

2016-17 IFL ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

1. The coffee you are having _____. May I have one for myself too?
A. smells good
B. smells well
C. smell good
D. is smelling good

2. I wish you _____ the trouble to me before so I could help you.
A. explained
B. had explained
C. didn't explain
D. hadn't explained

3. The local cinema is losing business since most people in the town _____ shopping mall outside of town.
A must have gone
B. ought to go
C. would rather go
D. could be going

4. The car is the organ of hearing, but it also plays a role in.....balance.
A maintained
B. it maintains
C. to maintain
D. maintaining

5. We had better _____ this chapter carefully because we will have some questions on it on our test tomorrow.
A. to review
B. reviewing
C. that reviewing
D. review

6. Of the two new teachers, one is experienced and _____.
A. the other is not
B. another is inexperienced
C. the others are not
D. other lacks experience

7. Natural resources provide the raw materials _____ to produce finished goods.
A. needed
B. are needed
C. which need
D. needing

8. There is evidence that prehistoric humans used fire _____ 4,000,000 B.C.
A. so
B. as early as
C. the earliest
D. so early that

9. Not only _____ shade and beauty, but they also reduce carbon dioxide.

- A. do trees provide
- B. trees provide
- C. provide trees
- D. trees do provide

10. If you press that button, what _____?

- A. would happen
- B. happened
- C. would have happened
- D. will happen

11. If you had caught the bus, you _____ late for work.

- A. wouldn't have been
- B. would have been
- C. would be
- D. wouldn't be

12. I don't know what happened to my bag, but I suppose it _____.

- A. must have stolen
- B. has been stealing
- C. could have been stolen
- D. should have stolen

13. _____ today, in some societies the world is thought to be flat.

- A. Since
- B. Even
- C. Already
- D. For

14. In 1959, the political philosopher Hannah Arendt became the first woman _____ a full professor at Princeton University,

- A. to appoint
- B. was appointed
- C. to be appointed
- D. an appointment as

15. There is almost _____ vegetation in the Badlands, a barren region of South Dakota.

- A. not
- B. no
- C. none
- D. nor

16. There has not been a great response to the sale, _____?

- A. does there
- B. hasn't there
- C. hasn't it
- D. has there

17. Public television stations are different from commercial stations _____.

- A. In the areas of funding and programming
- B. for money and program types
- C. because they receive money differently and different types of shows
- D. because the former receives money and has programs differently from the later

18. Do you know how tall _____?

- A. is the giraffe of Africa
- B. is the Africa of giraffe
- C. the Africa of giraffe is
- D. the giraffe of Africa is

19. One of the professor's greatest attributes is _____.

- A. when he gives lectures
- B. how in the manner that he lectures
- C. the way to give lectures
- D. his ability to lecture

20. San Francisco has a pleasant climate, _____ and many fascinating neighborhoods.

- A. has exciting scenery
- B. exciting scenery,
- C. that the scenery is exciting
- D. the scenery is exciting,

21. Insects provide many beneficial services, such as _____ breaking down deadwood, and pollinating plants.

- A. they condition soils
- B. to condition soil
- C. conditioning the soil
- D. soil conditioned

22. Fruit is one of the most abundant, nutritious, and _____ foods a person can eat.

- A. tastes delicious
- B. too delicious
- C. is it delicious
- D. delicious

23. The National Road, _____ of the first highways in North America, connected the East Coast to the Ohio Valley.

- A. one
- B. it was one
- C. which one
- D. was one

24. The plane _____ landing at the airport in five minutes.

- A. it is
- B. it really is
- C. is descending
- D. will be

25. Nara _____ two episodes of that new TV show.

- A. has already filmed
- B. already filmed
- C. has already been filming
- D. already films

26. Savuth can't join us tomorrow afternoon because he _____ his aunt in hospital.

- A. is visiting
- B. will visit
- C. shall visit
- D. visit

27. While he was finishing off the kitchen, I _____ the bedroom walls.

- A. was painting
- B. have been painting
- C. had been painting
- D. had painted

28. Sarah can play _____ guitar. She actually can be a music teacher. A. a

- B. an
- C. --
- D. the

29. Landmines from the legacy of war in the past are still threatening Laotian people. These landmines were..... by warring parties at that time.

- A. lied
- B. laid
- C. lay
- D. lain

30. The doctor insisted that his patient _____.

- A that he not work too hard for three months
- B. to take some vacations for three months
- C. taking it easy inside of three months
- D. take it easy for three months

31. We talked about _____ books. Jim had just finished _____ last volume of Odyssey.

- A. the,
- B. --, the
- C. the, the
- D. an,

32. Our salary has been _____ even by a small amount in the last five years although inflation is crushing us.

- A. risen
- B. rose
- C. raised
- D. arisen

33. On Jupiter the winds have created storms _____ big that astronomers on Earth can see them through their telescopes.

- A. How
- B. such
- C. as
- D. so

34. Mr. Duncan does not know _____ the lawn mower after they had finished using it.

- A. where did they put
- B. where they put
- C. where they did put
- D. where to put

35. There were two small rooms in the beach house, _____ served as a kitchen

- A. smallest of that
- B. the smallest of which
- C. the smaller of them
- D. the smaller of which

36. Last year, Makara earned _____ his brother, who has a better position.

- A. twice as much
- B. twice more than
- C. twice as many as
- D. twice as much as

37. That magnificent _____ temple was constructed by the Chinese.

- A. eight-century-old
- B. eight-century's-old
- C. old-eight-centuries
- D. eight-centuries-old

38. _____ continental crust older than 200 million years.

- A. It is nowhere the
- B. Is nowhere the
- C. Nowhere is the
- D. Is the nowhere

39. Four miles of the southeastern coast of Massachusetts _____, a popular summer resort.

- A. lies the island of Martha's Vineyard
- B. the island of Martha's Vineyard lies there
- C. does lie the island of Martha's Vineyard
- D. where the island of Martha's Vineyard

40. A number of reporters from different news outlets _____ at the conference yesterday.

- A. were
- B. had been
- C. was
- D. being have

