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Verb tenses and forms

1. Do you think there _____less conflict in the world if all people____the same language?
   A. would be/ spoke B. were/ would speak
   C. were/ spoke D. would be/ would speak
2. I met some old friends _____I was on holiday in Malaysia.
   A. when B. since C. because D. until
3. They _____visit their relatives in the countryside in summer.
   A. use B. are used C. used to D. are used to
4. If my grandfather _____alive now, I'm sure he would be proud of me.
   A. were B. has been C. would be D. is
5. It is impossible to cross the road in the rush hour because of the traffic.
   A. People usually find it difficult to cross the road in the rush hour.
   B. People cannot cross the road in the rush hour because of the traffic.
   C. In the rush hour people are not allowed to cross the road because of the traffic.
   D. The traffic makes it possible for people to cross the road in the rush hour.
6. You might fall if you're not careful.
   A. Unless you are careful, you might not fall.
   B. If you are careless, you cannot be easy to fall.
   C. Be careful or else you will have a fall.
   D. You are not careless and you could not fall.
7. I will lend you the book unless you _____it no later than Sunday.
   A. will return B. return C. is returning D. returned
8. I'm very pleased that we shall meet again soon.
   A. We shall never meet each other again.
   B. I've been looking for you for a long time.
   C. I'm looking forward to meeting you again soon.
   D. Please don't come and meet us again.
9. "May I borrow your bicycle this afternoon?"
   A. "Would you mind lending me your bicycle this afternoon?"
   B. "You must lend me your bicycle this afternoon."
   C. "Do I have to borrow your bicycle this afternoon?"
   D. "It is necessary that I take your bicycle this afternoon."
10. The little girl started crying. She_____ her doll, and no one was able to find it for her.
    A. has lost B. had lost C. was losing D. was lost
11. He used to sell traditional handicraft, _____?
    A. hasn't he B. didn't he C. doesn't he D. wasn't he
12. Unfortunately when I arrived, my friend_____ so we only had time for a few words.
    A. has just left B. was just leaving C. had just left D. would just leave
13. Don't worry about it. You_____ told if there is a change of plan.
    A. are B. were C. would be D. will be
14. My grandfather started collecting stamps when he was 65.
    A. My grandfather took up collecting stamps when he was 65.
    B. Collecting stamps was my grandfather's hobby when he was 65.
    C. At the age of 65 my grandfather was collecting stamps.
    D. My grandfather hasn't been collecting stamps until he was 65.
15. The school _____ ten years ago.
    A. built B. was built C. was building D. builds
16. We spent half a year _____this hotel.
    A. repairing B. repair C. to repair D. for repairing

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17. While I _____ TV, the light _____ out.
    A. was watching / went
    B. watched / went
    C. was watching / was going
    D. watched / was going out
18. I am not used to _____up early.
    A. get
    B. getting
    C. to get
    D. got
19. You'd better not _____at night. It's dangerous.
    A. go
    B. to go
    C. going
    D. went
20. This is the first time his children have tried Japanese cuisine.
    A. His children tried Japanese cuisine before.
    B. His children have never tried Japanese cuisine before.
    C. His children tried Japanese cuisine at first.
    D. His children last tried Japanese cuisine a long time ago.

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