

IFL STYLED-ENTRANCE EXAMINATION 12

SECTION I: GRAMMAR

For questions 1 to 40, choose the one word or phrase which best completes each of the following sentences. Write your answers – A, B, C, or D – on the answer sheet.

1. After the funeral, the residents of the apartment building _____.
(A) sent faithfully flowers all weeks to the cemetery
(B) sent to the cemetery each week flowers faithfully
(C) sent flowers faithfully to the cemetery each week
(D) sent each week faithfully to the cemetery flowers

2. Because the first pair of pants did not fit properly, he asked for _____.
(A) another pants
(B) others pants
(C) the others ones
(D) another pair

3. The committee has met and _____.
(A) they have reached a decision
(B) it has formulated themselves some opinions
(C) its decision was reached at
(D) it has reached a decision

4. Alfred Adams has not _____.
(A) lived loneliness in times previous
(B) never before lived sole
(C) ever lived alone before
(D) before lived without the company of his friends

5. John's score on the test is the highest in the class; _____.
(A) he should study last night
(B) he should have studied last night
(C) he must have studied last night
(D) he must had to study last night

6. Henry will not be able to attend the meeting tonight because _____.
(A) he must to teach a class
(B) he will be teaching a class
(C) of he will teach a class
(D) he will have teaching a class

7. Having been served lunch, _____.
(A) the problem was discussed by the members of the committee
(B) the committee members discussed the problem
(C) it was discussed by the committee members the problem
(D) a discussion of the problem was made by the members of the committee

8. Florida has not yet ratified the amendment, and _____.
(A) several other states hasn't either
(B) neither has some of the others states
(C) some other states also have not either
(D) neither have several other states

9. The chairman requested that _____.

- (A) the members studied more carefully the problem
- (B) the problem was more carelessly studied
- (C) with more carefulness the problem could be studied
- (D) the members study the problem more carefully

10. California relies heavily on income from fruit crops, and _____.

- (A) Florida also
- (B) Florida too
- (C) Florida is as well
- (D) so does Florida

11. The professor said that _____.

- (A) the students can turn over their reports on the Monday
- (B) the reports on Monday could be received from the students by him
- (C) the students could hand in their reports on Monday
- (D) the students will on Monday the reports turn in

12. This year will be difficult for this organization because _____.

- (A) they have less money and volunteers than they had last year
- (B) it has less money and fewer volunteers than it had last year
- (C) the last year it did not have as few and little volunteers and money
- (D) there are fewer money and volunteers than in the last year there were

13. The teachers have had some problems deciding _____.

- (A) when to the students they shall return the final papers
- (B) when are they going to return to the students the final papers
- (C) when they should return the final papers to the students
- (D) the time when the final papers they should return for the students

14. She wanted to serve some coffee to her guests; however, _____.

- (A) she hadn't many sugar
- (B) there was not a great amount of the sugar
- (C) she did not have much sugar
- (D) she was lacking in amount of the sugar

15. There has not been a great response to the sale, _____?

- (A) does there
- (B) hasn't there
- (C) hasn't it
- (D) has there

16. Captain Henry, _____ crept slowly through the underbrush.

- (A) being remote from the enemy,
- (B) attempting to not encounter the enemy,
- (C) trying to avoid the enemy,
- (D) not involving himself in the enemy,

17. Tommy was one _____.

- (A) of the happy childs of his class
- (B) of the happiest child in the class
- (C) child who was the happiest of all the class
- (D) of the happiest children in the class

18. _____ he began to make friends more easily.

- (A) Having entered school in the new city, it was found that
- (B) After entering the new school,
- (C) When he had been entering the new school,
- (D) Upon entering into the new school,

19. It is very difficult to stop the cultivation of marijuana because _____.

- (A) it grows very carelessly
- (B) of it's growth without attention
- (C) it grows well with little care
- (D) it doesn't care much to grow

20. The fact that space exploration has increased dramatically in the past thirty years _____.

- (A) is an evidence of us wanting to know more of our solar system
- (B) indicates that we are very eager to learn all we can about our solar system
- (C) how we want to learn more about the solar system
- (D) is pointing to evidence of our intention to know a lot more about what is called our solar system

21. Many of the international problems we are now facing _____.

- (A) linguistic incompetencies
- (B) are the result of misunderstandings
- (C) are because of not understanding themselves
- (D) lacks of the intelligent capabilities of understanding each other

22. Mr. Roberts is a noted chemist _____.

- (A) as well as an effective teacher
- (B) and too a very efficient teacher
- (C) but he teaches very good in addition
- (D) however he teaches very good also

23. Public television stations are different from commercial stations _____.

- (A) because they receive money differently and different types of shows
- (B) for money and program types
- (C) in the areas of funding and programming
- (D) because the former receives money and has programs differently from the latter

24. Manufacturers often sacrifice quality _____.

- (A) for a larger profit margin
- (B) in place of to earn more money
- (C) to gain more quantities of money
- (D) and instead earn a bigger amount of profit

25. Automobile production in the United States _____.

- (A) have taken slumps and rises in recent years
- (B) has been rather erratic recently
- (C) has been erratically lately
- (D) are going up and down all the time

26. A major problem in the construction of new buildings _____.

- (A) is that windows have been eliminated while air conditioning systems have not been perfected
- (B) is they have eliminated windows and still don't have good air conditioning
- (C) is because windows are eliminated but air conditioners don't work good
- (D) is dependent on the fact that while they have eliminated windows, they are not capable to produce efficient air conditioning systems

27. John said that no other car could go _____.

- (A) so fast like his car
- (B) as fast like his car
- (C) as fast like the car of him
- (D) as fast as his car

28. Her grades have improved, but only _____.

- (A) in a small amount
- (B) very slightly
- (C) minimum
- (D) some

29. While attempting to reach his home before the storm, _____.

- (A) the bicycle of John broke down
- (B) it happened that John's bike broke down
- (C) the storm caught John
- (D) John had an accident on his bicycle

30. The changes in this city have occurred _____.

- (A) with swiftness
- (B) rapidly
- (C) fastly
- (D) in rapid ways

31. The law requires that everyone _____ his car checked at least once a month.

- A. has
- B. have
- C. had
- D. will have

32. He was busy yesterday, otherwise he _____ to the meeting.

- A. would come
- B. would have been
- C. could have been
- D. would be

33. If there were no subjunctive mood, English _____ much easier.

- A. will be
- B. would have been
- C. could have been
- D. would be

34. _____ the fog, we should have reached our school.

- A. Because of
- B. In spite of
- C. In case of
- D. But for

35. –“What will you do during winter vacation?”

–“I don't know, but it's about time _____ something.”

A. I decided B. I'll decide C. I'd decided D. I'm deciding

36. He was very busy yesterday, otherwise, he _____ to your birthday party.

A. would come B. came
C. would have come D. should come

37. The two strangers talked as if they _____ friends for years.

A. should be B. had been C. have been D. were

38. Look! What you've done! You _____ have been more careful.

A. should B. may C. ought D. would

39. Without electricity, what _____?

A. will the world be like B. would the world be like
C. the world will be like D. the World Would be like

40. With your ability, you _____ out the puzzle within a few minutes.

A. could have worked B. need have worked
B. C. ought have worked D. must have worked