VOCABULARY IN CONTRAST (8)

Question 27. She faces the _____ of disobeying her father or losing the man she loves.
A. problem **B.** dilemma **C.** hardship **D.** obstacle

Question 28. The owner of the team _____ moving his football club to another city.
A. discriminated **B.** deduced **C.** concentrated **D.** contemplated

Question 29. After the trial, his family said they had lost all faith in the _____ system.
A. judicial **B.** judicious **C.** polite **D.** pleased

Question 30. Sometimes you have to be prepared to act on a _____
A. guesswork **B.** hunch **C.** ideology **D.** paradox

Question 31. I need to think of a _____ excuse for not going to the meeting.
A. inattentive **B.** academic **C.** prejudiced **D.** plausible

Question 32. I _____ that they're not coming, since they haven't replied to the invitation.
A. presume **B.** speculate **C.** query **D.** justify

Question 33. Many students take jobs to pay the _____ for their courses.
A. intuition **B.** curriculum **C.** tuition **D.** lecture

Question 34. If you compare the two books side by side, it is clear that the author of the second has _____ from the first.
A. plagiarized **B.** graduated **C.** supposed **D.** pondered

PHRASAL VERBS (8)

Question 35. I thought I'd _____ on my French before going to Paris.
A. read up **B.** brush up **C.** look down **D.** make up

Question 36. She's going to have to _____to the fact that he's not going to marry her.
A. face up **B.** come round **C.** look up **D.** swot up

Question 37. If they know the cause of the problem, they might be able to _____ how to prevent it happening again.
A. figure out **B.** put down **C.** mull over **D.** hit upon

Question 38. When we first _____ the idea, everyone told us it would never work.
A. got on **B.** hit upon **C.** made out **D.** puzzled out

Question 39. They'll need time to _____ the proposals.
A. think up **B.** brush up **C.** mull over **D.** piece together

Question 40. It's a good idea to _____ on a company before going for an interview..
A. read up **B.** swot up **C.** brush up **D.** take in

Question 41. I don't want to go tonight but I can't _____ a good excuse.
A. make out **B.** brush up **C.** bring up **D.** think up

Question 42. I still can't _____ how I managed to spend so much money last month.
A. puzzle out **B.** mull over **C.** swot up **D.** piece together

Question 43. He's very **knowledgeable** about German literature.
A. intensive **B.** skeptical **C.** well-informed **D.** plausible

Question 44. Rural Americans are often older than those in other parts of America and that may **account for** the slower adoption rates for internet access.
A. concentrate **B.** consider **C.** contemplate **D.** explain

Question 45. We were always a bit **dubious** about the advantages these changes would actually bring.
A. ingenious **B.** doubtful **C.** plausible **D.** prejudiced

ANTONYMS (2)

Question 46. I'm sure he says these things **deliberately** to annoy me.
A. accidentally **B.** intentionally **C.** purposefully **D.** thoughtfully

Question 47. She felt she had been **discriminated** against because of her age.
A. disfavored **B.** biased **C.** equalized **D.** deduced

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