



Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

## PROGRESS TEST 12

### ERROR IDENTIFICATION

**Question 1.** The tobacco companies may be guilty about contempt of court for refusing to produce the documents.

A. companies      B. about      C. for      D. to

**Question 2.** After breaking up of the jail, he hid out in a deserted farmhouse

A. breaking      B. up      C. hid      D. deserted

**Question 3.** I have to put my classroom by order before the students return to school next week.

A. by      B. to      C. classroom      D. have

**Question 4.** The offensive carries a maximum prison sentence of ten years.

A. offensive      B. carries      C. of      D. The

**Question 5.** The information should not be used as an evident but as indicator of a fact that requires further investigation.

A. investigation      B. be      C. requires      D. evident

### WORD PATTERNS

**Question 6.** Environmentalists accuse the company \_\_\_\_\_ profiting at the expense of the ecology.

A. in      B. from      C. for      D. of

**Question 7.** If you merely threaten a person \_\_\_\_\_ abuse, you can be charged with assault.

A. by      B. with      C. of      D. for

**Question 8.** Hordes of fans were waiting outside the building to catch a glimpse \_\_\_\_\_ their idol.

A. of      B. off      C. from      D. to

**Question 9.** Einstein's revolutionary theories made people \_\_\_\_\_ at the universe in a completely new way.

A. looking      B. looked      C. look      D. have looked

**Question 10.** I have respect \_\_\_\_\_ anyone that tries to do something awesome, even if they fail.

A. for      B. to      C. of      D. on

**Question 11.** His alcoholism worsened, causing the police to arrest him three separate times \_\_\_\_\_ drunk driving.

A. by      B. of      C. with      D. for

**Question 12.** In any event, I doubt \_\_\_\_\_ you could break the strike without considerable violence.

A. yet      B. if/whether      C. as      D. as if

**Question 13.** I cannot \_\_\_\_\_ him for his thumping lie.

A. advise      B. force      C. forgive      D. deny

#### PHRASES AND COLLOCATIONS

**Question 14.** A council has been asked to give permission \_\_\_\_\_ the development in return for money for recreational facilities.

A. to      B. toward      C. from      D. for

**Question 15.** Former department director Joe Bindbeutel has \_\_\_\_\_ the blame for not releasing the E. coli results sooner.

A. taken      B. created      C. done      D. had

**Question 16.** The earthquake caused minor damage \_\_\_\_\_ shops, where stock was shaken off shelves.

A. to      B. at      C. on      D. with

**Question 17.** I was disappointed whenever the cook found \_\_\_\_\_ with my work.

A. mistake      B. fault      C. error      D. perfection

**Question 18.** He does it \_\_\_\_\_ purpose because he always looks guilty when I come home from work.

A. on      B. with      C. by      D. at

**Question 19.** On the way I accidentally drove the wrong \_\_\_\_\_ up a four-lane highway.

A. means      B. road      C. way be different      D. street

**Question 20.** We need to come up \_\_\_\_\_ a solution to the problem.

A. to      B. in      C. at      D. with

**Question 21.** I have watched parents trying to \_\_\_\_\_ with their children and have never seen it work.

A. convince      B. reason      C. persuade      D. repress

**Question 22.** They will always have an advantage \_\_\_\_\_ their customers with whom they are competing.

A. with      B. over      C. from      D. off

**Question 23.** Republicans don't want to take the \_\_\_\_\_ for driving the economy over the cliff.

A. action      B. advantage      C. blame      D. place

**Question 24.** I knew him so little, in fact, that I mistook him \_\_\_\_\_ someone else called Tom Clynes.

**A.** for                    **B.** from                    **C.** with                    **D.** as

**Question 25.** Other aspects of society take technology \_\_\_\_\_ account and are seeking ways to be more and more productive.

**A.** onto                    **B.** on                    **C.** into                    **D.** upto

**Question 26.** I don't know whether he ever even \_\_\_\_\_ an order for anybody to be killed.

**A.** showed                    **B.** gave                    **C.** identified                    **D.** determined

### VOCABULARY IN CONTRAST

**Question 27.** Someone had \_\_\_\_\_ her signature on the cheque.

**A.** digested                    **B.** forged                    **C.** experienced                    **D.** indulged

**Question 28.** This year, while out walking, Mary was mugged by \_\_\_\_\_ who took her groceries.

**A.** smugglers                    **B.** robbers                    **C.** murderers                    **D.** thieves

**Question 29.** The \_\_\_\_\_ hit shop owner John Coscia on the head and bound him with duct tape.

**A.** distances                    **B.** robbers                    **C.** burglars                    **D.** thieves

**Question 30.** Hearing the cops coming, the \_\_\_\_\_ drops the sack of stolen jewelry and flees.

**A.** burglar                    **B.** hacker                    **C.** murderer                    **D.** smuggler

**Question 31.** A legal agreement setting out your rights will be proposed by your \_\_\_\_\_ when you are on a conditional fee.

**A.** fare                    **B.** lawyer                    **C.** solicitor                    **D.** fee

**Question 32.** Feldman and his \_\_\_\_\_ refused to answer questions outside the courtroom Monday.

**A.** judge                    **B.** lawyer                    **C.** solicitor                    **D.** bystander

**Question 33.** \_\_\_\_\_ is a discipline method in which a supervising adult deliberately inflicts pain upon a child in response to a child's unacceptable behavior and/or inappropriate language.

**A.** Capital punishment                    **C.** solitary confinement

**B.** Incarceration                    **D.** Corporal punishment

**Question 34.** He provided a description of the \_\_\_\_\_, including what clothes he was wearing.

**A.** guiltiness                    **B.** suspect                    **C.** rule                    **D.** people

## PHRASAL VERBS

**Question 35.** The offenders \_\_\_\_\_ of the jail last night.

A. broke down      B. broke up      C. broke out      D. broke in

**Question 36.** The government has instituted a court of inquiry to \_\_\_\_\_ the allegations.

A. look into      B. look after      C. look in      D. look ahead

**Question 37.** Watch Frank - he'll cheat if he thinks he can \_\_\_\_\_ it.

A. get about      B. get away with      C. get behind      D. get on with

**Question 38.** He \_\_\_\_\_ with all the old man's savings.

A. made off      B. made up      C. made for      D. made in

**Question 39.** Some sprang into action, chasing \_\_\_\_\_ the assailant and helping the wounded.

A. before      B. to      C. after      D. with

**Question 40.** Instead of a prison sentence they were \_\_\_\_\_ with a fine.

A. let in      B. let off      C. arrested      D. taken

**Question 41.** Dan Gardner later \_\_\_\_\_ and admitted that he was the tipster.

A. came on      B. came into      C. came about      D. came forward

**Question 42.** The officer \_\_\_\_\_ the driver's license and vehicle registration information.

A. check out      B. stripped      C. took down      D. collected

## SYNONYM

**Question 43.** I can't believe she was taken in by him.

A. understood      B. responded      C. doubted      D. deceived

**Question 44.** Please hand in your papers for correction.

A. submit      B. keep      C. look at      D. check in

**Question 45.** Insurance companies say they investigated 43,000 cases of fraud last year.

A. looked into      B. figured out      C. watched for      D. witnessed

## WORD FORMATIONS

**Question 46.** In such cases, the accused can be \_\_\_\_\_ on the testimony of a single Muslim.

A. conviction      B. convicted      C. convict      D. convicting

**Question 47.** Those results, however, are not admissible in court as \_\_\_\_\_ of drunken driving.

A. proof      B. prove      C. proven      D. disprove

**Question 48.** I don't want to disappoint anybody or \_\_\_\_\_ anyone, I don't read the Internet.

A. offence      B. offend      C. offensive      D. offender

## ANTONYM

**Question 49.** Security measures were instituted to give permission to entry into or exit out of the palace.

**A.** deny                    **B.** forbid                    **C.** disallow                    **D.** disclaim

**Question 50.** For years to come, investors may question the figures they accepted in the past.

**A.** refused                    **B.** declined                    **C.** ignored                    **D.** broke

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