Choose the best answer to complete each sentence.

1. Some high school students take part in ……the handicapped.
   A. helping B. to help C. help D. being help
2. The mission of this society is ……community education for street children.
   A. to provide B. provide C. providing D. provided
3. Shy people often find it ..... to take part in group discussions.
   A. difficult B. difficulty C. difficultly D. be difficult
4. I am unable..... to the meeting on Monday evening, please apologise for my absence.
   A. to come B. come C. coming D. to be come
5. ..... it several times, he didn't want to read it once again.
   A. Reading B. To read C. To have read D. Having read
6. ..... that he was poor, I offered to pay his fare.
   A. Knowing B. Known C. Knew D. Having knew
7. ..... photographs of the place, I had no desire to go there.
   A. Seeing B. Seen C. Saw D. Having seen
8. I hate ..... a child ..... .
   A. see/ crying B. see/ cry C. seeing/ to cry D. seeing/ cry
9. I notice the lorry ..... down the hill.
   A. to come B. came C. coming D. having come
10. I observed a blue car ..... very fast towards the motorway.
   A. having driven B. driven C. driving D. to drive
11. They left the restaurant, ... two hours over lunch.
   A. spending B. spent C. after spend D. having spent
12. The police accused him of..... fire to the building but he denied ..... in the area on the night of the fire.
   A. setting/ being B. setting/ having been C. set/ be D. having set/ having been
13. Someone told us ..... sit on the stairs.
   A. don't B. not C. not to D. to not
14. The doctor advised him ..... and to take up some sport.
   A. stop smoke B. stop smoking
   C. to stop smoking D. to stop to smoke
15. I have told him never ..... to buy some potatoes on the way home.
   A. come B. comes C. came D. to come
16. Professional people expect ..... when it is necessary to cancel an appointment.
   A. you to call them B. that you would call them
   C. you calling them D. that you are calling them
17. The conductor asked ..... in the bus.
   A. them to please not to smoke B. that they should not smoke
   C. them not to smoke D. them not to smoke
18. I'd rather ..... at home.
   A. to stay B. staying C. stayed D. stay
19. They noticed him ..... the agreement.
   A. sign B. to sign C. signing D. signed
20. Jack admitted ..... the money.
   A. steal B. to steal C. stealing D. stolen
21. Don't ..... him to arrive early. He's always late.
   A. think B. judge C. hope D. expect
22. The instructor warned the students ..... sailing alone on the lake.
   A. on B. for C. of D. against

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23. Her mother prevented her ..... going out tonight.
A. against B. from C. about D. at
24. I apologized ..... the book at home.
A. for leaving B. to leaving C. leaving D. to leave

25. He tried to avoid_____ my question.
a. answer b. answering c. to answer d. to have answered
26. Paula has given up _____ to lose weight.
a. try b. trying c. to try d. to have tried
27. We can't go on_____ like this.
a. living b. live c. to live d. to be living
28. Don't keep_____ me while I'm talking.
a. interrupt b. to interrupt c. interrupting d. to have interrupted
29. I can't imagine Bill _____ a motorbike.
a. ride b. riding c. to ride d. to be riding
30. Sorry to keep you_____ so long.
a. waiting b. wait c. to wait d. to have waited
31. She now regrets_____ it.
a. say b. having said d. to say d. to have said
32. We decided_____ at home.
a. to stay b. stay c. staying d. having stayed
33. Frank tends_____ too much.
a. to have drunk b. drinking c. drink d. to drink
34. He doesn't want_____
a. to know b. know c. knowing d. to be knowing
35. I don't advise anybody_____ in that hotel.
a. stay b. to stay c. staying d. to have stayed
36. The mother made her child_____ the word
a. repeat b. to repeat c. repeating d. to be repeating
37. My parents don't let me_____ out alone.
a. go b. to go c. going d. to be going
38. I'm afraid I have some homework_____ today.
a. do b. to do c. going d. done
39. Where are the children? "I saw_____ in the yeard".
a. them to play b. them playing c. they playing d. to them playing
40. We would like_____ to the president's reception, but we weren't
a. having invited b. having been invited
c. to have invited d. to have been invited

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