

## 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 tie, there are two overtime periods of three minutes each.  
a. penalty                      b. draw                      c. score                      d. goal
12. The goalkeeper can also be ejected for twenty seconds if a major foul is committed.

- 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