

Comparative form of adjectives and adverbs

Exercise 1.

1. She is the _____ daughter in the family.
a. older b. more old c. eldest d. oldest
2. She speaks English as _____ as you.
a. clear b. clearly c. clearness d. very clear
3. HCM city is _____ than Nha Trang
a. more large b. as large c. not so large d. larger
4. Your pencil is _____ as mine.
a. as sharp b. not sharp c. sharper d. sharp
5. This car is _____ than mine.
a. less expensive b. as expensive c. more rich d. not so expensive
6. The _____ he is, the more miserable he gets.
a. richer b. more riches c. more rich d. none is correct
7. He is the _____ student in this class.
a. very intelligent b. most intelligent c. more intelligent d. less intelligent
8. Despite its smaller size, the Indian Ocean _____ the Atlantic Ocean.
a. as deep as b. is the same deep as c. deeper as d. is as deep as
9. Sharon _____ from other women I know.
a. different b. as different c. differs d. more different
10. This one is prettier, but it costs _____ as the one.
a. as much as b. twice as much c. as many d. twice as many
11. You can take _____ books as you want.
a. as many b. as much c. so much d. too many
12. Of the two sisters, Linda _____.
a. is beautiful b. the most beautiful
c. is more beautiful d. is so beautiful as
13. Tuition at an American university runs _____ one thousand dollars a semester.
a. so high as b. as high to c. as high as d. as high than
14. _____ I get to know her, the more I like her.

- a. For more b. More c. The more d. The most

15. I would have paid _____ for my car if the salesman had insisted, because I really wanted it.

- a. as much twice b. much twice
c. twice as much d. times two

16. The _____ students do not always do well in tests.

- a. brighter b. more bright c. more brighter d. brighter more

17. The noise in Rome is _____ worse than in Florence.

- a. much b. far
c. A and B are wrong d. A and B are correct

18. tobacco was sold in 1983 as in 1982,

- a. Not as much b. Not as many c. Not much d. Not many

19. He eats with chopsticks _____ the Chinese.

- a. such b. as if c. like d. as

20. Instead of slowing down, he drove _____

- a. more fastly b. faster c. more faster d. faster more

Exercise 2

1. My new glasses cost me _____ the last pair that I bought.

- a. times three b. three times more than
c. three times as much as d. as much three times as

2. Although she is very popular, she is not _____ her sister.

- a. pretty as b. as pretty
c. prettier than d. more pretty than

3. We are going to Florida as soon as _____ taking our final exams.

- a. were finish b. we'll finish c. we'd finish d. we finish

4. This new soap is not much _____ the others that I have tried.

- a. different b. different than
c. different from d. different that

5. Ms. Jones isn't as nice _____ Ms. Smith.

a. as b. for c. like d. to

6. The rooms in Graduate Towers are _____ Patterson Hall.

- a. larger than b. larger than that of
c. larger than those in d. larger than in

7. We'll be there as soon as we _____ a babysitter for our son.

- a. will find b. found c. find d. are finding

8. The final will be _____ the midterm.

- a. alike b. like c. same d. similar

9. They are _____ my other neighbors.

- a. more friendlier than b. friendly than
c. friendlier as d. more friendly than

10. The lab is _____ from the bus stop than the library.

- a. far b. farther c. further d. b and c

11. The _____ accident in the history of the city occurred last night on the Freeway.

- a. badest b. most bad c. worse d. worst

12. He finished the test _____ of all.

- a. rapidly b. the most rapidly
c. most rapidly d. more rapidly