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 **LIVEWORKSHEETS**

- 11 Maria is looking at ____.
A she B her
C he D here
- 12 ____ on the trip on Saturday?
A Do you come B Are you coming
C Come you D You come
- 13 It's three months ____ to their new house.
A since then they moved B that they move
C since they moved D that they moved
- 17 Are the bicycles in the garage? No, there ____ in the garage.
A is anything B is nothing
C isn't nothing D isn't something
- 18 How's your sister? ____
A This is her. B She's thirty five.
C She's fine. D That's her.
- 19 Why have you ____ to me?
A gone B came
C went D come
- 20 Last Friday ____ hundreds of people at the market.
A it was B there was
C they were D there were
- 21 I failed my test but it was a long time ____ my father about it.
A that I didn't tell B when I wasn't telling
C before I told D before telling
- 14 I feel very well - I went to bed very early ____.
A tonight B this night
C in the night D last night
- 15 Don't forget to switch ____ the lights when you leave.
A off B up
C down D out
- 16 When ____, give her this message.
A Anna arrives B Anna will arrive
C Anna arrive D Anna is arriving
- 31 She ____ on the telephone at the moment.
A is talking B talk
C talks D talked
- 32 Prices ____ again last year.
A rose B rise
C risen D raised
- 33 All the champagne had been drunk ____ the time I got there.
A on B by
C at D in
- 34 They gave me ____ information on hotels in Miami Beach.
A an B a
C some D any
- 35 I couldn't hear what the guide was ____.
A talking B speaking
C telling D saying

- 22 Hello! What ___ here today?
 A do you do B are you doing
 C you do D you're doing
- 23 ___ these girls do you know?
 A Who are B Which of
 C What of D How many
- 24 I called him before ___ for Madrid.
 A to leave B leaving
 C to go out D leave
- 25 You need ___ scissors to cut that.
 A a pair of B a couple of
 C two D a
- 26 This question is ___ difficult for us.
 A enough B too much
 C so much D too
- 27 Good ___! I hope you do well in your new job.
 A luck B sort
 C wish D chance
- 28 Look what she ___ me as a present.
 A handed B brought
 C carried D took
- 29 If I had locked the door, the thief _____.
 A would not enter B had not entered
 C would not have entered D has not entered
- 30 Ask him to go to the post office ___ some stamps.
 A that he gets B for getting
 C to get D in order he gets

- 36 This is the first time ___ to South Africa.
 A I've been B I come
 C I went D I came
- 37 She ___ her e-mails for an hour now.
 A has read B has been reading
 C had been reading D read
- 38 I stopped ___ last year and I feel a lot better for it.
 A to smoke B smoking
 C having a smoke D cigarettes
- 39 I know it's not important but I can't help ___ about it.
 A to think B think
 C except to think D thinking
- 40 She was left all alone with ___ to look after her.
 A someone B anyone
 C not one D no one
- 41 He ___ lives in the house where he was born.
 A ever B already
 C still D yet
- 42 They live ___ the other side of the road.
 A on B by
 C for D in
- 43 I've often ___ at this hotel.
 A lived B stayed
 C passed D rested
- 44 It'll be so late when I ___ there that I won't be able to get in.
 A shall get B will get
 C am getting D get
- 45 I ___ called you before now, but I've been far too busy.
 A ought to have B must have
 C have to have D can have

46 He ___ an answer to his letter within a few days.

- A waits
- B looks forward
- C hopes
- D expects

47 We arrived ___ Sydney a week ago.

- A on
- B in
- C at
- D to

48 She has three daughters, all ___ have become doctors.

- A who
- B which
- C of which
- D of whom

49 ___ of them understood anything he said.

- A Anyone
- B Someone
- C None
- D No one

50 Seventy per cent of television viewers chose him as their ___ actor.

- A preferred
- B popular
- C favourite
- D favoured

51 You'll soon get ___ your disappointment and be cheerful again.

- A over
- B out of
- C through
- D away

52 ___ you're happy, it doesn't matter if you haven't got much money.

- A As far as
- B Meanwhile
- C During
- D As long as

53 We were ___ in traffic for over an hour and that's why we're so late.

- A kept off
- B held up
- C broken down
- D put back

54 I will never ___ them to take the child away from me.

- A admit
- B allow
- C tolerate
- D let

55 The good service at the hotel did something to ___ the terrible food.

- A make up for
- B make up
- C make out
- D make for

56 I'll take down your name and address in case you ___ as a witness.

- A will need
- B need
- C will be needed
- D are needed

57 Everyone expects him to win but you ___.

- A can never be sure
- B may never be sure
- C never can learn
- D never might know

58 He took no notice ___ the whole town was gossiping.

- A however
- B nevertheless
- C although
- D in spite

59 He'll ___ his nervousness once he starts the presentation.

- A get
- B get over
- C get away
- D get off

60 I caught a ___ of the car before it disappeared around the bend.

- A glimpse
- B glare
- C glance
- D gleam