family B. The nuclear family

C. The current American family D. The ideal family

42. The writer implies that _____.

A. there have always been a wide variety of family arrangement in the United States B. racial, ethnic, and religious groups have preserved the traditional family structure C. the ideal American family is the best structure

D. fewer married couples are having children

43. The word 'current' in line 7 could best be replaced by which of the following? A. typical B. present C. perfect D. traditional

44. In the passage, married couples whose children have grown or who have no children represent _____.

A. 1/3 percent of households B. 20 percent of households

C. 7 percent of households D. 3 percent of households

45. Who generally constitutes a one-person household?

A. A single man in his twenties B. An elderly man

C. A single woman in her late sixties D. A divorced woman

Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C, or D) that best fits each space in the following passage.

In an age when technology is developing faster than ever before, many people are being (36)_____ to the idea of looking back into the past. One way they can do this is by investigating their own family history. They can try to (37)_____ out more about where their families came from and what they did. This is now a fast-growing hobby, especially in countries with a (38)_____ short history, like Australia and the United States. It is one thing to spend some time (39)_____ through a book on family history and to take the (40)_____ to investigate your own family's past. It is quite another to carry out the research work successfully.

46. A. pushed B. attracted C. brought D. considered

47. A. lay B. make C. put D. find

48. A. fairly B. greatly C. mostly D. widely

49. A. seeing B. moving C. going D. living

50. A. idea B. plan C. purpose D. decision

ĐỀ 11**I. PRONUNCIATION**

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently.

1. A. attract B. clap C. wave D. hand
2. A. signal B. slightly C. polite D. excite
3. A. allowed B. passed C. argued D. raised

Choose the word whose main stress is put differently.

4. A. marvelous B. assistant C. maximum D. argument
5. A. apologetic B. communicate C. attention D. appropriate

Choose the best option to complete each of the following sentences.

6. While studying, he was financially dependent _____ his parents.

A. on B. to C. of D. from

7. It's rude to point _____ someone!

A. on B. out C. at D. up

8. The proposal will go ahead despite strong _____ from the public.

A. objections B. objective C. objectively D. object

9. Although I spoke to him many times, he never paid any attention _____ what I said.

A. of B. with C. for D. to

10. As you _____ the town, you'll see the college on the left.

A. come B. go C. approach D. get

11. After listening _____ all the arguments, I am now of the opinion that there should be no new road.

A. by B. for C. of D. to

12. The woman asked _____ get lunch at school.

A. can the children B. whether the children could C. if the children can
D. could the children

13. Did they say they _____ me again?

A. will telephone B. have telephoned C. would phone D. had phoned

14. If he _____ rich, he _____ a lot.

A. is/would travel B. were/would travel C. was/ traveled D. had been/would travel

15. Someone told us _____ on the stairs.

A. don't sit B. not sit C. not to sit D. to not sit

16. All the students denied _____ anything about the matter.

A. to know B. knowing C. for knowing D. that they know

17. I asked him whose car _____ the previous day.

A. he had borrowed B. had he borrowed

C. did he borrowed D. he would borrow

18. The office reminded us _____ the money.

A. pay B. paying C. to pay D. paid

19. Why did you object _____ the scheme for building a kindergarten in our neighborhood?

A. to B. against C. at D. in

20. _____ being a big star, she's very approachable.

A. As B. Despite C. Because of D. Due to

21. I make no _____ for encouraging my children to succeed in school.

A. apologize B. apologetic C. apologies D. apoplectic

22. “ Would you mind lending me five dollars? I'm getting paid tomorrow.” – “ _____.”

A. Not at all. B. Yes, thanks C. No, I don't mind. D. Good idea

23. “Mike, can you take these books back to the library for me? I'm running late.” – “ _____.”

A. I'm late too. Sorry. B. No, I can. C. Never mind. D. I can

24. The doctor has advised _____ too much coffee.

A. me not drink B. I don't drink C. me not drinking D. me not to drink

25. _____ that we had to ask a police officer for directions.

- A. So confusing the map was B. So confusing was the map
- C. So was confusing the map D. Such confusing was the map

26. The more they produced and consumed, _____.

- A. they were the more affluent B. the more affluent they were
- C. they were affluent more D. they were affluent

27. They asked me _____ in Los Angeles then.

- A. whether was my father working B. if my father was working
- C. whether my father has been working D. was my father working

28. She regretfully told him that _____.

- A. she would leave the tickets at home
- B. she left the tickets at home
- C. she would have left the tickets at home
- D. she had left the tickets at home

29. Climbing without a safety rope is forbidden.

- A. You aren't allowed to climb without a safety rope.
- B. You don't permit to climb without a safety rope.
- C. You aren't forbidden climbing without a safety rope.
- D. You had better not climb with a safety rope.

30. Nigel hasn't got satellite TV, so he can't watch the game.

- A. If Nigel has satellite TV, he can watch the game.
- B. If Nigel has got satellite TV, he could watch the game.

- C. If Nigel had satellite TV, he could have watched the game.
D. If Nigel would have satellite TV, he could watch the game.
31. Walking home alone is not a good idea.
A. You can't walk home alone. B. You mustn't walk home alone.
C. You don't have to walk home alone. D. You shouldn't walk home alone.
32. "Shall I help you with the washing-up, Jane?" John said.
A. John told Jane to help him with the washing-up.
B. John asked if Jane should help him with the washing-up.
C. John suggested helping Jane with the washing-up.
D. John offered to help Jane with the washing-up.
33. "What will you do if you have ten days off school?"
he asked.
A. He asked me what will I do if I have ten days off
school.
B. He asked what I will do if I have ten days off school.
C. He asked me what I would do if I had ten days off school.
D. He asked what would I do if I had ten days off school.
34. "You'd better apologize for being so rude," said my friend.
A. My friend advised me to apologize for being so rude.
B. My friend offered me to apologize for being so rude.
C. My friend warned me to apologize for being so rude.
D. My friend suggested me apologizing for being so rude.
35. "Good morning, Mary! How are you today?" Henry said.
A. Henry said good morning Mary and asked how was she today.

- B. Henry greeted Mary and asked how is she today.
C. Henry said good morning and asked Mary how she is that day.
D. Henry greeted Mary and asked how she was that day.

Choose the underlined part in each sentence that should be corrected.

36. She says that she would have to close the shop unless business improves.

A B C D

37. Every teacher I've spoken to tell me that standards of spelling are in decline.

A B C D

38. They asked me how long did it take to get to Paris by train.

A B C D

39. My mother told me to watch the milk and don't let it boil over.

A B C D

40. Some engineers have predicted that, within twenty years, automobiles will be make almost completely of plastic.

ABCD

Choose the item (A, B, C or D) that best completes the unfinished statement.

Sometimes people add to what they say even when they don't talk. Gestures are the "silent language" of every culture. We point a finger or move another part of the body to show what we want to say. It is important to know the body language of every country or we may be misunderstood. In the United States, people greet each other with a handshake in a formal introduction. The handshake must be firm. If the handshake is weak, it is a sign of weakness or unfriendliness. Friends may place a hand on the other's arm or shoulder. Some people, usually women, greet a friend with a hug.

Space is important to Americans. When two people talk to each other, they usually stand

about two and a half feet away and at an angle, so they are not facing each other directly. Americans get uncomfortable when a person stands too close. They will move back to have their space. If Americans touch another person by accident, they say, "Pardon me." or "Excuse me." Americans like to look the other person in the eyes when they are talking. If you don't do so, it means you are bored, hiding something, or are not interested. But when you are stare at someone, it is not polite. For Americans, thumbs-up means yes, very good, or well done. Thumbs down means the opposite. To call a waiter, raise one hand to head level or above. To show you want the check, make a movement with your hands as if you are signing a piece of paper. It is all right to point at things but not at people with the hand and index finger. Americans shake their index finger at children when they scold them and pat them on the head when they admire them. Learning a culture's body language is sometimes confusing. If you don't know what to do, the safest thing to do is to smile.

[scold: rầy la; pat: vỗ nhẹ]

41. From the passage we can learn that_____.
- A. gestures don't mean anything while talking
 - B. It's confusing to understand a culture's body language
 - C. gestures can help us to express ourselves
 - D. American people often use body language in communication
42. If you are introduced to a stranger from the USA, you should _____.
- A. greet him with a hug B. place a hand on his shoulder
 - C. shake his hand weakly D. shake his hand firmly
43. American people often _____.
- A. show their friendship by touching each other
 - B. face each other directly when they are talking
 - C. say "Pardon me" to each other when they are talking
 - D. get uncomfortable when you stand or sit too close to them
44. When your friend give you a thumbs-up, he, in fact, .
- A. shows his rudeness to you B. shows his anger to you

C. expresses his satisfaction to you D. expresses his worries about you

45. Which of the following is NOT true about the culture of the United States?

A. It's impolite to look the other person in the eyes while talking.

B. It's rude to look at the other person for a long time.

C. Pointing at someone is usually considered rude.

D. It's all right to raise your hand slightly when you want to attract the waiter's attention.

Choose the word or phrase that best fits each space in the following passage.

Years ago there were many social rules and etiquette procedures (46)_____ introductions. Some formal introductions between two people were (47)_____ by letter by third party. A person had to be very careful to weigh the importance of social class or status, age, and gender when deciding (48)_____ person should be presented or introduced to the other person first. (49)_____, times have changed, and most of the social rules about introducing older people to younger ones, women to men, and those in higher positions to those in lower positions have changed, too. Many people now feel much more (50)_____ about making introductions.

Etiquette procedures: các thủ tục xã giao; gender: giới tính

46. A. involving B. including C. relating D. mentioning

47. A. done B. made C. taken D. served

48. A. that B. who C. whose D. which

49. A. Therefore B. In addition C. However D. Furthermore

50. A. anxious B. relaxed C. nervous D. comfortable

ĐỀ 12

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others. 1. A. future B. resume C. pressure D. enthusiasm 2. A. honest B. humour C. honour D. hour 3. A. whether B. though C. clothes D. enthusiast

Choose the word whose main stress is put differently from that of the others in the group. 4. A. reduce B. retail C. repair D. relate 5. A. advertise B. qualify C. recommend D. interview

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6. Since he went to university, Mike has become very interested _____ environment issues.

A. in B. on C. at D. for

7. How much you earn depends _____ how fast you can work.

A. in B. on C. of D. to

8. The job offer was too good for Jennifer to turn _____.

A. off B. away [*dismiss*] C. out [*produce*] D. down [*reject or refuse*]

9. A skilled _____ will help candidates feel relaxed.

A. interview B. interviewing C. interviewee D. interviewer

10. The company employs a _____ of nearly 5000.

A. workload B. workman C. workforce D. workout

11. She applied _____ the new post of training officer.

A. to B. for C. with D. by

12. People _____ can speak English can be understood in many countries.

A. whose B. who C. whom D. which

13. Do you remember Mr. Darnell, _____ taught us English Literature?

A. who B. whom C. that D. which

14. Violent tropical storms _____ occur in western Asia are called typhoons.

A. that B. it C. which it D. when it

15. Martin tried on three jackets, _____ fitted him.

A. none B. none of which C. none of them D. all of those

16. Yesterday we visited the City Museum, _____ I'd never been before.

A. which B. that C. to that D. to which

17. Bogota, _____ is the capital of Colombia, is a cosmopolitan city.

A. who B. which C. that D. where

18. Neil Armstrong was the first person _____ foot on the moon.

A. set B. setting C. to set D. who was set

19. Many of the pictures _____ from outer space are presently on display in the public library.

A. sent B. sending C. having sent D. that sent

20. Is that the man _____ was broken into two days ago?

A. whose house B. the house of whom C. who D. of whom the house

21. The reason _____ he was absent from school is that he had an accident.

A. why B. in which C. for D. which

22. She is not very keen _____ going to Spain again so soon for holidays.

A. for B. on C. of D. to

23. _____ accepting your offer, I'd like to know a bit more about the company.

A. In advance B. In order to C. Until D. Before

24. Fred's yearly income _____ since he _____ professions.

A. nearly tripled - changed B. nearly tripled - has changed

C. has nearly tripled - changed D. was tripled - changed

25. He was offered the job _____ his poor qualifications.

A. due to B. thanks to C. despite D. instead of

26. Jan appears _____ some weight. Has she been ill?

A. having lost B. having been lost C. to have lost D. to have been lost

27. _____ received law degrees as today.

A. Never so many women have B. Never have so many women C. the women have never D. Women who have ever

28. We were made _____ hard when we were at school.

A. to study B. study C. studying D. studied

29. _____ a painter, but he also took an interest in the flight of birds.

A. Not only Rembrandt was B. Although Rembrandt was

C. Despite Rembrandt being D. Not only was Rembrandt

30. _____ In 1636, Harvard is one of the most famous universities in the Red States.

A. Founding B. Founded C. To found D. It was founded

31. Ricky Martin, _____ member of the band “Menu Do”, attained great popularity in the late 1990s.

A. who a former B. a former C. was a former D. being former

32. Picasso, _____, lived until he was a ripe old age.

A. which inspired many other artists B. whose works inspired many other artists

C. inspired many other artists D. who was inspired many other artists

33. When did you last ride a bike ?

A. How often did you ride a bike ? B. How long is it since you rode a bike ?

C. What time is it since you ride a bike ? D. How much time did you ride a bike ?

34. I didn't use to like football.

A. I don't like football.

B. When I was young I liked football, but now I don't.

C. Once I didn't like football, but now I do.

D. I wasn't accustomed to football.

35. 'Would you like some coffee ?' Peter asked me.

A. Peter asked me if I liked coffee.

B. Peter offered to give me some coffee.

C. Peter asked me to make him a cup of coffee.

D. Peter wanted to know if I would like to make coffee.

Choose the underlined part in each sentence that should be corrected.

36. The manager sent on his new striker, whose scored a brilliant goal.

A B C D

37. No one has said anything would persuade me to change my mind.

A B C D

38. It took them at least two months learning how to pronounce these words.

A B C D

39. Helen Keller, who was both blind and deafness, overcame her inabilities with the help of her teacher, Ann Sullivan.

A B C D

40. Lake Superior, that lies on the US Canadian border, is the largest lake in

North America.

A B C D

Choose the item (A, B, C or D) that best completes the unfinished statement.

Dear Sir,

I wish to apply for the post of clerk in the World Tours Travel Company. I am 18 years old and attended Greenhill College from 1984 to 1988. I passed my School Certificate in History, Geography, Science, Maths and Arabic. Then I got a job as a junior typist in the New Asia Export Company.

I can speak a little English but I am much better at reading books and letters in English. I know how to use a calculator and I am good at maths.

I am able to get on well with different kinds of people and I like hard work. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours faithfully,

Nicolas Tolia (Ms)

41. What would Tolia like to do?

A. work for the World Tour Travel Company B. work at the post office C. teach at Greenhill College D. apply for Greenhill College
42. She used to work _____.

A. for the World Tour Travel Company B. as a clerk at the post office C. as a typist in The New Asia Export Company D. as a teacher at Greenhill College
43.

She can do the following things except_____.

A. read English books and letters B. use a calculator

C. do calculations D. teach English

44. Which of the following is NOT TRUE about her?

A. She is at the age of eighteen B. She is bored with hard work C. she is friendly with people

D. She speaks English worse than she reads it

45. The phrase ‘ look forward to’ is closest in meaning to _____.

A. expect B. dislike C. spend D. enjoy

Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C, or D) that best fits each space in the following passage.

What sort of job should you look for? Much depends on your long-term aim. You need to ask (46)_____ whether you want to specialize in a particular field, work your way up to higher levels of responsibility or (47)_____ of your current employment into a broader field.

This job will be studied very carefully when you send your letter of (48)_____ for your next job. It

should show evidence of serious career planning. Most important, it should extend you, develop you and give you increasing responsibility. Incidentally, if the travel bug is biting, now is the time to pack up and go. You can do temporary work for a (49)_____ ; when you return, pick up where you (50)_____ left off and get the second job.

Incidentally: unexpectedly; pack up: stop

46. A. you B. if C. oneself D. yourself

47. A. out B. off C. into D. over

48. A. applicants B. application C. form D. employment

49. A. day B. time C. while D. ages

50. A. are B. have C. should D. may

ĐỀ 13

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

1. A . future B. mature C. pasture D. nature
2. A. chore B. much C. tchnology D. exchange
3. A. threaten B. earth C. healthy D. breathe

Choose the word whose main stress is put differently from that of the others in the group.

4. A. different B. terrorist C. contrary D. domestic
5. A. future B. burden C. device D. certain

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6. Many teenagers show signs of anxiety and _____ when being asked about their future.
- A. depress B. depression C. depressing D. depressed
7. Constant _____ of attack makes everyday life dangerous here.
- A. threat B. threaten C. threatening D. threateningly
8. No one can predict the future exactly. Things may happen _____.
- A. expected B. unexpected C. expectedly D. unexpectedly
9. Someone who is _____ is hopeful about the future or the success of something in particular.
- A. powerful B. optimistic C. stagnant D. pessimistic
10. There will be powerful network of computers which may come from a single computing _____
- that is worn on or in the body.
- A. device B. machinery C. equipment D. vehicle
11. Let's put off that meeting to next Monday.
- A. postpone B. schedule C. arrange D. appoint
12. A nuclear station may take risk going off due to unexpected incidents.
- A. demolishing B. exploding C. developing D. running
13. She is looking _____ a new place to live in because she does not want to depend _____ her parents any more.

A. for / on B. after / with C. up / forward D. at / into

14. I was brought _____ in the countryside by my aunt after my parents had pass _____.

A. on / over B. for / on C. on / off D. up / away

15. _____ industrialization, we have to cope with the fact that many species are in danger of extinction.

A. Despite B. In spite of C. But for D. Due to

16. He is very worried about his new job _____ he is not quite prepared for working.

A. although B. but C. because D. so

17. Up to now, _____ space exploring still remains _____ very risky, complex, and expensive endeavor. [endeavor: effort]

A. the / the B. a / the C. a / Ø D. Ø / a

18. Within _____ few years, _____ private space travel has gone from concept to reality.

A. Ø / an B. a / Ø C. the / a D. the / the

19. In the future, the number of tiny but _____ computers you encounter every day will number in the thousands, perhaps millions.

A. power B. powerful C. powerfully D. powered

20. What will the relationship between computing and _____ bring us over the next

15 years?

A. science B. scientific C. scientifically D. scientist

21. Not until the early 1900s _____ to vote in the United States.

A. women were allowed B. they allowed women

C. were women allowed D. when women allowed

22. _____ hungry, he stopped to buy a bar of chocolate.

A. Feeling B. To feel C. felt D. feels

23. Nowadays, young men with a technical education _____ because of the great demand for highly skilled workmen.

A. is well-paid B. should pay well C. are well-paid D. could pay well 24. It is no

use _____ to school if you _____ to work hard.

A. going / do not ready B. to go / do not ready

C. going / are not ready D. go / are not ready

25. While they were laying the table, he _____ to the radio.

A. was listening B. listened C. has listened D. is listening

26. By the year 2020, many people currently employed _____ their jobs.

A. will have lost B. will be losing C. have lost D. are losing

27. Jack made me _____ him next week.

A. to promise to call B. to promise calling C. promise calling D. promise to call

28. _____ eat out tonight? – That's a great idea!

A. Shall we B. What about C. Would you mind D. Would you like

29. If Mike hadn't been wearing a seat belt, he _____ injured.

A. had been B. was C. would be D. would have been

30. “Don’t tell anyone what his name is.” – “_____”

A. Yes, I don’t B. I don’t know C. I won’t D. No, I do

31. Will you take care of my little dog _____?

A. when I am on business B. so I am on business

C. for I am on business D. when I will be on business

32. Elevators in tall buildings make the top floors _____.

A. accessibly to everybody B. accessible to everybody

C. that accessible to everybody B. to accessible to everybody

33. Housewives do not have to spend a lot of time doing housework any more.

A. Housework will never be done by housewives any more.

B. Housewives have to spend more and more time to do housework.

C. Never have housewives spent as much time doing housework as they do now. D. No longer do housewives have to spend a lot of time doing housework.

34. Go over the report before you submit it.

A. Before you submit the report, you should be finished writing it.

B. Type the report quickly and then submit it.

C. Read the report carefully before you submit it.

D. Before you write the report you have to find enough information.

35. “Well done, Jerry, you’ve passed the driving test!”

A. I congratulated Jerry on passing her driving test

- B. I told that Jerry had passed her driving test
- C. I told Jerry that she had done well in her driving test
- D. I congratulated Jerry for passing her driving test

Choose the underlined part in each sentence that should be corrected.

36. We were advised not drinking the water in the bottle.

A B C D

37. After she had sold her bicycle, she bought himself a new automobile.

A B C D

38. He even lacks general knowledge, however we can't employ him.

A B C D

39. Having suffered from depression him as a teenager, Kevin could understand how his son was feeling. A B C D

40. Those spacecrafts are used to taking photographs in space.

A B C D

Choose the item (A, B, C or D) that best completes the unfinished statement (or best answers the question) about each passage.

In the future, genetic engineering will allow us to create the perfect human. It will be hard to get used to. Parents will order a baby who 'will grow up to become his new job because he is not quite prepared a genius or *to have a Miss World appearance*. Also, genetic engineering will allow us to mix plants and animals.

As computers have advanced, they have helped us remember, calculate, organize, and clarify. So it will become easier to deal with things, and much quicker. At a point in a future time, some may claim that computers become about as smart as Newton or Einstein. More advanced computers will be able to be creative, respond to feelings in a feeling way, develop intuition, recognize patterns, and suggest innovative alternatives. There is a hope if we choose to take action. We can select Internet information wisely, choose healthy computer games, limit our exposure to television commercials, and select television programs carefully. People will be aware of the importance of keeping active, getting outside to do more physical activities. We will also plan to make a major sacrifice the next time we buy a car, take the bus. Everybody will be more concerned about making environmentally friendly choices, eating healthy, and helping build a

healthier society by shopping at better stores that sell better food.

Most people will be aware that a happy, loving family is a joy to be part of, and that it is a necessary foundation for building a strong society. But it is extremely important for our future that we maintain a healthy perspective. We need to value and appreciate the importance of what can be achieved by loving and committed parents. People need a strong foundation, so it is vital for our society that we encourage parents to work at creating love, joy, and happiness for their children in a decent, stable, and productive atmosphere.

41. How many aspects of life in the future are referred in the text?

A. One B. Two C. Three D. Four 42. Which aspect is not referred in the text?

A. Education B. Genetic Engineering C. Computers D. Family 43. The phrase *to have a Miss World appearance* means that _____.

A. to become a Miss World B. to enter a beauty contest

C. to be intelligent D. to be beautiful

44. According to the text, in the future, _____.

A. it will be difficult for us to select Internet information

B. people will prefer taking a bus to buying a car

C. food will not be sold at shops

D. TV viewers will not be able to escape from seeing a lot of advertising.

45. The last paragraph is about _____.

A. family and parents' responsibility in the future

B. children's education

C. children's health

D. how to build a strong society

Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C, or D) that best fits each space in the following passage.

Over the next 20 to 50 years, it will become harder to tell the (46) _____ between the

human and the machine. All body (47) _____ will be replaceable. Computers will function like the human (48)_____ with the ability to recognize feelings and respond in a feeling way. They will then produce fake people. We will then be able to create a machine duplicate of ourselves, (49) _____ we will appear to be alive long after we are dead. Maybe a few decades later, a way will be found to transfer our spirit, including our memories and thoughts to the new body. Then we can choose to live for as (50) _____ as we want.

46. A. variety B. change C. difference D. appearance

47. A. region B. place C. role D. parts

48. A. brain B. limb C. skull D. liver

49. A. such B. as C. so D. but

50. A. long B. far C. much D. soon

ĐỀ 14

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Choose the word whose main stress is put differently from that of the others in the group.

1. A. education B. compulsory C. academic D. independent

2. A. secondary B. primary C. category D. certificate

3. A. Geography B. university C. technology D. methodical

4. A. require B. select C. follow D. divide

5. A. academic B. advanced C. achievement D. aggressive

II. VOCABULARY & GRAMMAR

6. The state school system can be divided _____ two levels of education: primary education and secondary education.

A. in B. into C. up D. with

7. _____ the end of the school year, students take an exam in each subject.

A. On B. To C. In D. At

8. Mr. Bush did not appear fully aware _____ the importance of this act.

A. to B. for C. of D. on

9. Does the quality of teaching depend _____ class size?

A. in B. on C. of D. up

10. Children are required to be in full-time education _____ the ages of 5 and 16.

A. at B. from C. between D. by

11. In Britain it is _____ for children to attend school between the ages of five and sixteen.

A. enforced B. compulsory C. obliged D. made

12. In spite of his poor _____, he was a most articulate speaker.

A. education B. educator C. educational D. educated

13. By the age of twenty-five he had _____ his ambition of becoming a pianist.

A. reached B. completed C. obtained D. achieved

14. Rarely _____ attracted so much media attention.

A. a debate has B. a debate was C. has a debate D. was a debate

15. The world's population _____ considerably since 1950.

A. is increasing B. increased C. has increased D. has been increased

16. Police _____ illegal drugs in a secret hiding place in the star's home.

A. reported to have found B. are reported to have found

C. are reported having found D. are reported they have found

17. As soon as the supplies _____, they will be distributed to the starving people.

A. arrives B. will arrive C. arrive D. arrived

18. When are you going to have the roof _____? It leaks quite badly.

A. repair B. to repair C. repairing D. repaired

19. It's a long time since London _____ in one of its infamous pea-souper fogs.

A. enveloped B. was enveloped C. has enveloped D. has been enveloped

20. Renoir, _____ paintings are considered masterpieces all over the world, is one of the most popular French impressionist painters.

A. who B. which C. whose D. where

21. Frozen food must be packed, _____ and stored when the fruit is ripe.

A. be frozen B. must be frozen C. frozen D. it must be frozen

22. If the level of VAT _____ this year, small business will be affected.

A. raise B. will raise C. raised D. is raised

23. They are believed _____ over 300 species of trees in El Yunque rain forest in Puerto Rico.

A. to be B. being C. there are D. they are

24. _____ people applied for the position that we won't be able to make a decision for several weeks.

A. Too many B. So many C. A lot of D. The

25. _____ through a prism, a beam of white light beaks into all the colors of the rainbow.

A. When shines B. It shines C. It is shone D. When shone

26. _____ July 20th, 1969, Astronaut Neil Armstrong stepped down onto the moon.

A. In B. At C. On D. Since

27. Any child has the right to an education _____ of sex, religion, race, or nationality.

A. despite B. because C. regardless D. providing

28. The students were warned off the land _____ they tried to camp there.

A. because B. when C. if D. though

29. Were I rich, I _____ a hospital for the poor.

A. built B. will build C. have built D. would built

30. _____ catch up with his studies, he worked through the summer.

A. While B. In order to C. Despite D. Due to 31. He has received

several scholarships _____ .

A. because of his academic and artistic ability B. for both his academic ability as well as his artistic

C. as resulting of his academic in the art D. in spite of his academic and artistic ability

32. She is a faster and more careless driver than I am.

- A. She drives faster and more carelessly than I am.
- B. She doesn't drive as faster and carelessly as I do.
- C. She drives faster and more careless than I do.
- D. She drives faster and more carelessly than I do.

33. I found a place to live in, but it was difficult.

- A. I had difficulty to find a place to live in. B. I had difficulty in finding a place to live in.
- C. I was difficult in finding a place to live in. D. I had difficulty to live in a place.

34. It was so noisy that nothing could be heard.

- A. It was too noisy to hear nothing.
- B. It was too noisy for anything to hear.
- C. It was too noisy for nothing to be heard.
- D. It was too noisy to hear anything.

35. Music doesn't interest Sonia.

- A. Sonia isn't interesting in music.
- B. Sonia isn't interested by music.
- C. Sonia takes no interest in music.
- D. Sonia is interested in music.

III. Choose the underlined part in each sentence that should be corrected.

36. Education is a subject which many British people deeply care about it.

A B C D

37. Most people believe that the state should be provided education free of charge and to a high standard.

A B C D

38. Recently, there has been a lot of debate about students have to pay their own fees at university

A B C D

39. Seldom I have seen a child with so much talent.

A B C D

40. Roberta was the first person to be asked speaking at the meeting.

A B C D

IV. Choose the item (A, B, C or D) that best completes each space of the passage.

Lindsay Lewis is married with four children. In 1969 he (41)_____ to Cambridge University and took a degree in economics. From 1972 to 1978 he taught (42)_____ India and Japan. He returned to England to do research at Bristol University. He has lived in Fairfield (43)_____ seven years and he is now the principal of a technical college. He was the chairman of Fairfield Education Committee in 1986. He was also a member of the Public Health Council for two years. In 1987 he (44)_____ his best essay on education. He always wants to improve (45)_____ and the government health services. His hobbies are swimming, playing chess, and collecting foreign coins.

41: A. go B. gone C. went D. goes

42: A. at B. for C. on D. in

43: A. during B. for C. since D. after

44: A. wrote B. writing C. written D. writes

45: A. education B. educator C. educational D. educate

V. Choose the item (A, B, C or D) that best completes the unfinished statement (or best answers the question) about each passage.

Parents send their children to school to prepare for the time when they grow up. Children learn their native language so that they will be able to communicate fluently with other people around them. Moreover, they can preserve the valuable culture and literature of

their country. They learn foreign languages in order to benefit from other countries' heritage. The more foreign languages they learn, the more benefits they get. Children also learn mathematics to calculate, geography to know about nature, and history to know about human beings and historical events. Nearly everything they study at school has some practical uses in their life.

46: Parents send their children to school to _____.

A. learn English B. play better C. make them grow up D. prepare for their future 47:

Why do children have to learn their native language?

A. To communicate fluently with other people around them.

B. To learn foreign languages.

C. To know about nature.

D. To benefit from foreign countries' heritage.

48: According to the passage, children learn history to know about _____.

A. the mankind B. people and historical events C. practical uses in life D. events of the history

49: How many school subjects are mentioned in the passage?

A. Four B. Seven C. Five D. Six 50: Most of the things children learn at school

_____.

A. have some practical uses B. are useless

C. have no use D. are not necessary

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Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the rest.

1. A. highh B. thoughth C. thoughh D. laughh
2. A. practiseded B. houseded C. adviseded D. noticeded
3. A. renteded B. skateded C. neededed D. loveded
4. A. cupboard B. luck C. institution D. much
5. A. hear B. bear C. beard D. near

Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.

6. She takes the responsibility _____ running the household.
A. in B. with C. for D. of
7. I am thinking _____ my coming job interview.

A. on B. in C. of D. for

8. I'm sorry that I _____ to you for ages.

A. don't write B. didn't write C. haven't written D. was writing

9. I haven't seen you lately. Where _____.

A. did you go B. have you gone C. were you staying D. are you staying

10. The academic year in England _____ into three terms.

A. divides B. is divided C. are divided D. divide

11. In many Western societies, good eye _____ is often highly appreciated.

A. attention B. contact C. watching D. looking

12. The Chinese widen their eyes to politely express _____, whereas, the Europeans regard this expression as a sign of astonishment.

A. inattentive B. anger C. untrustworthy D. respectful

13. Young people should show respect for their ancestors and for _____ people.

A. older B. elder C. oldest D. elderly

14. If you _____ to go on studying at a university, you _____ pass the GCSE examination. A. want/will B. want/ must C. had wanted/ would D. wanted/ would

15. The educational quality has been _____ improved. There are still many problems needing to be solved.

A. slowly B. slow C. fast D. quickly

16. I've just met Mary, _____ son studies at the same school as yours does.

A. who B. that C. whom D. whose

17. Do you think the coffee _____ is grown in the highland of Vietnam tastes better than that in other areas?

A. which B. which it C. where D. whose

18. I had to finish my homework last night _____ I was really so sleepy.

A. despite B. in spite of C. although D. because

19. Remember _____ your school certificates with you when coming to the interview.

A. bring B. bringing C. to bring D. of bringing

20. _____ a happy marriage should be based on love.

A. I believe in B. I believe that C. My belief is D. On my opinion,

21. Tom. "Your hairstyle is terrific, Mary" -Mary: "_____."

A. I think so B. Why do you say so?

C. Sorry, I don't like it D. Thanks. That's a nice complement

22. Tom. "Would you like something else?" -Lan: "_____."

A. Yes, I like everything B. That's all. Thank you

C. Two, please. D. No, I wouldn't.

23. Tim: "I would like to see a doctor" -Jackie: "_____ "

A. I hope you'll feel better soon.. B. It hurts a lot.

C. Near the station? D. Have you got an appointment?

24. There will be _____ university in _____ centre of Ben Tre

province in 2012. A. an/a C. a/ the D. the/ the B. a/ a

25. _____, you will not be able to study at higher education.

A. If you study harder B. Unless you study harder

C. Unless studying harder D. Even if you studied harder

26. _____, tuition fees here are quite low and stable.

A. Although the increasing of goods prices

B. Despite the increasing of goods prices

C. Because the increasing of goods prices

D. Because of the increasing of goods prices

27. Working as a doctor would be a fascinating job because I would have a chance to take care of people's health.

A. look after B. pay attention to C. focus on D. heal

28. A survey was made to determine their attitudes towards love and marriage.

A. collect B. resolve C. know D. choose Choose the underlined part that needs corrections.

29. You're a great dancer. I wish I could do as good as you do.

A B C D

30. Those who practise English every day will have more chances to pass the English test than other.

A B C D

31. One of the most important measures to be taken to promote the development of a country is to

constant carry out economic reforms.

ABC D

32. Applicants are required to sit for the National Entrance Examination before admitting to higher Education institutions.

ABCD

33. According to some social studies, boys and girls mature five year earlier than people had 50 years ago.

Read the following passage, then choose the correct answer for each of the blanks

A job interview is a chance for you to (35) _____ that you can satisfy all the requirements of the job you are (36) _____ for. That is (37) _____ it is essential to be well-prepared for the job interview. Preparing means knowing about the industry, the employer, and yourself. It also means paying attention to details like personal appearance, (38) _____, and demeanour. Before the interview, you should gather (39) _____ information about the company and the employer as you can. Not only (40) _____ appear informed and intelligent but also you will make a decision if a job offer eventually made. You might also want to prepare for answering questions by listing some of your attributes. Remember that appearance is very important. Whether we like it or not, it is the first thing people notice about us. You should match your dress to employees in the workplace (41) _____ you are applying. You should come on time for the interview. (demeanour: way of behaving)

34. A. suggest B. prove C. offer D. recommend

35. A. applying B. asking C. begging D. requiring

36. A. when B. what C. how D. why

37. A. punctual B. punctuality C. on time D. punctuate

38. A. so much B. too much C. as much D. as many

39. A. you will B. you C. will you D. do you

40. A. that B. which C. in that D. where

Read the following passage, then choose the correct answer to each of the questions

The system of USA education starts with twelve years of primary and secondary school education which the Americans have to follow. A secondary school ("high school") diploma or certificate is a compulsory requirement for the student to be able to enter college, university, vocational, secretarial or other professional and technical schools. American children who are around six years of age normally begin their learning at a primary school. It takes from five to six years to complete the primary schooling. After finishing the primary schooling, students will have to enter a secondary school where they may spend 6 or 7 year durations consisting of either two three- year programs, or a three-year and a four-year program. Schools at this level are known as Middle School or Junior High School and High or Senior

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1. A C B A D

2. C A A C B

3. D B A A A

4. A B B B B

5. C B B B A

6. B D A B B

7. A B A D D

8. B B B D B

9. C D C B B

10. D B B B C

11. A C A D A
12. D B B A D
13. B A C B B
14. C A A C D
15. A A D B D
16. C B C D A
17. B B B C C
18. A D C A A
19. D A B B C
20. B B D B B
21. C B D D D
22. D C B A C
23. A B A D B
24. C A D A A
25. B C C B D
26. A A C A A
27. D B A D D
28. C D B B D
29. D A D C B
30. B B D B C
31. A A A B C
32. C D C B A
33. D A C B A
34. B B B D C
35. D C D B D
36. C D C B B
37. B D A C C
38. C A D A A
39. B B C B C
40. C B B C A

- 41. A A B D B
- 42. B C D B A
- 43. A B C A D
- 44. C D A B D
- 45. D D C B C
- 46. D B B C C
- 47. C C B A B
- 48. B C C D D
- 49. A B D A C
- 50. D C C B