

LESSON 97

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Question 1 [152331]: Garvin is _____ a new computer application to see whether it works.

A. looking after B. putting on C. trying out D. turning up

Question 2 [152332]: Terry is a very imaginative boy. He always comes _____ interesting ideas.

A. out of B. down on C. up with D. in for

Question 3 [152333]: Sorry, I can't come to your party. I am snowed under with work at the moment.

A. busy with B. free from C. relaxed about D. interested in

Question 4 [152334]: A number of young teachers nowadays _____ themselves to teaching disadvantaged children.

A. offer B. stick C. give D. devote

Question 5 [152335]: "Sorry for being late. I was _____ in the traffic for more than an hour."

A. carried on B. held up C. put off D. taken after

Question 6 [152336]: She was tired and couldn't keep _____ the group.

A. up with B. up against C. on to D. out of

Question 7 [152337]: The nominating committee always meet behind closed doors, lest its deliberations become known prematurely.

A. privately B. safely C. publicly D. dangerously

Question 8 [152338]: You'd better leave now if you want to arrive early for the exam. Break a leg!

A. Good luck B. Good night C. Good bye D. Good job

Question 9 [152339]: _____ stay the night if it's too difficult to get home.

A. By all means B. In all C. At all costs D. On the whole

Question 10 [152340]: Let me please _____ my memory before I get down to answering the questions.

A. resume B. ease C. awake D. refresh

Question 11 [152434]: The newspaper did not mention the _____ of the damage caused by the fire.

A. range B. extent C. amount D. quality

Question 12 [152435]: It was found that he lacked the _____ to pursue a difficult task to the very end.

A. persuasion B. commitment C. engagement D. obligation

Question 13 [152436]: She's so _____; you really have to watch what you say or she'll walk out of the room.

A. high and dry B. prim and proper
C. rough and ready D. sick and tired

Question 14 [152437]: Mr. Nixon refused to answer the questions on the _____ that the matter was confidential.

A. reasons B. excuses C. grounds D. foundation

Question 15 [152438]: We can't speed up production _____ the expense of quality.

A. in B. at C. on D. of

Question 16 [152439]: Humans have difficult choices to _____ about saving endangered species.

A. make B. do C. give D. bring

Question 17 [152440]: The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King fought to put an end to racial _____ in the United States.

A. integration B. education C. torture D. segregation

Question 18 [152441]: _____, the number of people at the first New York show equaled the entire car population of the United States at that time.

A. By design B. On purpose C. For example D. By happenstance

Question 19 [152442]: I can't walk in these high-heeled boots. I keep _____.

A. falling off B. falling back C. falling over D. falling out

Question 20 [152443]: Like everyone else, Sue has her _____ of course but on the whole, she's quite satisfied with life.

A. ups and downs B. ins and outs C. safe and sound D. odds and ends

Question 21 [152444]: You will have to _____ if you want to pass the final exam.

A. pull up your socks B. work miracles
C. take the trouble D. keep your hand in

Question 22 [152445]: It never _____ my head that such a terrible thing would happen.

A. struck B. dawned C. occurred D. entered

Question 23 [152446]: People are advised to _____ smoking because of its harm to their health.

A. cut down B. cut off C. cut in D. cut down on

Question 24 [152447]: Mr. Peter is the big _____ in the company as he has just been promoted to the position of Managing Director.

A. bread B. meat C. cheese D. apple

Question 25 [152448]: The government decided to _____ down on income tax evasion.

A. press B. crack C. push D. snap

Question 26 [152449]: John has got very _____ feelings about taking on more responsibility at the moment.

A. puzzled B. mixed C. jumbled D. muddled

Question 27 [152450]: It took Ted a long time to get _____ the breakup of his marriage.

A. over B. across C. along with D. through

Question 28 [152451]: Sarah and I _____ reserved the rooms in the same hotel. She was really surprised to see me there.

A. coincidentally B. practically C. intentionally D. deliberately

Question 29 [152452]: The college will soon be ready to _____ candidates for new courses.

A. enrol B. involve C. call D. recall

Question 30 [152453]: My mother often _____ our mistakes, whereas my father is very strict and punishes us for even the slightest one.

A. neglects B. overlooks C. avoids D. passes