

1. The strike has led to the cancellation of some ferry services and left hundreds of passengers stranded at the _____.
(A) dolphins (B) doughnuts (C) docks (D) doses
2. I ____ my way through the nosey parkers(愛管閒事的人) gossiping in the yard and ran home to tell Dad my good news that I got the first prize in the speech contest.
(A) dumped (B) elbowed (C) dripped (D) drained
3. The teacher is ____ about having parents working as classroom assistants because parents may not be strict with the students.
(A) electronic (B) elderly (C) efficient (D) doubtful
4. 20 million people face starvation unless a vast ____ aid program is launched.
(A) editor (B) drugstore (C) emergency (D) dragonfly
5. A bomb ____ in a crowded metro station this morning, killing five people.
(A) exploded (B) engaged (C) edited (D) dragged
6. The gardens are said to be haunted by the ghost of a child who ____ in the river.
(A) drowned (B) erased (C) envied (D) exchanged
7. We need to ____ people so that they understand the importance of a good, healthy diet.
(A) enter (B) educate (C) elect (D) enable
8. In the morning I woke up and turned over; a big cloud of ____ rose from the mattress.
(A) expectation (B) exhibition (C) experiment (D) dust
9. The ____ of the skiing compensates for the ugliness of the resort.
(A) elevator (B) emperor (C) excellence (D) echo
10. Going down the water slide was such a(n) ____ experience, I went straight up and did it again.
(A) dumb (B) enjoyable (C) drunk (D) eager
11. A ____ is a place of worship. It's usually smaller than a church, and it has its own altar.
(A) condolence (B) reign (C) chapel (D) heir
12. The old man attributes his ____ to 'a simple diet and a glass of wine every day'.
(A) stern (B) longevity (C) accolade (D) nominee
13. How did a man of so little personal ____ get to be prime minister?
(A) bestow (B) versatile (C) charisma (D) consort
14. Eagle Scout is a ____ position within the Boy Scouts. It requires a lot of hard work over a number of years, and if you become one, lots of people will respect you.
(A) pioneering (B) prestigious (C) cutting-edge (D) eclectic
15. A ____ is the person on the receiving end of something. Meryl Streep is the ____ of more Academy Award nominations than any other actor. (這兩個空格是同一個單字)
(A) prowess (B) recipient (C) upbringing (D) tugboat
16. What ____ does the book fall into - comedy or tragedy?
(A) rationing (B) contention (C) genre (D) blockage
17. A ____ is a formal event held on special occasions such as weddings and graduations.
(A) ceremony (B) cluster (C) freighter (D) silt
18. If you want to ____ your grade, you need to stop gaming so much and start studying more.
(A) blare (B) wrench (C) salvage (D) perish
19. When people are wondering what to do, they think of different _____. Moving to a big city is one — moving to a tiny town is another.
(A) tankers (B) plights (C) scenarios (D) congestions
20. A(n) ____ of tasks might slow down an ordinary day at an office or store, or require workers to come in on the weekend to catch up.
(A) vessel (B) bow (C) backlog (D) ordeal