

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following questions.

1. Tom may get into hot water when driving at full speed after drinking wine..

A. get into trouble B. stay safe C. fall into disuse D. keep calm

2. Affordable housing isn't enough – we also need job opportunities.

A. chances B. hopes C. salaries D. misfortunes

Choose the underlined word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that needs correcting.

3. Sales have increasing (A) a lot since (B) we changed our strategy (C) earlier this (D) year.

4. The weather (A) seems (B) being (C) changeable at (D) this time of year.

5. Although (A) it has been raining (B) heavily (C) for hours, the whole village is flooded (D).

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6. _____ is a soft red-brown metal used for making electric wires, pipes and coins.

A. Nylon B. Copper C. Leather D. Paper

7. The sum of the length of any two sides of a _____ is always greater than the length of the third side.

A. triangular B. rectangle C. triangle D. rectangular

8. During the _____ these farmers work from dawn to dusk.

A. rice B. paths C. plant D. harvest

9. A bronze _____ was erected in his honour.

A. statue B. expense C. garden D. palace

10. I _____ able to play tennis since I _____ my arm.

A. wasn't/broke B. haven't been/had broken

C. wasn't/had broken D. haven't been/ broke

11. Tom: "When are we leaving for the concert?" – Kyle: "_____".

A. No problem B. Certainly C. That's right D. Straight away

12. Rose: "Thanks for the lovely evening." – Daisy: " _____"
A. Yes, it's really great. B. No, it's not good.
C. Oh, that's right. D. I'm glad you enjoyed it.

13. "I am grateful that you helped me with that difficult maths exercise," Susan said to Hue.
A. Susan said she is very grateful that Hue helped her with that difficult maths exercise.
B. Susan thanked Hue for having helped her with that difficult maths exercise.
C. Susan thanks Hue for helping her with that difficult maths exercise.
D. Susan is grateful for Hue's help with that difficult maths exercise.

14. "It is time to check what you have done," the father said to the boys.
A. The father told the boys it was time to check what he had done.
B. The father told the boys it was time to check what they had done.
C. The father told the boys it was time to check what they have done.
D. The father told the boys it is time to check what they had done.

15. I know a very nice girl _____ older sister is a famous actress.
A. what B. who C. whose D. whom

16. Lots of people have complained _____ me _____ the noise.
A. with / about B. to / to C. to / about D. with / by

17. Luggage may be placed here _____ the owner's risk.
A. by B. at C. under D. with

18. The man asked the boys _____.
A. why did they fight B. why they fight
C. why they were fighting D. why were they fighting

19. They will give you a lot of questions at the interview.
A. You will be giving a lot of questions at the interview.
B. You will give a lot of questions at the interview.
C. A lot of questions will be given you at the interview.
D. A lot of questions will be given to you at the interview.

20. We _____ the car for half a year before it was stolen.
A. had owned B. have owned C. were owning D. owned

21. After a lot of discussion, we _____ a final idea of going to Da Lat for the company's outing.

A. run B. come up with C. prescribe D. browse

22. Some people think that women _____ as equals.

A. didn't treat B. aren't treated C. wasn't treated D. isn't treated

23. My little sister _____ by my granny for two days because my parents are on holiday.

A. is looked after B. has been looked after
C. has looked after D. has been looking after

24. Nam wanted to know what time _____.

A. does the movie begin B. did the movie begin
C. the movie begin D. the movie began

Choose the word whose main stress is pronounced differently from the rest.

25. A. access B. broadcast C. challenge D. adapt

26. A. heritage B. pandemic C. intention D. aquarium

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Tourism will always have an impact on the places visited. Sometimes the impact is good but often it is negative. For example, if lots of people visit one place, then this can damage the environment. The question is – how can we minimize the problems without preventing people from travelling and visiting places?

The main aim of ecotourism is to reduce the negative impact that tourism has on the environment and local people. The idea is to encourage tourists to think about what they do when they visit a place.

It's great to talk about protecting the environment, but how do you actually do this? There are a number of key points. Tourists shouldn't drop litter, they should stay on the paths, they shouldn't interfere with wildlife and they should respect local customs and traditions.

Some people see ecotourism as a contradiction. They say that any tourism needs infrastructure – roads, airports and hotels. The more tourists that visit a place, the more of these are needed and, by building more of these, you can't avoid damaging the environment.

But, of course, things aren't so black and white. Living in a place of natural beauty doesn't mean that you shouldn't benefit from things like better roads. As long as the improvements benefits the local people and not just the tourists, and the local communities are consulted on plans and changes, then is there really a problem?

In 2002 the United Nations celebrated the "International Year of Ecotourism". Over the past twenty years, more and more people have started taking eco-holidays. In countries such as Ecuador, Nepal, Costa Rica and Kenya, ecotourism represents a **significant** proportion of the tourist industry.

27. What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. Benefits of ecotourism
- B. Some Dos for ecotourists
- C. A brief introduction about ecotourism
- D. Some Don't for ecotourists

28. According to the passage, what does the ecotourism aim at?

- A. preventing tourists from travelling
- B. stopping ecotourism altogether
- C. reducing the tourism problems
- D. finding a new form of tourism

29. According to the passage, which of the following is not mentioned as an activity to protect the environment?

- A. not hunting animals for food
- B. not interfering with wildlife
- C. respecting local customs and traditions
- D. not littering

30. In paragraph 6, the word "**significant**" is closest in meaning to _____

- A. small
- B. minor
- C. trivial
- D. important

31. Which of the following is TRUE about the author's opinion?

- A. Government are consulted about the plans to build new infrastructure.
- B. New infrastructure could be accepted as long as it also helps local people.
- C. Building extra infrastructure in ecotourism areas must be prohibited.
- D. Tourists are consulted about the plans to build new infrastructure..

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the rest.

32. A. concerts B. roadworks C. statures D. passports

33. A. bumpy B. bury C. broaden D. climber

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following questions.

34. He didn't bat an eyelid when he realized he failed the exam again.

- A. wasn't happy
- B. didn't want to see
- C. didn't care
- D. didn't show surprise

35. I am trying to learn to use my new computer. I don't know why I can not figure it out. It is not rocket science.

- A. comfortable
- B. easy
- C. sophisticated
- D. simple

Use the correct form of the word given in each sentence.

36. He was short and overweight and generally _____ . (attract)

37. Since its inception in 1958, NASA has accomplished many great _____ and technological feats. (science)

38. The village is _____ situated in a lush, green valley. (idyllic)

39. Whenever he was in a crowd of people he felt anxious and _____. (security)

40. If you think I'm going to marry you, then I'm afraid you are very much _____. (take)

Rewrite the following sentences using the given words or as directed.

41. She hasn't written to me since 2020.
→ The last time

42. "My classmate did not write these letters yesterday," Bob said to John. (use Reported Speech)
→ Bob told John

43. Tom will give Anna a ride to school tomorrow. (use Passive voice)
→ Anna

44. Their grandmother told them this story when they visited her last week. (use Passive voice)
→ They

45. Five actors were competing for the leading role in the play. (CONTENTION)
→ There