

Grammar

1 Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions. ●

1. Last night, we _____ to the cinema to watch a movie about Vo Thi Sau.
A. go B. are going C. went D. will go
2. My grandfather _____ in the resistance war against the US.
A. fights B. fought C. will fight D. has fought
3. Edison _____ the light bulb in 1879.
A. invents B. will invent C. has invented D. invented
4. We _____ a documentary about the last king of Viet Nam at 8 p.m. that night.
A. watched B. were watching C. are watching D. will watch
5. What _____ at 7 a.m. yesterday?
A. are you doing B. did you do C. were you doing D. have you done
6. _____ dinner at this time yesterday?
A. Do you have B. Are you having C. Have you had D. Were you having
7. He _____ to New York to start a new business. It was a huge success.
A. moves B. moved C. is moving D. was moving
8. General Vo Nguyen Giap _____ the Communist Party of Viet Nam and led the army during the war.
A. joined B. was joining C. has joined D. joins
9. After attacking a group of French soldiers, Vo Thi Sau _____ and sent to prison.
A. is arrested B. will be arrested
C. was arrested D. has been arrested
10. It _____ very hard. I sat by the window and watched the man. He took his coat off and stood in the rain.
A. rains B. is raining C. has rained D. was raining
11. The students _____ their test. The room was so quiet that you could hear the sounds made by their pens when they were writing.
A. took B. were taking C. do D. are doing

12. Sorry I missed your call. I _____ upstairs.
A. sleep B. am sleeping C. slept D. was sleeping
13. When they arrived, everyone _____ for them.
A. waited B. was waiting C. wait D. is waiting
14. When I turned on the radio, I _____ an interesting story about Steve Jobs.
A. hear B. am hearing C. heard D. was hearing
15. When you _____ yesterday, we were having dinner.
A. call B. called C. are calling D. were calling
16. After my brother _____ school, he _____ the army.
A. finished – joined B. finished – was joining
C. was finishing – joined D. was finishing – was joining
17. While my sister _____ in the woods, she _____ a strange animal.
A. walked – saw B. walked – was seeing
C. was walking – saw D. was walking – was seeing
18. While my mother _____ in the kitchen, my father _____ the living room.
A. cooked – cleaned B. cooked – was cleaning
C. was cooking – cleaned D. was cooking – was cleaning