

**1** It's necessary for you to ... a more serious attitude toward your work.

- a) become
- b) grow
- c) develop

**2** You'd better put this appointment in your ... .

- a) diary
- b) agenda
- c) calendar

**3** A good clock keeps ... time.

- a) accurate
- b) serious
- c) true

**4** Her parents are always ... with each other.

- a) annoying
- b) arguing
- c) discussing

**5** Please take into ... the latest information.

- a) consider
- b) considering
- c) consideration

**6** As long as he ... stay for more than a month, he can sleep at my flat.

- a) won't
- b) doesn't
- c) didn't

**7** ... people take part in the traditional games now than ten years ago.

- a) Few
- b) Less
- c) Fewer

**8** Would you please ... me to the post-office?

- a) direct
- b) signal
- c) aim

**9** According ... the map we should take the second right.

- a) on
- b) to
- c) as

**10** Would you be ... to help me?

- a) as kind
- b) so kind
- c) kind enough

**11** His parents told him to keep ... sweets.

- a) off

b) back

c) up

**12** I ... to open the door at the back of the house.

a) succeeded

b) managed

c) forced

**13** Is anyone ... to smoke in this room?

a) admitted

b) let

c) allowed

**14** I thank you, ... my colleagues, for the welcome you have given us.

a) instead of

b) because of

c) on behalf of

**15** What a terrible movie! I think ... .

a) I cry

b) I'm crying

c) I'm going to cry

**16** Because it hadn't rained for several weeks, there was a ... of water.

a) shortage

b) drop

c) waste

**17** It's no use ... a language if you don't try to speak it too.

a) to learn

b) learning

c) learned

**18** She wouldn't go swimming ... her boyfriend went too.

a) also

b) but

c) unless

**19** They have bought them ... expensive new furniture.

a) those

b) some

c) these

**20** My grandfather is so old that he gets tired ... his teeth.

a) to brush

b) of brushing

c) brush

**21** That specific rule is not ... in this case.

a) applied

b) apply

c) applicable

**22** He is probably the most ... tennis-player of all times.

- a) success
- b) succeed
- c) successful

**23** I tried to prevent my cat ... running into the street.

- a) from
- b) to
- c) for

**24** It was ... that we went for a picnic in the outskirts.

- a) so nice a day
- b) such nice day
- c) such a nice day

**25** If I had known ..., he could have been invited to speak at the ceremony.

- a) who he was
- b) he was who
- c) whom he was

**26** My main ... to the new road plan is that it will spoil the view.

- a) objective
- b) objection
- c) object

**27** They love this painting of an old woman. She has such a beautiful, ... smile.

- a) childlike
- b) childish
- c) childhood

**28** Prehistoric man ... the first steps in building civilization.

- a) take
- b) has taken
- c) took

**29** You'd better leave now ... there's a lot of traffic on the way.

- a) in time
- b) in order
- c) in case

**30** You'll have to have ... if you want to film here.

- a) a permit
- b) an allowance
- c) an admission