

Unit 10: People and Society

HOMEWORK

SYNONYM

1. One of the good things about Inga is that you can always rely on her unfailing enthusiasm.
A. deceive B. cease C. trust D. imitate
2. The list included the infamous George Drake, a double murderer.
A. well-known B. celebrated C. unknown D. notorious
3. He's so bad-tempered! He never should have become a teacher.
A. patient B. irritable C. reliable D. nervous

ANTONYMS

4. When I am in a bad mood I love to pop in one of my favorite comedy movies.
A. unhappy B. irritable C. happy D. depressed
5. Throughout his career he has demonstrated a willingness to compromise.
A. reluctance B. readiness C. preparation D. preparedness

WORD PATTERNS (8)

6. Son Tung MPT aimed to be independent _____ his parents by the time he was twenty.
A. on B. for C. of D. with
7. A couple of people _____ to the proposal, but the vast majority approved of it.
A. objected B. confessed C. admitted D. related
8. Two teenagers carried out a frenzied attack _____ a local shopkeeper.
A. for B. in C. off D. on
9. She didn't quite _____ of the way he was running things.
A. approve B. dream C. consist D. smell
10. She was banned _____ the road for ten months for drinking and driving.
A. for B. from C. on D. about
11. You'll need to _____ them of your enthusiasm for the job.
A. accuse B. convince C. deny D. offer
12. The software also lets users _____ personalized data views.
A. to create B. created C. create D. creating
13. Governments and ruling parties which _____ to be warm and friendly turned out to be ruthless and destructive.
A. pretended B. expected C. promised D. obtained

ERROR IDENTIFICATION

14. At school she was a vulnerable little soul and the other girls picked up her.
A. At B. little C. other D. picked up
15. The uprising forced the government being less authoritarian.
A. The B. forced C. being D. less
16. We took pity for a couple of people waiting in the rain for a bus and gave them a lift.
A. for B. waiting C. and D. gave
17. I always found him to be courteous, likely, honest and, above all, honourable.
A. found B. likely C. and D. above all
18. The girl in the park turned out to be a policewoman on disguise.

19. Complete the sentences using *if* or *unless*.

- a People are likely to be unhappy they are worried about their future.
- b Children will find life difficult they get a good education.
- c people feel satisfied with their achievements, then they will be happy.
- d You can't be happy you are able to deal with change.
- e you have a positive attitude, you will never be happy.
- f you are physically and mentally healthy, you have a better chance of happiness.

20. Complete the sentences using the adjective form of the given nouns.

Young people

- a They feel (comfort) with change and unfamiliar situations.
- b They are more (energy) and are less likely to feel tired.
- c They are (adventure) and ready to discover new things.
- d They think they will be (success) in later life.

Older people

- e They are more (experience) in dealing with difficult situations.
- f If they earn money during their life, they are more likely to be (wealth).
- g They may be less (insecurity) and worry less about the future.
- h They are often more (patience) and able to wait before making decisions.

21. Brainstorm the ideas for this topic. Write **at least 5 sentences** for each part to support your view.

People are always happier when they are young.

Ideas FOR

People are always happier when they are young because ...

Ideas AGAINST

People are sometimes happier when they are older because ...

22. Complete the sentences using the correct form of the given words.

I had a really stupid (1) with my best friend the other day. It all started because we were talking about (2) and having a family. I said that (3) is important when you are married and she said that she thought that was rubbish and that (4) is much more important. Well, we were (5) to agree and, in the end, she left without saying goodbye. I do hope it doesn't spoil our (6)

ARGUE
MARRY
POLITE
KIND
ABLE
FRIEND