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PROGRESS TEST 6

ERROR IDENTIFICATION

Question 1. We're having a meeting to try to come up for ideas for fund-raising.

- A. having B. to C. for D. fund-raising

Question 2. Our washing machine broke off yesterday and flooded the kitchen.

- A. Our B. off C. flooded D. kitchen

Question 3. We're trying to work in a way to make the system foolproof.

- A. make B. trying C. in D. foolproof

Question 4. Elections will now take off on November the twenty-fifth.

- A. Elections B. now C. take off D. the

Question 5. Last year, the programme scooped the Best Drama reward.

- A. programme B. Last year C. scooped D. reward

WORD PATTERNS

Question 6. I now look forward to _____ back to work as soon as possible.

- A. going B. go C. went D. goes

Question 7. The spider's bite can _____ pain and swelling.

- A. affect B. cause C. change D. bite

Question 8. She wants to be _____ as a singer rather than as a model.

- A. heard B. taken C. told D. known

Question 9. You can discuss _____ your doctor or family which method is most suitable for you.

- A. with B. to C. Ø D. for

Question 10. His difficulty in walking results _____ a childhood accident.

- A. at B. about C. from D. in

Question 11. I sometimes _____ about my old friend, where she is now and what she's doing.

- A. miss B. wonder C. doubt D. admire

Question 12. If you can _____ to get two tickets, that's better still.

- A. take B. manage C. have D. tell

Question 13. The company is considering her _____ the job of designer.

- A. to B. as C. about D. for

PHRASES AND COLLOCATIONS

Question 14. I'll join you in a minute but I need to _____ a phone call first.

- A. do B. play C. find D. make

Question 15. A short stop to _____ a photo of the church and the fields.

- A. tear B. take C. get D. have

Question 16. Scientists estimate that smoking reduces life expectancy by around 12 years _____ average.

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

Question 17. I had watched my sister make a/an _____ to try to get out of an arranged marriage.

- A. attempt B. try C. error D. change

Question 18. _____ the beginning of the film, the camera zooms in to show two people sitting by the side of a river.

- A. On B. With C. By D. At

Question 19. Over the years I've come to the _____ that she's a very great musician.

- A. fact B. reason C. conclusion D. final

Question 20. The fruit at the _____ of the box had been squashed.

- A. finish B. bottom C. beginning D. head

Question 21. Investigators are searching the wreckage of the plane to try to find the _____ of the tragedy.

- A. cause B. aim C. persuasion D. reason

Question 22. In _____, walking is a cheap, safe, enjoyable and readily available form of exercise.

- A. all B. beginning C. conclusion D. end

Question 23. Many couples refuse to _____ the fact that there are problems in their marriage.

- A. get B. face C. blame D. take

Question 24. Doctors at the National Epilepsy centre at the Park hospital in Oxford _____ out research into what can trigger epileptic fits.

- A. carry B. look C. take D. search

Question 25. This booklet provides an _____ to the postgraduate programme.

- A. error B. information C. introduction D. example

Question 26. The competition is open to 13-18 year old students around the globe, who formulate a hypothesis, _____ an experiment, and present their results.

- A. show B. give C. take D. perform

VOCABULARY IN CONTRAST

Question 27. _____ intelligence techniques are pervasive and are too numerous to list.

- A. Fake B. Human C. Artificial D. New

Question 28. The worker bathed _____ parts in the oil.

- A. motor B. structure C. system D. machine

Question 29. Thomas Edison _____ the electric light in 1879.

- A. discovered B. damaged C. determined D. invented

Question 30. This _____ produces 10,000 military vehicles every year.

- A. factory B. industry C. museum D. theatre

Question 31. The detective _____ no fewer than 35 fingerprints.

- A. looked B. discovered C. hired D. came

Question 32. Most people liked the _____ design and graphics.

- A. used B. outmoded C. old D. new

Question 33. The painter's _____ for painting the whole house was 1000 dollars.

- A. thought B. thinking C. estimate D. damage

Question 34. The number is _____ to three decimal places.

- A. accurate B. good C. right D. true

PHRASAL VERBS

Question 35. Often with the electricity cut _____, even if you have a contract and have paid your bills.

- A. of B. off C. out D. down

Question 36. That tiny radiator doesn't _____ much heat.

- A. look off B. take off C. cut off D. give off

Question 37. I went down on one knee to _____ in the vacuum cleaner.

- A. get B. plug C. take D. push

Question 38. To further narrow _____ your search, you can pop in "methodology" as a keyword.

- A. off B. up C. down D. in

Question 39. She forgot to turn _____ the tap, so there was water all over the floor.

- A. off B. on C. after D. with

Question 40. He asked to be _____ through to Charley Lunn.

- A. shown B. put C. taken D. lived

Question 41. The film doesn't quite _____ off.

- A. get B. give C. come D. make

Question 42. I always turn _____ a gibbering wreck at interviews.

- A. into B. in C. down D. on

SYNONYM

Question 43. The police hasn't **found out** who set fire to the storehouse.

- A. looked B. known C. doubted D. detected

Question 44. He could still play in the 2012 Olympics if the insurance issues are **worked out**.

- A. submitted B. resolved C. found D. decided

Question 45. The youth movement has **come on** strong over the last couple of weeks at Oakville.

- A. watched B. developed C. looked D. known

WORD FORMATIONS

Question 46. She has outstanding powers of _____.

- A. observe B. observer C. observable D. observation

Question 47. In some ways, financial planning for singles is more _____ than for couples.

- A. importable B. importance C. important D. importantly

Question 48. He worked as a _____ in Chicago and remitted half his monthly wage to his family in the Philippines.

- A. building B. builder C. build D. built

ANTONYM

Question 49. He had **attempted** to rescue the drowning man.

- A. neglected B. tried C. endeavoured D. striven

Question 50. **In fact**, nearly 70 percent of brides get involved in the ring selection process.

- A. In reality B. In detail C. In theory D. In practice