BUYING CLOTHES

Task 1. BUYING CLOTHES. Choose the right answer.

1. Two hundred and fifty pounds is too much for that coat. It's just not . . . it.

a) bargain b) deal c) value d) worth

2. She said that she could not . . . . . a new dress on her small salary.

a) afford b) save c) spare d) spend

3. I'll have to buy . . . . . trousers.

a) a b) a couple of c) a pair of d) two

4. Margaret has been trying to persuade her husband to buy her a new fur . .

a) dress b) handkerchief c) muff d) scarf

5. I . . . . . the blouse in the fitting-room but it was obviously too small.

a) tried b) tried on c) tried out d) wore

6. She couldn't make up her . . whether to buy the green skirt or the red one.

a) brain b) head c) heart d) mind

7. Because of her small salary, Betty often buys clothes at that . . . . . stall in the market.

a) second-best b) second chance c) second-class d) secondhand

8. She wanted to buy a modern dress,' she didn't want an old . . . . . one.

a) formed b) fashioned c) shaped d) styled

9. Look at that beautiful brooch! I only paid $ 3 for it at the sale. It was a real . . . . . .

a) affair b) bargain c) benefit d) occasion

10. I liked the coat but was rather . . . . . off by the price.

a) held b) put c) set d) shaken

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11. Would you like to . . . . . the costume to see if it fits you?

a) approve b) experience c) experiment d) try on

12. You'll be . . . . . your money if you buy that hat: you will never wear it.

a) giving away b) losing c) saving d) wasting

13. I can't afford a new pair of shoes, ... alone a fur coat.

a) all b) even c) except d) let

14. There is a good . . . :. of cardigans in that store.

a) offering b) presentation c) production d) selection

14. These trousers are too·. . . . . : I'll have to get a bigger pair.

a) close b) loose c) narrow d) tight

15. I'm afraid none of our material will exactly . . . . the colour of your sample.

a) equal b) fit c) imitate d) match

16. The cost of the material is . . . . . in the bill for the work.

a) combined b) enclosed c) held d) included

17. Karen is very . . . . . she is always buying clothes she cannot really afford.

a) exorbitant b) expensive c) extravagant d) extrovert

18. I wanted to buy you a dress when I was in England, but didn't know your . . . . .

a) cut b) measure c) size d) waist

19. This scarf is available in a wide . . . . . of colours.

a) line b) range c) spread d) scale

20. A tailor . . . . . you for a new suit.

a) examines b) measures c) metres d) sizes

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