BEE GRADE 12 - UNIT 16: THE ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH-EAST ASIAN NATIONS

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. The organization hosts cultural activities in _____ attempt to further integrate the region.
   a. a b. an c. the d. Ø
2. ASEAN also works for the _____ of peace and stability in the region.
   a. promote b. promotion c. promotional d. promoter
3. The Association of Southeast Asian Nations, commonly referred to as ASEAN, is a geo-political and _____ organization.
   a. economy b. economic c. economics d. economical
4. The motivations for the birth of ASEAN were the desire for a _____ environment.
   a. stable b. stability c. stably d. stabilize
5. ASEAN was founded on 8 August, 1967 with five : Thailand, Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, and the Philippines.
   a. members b. competitors c. leaders d. statesmen
6. ASEAN is an organization on the Southeast Asian region that aims to _____ economic growth, social progress, and cultural development.
   a. account b. include c. accelerate d. respect
7. The Association of Southeast Asia which consists of 10 countries located in Southeast Asia was _____ on August 8, 1967 by Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines, Singapore, and Thailand.
   a. found b. founded c. invented d. discovered
8. The <u>aims</u> of the Association of Southeast Asia include the evolvement of economic growth, social progress, cultural development among its members, and the promotion of regional peace.
   a. goals b. organizations c. missions d. plans
9. Southeast Asia is a region of <u>diverse</u> cultures.
   a. same b. adopted c. various d. respected
10. ASEAN has emphasized cooperation in the "three pillars" of security, socio cultural and economic _____ in the region.
    a. organization b. production c. integration d. establishment
11. The ASEAN Free Trade Area (AFTA) is an agreement by the member nations of ASEAN concerning local <u>manufacturing</u> in all ASEAN countries.
    a. progressing b. producing c. combining d. aiming
12. ASEAN has planned equitable economic development and reduced poverty and _____ disparities in year 2020.
    a. socio-politic b. socio-cultural c. socio-linguistic d. socio-economic
13. The Governments of ASEAN have paid special attention _____ trade.

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a. to b. on c. for d. with

14. The goal the ASEAN Vision 2020 aims _____ creating a stable, prosperous and highly competitive ASEAN economic region.
a. for b. on c. at d. up
15. The ASEAN Security Community (ASC)aims to ensure that countries in the region live at _____ with one another and in a democratic and harmonious environment.
a. peace b. peaceful c. peacefully d. peaceable
16. ASEAN's aims include the acceleration of economic growth, _____ progress, cultural, development among its members, and the promotion of regional peace.
a. society b. social c. socially d. socialize
17. A combined gross domestic _____ of the member countries of ASEAN has grown at an average rate of around 6% per year.
a. produce b. productivity c. production d. product
18. To build on the field of political and security cooperation, _____ ASEAN Leaders have agreed to establish the ASEAN Security Community CASC).
a. a b. an c. the d. Ø
19. On July 28, 1995, Vietnam became _____ seventh member of ASEAN.
a. a b. an c. the d. Ø
20. ASEAN has _____ population of 575.5 million.
a. a b. an c. the d. Ø
21. The population of ASEAN accounts _____ about 8.7% of the world's population.
a. of b. for c. in d. from
22. Laos and Myanmar were admitted _____ ASEAN in 1997.
a. for b. of c. to d. in
23. ASEAN also try to solve the problems of ethnic tensions which might lead _____ civil war.
a. into b. away c. off d. to
24. One of ASEAN's objectives is to help people think about peace and _____ and do something about it.
a. origin b. justice c. statistics d. record
25. There are plenty of industrial _____ established in the area, which also makes the government worried about pollution.
a. series b. goods c. enterprises d. relationships
26. Free _____ area is a designated group of countries that have agreed to eliminate tariffs, quotas, and preferences on most goods among them.
a. trade b. cultural c. stable d. adopted
27. The ASEAN Investment Area aims to <u>enhance</u> the competitiveness of the region for attracting direct investment which flows into and within ASEAN.
a. produce b. combine c. found d. improve
28. ASEAN has _____ a community of Southeast' Asian nations at peace with one another and at peace with the world.
a. joined b. estimated c. established d. solved
29. ASEAN helps to _____ regional cooperation in Southeast Asia in the spirit of equality and partnership
a. invest b. promote c. admit d. invest
30. Rice is the _____ exported product of Vietnam.
a. main b. free c. average d. rural

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