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Test 1

I - Find out the correct answer

1. The girls were playing with my sister _____ is beautiful. (use relative clause)

2. It was a hot day, and many people were_____ their way to the beach.

A. taking B. hitting C. making D. setting

3. When John got home from work, _____.

A. he has made a cup of coffee B. he was making a cup of coffee

C. he makes a cup of coffee D. he made a cup of coffee

4. Did you _____ (go) anywhere interesting last weekend?

5. It's possible _____ (take) a train across Canada.

6. I think your mother should let you_____ (make up) your own mind.

7. Why _____school yesterday?

A. hasn't she been at B. she wasn't at

C. isn't she gone to D. wasn't she at

8. When_____ give us your final decision?

A. are you B. will you C. going out to D. you going to

9. The man told us that the next train would arrive_____.

A. at three thirty B. at three thirty o'clock

C. in three thirty D. in three thirty o'clock

10. The waste from the chemical factory is extremely_____ (harm)

11. "Oh, 've failed the driving test again!" - "This is not the end of the world."

A. Cheer up! B. No problem.

C. Good luck! D. You're welcome

12. "_____" - " I'm fine. Thanks."

A. How old are you? B. How do you do?

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C. How are you? D. What's wrong?

13. Animal_____ (protect) supporters gathered to protest against hunting.

14. Seldom _____each other anymore.

A. we have seen B. do we see C. we do see D. we see

15. "Do you feel like going to the cinema tonight?" - "_____"

A. I think so. B. don't agree. I'm afraid.

C. You're welcome. D. That would be great.

16. Until last year, "Mary ester" was the largest ship that_____ (ever / build).

17. Instead of buying a new pair of shoes, I had my old ones_____. (repair)

18. "Shall wait for you? - "_____"

A. Why ask such a question? B. No need to ask.

C. No, don't bother. D. Yes, of course.

19. "Your parents must be proud of your results at school." - "_____"

A. Sorry to hear that. B. I am glad you like it.

C. Thanks. t's certainly encouraging. D. Of course.

20. Ann is very temperamental. How do you_____her?

A. put up with B. put with C. put up to D. putting up with

II - Choose the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s)

21. Reaching 35 and obviously aging, Jane has to make up her mind on her future very soon.

A. give a thought about B. prepare a plan for

C. make a decision on D. pay attention to

22. To get the best deal on a new car, you need to know what a car is really worth.

A. pay the lowest price B. get the highest quality

C. save the most amount of petrol D. reach the fastest agreement

23. Only a first - rate education will enable our students to compete with the best in the world, especially in core subjects such as English, mathematics and science.

A. the simplest B. the most difficult

C. the most important D. the most popular

24. The government has launched a new road safety campaign in an attempt to reduce the number of road accidents.

A. to aim to B. to try to C. to plan to D. to intend to

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25. “Would you like some more to eat?” - “ No, thank you. I’ve had more than enough already.”

A. amount B. little C. pour D. plenty

III - Choose the word(s) OPPOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s)

26. He hoped the company would help him in finding stable accommodation.

A. poor B. permanent C. short - term D. suitable

27. Global warming is one of the major problems facing our planet.

A. Common B. minor C. important D. serious

28. Fruit and vegetables grew in abundance on the island. The islanders even exported the surplus.

A. large quantity B. small quantity C. excess D. sufficiency

29. The problem is due to discipline, or, more precisely, the lack of discipline, in schools.

A. informally B. flexibly C. Casually D. wrongly

30. Other characters may think that a problem is inexplicable, but Poe’s detective, C. Auguste Dupin, finds it easy to understand.

A. boring B. mysterious C. evident D. simple

IV - Rewrite the sentences with the suggestion

31. I don’t remember that met him in London. (no that)

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32. You are not allowed to smoke here. (banned)

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33. My French friend finds driving on the left difficult. (not used to)

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34. Shall we go for a walk? (how about)

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35. “Can borrow your car, Helen?” said Mary. (reported speech)

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36. She feels happy because she has passed her exam. (makes)

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37. A new film has not often before produced such positive reviews.

--> Rarely _____

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38. Tom arrived late and started complaining.

--> Not only_____

39. The secretary didn't reply me for ten days.

--> No reply_____.

40. "You're selfish," Jane said.

--> Jane accused_____.

41. Mr. Smith was too busy to speak to me. I came to see him. (whom)

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42. don't like keeping fish. My sister doesn't like keeping fish either, (neither)

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43. They are choosing the boys for the team. All of them are under 12. (chosen)

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44. Marie always pays her bills regularly. She's a careful person, (such)

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45. Peter remembered. Mary remembered too. (so)

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V - Find out the mistake and correct it

Ex: I wonder if you have ever visit my country because more and more tourists are coming now.

=> visit - visited

46. The film on television made us so boring that we went to bed early.

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47. Tonight I'm going to stay at home with meself.

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48. Customs are different from one regions of the country to another.

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49. My mother still spends 14 hours a day do the housework.

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50. They have been writing to each others since they were children.

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