

1 I suggest ... the “meal of the day” rather than fish.

- a) to have
- b) we have
- c) for us having

2 Her father won’t ... to my marrying Olivia.

- a) agree
- b) allow
- c) approve

3 It was way to hot. I couldn’t ... it any longer.

- a) carry
- b) hold
- c) stand

4 They had always liked the sea ... they moved to the Coast.

- a) so
- b) since
- c) such

5 Just keep .. on him, will you?

- a) a look
- b) an eye
- c) a care

6 By the time you receive this message, I ... for China.

a) will leave

b) have left

c) will have left

7 You can depend ... me.

a) in

b) of

c) on

8 I invested a lot of money ... residential buildings.

a) in

b) for

c) at

9 She is trying to lose weight by ... sweets.

a) cutting down at

b) stopping down at

c) cutting down on

10 The terrorist tried to persuade the hostage that he was neither ... nor He was just interested in calling attention to his cause.

a) impeccable/sincere

b) antagonistic/vindictive

c) recalcitrant/clandestine

11 The professor was surprised that her English was so

- a) liquid
- b) definite
- c) fluent

12 I went to ... some pictures by a renowned painter.

- a) watch
- b) look at
- c) see to

13 If it ... fine, she shall go out.

- a) was
- b) were
- c) is

14 The idea of a balanced diet is difficult to ... in this group.

- a) put across
- b) take in
- c) make over

15 There was a small room into ... we all gathered.

- a) where
- b) that
- c) which

16 You ... go to dentist's.

- a) rather

b) ought to

c) better

17 His speech was interesting at first, but it was ... long.

a) so much

b) far too

c) too much

18 The soldier has been on ... for twenty-four hours without a break.

a) work

b) job

c) duty

19 When she braked on the icy road, the car

a) slid

b) slipped

c) skidded

20 This is the ... building in the city.

a) oldest

b) elder

c) elderly

21 You must put your name on this side and then sign on the ... side.

a) other

b) under

c) back

22 I will always ... our wonderful holidays.

a) reflect

b) remind

c) remember

23 The Prime Minister ... his intention to retire.

a) told

b) announced

c) informed

24 As the child walked through the fields, he heard sheep

a) braying

b) bleating

c) crying

25 I'm afraid I can't comment ... your project yet.

a) about

b) with

c) on

26 Steve was employed ... a factory in 2010.

a) in

b) to

c) by

27 It was such a good weather that I decided to go

- a) fish
- b) fishing
- c) to fishing

28 I think she ... you my regards when you met two days ago.

- a) gave
- b) has given
- c) give

29 Not ... did she refuse to speak to me, but she also blamed me for failing.

- a) even
- b) at all
- c) only

30 "To come through flying colours" means:

- a) to succeed in one's study
- b) to accomplish something with great success
- c) to be understood loud and clear