

10 класс
1 уровень

1. _____ Atlantic Ocean is larger than _____ Mediterranean Sea.
A. The / the
B. The / -
C. - / -
D. - / the
E. An / -
2. ___ ancient Egypt consisted of ___ desert regions surrounding ___ Nile.
A. - / the / the
B. - / - / the
C. The / the / -
D. The / - / the
E. -/the/a
3. Physics _____ a subject that has grown enormously in importance during this century.
A. are
B. was
C. is
D. have been
E. has been
4. It was a _____.
A. thirty-minute show
B. TV show thirty minute
C. thirty minutes TV show
D. TV show of thirty minute
E. thirties minutes show
5. The weather _____ worse last year than I _____ it to be.
A. was / had expected
B. was / have expected
C. had been / expected
D. had been / have expected
E. were /have expected
6. New sources of energy _____ developed. This will become increasingly important as oil reserves _____ up.
A. is being / are used
B. has been / have been used
C. are being / are used
D. have been / is used
E. have being/used
7. We had hoped _____ the game, but other team played very well.
A. the National Team to win
B. that the National Team win
C. that the National Team would win
D. the National Team's winning
E. the National Team winning

8. He didn't have any money, _____ he couldn't buy a ticket.

- A. moreover
- B. however
- C. because
- D. consequently
- E. and

9. Nobody gets anything unless _____.

- A. they ask for it
- B. he has enough money
- C. they don't work harder
- D. he isn't very determined
- E. they had headache

10. I wish you'd told me they were on the phone. I _____ all the way to their house.

- A. didn't have to go
- B. didn't need to go
- C. needn't go
- D. needn't have gone
- E. need to do

11. A: The Chinese described flying machines.

B: They _____ tremendous imaginations.

- A. could have
- B. must have
- C. must have had
- D. need to have
- E. had have

12. Who takes care _____ the office when the manager is away _____ business?

- A. in / for
- B. of / on
- C. at / for
- D. of / in
- E. on/at

13. Pressure is _____ inverse proportion _____ volume.

- A. in / to
- B. at / of
- C. in / in
- D. on / in
- E. at/on

14. The manager was quite agreeable _____ my suggestion.

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

15. Government notice on each packet warns the public _____ the dangers of cigarette smoking.

- A. of
- B. for
- C. about
- D. off
- E. on

16. One way of _____ the wealth or poverty is by _____ out how much it produces in one year.

- A. to determine / finding
- B. determining / finding
- C. determine / finding
- D. determining / to find
- E. determine/found

17. I am not used _____ a suit and tie every day.

- A. to wear
- B. having worn
- C. to wearing
- D. to have worn
- E. worn

18. Mr. Walker, _____ the opportunity, could become a first class mathematician.

- A. given
- B. giving
- C. to give
- D. to be given
- E. gave

19. He said to me: "I'll come as soon as I can".

He told me that ____ .

- A. he came as soon as he would be able
- B. he would come as soon as I could
- C. he comes as soon as he can
- D. he would come as soon as he could
- E. I would come as soon as I could

20. A good friend will always _____ you when you're in trouble.

- A. stand by
- B. stand up
- C. stand for
- D. stand up against
- E. stand on

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21. Find the synonym of the underlined word. A careful teacher spends hours preparing for classes and correcting students' papers.

- A. creative
- B. leading
- C. skillful
- D. conscientious

E. honest

22. Find the synonym of the underlined word. The 1950s were one of the most distinguished and productive periods in the history of American poetry.

- A. tactful
- B. fertile
- C. profitable
- D. talented
- E. proficient

23. Find the synonym of the underlined word. The toxic material coming out of the factory chimney polluted the atmosphere.

- A. contaminated
- B. intoxicated
- C. congested
- D. cremated
- E. littered

24. Find the word which is out of the logic list:

- A. traffic
- B. ball
- C. lamp
- D. crossing
- E. vehicle

25. Find the word which is out of the logic list:

- A. adoration
- B. report
- C. explanation
- D. description
- E. interpretation

Answer the following questions according to the text.

When Queen Victoria died in 1901, the world was entering a new and exciting period of change. For instance, in that year, for the first time, wireless signals had crossed the Atlantic and, in the following year, an airship flew from Europe to America. Already the motor car had come into use and was making life much easier. Telephones, also, were becoming fairly common. Politically and economically, people looked forward to a time of peace, wealth and progress. In fact, nothing seemed to stand in the way of such a future.

26. It is obvious from the passage that the twentieth century ____.

- A. opened with a decline in industrial and economic activity.
- B. inherited, from the previous century, very many serious social and political problems.
- C. began in a spirit of hope and confidence which was more or less world-wide.
- D. was ushered in by a wave of despair and discontent.
- E. introduced a period of economic and political unrest.

27. At the beginning of the twentieth century, people ____.

- A. were still not fully aware of the benefits of the telephone.
- B. believed that technological and economic progress could not be halted.
- C. preferred to make their long distance journeys by airship.

- D. were extremely upset by the death of Queen Victoria.
- E. felt ill at ease in the face of so much change.

28. From the passage one can conclude that at the turn of the new century ____.

- A. the drawbacks of industrialization became evident.
- B. it seemed that nothing more could be invented.
- C. progress and change were to be seen on every side.
- D. Technological progress was hampered by an economic crisis.
- E. The main emphasis was on improved communications.

Complete the paragraph.

29. Early settlers in America were not injured or hurt by the natives of this land. ____ It was only after they had lost their lands, hunting grounds, and were driven into poor lands, where staying alive was difficult, did they become the savage Indians of television.

- A. The Indians were living in the east of the Americas in those days.
- B. The natives in those days were quite different from the Indians.
- C. The cowboys of the wild west fought the Indians for many years before taking control of their lands.
- D. The first colonists were in fact aided by the Indians who lived in this area of the world.
- E. Staying alive was the only reason they had anything to do with the Indians.

Select the sentence which gives a summary of the passage.

30. The story "Robinson Crusoe" was written by Daniel Defoe. This novel was based on the story of a real sailor who had been abandoned on a small island. Although the sailor, Alexander Selkirk's adventures are not the same as those of Robinson Crusoe there are some notable similarities.

- A. Daniel Defoe wrote the story of Alexander Selkirk but called it "Robinson Crusoe."
- B. The abandoned sailor Alexander Selkirk was a typical colonialist.
- C. The story: "Robinson Crusoe" by Daniel Defoe is a fictional account of the experiences of Alexander Selkirk.
- D. Daniel Defoe wrote the story of the life of Alexander Selkirk and named it "Robinson Crusoe."
- E. Being abandoned on a small island with a sailor named Alexander Selkirk gave Daniel Defoe the idea to write the story "Robinson Crusoe."

31. Choose the right order to make up a story.

1. In England this is an extremely interesting topic and you must be good at discussing it.
 2. Perhaps, a long time ago when you wanted to describe someone as unusually dull, you used to say.
 3. "He is the kind of person who always discusses the weather with you".
 4. The weather is a very important topic in England.
 5. Forget it.
- A. 4,1,2,5,3
 - B. 4,2,3,5,1
 - C. 4,5,2,1,3
 - D. 1,2,3,4,5
 - E. 4,3,2,1,5

32. John was a very lazy pupil. During the school years he didn't learn his lessons and always played truant. When the examination time came he was also to take his exams. But, alas, he didn't pass them and he cried bitterly.

- A. Living dog is better than a dead man.
- B. The rotten apple injures its neighbors.
- C. The appetite comes with eating.
- D. A good beginning makes a good ending.
- E. You have made your bed and you must lie on it.

33. Promise little ____.

- A. who laughs last
- B. but do much
- C. that ends well
- D. while the sun shines
- E. never found again

34. To "beat around the bush" means ____.

- A. to not know
- B. to avoid a question
- C. to go on a hike
- D. knew
- E. known

35. To "dish out" means ____.

- A. to serve
- B. to gossip
- C. to make
- D. to clean
- E. to wash

Choose the correct answer. Only one answer is correct.

I can clearly remember the first time I 36 Mr. Andrews, my old headmaster, 37 38. During the war, I had been 39 school in the north of England but my family had just returned to London. 40 for children to go to and my father had to go from 41 asking them 42 43 pupil. I used to go with him but he had 44 hard time trying to persuade people 45 him that I seldom had to do 46. We had been to all the schools 47 we lived, but 48 my father argued, the more impossible it became. In the end, we went to a school 49 from home. The headmaster 50 for at least an hour. While we were waiting, I looked round that the 51, 52 was one of those old Victorian structures, completely 53 but still standing. I could hear the boys playing in the playground outside. When the headmaster's secretary finally let us 54 his office, Mr. Andrews spoke to me first. "Why do you want to come here?" he said. I had been thinking 55 something about studying but I couldn't help 56 the boys outside. "I don't know 57 in London," I said. "I'd like 58 with the other boys. I read a lot of books, too" I added. "All right," Mr. Andrews said. "We have one place free, 59" My two years at that school were among the 60 of my life.

36.

- A. met
- B. knew
- C. found
- D. discovered

E. meets

37.

- A. even
- B. nevertheless
- C. although
- D. in spite
- E. alhtouhg

38.

- A. it's now since over 20 years
- B. it's over 20 years ago now
- C. it's since more than 20 years now
- D. it makes more than 20 years now
- E. since over

39.

- A. in the
- B. in
- C. at
- D. at the
- E. -

40.

- A. There were not enough schools left
- B. There were not still enough schools
- C. There didn't stay enough schools
- D. Not enough schools rested
- E. Not rested enough schools

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41.

- A. one to another
- B. each to other
- C. one to other
- D. the ones to the others
- E. others

42.

- A. that they took me
- B. for taking me
- C. for to take me
- D. to take me
- E. make

43.

- A. as
- B. as a
- C. like
- D. like a
- E. a

44.

- A. such
- B. such a
- C. so
- D. a so
- E. so a

45.

- A. just for seeing
- B. just for to see
- C. even seeing
- D. even to see
- E. just

46.

- A. no test
- B. one test
- C. any test
- D. some test
- E. nobody

47.

- A. near where
- B. near
- C. near to
- D. near the place there
- E. to

48.

- A. the most
- B. the more
- C. how much
- D. for how much
- E. how

49.

- A. at five miles
- B. five miles long
- C. about five miles away
- D. about five miles far
- E. miles

50.

- A. kept us to wait
- B. kept us waiting
- C. made us to waiting
- D. made us waiting
- E. keep

51.

- A. building of the school

- B. building school
- C. school's building
- D. school building
- E. building

52.

- A. which
- B. that
- C. what
- D. it
- E. is

53.

- A. of the old time
- B) outside its time
- C. past its date
- D. out of date
- E. date

54.

- A. to enter
- B. to pass in
- C. to come into
- D. into
- E. passed

55.

- A. of saying
- B. to say
- C. of telling
- D. to tell
- E. told

56.

- A. to remember
- B. remembering
- C. to remind
- D. reminding
- E. remembor

57.

- A. no one
- B. none
- C. someone
- D. anyone
- E. one

58.

- A. that I played
- B. the play
- C. to play
- D. playing

E.plays

59.

- A. in truth
- B. it's the truth
- C. in fact
- D. it's fact
- E. facted

60.

- A. happier
- B. happiest
- C. more happy
- D. most happy
- E.happyist