



Name: _____ Class: _____

PROGRESS TEST 24

ERROR IDENTIFICATION

Question 1. On her way to her interview she silently rehearsal what she would say.

A. silently B. On C. rehearsal D. would

Question 2. Someone proposed a motion to increase the membership ticket to £500 a year.

A. proposed B. ticket C. increase D. to

Question 3. Listen on this! You can win a car just by answering three simple questions.

A. questions B. on C. win D. answering

Question 4. I don't really get along to my sister's husband.

A. to B. get C. don't D. sister's husband

Question 5. I didn't get much of an impressed of the place because it was dark when we drove through it.

A. didn't B. because C. drove D. impressed

WORD PATTERNS

Question 6. I must apologize _____ our meeting at such short notice.

A. of cancelling B. for cancelling C. to cancel D. to cancelling

Question 7. You have to stand up in court and _____ to tell 'the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth'.

A. deserve B. object C. enjoy D. promise

Question 8. I try to avoid _____ shopping on Saturdays because the stores are so crowded.

A. to go B. going C. gone D. went

Question 9. They are bound and determined _____ their own house someday.

A. built B. building C. to build D. build

Question 10. Are you happy _____ your new working arrangements?

A. at B. for C. about D. of

Question 11. I wish you'd spend more time at home _____ of going out drinking with your friends every night.

A. lots B. instead C. kind D. fun

Question 12. It is _____ that a chain is only as strong as its weakest link.

A. said B. spoken C. told D. talked

Question 13. You're _____ a bear with a sore head this morning. What's wrong with you?

A. at B. as C. like D. in

PHRASES AND COLLOCATIONS

Question 14. The boys at school used to _____ fun of me because I have a crooked spine.

A. get B. have C. take D. make

Question 15. Go into the living room and make yourself _____ home.

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

Question 16. When I first met him I _____ the impression that he was a shy sort of person.

A. did B. had C. took D. made

Question 17. Did I _____ you the joke about the chicken crossing the road?

A. tell B. say C. speak D. talk

Question 18. Everyone needs to have a good laugh now and then, to see the funny side of things, and to laugh _____ himself.

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

Question 19. How many countries _____ part in the last Olympic Games?

A. got B. made C. took D. had

Question 20. They're going to _____ a party to celebrate a great year.

A. come B. take C. make D. throw

Question 21. His financial expertise played a major _____ in London City airport's development.

A. role B. need C. particle D. situation

Question 22. Competitors queue _____ to steal clients and key employees.

A. in B. up C. on D. at

Question 23. She has a younger sister who is far more attractive and who _____ the show at every party.

A. snatches B. grabs C. steals D. robs

Question 24. Employees should _____ a voice in the decision-making process.

A. do B. take C. make D. have

Question 25. It's very rare that a book is so good you actually _____ out loud.

A. laugh B. smile C. giggle D. sneer

Question 26. It _____ a bad impression if you're late for an interview.

A. comes B. makes C. does D. takes

VOCABULARY IN CONTRAST

Question 27. We really _____ ourselves at the party! Thanks so much for inviting us!

A. entertained **B.** had fun **C.** enjoyed **D.** occupied

Question 28. The play wasn't supposed to be a comedy, but everyone started laughing when some of the _____ fell over and hit one of the actors.

A. scenery **B.** stages **C.** scenes **D.** acts

Question 29. I've got a(n) _____ for the school play tomorrow. I really hope I get a main part!

A. rehearsal **B.** practice **C.** audition **D.** performance

Question 30. I'm going to stay in and _____ TV tonight.

A. see **B.** watch **C.** look at **D.** view

Question 31. When you're learning to play a musical instrument, it's important to _____ for an hour or two every day.

A. rehearse **B.** practice **C.** train **D.** perform

Question 32. Did you read that _____ of the new Lloyd-Rice musical? It said it was awful!

A. review **B.** report **C.** summary **D.** criticism

Question 33. Being the conductor of a large _____ is an extremely demanding job. You have to make sure about a hundred musicians are playing in time.

A. group **B.** band **C.** company **D.** orchestra

Question 34. The water park we went to yesterday was fantastic, but the entrance _____ was a bit expensive.

A. ticket **B.** fee **C.** charge **D.** cost

PHRASAL VERBS

Question 35. Don't _____ other people to help you out of trouble.

A. count on **B.** count down **C.** fall for **D.** let down

Question 36. I must have _____ during the show, because I don't remember how it ended.

A. taken off **B.** dropped off **C.** got along **D.** showed off

Question 37. Try to _____ your parents who are honest and hardworking people.

A. take up **B.** take off **C.** take after **D.** take care

Question 38. She only bought that sports car to _____ and prove she could afford one.

A. put on **B.** let down **C.** take off **D.** show off

Question 39. They are running up the engine to see if the plane is ready to _____.

A. take off **B.** take after **C.** take care **D.** take on

Question 40. Sadly, the film is _____ by an excessively simple plot.

A. taken on B. let down C. put off D. taken over

Question 41. My birthday seems to _____ more quickly every year.

A. come into B. come in C. come round D. come on

Question 42. He doesn't want to _____ the record books as the guy who walked away from his main responsibility.

A. come up with B. keep up with C. go up to D. go down in

SYNONYM

Question 43. After changing the bed, I would **fall asleep** quickly.

A. drop off B. stand out C. look after D. see off

Question 44. You weren't **paying attention to** what I was saying.

A. getting along with B. standing in for C. taking part in D. concentrating on

Question 45. I'm good at tennis but I need to **practice** my serve.

A. have B. leave C. train D. work

WORD FORMATIONS

Question 46. Her _____ has declined since her return from exile two years ago.

A. popularity B. popular C. popularly D. unpopular

Question 47. We had _____ problems on our journey, including a flat tyre.

A. variation B. variety C. varied D. various

Question 48. Are you getting _____ about your holiday?

A. exciting B. excited C. excitement D. excite

ANTONYM

Question 49. Staying physically **active** in later years can also keep you feeling younger.

A. gifted B. skilful C. inactive D. talented

Question 50. I **detest** having to get up when it's dark outside.

A. hate B. enjoy C. dislike D. loathe

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