

C. a French exciting new band D. an exciting new French band

Question 12: John is _____ work. He is busy _____ his monthly report.

A. on - for B. in - about C. at - with D. to - through

Question 13: The plane is due to take off in a matter of minutes; _____ you hustle, you will miss it.

A. incase B. if C. even though D. unless

Question 14: This renovation work in the building is very frustrating, but fortunately, it's being carried out _____ I had initially expected.

A. as quick as B. so quickly that C. quick enough D. more quickly than

Question 15: I often complain about my daughter's messy room and her _____ for collecting the garbage cans.

A. responsible B. irresponsibility C. irresponsible D. responsibility

Question 16: Moderna, a leading coronavirus vaccine maker, said this month it will not be ready to _____ for emergency use authorization until at least November 25.

A. sign B. apply C. update D. send

Question 17: My dad wants me to go to university, but I'm in _____ minds about it.

A. different B. my C. some D. two

Question 18: Not all the winners will receive great prizes, but nobody leaves _____

A. blank-handed B. clear-handed C. empty-handed D. white-handed

Question 19: My brother is so eager to win in trivia games that he can't bear other players _____ him.

A. running into B. putting up with C. coming across D. getting ahead of

Question 20: Many ethnic minorities around the world claim that their governments are throwing them under the _____ as the pandemic continues to spread unchecked.

A. car B. bus C. train D. plane

6. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.

Question 21: Jane offered Jim some more chicken; however, Jim was full and seemed not to have another serving. Choose the best response.

- Jane: "Would you like some more chicken?"

- Jim: "_____. I'm full."

A. Never mind. B. No, I wouldn't. C. No, I can't. D. No, thanks.

Question 22: Jack and Charles are talking about the use of mobile phone in class.

- Jack: "Students should not be allowed to use mobile phone in class."

- Charles: "_____. This will distract them from studying."

A. Not really C. No way! It's useful

B. I'm of the opposite opinion D. I quite agree

7. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.