

BÀI TẬP TỔNG HỢP COLLOCATION

1. If you don't want your business to _____ bankrupt, avoid consulting those willing to step out on a limb.

- A. come B. take C. go D. pay

2. Lawyers are naturally keen to have _____ with anyone who could provide him with incontrovertible evidences concerning the lawsuits they're in charge.

- A. contact B. association C. connection D. communication

3. In Physic class, we are told that resistance wire can be found in an electrical _____ such as a heater or an oven.

- A. device B. appliance C. utensil D. gadget

4. Entering the meeting half an hour late, he tried to _____ an excuse, still the strict chairman of the board told him to leave the room.

- A. make B. do C. give D. have

5. It seems that they had had a _____ row, as she had locked him out of the apartment all night long.

- A. freezing B. warming C. grieving D. blazing

6. In some cultures, that men make eye contact _____ women is strictly forbidden outside the immediate family.

- A. on B. to C. with D. for

7. The recent heavy rains have contributed to ease the water _____ resulted from the severe prolonged drought.

- A. shortage B. lack C. absence D. deprivation

8. Students in private school often receive more _____ attention from their teachers; therefore, they have more chance to reach their full learning potential.

- A. personal B. individual C. distinctive D. unique

9. That manufacturer is worldly-known for selecting only ingredients that meet their very strict _____ of quality and renewability.

- A. demands B. necessities C. criterions D. requirements

10. Despite the development of e-books and online reading materials, printed books are still regarded as a wonderful _____ of entertainment.

- A. resource B. place C. source D. replacement

11. Some teachers have tendency to _____ preference to students with disadvantaged backgrounds such as poor and handicapped students.

- A. lend B. give C. deliver D. send

12. There was a time when human beings worried that all of the earth's surface would be _____ covered with lava were a giant meteor to hit the planet.

- A. thickly B. fully C. densely D. totally

13. As estimated in the report, the storm _____ great damage to not only the coastal cities but the mountainous areas as well.

- A. make B. cause C. lead D. bring

14. The two business partners failed to agree _____ some points of the contract, so they arranged to meet up another day, after considering their own company's interest.

- A. with B. at C. on D. for

15. Regardless of family background, we always think of each other _____ true friends.

- A. as B. like C. same D. similar

16. If traipsing around shops does not _____ to you, perhaps using a catalogue will do.

- A. appear B. attract C. access D. appeal

17. The influence of the last _____ 12 storm on the central region is so disruptive that the local authority had to spend months to surmount the consequence.

- A. power B. energy C. force D. velocit

18. He's praised for possessing a distinctive _____ style which was plain and factual, without witticisms or flourishes.

- A. literature B. literal C. literary D. literally