UNIT 12: WATER SPORTS (Reading)

Choose a, b, c, or d that best completes each unfinished sentence, substitutes the underlined part, or has a close meaning to the original one.

1. How many players are there in _____ water polo team?

a. a b. an c. the d. Ø

2. _____ swimming is considered to be _____ good way of losing weight.

a. Ø / a b. The / a c. A / the d. The / the

3. They are going to _____ the pool to 1.8 meter.

a. deep b. depth c. deepen d. deeply

4. The referee had no hesitation in awarding the visiting team a _____.

a. penalty b. penalize c. penal d. penalization

5. The crowd cheered as the goalkeeper deflected the _____.

a. shoot b. shooting c. shooter d. shot

6. Players can move the ball by throwing it _____ a teammate or swimming while pushing the ball in front of them.

a. for b. into c. to d. from

7. In water polo, a shot is successful if the ball completely passes between the goal posts and underneath the _____.

a. net b. crossbar c. ball d. goalie

8. A defensive player may only hold, block or pull a / an _____ who is touching or holding the ball.

a. audience b. referee c. goalie d. opponent

9. If a defender _____ a foul within the five meter area that prevents a likely goal, the attacking team is awarded a penalty throw or shot.

a. commits b. interferes c. punches d. touches

10. The more' goals the players _____, the more exciting the match became.

a. marked b. made c. scored d. sprinted

11. After a <u>tie</u>, there are two overtime periods of three minutes each.

a. penalty b. draw c. score d. goal

12. The goalkeeper can also be <u>ejected</u> for twenty seconds if a major foul is committed.

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a. advanced b. sprinted c. played d. excluded

13. A goalie who aggressively fouls an attacker in position to score can be charged with a _____ shot for the other team.

a. penalty b. preventing c. scoring d. ranging

14. _____ is a sport in which people or teams race against each other in boats with oars.

a. Rowing b. Windsurfing c. Swimming d. Water polo

15. I have never taken part in any water sports _____ I cannot swim.

a. because b. because of c. due to d. partly because of

16. Many people do not like scuba diving _____.

a. because it is dangerous b. because of it is dangerous

c. because its danger d. due to it is dangerous

17. Water polo is played in _____ pool 1.8 meters deep.

a. a b. an c. the d. Ø

18. The goalie tried to catch _____ ball, but he failed.

a. a b. an c. the d. Ø

19. The final _____ was 3-0.

a. score b. scoring c. scorer d. scores

20. The referee's _____ is the most important in any sport competition.

a. decide b. decisive c. decision d. decider

21. _____ players are not allowed to interfere with the opponent's movements unless the player is holding the ball.

a. Defense b. Defensive c. Defender d. Defensively

22. _____ is a sport in which two or more people perform complicated and carefully planned movements in water in time to music.

a. Rowing b. Windsurfing c. Diving d. Synchronized swimming

23. A water polo cap is used to ____ the players' head and to identify them.

a. tie b. penalize c. protect d. move

24. In water polo game, only the goalie can hold the ball _____ two hands.

a. at b. in c. with d. from

25. Jack was my _____ in the tennis match.

a. opposing b. opponent c. opposition d. opposite

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