

**1** Never let the ... grow under your feet.

- a) weeds
- b) grass
- c) bulbs

**2** The grass is always ... on the other side.

- a) longer
- b) further
- c) greener

**3** Everything is coming up ... .

- a) roses
- b) lilies
- c) tulips

**4** Poor Margaret was a bit of a ... at the dance.

- a) wallflower
- b) cornflower
- c) wildflower

**5** He led her up the garden ... .

- a) lane
- b) street
- c) path

**6** Everything in the ... is lovely.

- a) roses
- b) flowers
- c) garden

**7** Money doesn't grow on ... .

- a) bushes
- b) trees
- c) plants

**8** A bird in the hand is worth ... in the bush.

- a) four
- b) two
- c) one

**9** Come to the point and stop beating about the ... .

- a) tree
- b) hedge
- c) bush

**10** Don't trust him, he's a bit of a snake in the ... .

- a) grass

b) plants

c) weeds

**11** As there are so many dishes, would you like me to ... something to eat?

- a) decide
- b) consider
- c) suggest

**12** They took a vote and the ...

decided to go on a Chinese restaurant.

- a) most
- b) more
- c) majority

**13** We waited one hour for the main dish to ... and then it was the wrong order.

- a) arrive
- b) deliver
- c) reach

**14** If you really want to enjoy the full flavour, you must remember to ... the right balance of sauces together.

- a) join
- b) mix
- c) stick

**15** It is more relaxing to eat in a restaurant where the faces of the staff are ... .

- a) familiarly
- b) familiar
- c) familiarity

**16** They reached a ... and settled on the traditional menu.

- a) compromise
- b) agreement
- c) compromising

**17** It doesn't matter how late you arrive at this place. You can always ... on a warm welcome from the owner.

- a) believe
- b) trust
- c) rely

**18** The place was so full of people and tables that the waiter had to ... us through the crowds to our table.

- a) show
- b) enable
- c) guide

**19** The problem about writing on food is that however hard you try, you will end up being ... .

- a) objective
- b) subjective
- c) reflective

**20** The success of a good meal is that it should taste good and also look good and thus ... to your eye.

- a) appeal
- b) attract
- c) appear

**21** I've just received her latest book from the publisher, so it's what you might call hot ... the press.

- a) from
- b) off
- c) with

**22** You can never tell exactly what she is thinking because she often ... hot and cold over some topics.

- a) changes
- b) flies
- c) blows

**23** I'm not sure and I am getting cold ... about it.

- a) hands
- b) feet
- c) arms

**24** Politicians talk a lot of hot ... most of the time.

- a) air
- b) steam
- c) stuff

**25** My neighbours take no notice of me and give me the cold ... when they see me.

- a) hand
- b) ankle
- c) shoulder

**26** The deputy had to take charge and is currently in the hot ... now.

- a) chair
- b) seat
- c) position

**27** She had committed the murder in cold ... .

- a) blood
- b) feeling
- c) passion

**28** I ordered a tea from the waiter but by the time it had reached me it was ... cold.

- a) rock
- b) stone
- c) tile

**29** The authorities have set up a special hot ... amid coronavirus pandemic.

- a) connection
- b) phone
- c) line

**30** He's always very uneasy like a cat on hot ... .

- a) roads
- b) bricks
- c) roads