

VOCABULARY TEST

Name: ..... Surname: .....

1. Choose the word that best completes the sentence.

1. The photograph was ... using computer technology.
A. benefited B. enhanced C. disciplined D. implemented

2. Fast food is no ... for home cooked meals.
A. motive B. exception C. simulation D. substitute

3. Noise pollution ... affects the health by damaging the hearing.
A. intensively B. merely C. virtually D. adversely

4. A tour of the laboratory will give you greater ... into the kind or research being done here.
A. evaluation B. insight C. influence D. concept

5. Local authorities are really ... down on people who drop litter.
A. dragging B. kicking C. dumping D. clamping

6. After ... with the decision for a while, Emma finally decided to resign.
A. handling B. grasping C. wrestling D. gripping

7. While attendance at the lecture is not ... , it is recommended.
A. lenient B. obliged C. optional D. compulsory

8. The school is proud of its wide range of ... activities.
A. antisocial B. tertiary C. hyperactive D. extracurricular

9. You'll really have to work hard if you want to make the ... as a journalist.
A. grade B. term C. mark D. degree

10. All that graffiti certainly ... from the city's charm.
A. ruins B. detracts C. spoils D. impairs

11. The twins are so alike that it's ... impossible to tell them apart.
A. vastly B. virtually C. amply D. merely

12. Basic subjects, such as math, are generally ... in school.
A. culinary B. conservative C. compulsory D. comprehensive

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13. The plan sounds too good to be true – surely there are some … .
A. drawbacks B. substitutes C. foolishness D. curses

14. The principal is taking steps to solve the problem of … at her school.
A. prodigy B. truancy C. numeracy D. faculty

15. Janine is taking an advanced course to … her prospects of promotion.
A. motivate B. simmer C. ingest D. enhance

2. Use the right word/phrase from the box to complete the sentences below. Make any necessary changes.

get to grips with – come to terms with – put sb's finger on – make the grade – show respect for open sb's eyes – swot up – kick out – privileged - undergraduate

1. The standards for entry to the national ballet school are very high and only a few candidates each year ..... .
2. Edward spent all evening ..... for tomorrow's history test.
3. Children from poor families may not have as many opportunities as those who are more ..... .
4. Pupils at this school are expected to ..... their teachers by standing up when they enter the classroom.
5. Ann has been living with friends ever since her family ..... .
6. Paul spent hours trying to ..... the physics theory, but he found it almost incomprehensible.
7. The wildlife documentary really ..... to the problems some endangered species are facing.
8. I wasn't convinced by the lead actor's performance but I can't quite ..... why I feel that way.
9. John hasn't got a degree yet – he's doing a(n) ..... course.
10. It took nick moths to ..... the end of his career as a professional tennis player.



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