

MORE EXERCISES

I. Choose the correct answer to complete each of the following sentences.

1. The Braille alphabet has been one of the greatest _____ in human history.
A. invention B. inventions C. inventors D. inventive
2. After graduating from university, I want to _____ my father's footsteps.
A. follow in B. succeed in C. go after D. keep up
3. Luckily, my parents are always willing to listen to my new ideas. They're very _____.
A. narrow-minded B. open-minded C. elegant D. careful
4. I am now reconciled with two of my estranged siblings - not just my older brother, but my sister, whom I hadn't spoken to for 17 years.
A. contactable B. harmonised C. opposed D. truthful
5. Their close friendship _____ a romantic relationship.
A. brings about B. puts up C. takes over D. turns into
6. Due to financial conflict over years, they decided to get _____.
A. divorced B. engaged C. married D. proposed
7. Parents are always willing to lend a sympathetic _____ to their children when they have problems.
A. hand B. ear C. eye D. paw
8. Everyone can help the needy by making a _____ to a charity organisation.
A. donate B. donation C. donor D. donating
9. An organisation for Educational Development co-operated with our school to _____ free English classes for the poor in the area.
A. put away B. put off C. set off D. set up
10. People with disabilities always need to be _____ after.
A. asked B. cared C. looked D. taken
11. He must have suffered _____ flu for a long time.
A. from B. at C. in D. at
12. _____ communication skill plays an important role in career success.
A. Personal B. Individual C. Interpersonal D. Interactive
13. In spite of poverty and dreadful conditions, they still manage to keep their self-respect.
A. self-reliant B. self-restraint C. self-esteem D. self-assured

27. Recently, a gang of enterprising New Zealanders ____ an incredible scheme to raise awareness of depression and mental health issues.

A. has introduced B. had introduced C. introduced D. was introduced

28. This year, so far, we ____ £ 16,000 and are still counting.

A. are raising B. has raised C. have raised D. raised

29. I ____ to help students at a special school twice since I finished grade 11.

A. have volunteered B. had volunteered C. was volunteering D. volunteered

30. For over ten years, he ____ more than 100 bicycles to needy students in Central Viet Nam.

A. gave B. has given C. have given D. has been giving