WORD CHOICE- IDIOMS

CHOOSE THE RIGHT ANSWER:

Question 1: Tamara has set her_____on becoming a ballet-dancer.

A. head B. feet C. brain D. heart

Question 2: Thomas knows Paris like the back of his _____ . He used to be a taxi driver there for 2 years.

A. head B. mind C. hand D. life

Question 3: When his parents are away, his oldest brother_____

A. knocks it off B. calls the shots C. draws the line D. is in the same boat

Question 4: Over -_____in some developing countries may be the cause of poverty and hunger.

A. population B. Modernization C. Literacy D. Pollution

Question 5: English is now an effective medium of international _____.

A. communication B. talking C. speech D. saying

Question 6: I didn't want to_____ a fuss.

A. help B. take C. wash D. make

Question 7: It was such a boring speech that I felt _____.

A. asleep B. sleep C. sleepy D. sleepily

Question 8: Her plans is to_____herself with his parents and then take advantage of them.

A. ingratiate B. blame C. gravity D. better

Question 9: When this play is finished, there will be a host of _____coming to watch.

A. audiences B. spectators C. bystanders D. viewers

Question 10: _____ these books to the library, as they will soon overdue.

A. Bring B. Take C. Fetch D. Leave

Question 11: There were 79 killed and 230 _____in a bomb explosion at the embassy.

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A. injured **B.** wounded **C.** hurt **D.** ached

Question 12: Mr John wants to _____ an independent life without being influenced by anyone.

A. lay **B.** put **C.** lead **D.** bring

Question 13: It is not always easy to_____ a decision at the last minute.

A. do **B.** make **C.** buy **D.** marry

Question 14: Nobody took any _____ of the warning and they went swimming in the contaminated water.

A. regard **B**. recognition **C.** notice **D**. attention

Question 15: A man is---------- by his friends

A. taken B. got C. known D. seen

Question 16: When You are in Rome, do as the_____.

A. Roman did B. Romans did C. Roman does D. Romans do

Question 17: If everyone chips_____, we'll be able to buy her a really nice present.

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

Question 18: I don't have anything in common with my brother. We're like chalk and_____.

A. cheese B. butter C. milk D. bread

Question 19: If you need me, just call me. I can come at the drop of a_____.

A. hat B. bag C.cat D. rag

Question 20: It finally_____home to me that it was time to buy a place of my own.

A. arrived B. came C. hit D. reach

Question 21: Well, it's 7 p.m. I'd better hit the_____if I want to get home before it's dark

A. roof B. headlines C. newspaper D. road

Question 22: She had never been to Prague before, and she _____in love with it straight away.

A. dropped B. fell C. tripped D. crashed

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Question 23: He didn't speak a word of French when he first moved to France. He had to pick up the language from____.

A. scratch B. start C. nought D. nil

Question 24: Like everyone else, Sue has her _____of course but on the whole, she's quite satisfied with life.

A. ups and downs B. ins and outs C. safe and sound D. odds and ends

Question 25: I felt a bit _____and seemed to have more aches and pains than usual.

A. out of sorts B. on the mend C. over the worst D. under the fevers

Question 26: She went to college to study history, but changed _____and is now a doctor.

A. horses in midstream B. for a better C. her tune D. hands

Question 27: He kindly offered to _____ me the way to the station.

A. explain B. direct C. describe D. show

Question 28: There is a dramatic increase in the number of people who go down with_____diseases.

A. breathe B. respiration C. respiratory D. breath

Question 29: When John was abseiling last week, he had a_____escape.

A. narrow B. light C. close D. near

Question 30: Human beings should not use plastic bags because they are really hard to_____

A. freeze B. dissolve C. melt D. solved

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