

**CHUYÊN ĐỀ 18: SỰ HOÀ HỢP GIỮA
CHỦ NGỮ VÀ ĐỘNG TỪ
(SUBJECT – VERB AGREEMENT)**

I. BÀI TẬP VẬN DỤNG

BT 1: Chọn dạng đúng của động từ trong ngoặc

1. A number of books (**is/ are**) on the table.
2. The number of students in this class (**is/ are**) limited to thirty.
3. Each boy in this class (**has/ have**) his own notebook.
4. Everybody (**has/ have**) a good time.
5. No one (**is/ are**) eager to be examined the first.
6. Bread and butter (**is/ are**) all he asked for.
7. A fever, a loss of wealth, a loss of friends (**seems/ seem**) at the moment untold loss.
8. The boxes of candy (**is/ are**) on the table.
9. Most of the members (**is/ are**) happy.
10. Neither of the answers (**is/ are**) correct.
11. Half of the students (**is/ are**) looking out.
12. Some of the sugar (**was/were**) spilt on the floor.
13. The result of Dr. Noll's experiment (**was, were**) published in a scientific journal.
14. There (**is/ are**) plenty of time.
15. There (**is/ are**) a lot of lakes.
16. Not only John but also his brothers (**is/ are**) to blame.
17. The girl, as well as the boys, (**has/ have**) learnt to ride.
18. The bat together with the ball (**was/ were**) stolen.
19. Either your key or my key (**is/ are**) missing.
20. Here (**is/ are**) bread and the dictionary.
21. Here (**is/ are**) bread and butter for breakfast.
22. Three fourths of the wall (**is/ are**) painted.
23. Two times two (**makes/ make**) four.
24. "The three Musketeers" (**is/ are**) written by Alexandre Dumas.
25. Washing the dishes (**is/ are**) the children' job.
26. The police (**is/ are**) coming. I've already called them.
27. Japanese (**is/ are**) very difficult for English speakers to learn.
28. The Japanese (**has/ have**) a long and interesting history.

29. The poor (**is/ are**) helped by government program.

30. Economics (**is/ are**) favourite subjects.

BT 2: Chọn đáp án đúng

1. The magazines on the table _____ for you.
A. is B. are C. was taken D. has been taken
2. Everybody _____ on time for class.
A. is B. are C. were D. have been
3. There _____ some money on the table.
A. is B. are C. were D. have been
4. This information about taxes _____ helpful.
A. is B. are C. were D. have been
5. Tomatoes _____ lots of sunshine to grow.
A. need B. needs C. is needing D. are needing
6. The people next door _____ hiking every weekend in the summer.
A. have gone B. are going C. go D. goes
7. My father and mother _____ for the same company.
A. work B. works C. has worked D. is going to work
8. Most of the mountain peaks in the Himalayan range _____ with snow the year around.
A. cover B. covers C. is covered D. are covered
9. The United States of America _____ of fifty separate states.
A. consist B. consists C. is consisting D. are consisting
10. Two hours _____ too long to wait, don't you think?
A. is B. are C. were D. have been
11. A lot of Brazillians _____ Spanish.
A. speak and understand B. speaks and understands
C. speaks and understand D. speak and understands
12. Why _____ the police standing over there?
A. is B. are C. was D. were
13. Geography _____ fascinating. Mathematics _____ fascinating

A. is – is B. is – are C. are - is D. are - are

14. The most common name for dogs in the United States _____ “Roger”.

A. is B. are C. were D. have been

15. Several theories on this subject

_____.

A. are proposed B. was proposed C. has been proposed D. have been proposed

16. Mr. Robbins, accompanied by his wife and children, _____ tonight .

A. arrives B. arriving C. is arriving D. are arriving

17. Writing many letters _____ her

happy.

A. make B. makes C. have made D. are making

18. The number of days in a week _____ seven.

A. is B. are C. was D. has been

19. Seventy dollars _____ too much to pay for that shirt.

A. is B. are C. were D. have been

20. A number of students _____ to the class picnic.

A. is going B. are going C. has gone D. was going

21. Either John or his wife _____ breakfast each

morning.

A. make B. makes C. is making D. are making

22. The majority of students _____ him to be innocent.

A. believe B. believes C. is believing D. are believing

23. The crowd at the basketball game _____ will with excitement.

A. is B. were C. was D. has been

24. The young _____ the future in their hand.

A. have B. has C. are having D. is having

25. The picture of the soldiers _____ back many memories.

A. bring B. brings C. have brought D. has brought