Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs front the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions. (0.6 points)

1. A. really B. pretty C. lively D. apply

2. A. planted B. added C. delayed D. learned

3. A. cooks B. stops C. laughs D. rugs

Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary' stress in the following questions. (0.4 points)

4. A. famous B. workshop C. interest D. canal

5. A. botanical B. decoration C. communicate D. affordable

Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word in the following question. (0.4 points)

6. She received a scholarship to help cover her educational expenses, which was a significant financial **support**.

A. entertainment B. punishment

C. protection D. help

7. When he's painting, he gets so **absorbed** in the creative process that he loses track of time.

A. obliged B. interested C. busy D. distracted

Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word in the following question. (0.4 points)

8. He tends to work best when he's **under the gun** and has a tight deadline.

A. relaxing B. terrifying C. proud D. stressful

9. After a long hike, we were all **starving** and eagerly devoured our sandwiches.

A. rich B. hungry C. full D. poor

Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the answer that best fits each gap in the following questions. (3.2 points)

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10. The Louvre Museum _____ from 9 a.m to 6 p.m, every day except Tuesday and Wednesday.

A. will open B. opens C. open D. will be open

11. We don't allow you _____ in our house.

A. to smoke B. is smoking C. smoked D. smoke

12. _____ Sundays, I enjoy taking leisurely bike rides around the neighborhood.

A. Of B. At C. On D. In

13. I rarely go swimming _____ my house is near the beach.

A. however B. so C. although D. but

14. Canned food is not as healthy as fresh food, _____?

A. is it B. does it C. isn't it D. doesn't it

15 When I woke up this morning, the birds _____ outside.

A. are singing B. were singing C. sang D. had been singing

16. Learning a new language and being able to communicate fluently provides a great _____ of achievement.

A. sense B. record C. level D. emotion

17. We should cut down on the _____ of salt and fat in our diet because they're not good for our health.

A. number B. amount C. quantity D. measure

18. Several important methods were invented for _____ food in the nineteenth century.

A. protecting B. preserving C. saving D. preventing

19. She asked me _____.

A. if I understand the lesson

B. if I understood the lesson

C. whether to understand the lesson

D. whether I can understand the lesson.

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20. Singapore is _____ small city-state in Southeast Asia.

A. the B. an C. a D. ×

21. Would you mind _____ here, Henry?

A. not smoking B. not to smoke C. not smoke D. to not smoke

22. The Internet has helped students study more _____.

A. effect B. effective C. effectively D. effectiveness

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