Practice 5. Gerunds and Infinitives (

Directions: Choose the correct answer.

1. Kristin didn't expect _____ to Javier's party.

A. asking B. being asked C. to ask D. to be asked

2. Tim finally finished _____ at 7:30 PM and served dinner.

A. cooking B. being cooked C. to cook D. to be cooked

3. Samantha never forgets _____ in the garage so that the driveway is free for other cars.

A. parking B. being parked C. to park D. to be parked

4. The nurse recommended _____ two aspirin.

A. taking B. being taken C. to take D. to be taken

5. Would you mind not _____ the stereo until I've finished with this phone call?

A. turning on B. being turned on C. to turn on D. to be turned on

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6. They were fortunate _____ from the fire before the building collapsed.

A. rescuing B. to have rescued C. to rescue D. to have been rescued

7. The burglar avoided _____ by breaking into the house only when the family was on vacation and figuring out how to deactivate the alarm.

A. catching B. being caught C. to be caught D. to have been caught

8. The baby continued _____ even after she was picked up.

A. being crying B. having cried C. to cry D. having been cried

9. Matt pretended not _____ hurt when his younger sister bit him.

A. having B. be C. to have D. to have been

10. We were astonished to hear the news of your _____.

A. having fired B. having been fired C. to be fired D. to have been fired

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11. Although she was much younger than the other children, Lara demanded _____ in the game they were playing.

A. including B. being including C. to include D. to be included

12. Our auto body guy said that he expected _____ the front fender on the car before we pick it up.

A. fixing B. being fixed C. to have fixed D. to have been fixed

13. Harold's kids are used to _____ after school every day. They don't have to walk home.

A. picking up B. being picked up C. be picked up D. pick up

14. The bus driver was so fed up with _____ the same route every day that he asked for a transfer.

A. to drive B. being driven C. driving D. drive

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