

GRAMMAR PRACTICE 2

Choose the correct option.

11. If a person does not have an attorney, the court _____ one.
(A) will appoint
(B) appointed
(C) would appoint
(D) appointing
12. Since lightning was probably significant in the formation of life, understanding it _____ might help us to _____ understanding life _____ itself.
(B) (C) (D)
13. Iowa _____ of flat-topped hills erected by the ancient Mound Builder people as temples and burial sites.
(A) with a larger number
(B) has a large number
(C) having a large number
(D) a large number
14. If the oxygen supply _____ in the atmosphere _____ was not replenished _____ by plants, it would soon be _____ exhausted.
(A) (B) (C) (D)
15. _____ the eight Ivy League schools are among the most prestigious colleges in the United States.
(A) It is generally accepted that
(B) That it is accepted
(C) Accepting that it is
(D) That is accepted
16. The Girl Scouts, which was _____ found by Juliette Gordon Low _____ in 1912, _____ has grown to a current membership of _____ more than three million girls.
(A) (B) (C) (D)
17. To relieve pain caused by severe burns, prevent infection, and treat for shock, _____ immediate steps.
(A) taking
(B) to take
(C) taken
(D) take
18. If gasoline vapor _____ with air, combustion will occur.
(A) mixed
(B) had mixed
(C) mixes
(D) mixture
19. Vermont, commonly known as the Green Mountain State, refused _____ until 1791.
(A) to join the Union
(B) joining the Union
(C) the joining of the Union
(D) join the Union
20. Air constricted between the vocal chords makes them _____, producing sounds.
(A) to vibrate
(B) vibrating
(C) vibrate
(D) the vibration