

23. Put in an idiomatic phrase beginning with a preposition.

- 1) You'll soon find another job. You won't be for long.
- 2) The plane wasn't late. It arrived more or less
- 3) Your friends must be moving because their house is
- 4) I suppose I drink about five cups of coffee a day Sometimes it's more and sometimes it's less.
- 5) The players swapped shirts of the game.
- 6) We'd been waiting ages when something happened.
- 7) Luckily I was just to catch the last train.
- 8) There's no time to waste. We must leave
- 9) I didn't do very well in the interview I made a complete mess of it.
- 10) Let's get going, shall we? We can have a chat to the meeting.
- 11) You can't just turn up at the airport. You have to book your flight

24. Decide which answer is correct.

- 1) I have to get up early Tuesday morning.
a. at b. during c. in d. on
- 2) Not many people live the island.
a. at b. in c. on d. to
- 3) We've been standing here forty-five minutes.
a. along b. for c. in d. since
- 4) I keep falling over this suitcase. It's really the way here.
a. across b. by c. in d. on
- 5) I can come any day apart Thursday.
a. for b. from c. of d. with
- 6) As usual, Tiger Woods is the leaders.
a. among b. between c. into d. towards
- 7) The cow got our a gap in the fence.
a. across b. along c. between d. through
- 8) The alarm rang continuously from ten o'clock half past four.
a. along b. at c. in d. till
- 9) The actors spoke their lines passion.
a. by b. for c. of d. with
- 10) I couldn't stretch my legs out because someone was sitting me.
a. across b. behind c. opposite d. over
- 11) I saw a really funny program television.
a. at b. from c. in d. on

- 12) Are these pictures sale?
a. at b. in c. for d. to
- 13) The audience clapped the end of the show.
a. at b. to c. in d. for
- 14) I've lived here last year.
a. after b. by c. for d. since
- 15) We could see the balloon high the town.
a. above b. on c. onto d. up
- 16) There was a fall ten per cent in prices.
a. at b. by c. in d. of
- 17) What time did they arrive the hotel?
a. to b. at c. in d. on
- 18) What's the difference a boat and a ship?
a. between b. from c. under d. with
- 19) His new car looks more an aeroplane.
a. as b. like c. near d. similar
- 20) We're all bored this game.
a. about b. at c. for d. with
- 21) We get lots of help.
a. at b. for c. of d. on
- 22) I don't understand. Can you explain this word me?
a. to b. for c. with d. on
- 23) The babysitter will stay there we get home.
a. by b. for c. to d. until
- 24) We do most of our business summer.
a. along b. at c. in d. on
- 25) The job is similar my old one.
a. as b. at c. to d. with
- 26) Do you believe God?
a. in b. on c. at d. to
- 27) Could you let me know Friday at the latest?
a. by b. to c. up to d. until
- 28) The cameras prevent motorists speed.
a. by b. from c. for d. with
- 29) What's the matter your car?
a. for b. on c. by d. with