

IFL Sentence Completion PRACTICE TEST 2

Choose the correct word to complete each of the following sentences.

- Sometimes, while living in a foreign country, one.....a special dish from home. Like many foreign students, I longed to eat my mother's home cooked food when I was studying in the United States.
A. craves
B. loathes
C. detests
D. discards
- Angkor Wat, the five towered temple built in the 12th century, is seen by both domestic and foreign tourists as an amazing.....of Khmer engineering in ancient times.
A. feat
B. feast
C. threat
D. decline
- He believes there probably was a to kill President Kennedy in 1963. There might have been a secret plan made by a group of people to assassinate him.
A. craving
B. treaty
C. pact
D. conspiracy
- The two warring factions finally agreed to sign a ceasefire thanks to the United Nations officials who had..... a series of peace meetings between the two sides.
A. adjourned
B. cancelled
C. postponed
D. mediated
- The unspeakable atrocities committed by the Khmer Rouge leaders, who ruled the country for more than three years, showed their..... disregard for human life.
A. mutual
B. callous
C. proper
D. sensitive
- She is known to have.....views on divorce and contraception. She believes that people should be free to do or think as they like.
A. conservative
B. liberal
C. pessimistic
D. reactionary
- City hall officials should put up traffic signs to warn people of some streets with concrete dividers to prevent road accidents at night. Accidents frequently happen along those streets, for it is too dark for motorists to see the dividers.
A. ambiguous
B. dim
C. luminous
D. luxurious
- Continuing violence will negotiations over the country's future. So far, the negotiations between the ruling government and the opposition have made slow progress.
A. conduct
B. resume
C. retard
D. expedite
- Some of the commercially produced venison.....beef in flavor. It's a bit hard to tell which is which when cooked because they taste similar.
A. resembles
B. differs from
C. enhances
D. distinguishes

10. He found that his wife was easily bored,..... and unpredictable. She often changes her mind unexpectedly.

- A. gluttonous
- B. capricious
- C. vivacious
- D. tenacious

11. As an election committee member, he has vowed to oversee the elections.....

- A. impartially
- B. impatiently
- C. subjectively
- D. immorally

12. She was..... about accepting his proposal of marriage, for she wanted to remain single until she had finished her postgraduate studies.

- A. anxious
- B. hesitant
- C. ecstatic
- D. enthusiastic

13. Did you notice that Komsan's manner has changed a lot? He is usually cheerful and makes jokes to make us laugh, but he has been in a less..... mood than usual recently. Something must have been bothering him.

- A. pensive
- B. gloomy
- C. jocular
- D. melancholy

14. I couldn't concentrate on my study because the street in front of my house was filled with..... neighboring children setting off firecrackers and shouting wildly.

- A. obedient
- B. humorous
- C. precocious
- D. clamorous

15. I was scared stiff, for I thought that the creature was extremely large in size. It looked..... and ferocious in the solid glare from my torch.

- A. tiny
- B. gigantic
- C. docile
- D. magnificent

16. The widow became a.....for the remainder of her life after her husband's death. She avoided the company of other people because she wanted to live a solitary life.

- A. recluse
- B. vagrant
- C. spinster
- D. vagabond

17. I personally think that your essay doesn't explain or express things clearly. The thesis is not clear, and there is a lot of..... information in the body paragraphs.

- A. precise
- B. relevant
- D. vague
- C. detailed

18..... all her strength, she pulled hard on both oars, rowing as quickly as she could to the shore.

- A. Undermining
- B. Losing
- C. Mustering
- D. Sapping

19. The woman was quite.....at her son's hesitation to marry the girl she had recommended. She was really worried because he was very particular about his marriage partner.

- A. astounded
- B. perturbed
- C. amazed
- D. astonished

20. I am tired of your.....complaints. It's just that they never end. It's high time you stopped complaining and started doing something useful.

- A. perpetual
- B. sensible
- C. reasonable
- D. infrequent