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Underline the correct answer, a), b), c) or d).

1 I _____ a student of English.

- a) are b) is
c) am d) aren't

2 He's from Beijing. He _____ Chinese.

- a) is from b) is
c) isn't d) are from

3 They _____ Spanish. They're from Italy.

- a) are b) is
c) isn't d) aren't

4 This is Renata. She's _____.

- a) Canada b) Spain
c) Brazilian d) France

5 These are my keys and _____ are yours.

- a) it b) this
c) those d) that

6 _____'s your family name?

- a) Who b) What
c) How d) Where

7 _____ you like sport?

- a) Do b) Does
c) Are d) ---

8 I love films but I _____ like TV.

- a) do b) does
c) doesn't d) don't

9 She starts _____ work at 8.30 in the morning.

- a) to b) at
c) --- d) the

10 Where _____ have lunch?

- a) is she b) she's
c) do she d) does she

11 Do you like _____ video games?

- a) play b) playing
c) plays d) to playing

12 He's quite friendly but he _____ very quiet.

- a) never is b) is often
c) often is d) never

13 She hasn't got _____ brothers and sisters.

- a) some b) a
c) the d) any

14 Tom's _____ name is Anna.

- a) brother's b) sister's
c) sister is d) father is

15 How many children _____ got?

- a) they've b) do they
c) they d) have they

16 _____ a table and four chairs in the dining room.

- a) It's b) There have
c) There's d) There are

17 Are there _____ cupboards in the bedroom?

- a) any b) some
c) the d) a

18 There are a lot of books on the _____.

- a) shelves b) sink
c) cupboard d) hall

19 The bank is _____ the cinema.

- a) next b) opposite
c) in front d) under

20 You _____ buy clothes in a post office.

- a) can to b) can't
c) can d) are

21 Is there _____ milk in the fridge?

- a) a b) some
c) any d) an

22 Can I have a _____ of biscuits, please?

- a) bar b) jar
c) packet d) bottle

23 How _____ water do you drink every day?

- a) many b) long
c) more d) much

24 She _____ born in 1985.

- a) is b) were
c) was d) did

25 We _____ afraid of the dark when we were children.

- a) wasn't b) weren't
c) was d) didn't

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26 My birthday is on August _____.

- a) 2th b) 2st
c) 2nd d) 2rd

27 They had a barbecue with friends _____ Saturday.

- a) on b) the
c) at d) in

28 She _____ work when she was eight.

- a) starts b) start
c) started d) starting

29 _____ you do a lot of sport when you were young?

- a) Do b) Did
c) Was d) Is

30 _____ did you last see her?

- a) When b) What
c) Who d) Which

31 We went _____ at the weekend.

- a) to shops b) to shop
c) the shops d) shopping

32 I woke up late _____ I missed my train.

- a) because b) but
c) so d) for

33 Can you tell me the _____ to the library?

- a) road b) way
c) street d) place

34 Today is _____ than yesterday.

- a) hot b) hottest
c) hotter d) more hot

35 We stayed at the _____ hotel in town.

- a) more expensive b) expensivest
c) expensive d) most expensive

36 Is Indian food _____ than English food?

- a) better b) more good
c) best d) well

37 They _____ to music now.

- a) listen b) listened
c) listens d) are listening

38 What _____ doing at the moment?

- a) she's b) does she
c) is d) is she

39 What _____ she look like?

- a) does b) is
c) are d) do

40 He _____ a suit to work.

- a) usually wear b) is wearing usually
c) wears usually d) usually wears

41 You _____ drive a car in the centre of town. It isn't allowed.

- a) have to b) can
c) don't have to d) can't

42 You _____ to walk, you can take a bus.

- a) mustn't b) have
c) must d) don't have

43 They _____ a taxi to the station two hours ago.

- a) took b) take
c) are taking d) takes

44 He goes to work _____ helicopter.

- a) in b) on
c) by d) by the

45 I _____ to move to another country.

- a) wants b) like
c) 'd like d) go

46 She's _____ learn to drive.

- a) go to b) going to
c) going d) go

47 I didn't have lunch so I _____ hungry now.

- a) am getting b) get
c) got d) have got

48 Don't go to bed late or you _____ be tired tomorrow.

- a) must b) won't
c) should d) 'll

49 Let's _____ swimming this afternoon.

- a) play b) go
c) to go d) do

50 You've got a headache. You _____ drink coffee.

- a) shouldn't b) might
c) will d) should

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51 Sorry, I don't understand. Please speak _____.

- a)** slow **b)** more slow
c) slowly **d)** fast

52 Please turn the music down. It's _____.

- a)** too loudly **b)** enough loud
c) too loud **d)** very quiet

53 _____ make you a sandwich?

- a)** Will you **b)** Let
c) Do I **d)** Shall I

54 He _____ climbed a mountain in his life.

- a)** has never **b)** never has
c) never will **d)** won't never

55 _____ you ever flown a plane?

- a)** Did **b)** Do
c) Have **d)** Has

56 Our last family celebration _____ my mother's birthday.

- a)** is **b)** was
c) were **d)** did

57 When did they decide _____ married?

- a)** get **b)** got
c) to **d)** to get

58 I _____ London because I got a new job.

- a)** move to **b)** moved to the
c) moved to **d)** moved at

59 What _____ on at the moment?

- a)** you work **b)** do you work
c) are you work **d)** are you working

60 What's the first thing you do when you _____ work?

- a)** get to **b)** got to
c) are getting **d)** get

61 He's an extremely busy IT consultant so he _____ takes a holiday.

- a)** always **b)** often
c) rarely **d)** once in a while

62 I don't mind _____ late sometimes.

- a)** working **b)** to work
c) work **d)** a work

63 We _____ for dinner at eight tonight.

- a)** meeting **b)** meets
c) are meeting **d)** met

64 Are you _____ that new play at the National Theatre?

- a)** go to see **b)** seeing
c) going see **d)** going to see

65 _____ painted the Mona Lisa?

- a)** Who **b)** Who did
c) Who was **d)** When

66 Have you ever _____ a dangerous sport?

- a)** do **b)** made
c) make **d)** done

67 You _____ be late for school again.

- a)** must **b)** have to
c) mustn't **d)** can

68 You _____ wear a suit. It's a very informal party.

- a)** should **b)** don't have to
c) must **d)** might

69 I _____ a phone call when I heard a strange noise.

- a)** was made **b)** did make
c) was making **d)** am making

70 We should all avoid _____ junk food.

- a)** eating **b)** to eat
c) to have **d)** to having

71 How long has he _____ his girlfriend?

- a)** know **b)** knew
c) known **d)** knows

72 I've studied English _____ ten years.

- a)** since **b)** ago
c) at **d)** for

73 It _____ rain tomorrow. It's going to be a sunny day.

- a)** will **b)** might
c) won't **d)** might not

74 What's the matter? Have you _____ a cold?

- a)** get **b)** catch
c) felt **d)** caught

75 She used to live _____ Paris.

- a)** in the **b)** at
c) in **d)** the

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76 We _____ wear a uniform at my school.

- a)** use to **b)** didn't used to
c) used **d)** didn't use to

77 I think everybody should travel abroad

_____ experience another culture.

- a)** for to **b)** for
c) to **d)** in order

78 There are two cinemas in the town _____ I live.

- a)** where **b)** which
c) when **d)** what

79 She married the man _____ owned the supermarket.

- a)** what **b)** who
c) which **d)** he

80 We don't have _____ to do the things we enjoy.

- a)** time enough **b)** too much
c) enough time **d)** a time

81 Children spend _____ hours on the Internet.

- a)** too much **b)** not enough
c) very **d)** too many

82 Can I try this skirt _____, please?

- a)** on **b)** at
c) in **d)** up

83 It's _____ beautiful place I've ever been to.

- a)** the most **b)** more
c) most **d)** a most

84 They think travelling by boat is _____ comfortable than travelling by plane.

- a)** the more **b)** most
c) more **d)** the most

85 There are more cars and _____ space to park in the streets nowadays.

- a)** more **b)** least
c) less **d)** bigger

86 He worked as a biologist in _____ Amazon rainforest.

- a)** a **b)** ---
c) an **d)** the

87 There's someone at the door. It _____ be John. He always visits me at this time.

- a)** must **b)** might not
c) can **d)** can't

88 I _____ that I'm like my mother

- a)** told **b)** 'm told
c) was said **d)** am said

89 She _____ to work in her company's office in Hong Kong.

- a)** sent **b)** was
c) was sent **d)** was send

90 Has the man come to repair the washing machine _____?

- a)** yet **b)** tomorrow
c) just **d)** never

91 My sister _____ found a new job.

- a)** just has **b)** already has
c) has just **d)** yet

92 Many people think that if they _____ lots of money, they'll be very happy.

- a)** will earn **b)** spent
c) earn **d)** will win

93 If you _____ now, they won't have any tickets left.

- a)** phone **b)** don't phone
c) will phone **d)** won't phone

94 What _____ happen if he doesn't get here in time?

- a)** will it **b)** it would
c) will **d)** it will

95 They told me they _____ give me a new one.

- a)** don't **b)** won't to
c) 'd **d)** 'll

96 He _____ the film would be a great success

- a)** told **b)** said me
c) say **d)** said

97 I'd read more books if I _____ time.

- a)** had **b)** 'd have
c) 'll have **d)** have

98 What would you do if you _____ have any money?

- a)** were **b)** 'd
c) won't **d)** didn't

99 Could you _____ a good place to eat?

- a)** to recommend **b)** tell
c) show **d)** recommend

100 _____ be possible to reserve a table for tonight?

- a)** Would it **b)** Could you

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e) Can it

d) Will

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- 101 He's French but he _____ in London at the moment.
a) living b) does live
c) 's living d) lived
- 102 When _____ tell you?
a) did they b) they did
c) have they d) does they
- 103 Who _____ this delicious cake?
a) are made b) did make
c) made d) did
- 104 Look! What _____ in the mirror?
a) are you seeing b) do you see
c) see you d) you're seeing
- 105 They _____ in Paris in the 1990s.
a) living b) don't live
c) was living d) were living
- 106 I _____ ready for bed when he called.
a) was getting b) 've got
c) were getting d) didn't get
- 107 I've _____ the terrible news on the radio.
a) just have b) yet
c) already have d) just heard
- 108 _____ Indian curry?
a) Did they never tried b) Have they tried
c) Have they ever tried d) Does they try
- 109 When we got to the station, we found out that our train _____ two minutes earlier.
a) 've left b) had left
c) 's left d) had leaved
- 110 She _____ German at school but didn't understand a word when she got to Berlin.
a) hasn't learnt b) didn't learn
c) 'd learnt d) was learnt
- 111 I _____ on holiday tomorrow so I hope it doesn't rain too much.
a) 'll go b) won't to go
c) 'll going d) 'm going
- 112 The letter _____ to arrive before Thursday.
a) 's probably b) 's unlikely
c) might d) won't
- 113 They _____ win the championship. They're not playing well enough.
a) 're not going to b) may well

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114 There's a huge delay on the motorway.

They _____ get here in time for lunch.

- a) probably might not b) possibly may
c) 'll probably d) probably won't

115 Do you think they _____ speak to me again?

- a) will they b) 're going
c) they'll ever d) never won't

116 She _____ speak so rudely to her teachers.

- a) shouldn't b) don't have to
c) can d) has to

117 You _____ work there if you don't like it.

- a) need to b) don't have to
c) have to d) should

118 She _____ to find a place to live before she can leave home.

- a) 's got to b) 've got to
c) must d) should

119 He _____ to play the guitar very well when he was a teenager.

- a) would b) didn't
c) used to d) use to

120 He _____ in Brazil for over ten years.

- a) use to work b) would work
c) didn't use to work d) worked

121 She's one of _____ people in the office.

- a) the friendliest b) friendly
c) most friendlier d) the friendlier

122 The house is _____ inside than it looks from the outside.

- a) a slightly large b) far largest
c) a lot larger d) not as larger

123 That shop's not _____ I expected.

- a) more cheap than b) the most cheap
c) as cheap as d) more cheap as

124 They won't arrive before lunch, _____ they?

- a) will b) won't
c) aren't d) don't

125 His mother was a famous writer, _____ ?

- a) isn't she b) hasn't she
c) was she d) wasn't she

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126 When I _____ tired, I usually drink a strong, black coffee.

- a) 'll feel b) 'm feeling
c) might feel d) don't feel

127 You'll never play well _____ you practise a lot more.

- a) unless b) when
c) if d) while

128 Would you help me move to my new flat if I _____ you €50?

- a) 'll give b) 'd give
c) gave d) 'd given

129 He _____ go to the concert if he was over the age of 18.

- a) should b) 'll
c) can d) could

130 If I _____ you, I wouldn't eat it.

- a) were b) was
c) have been d) had been

131 Have they ever _____ in Canada?

- a) been living b) lived
c) are living d) living

132 I _____ him enjoying himself so much.

- a) never seen b) never have seen
c) 've never seen d) not ever seen

133 She _____ write her name when she was four but she didn't know how to count.

- a) can to b) could
c) couldn't d) can't to

134 We _____ to find a sandwich but we managed to get a cup of coffee.

- a) won't able b) can't
c) were able d) weren't able

135 They've bought a lovely new house but _____ garden's very small.

- a) the b) a c) an d) ---

136 Did you know they had a summer cottage _____ Greek island?

- a) on the b) on a c) --- d) in a

137 They don't have much money but they have _____ interesting friends.

- a) a lot b) few of
c) many d) plenty of

138 We don't have _____ time or money to buy a new house.

- a) enough of b) enough
c) many d) several

139 That's the man _____ going to be my new boss.

- a) who b) whose
c) who's d) which

140 Are those the cakes _____ said you'd buy for tea?

- a) what you b) that
c) who d) you

141 They live in Devon, _____ is one of the prettiest places in England.

- a) that b) where
c) it d) which

142 We _____ so late if it hadn't been the rush-hour.

- a) would've been b) wouldn't have been
c) would been d) 'd be

143 Where _____ if you hadn't been at home?

- a) would she have gone b) she would go
c) will she go d) would she gone

144 They can't move in because the house _____ finished yet.

- a) wasn't been b) hasn't been
c) hadn't been d) isn't being

145 The wedding cake _____ by the bride's mother, who's a very good cook.

- a) makes b) being made
c) is made d) was made

146 He didn't want to go but his parents said he _____ to.

- a) didn't has b) had to
c) must d) had

147 He said he _____ her that night.

- a) 'll call b) 's called
c) had called d) 'd call

148 I asked them if they _____ about Tom's accident.

- a) 've heard b) 'd hear
c) 'd heard d) heard

149 She offered _____ him write the report.

- a) to help b) helping
c) help d) to helping

150 Why don't we _____ leaving earlier?

- a) suggest b) warn
c) offer d) agree

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151 Who _____ you that lovely present?

- a) did give b) 'd given
c) was given d) gave

152 Do you mind me asking where _____ from?

- a) you come b) does she come
c) you coming d) do you come

153 _____ to tell me what's going on.

- a) I wonder you b) I'd like you
c) I'm interested d) Would you mind

154 They _____ in that lovely old house since 1980.

- a) 've lived b) live
c) are living d) recently lived

155 Have you e-mailed your brother _____ ?

- a) last week b) for a month
c) in the summer d) lately

156 I _____ for my wallet for fifteen minutes. I think I've lost it!

- a) being looking b) looked
c) 've been looking d) 'm looking

157 Where's my car key? I _____ it on the table last night.

- a) 've left b) 'd left
c) was leaving d) left

158 He published his first novel last year and it _____ a prize.

- a) 's awarded b) 's been awarded
c) 's be awarded d) has awarded

159 How much were _____ in your last job?

- a) you been paid b) you being payed
c) you being paid d) you paying

160 You _____ your instructions when you arrive.

- a) 've given b) are giving
c) giving d) 'll be given

161 He _____ living alone but now he prefers to share a flat.

- a) use to like b) would like to
c) used to like d) liked to

162 They'll never get used _____ in the heat of the tropics.

- a) to live b) to living
c) living d) live

163 The train _____ at 6.10 tomorrow morning.

a) went

b) 's leaving

c) leaves

d) going to leave

164 He _____ tired when he gets home from football practice.

- a) 's likely to be b) likely be
c) likes to be d) 'll like to be

165 They _____ come if you invite the Smiths.

- a) 'll probably to b) won't probably
c) 're definitely d) definitely won't

166 When we walked into the room, music _____ softly on the radio.

- a) was playing b) playing
c) had played d) was played

167 They _____ for ages when they finally heard the plane strike was over.

- a) was waiting b) 'd be waiting
c) 'd been waiting d) waited

168 The washing machine has just broken down for the fifth time. I wish I _____ it.

- a) didn't buy b) 'd never bought
c) wasn't bought d) never bought

169 I wish I didn't have to go out tonight. I _____ the meeting.

- a) wish I cancelled b) should cancelled
c) should've cancel d) should've cancelled

170 I wish _____ a foreign language that but I didn't have the choice at school.

- a) I could speak b) to speak
c) I'd spoke d) I could to speak

171 How many people have travelled _____ space?

- a) in b) in the
c) --- d) at

172 I wish he wouldn't drive at 100 miles _____ hour on the motorway.

- a) --- b) the
c) an d) in an

173 If you lent me your car, I _____ it back by 8.30.

- a) could bring b) could brought
c) bring d) can't bringing

174 If we _____ the contract, would you agree to all our demands?

- a) was to sign b) were to sign
c) would to sign d) weren't signing

175 You can come in _____ you are over 18.