Practice Test 3 Vocabulary

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Choose the correct answer, A, B, C or D

1. Which of the following means *"to make something better by changing it"*?

   A. affirm B. reform C. conform D. confirm

2. A person who pays to live in a house or flat owned by someone else is a...

   A. guest B. tenant C. companion D. host

3. What's the correct word for *"a small piece cut or torn from paper or cloth"*?

   A. tuft B. bunch C. shred D. patch

4. Which word means *"being treated unfairly or cruelly"*?

   A. repressed B. impressed C. oppressed D. depressed

5. "Emit" is closest in meaning to...

   A. absorb B. release C. gather D. contain

6. If something is restrictive, it is...

   A. fashionable B. limited C. polite D. unclear

7. The noun deterioration refers to...

   A. a careful thought before a decision B. an improvement C. a process of getting worse D. a test of truth

8. A warrant is...

   A. a written permission for police to arrest or search B. a friendly agreement C. a type of visa D. a receipt for goods

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9. To delegate means...

A. to pretend
B. to assign work to others
C. to discuss formally
D. to give up responsibility

10. Which word best fits this definition: *"extremely valuable; of great worth"*?

A. valueless
B. worthless
C. useless
D. priceless

Choose the correct answer, A, B, C or D

11. Although the teacher asked for a full report, Maria only gave a brief _____ of the situation.

A. deliberation
B. consideration
C. verification
D. deterioration

12. After years of fighting, there was finally a serious _____ between the two brothers.

A. crack
B. rift
C. break
D. gap

13. The meeting was long and tiring, but in the end they managed to _____ on a solution everyone agreed with.

A. conform
B. confirm
C. affirm
D. reform

14. The police issued a _____ to search the suspect's house.

A. permit
B. warrant
C. authorization
D. permission

15. His clothes were completely soaked after the rain; they were still _____ an hour later.

A. humid
B. damp
C. arid
D. trendy

16. The teacher asked the students to _____ the poem carefully and explain its deeper meaning.

A. debate
B. dictate
C. dissect
D. delegate

17. Even though he seems confident, his emotions are deeply _____; he never talks about them.

A. impressed
B. oppressed
C. repressed
D. depressed

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18. The company plans to _____ the entire department and introduce a new management system.

A. take over B. take on C. take after D. take up with

19. The smell of the flowers slowly began to _____ through the room.

A. flow B. emit C. circulate D. distribute

20. Don't be so _____ — you never care about how others feel!

A. insincere B. intolerable C. insensitive D. inaccurate

Choose the correct answer, A, B, C or D

21. To _____ a law means to change it in order to make it better.

A. conform B. confirm C. reform D. affirm

22. A person who pays money to live in someone else's property is called a(n) _____.

A. guest B. tenant C. companion D. company

23. Definition: *the process of something getting worse*

A. deliberation B. deterioration C. verification D. consideration

24. Even though he looks calm, his anger is deeply _____ and comes out suddenly.

A. impressed B. repressed C. depressed D. oppressed

25. To _____ means *to say something aloud so that someone else can write it down.*

A. dictate B. debate C. delegate D. dissect

26. The scientist carefully _____ the data before drawing any conclusions.

A. dissected B. dictated C. debated D. delegated

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27. Which of the following means *having no value at all*?

A. valueless B. worthless C. useless D. priceless

28. After the manager left, the assistant _____ the department and started making new rules.

A. took after B. took up with C. took over D. took on

29. Definition: *an official document giving someone permission to do something*

A. authorization B. warrant C. permit D. permission

30. When I told him about my problems, he just stared at me _____, without saying a word.

A. obtusely B. dumbly C. densely D. dimly

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