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UNREAL PAST

1. They _____ a recreational park where they can play sports on the weekends.

- a. wish they will find
- b. wish that they can find
- c. hope to find
- d. hope that they could find

2. I wish Diana _____ to the theater with us yesterday. We had a wonderful time.

- a. had come
- b. came
- c. will come
- d. would come

3. She behaves _____ she were a child.

- a. as like
- b. like
- c. as if
- d. thought

4. He looked at me as if I _____ from another planet.

- a. am
- b. had been
- c. were
- d. am being

5. It's getting late. It's time you _____ for school.

- a. left
- b. are leaving
- c. have left
- d. leaving

6. "Would you like me to wash the dishes?"

"Actually, I'd rather you _____ your room now."

- a. tidied up
- b. tidy up
- c. had tidied up
- d. had been tidying up

7. I wish I _____ on a tropical island.

- a. had been
- b. were
- c. would be
- d. will be

8. I wish it _____ raining. I want to go outside and play.

- a. stops
- b. is stopping
- c. would stop
- d. stop

9. I'd rather you _____ to Mr. Anderson like that yesterday.

- a. didn't speak b. hadn't spoken c. not speak d. speak not

10. "Why is Sally crying?" "I don't know, but I wish she _____ us what's wrong."

- a. tells b. is telling c. should tell d. would tell

11. I'd rather we _____ straight home.

- a. gone b. have gone c. will go d. went

12. I wish drivers _____ the speed limit on our road.

- a. would obey b. to obey c. obey d. are obeying

13. If only we _____ by car. It would save so much time.

- a. would have gone b. went c. had gone d. could go

14. We'd rather you _____ the police in this matter yet.

- a. don't involve b. didn't involve c. aren't involving d. involve

15. It's about time you _____ us what really happened that day.

- a. told b. had told c. to tell d. are telling

16. I wish you _____ Emma; you know she'd love to come.

- a. invite b. to invite c. would invite d. wouldn't invite

17. I regret _____ graffiti on his van. It was a stupid thing to do.

- a. to paint b. painting c. to have painted d. painted

18. 'Don't you enjoy holidays abroad?' 'No. To be honest, I prefer _____ in the garden at home.'

- a. to have been relaxing b. relax c. relaxing d. to have relaxed

19. It's high time ____ a lock for that bicycle.

- a. you have bought b. buying c. you are buying d. you bought

20. I'd rather you _____ my computer without asking.

- a. not to borrow b. haven't borrowed c. couldn't borrow d. hadn't borrowed

21. She wishes she _____ more English while she was living in London.

- a. had learnt b. was learning c. to learn d. to be learning

22. If only you _____ on a yellow line. Now you'll have to pay a fine!

- a. didn't park b. hadn't parked c. wouldn't park d. weren't parking

23. We'd rather talk to our neighbour first _____ an official complaint to the police.

- a. than make b. to make c. to have made d. make

24. Chris wishes his business _____ but, sadly, it is.

- a. not fail b. wasn't failing c. isn't failing d. fails

25. My sister prefers eating Indian food _____ Thai food.

- a. than b. to c. rather d. for

26. If only they _____ one more goal! We deserved to win the cup.

- a. have scored b. had to score c. had scored d. had been scoring

27. Their baby's getting tired. It's time _____.

- a. to have left b. had left c. leave d. to leave

28. We wish we _____ more information but I'm afraid we don't yet, Sir.

- a. have b. were having c. had d. would have

29. We regretted ____ the building before it was demolished.

- a. not seeing
- b. not to see
- c. wouldn't see
- d. won't be seeing

30. I really wish it _____ so hot. I can't work in this heat.

- a. couldn't be
- b. wasn't
- c. can't be
- d. isn't

31. Sara wishes she ____ the murder trial tomorrow. She hopes he'll be found guilty.

- a. was attending
- b. attend
- c. is attending
- d. will attend