1. By the time the police arrived, the thieves _____.
- A. escaped
- B. had escaped
- C. have escaped
- D. were escaping

2. I _____ this report all morning and I'm still not finished.
- A. write
- B. have written
- C. have been writing
- D. had written

3. She _____ in Paris for six years before moving to Berlin.
- A. lived
- B. has lived
- C. had lived
- D. was living

4. This time next week, we _____ on a beach in Phu Quoc.
- A. relax
- B. will relax
- C. will be relaxing
- D. will have relaxed

5. The company _____ significant losses before the market recovered.
- A. suffered
- B. had suffered
- C. suffers
- D. has suffered

6. I wish I _____ more attention during the lecture.
- A. paid
- B. had paid
- C. would pay
- D. have paid

7. He acts as if he _____ everything.
- A. knows
- B. knew
- C. had known
- D. has known

8. By next December, they _____ the bridge.
- A. complete
- B. will complete
- C. will have completed
- D. have completed

9. Hardly _____ home when it started raining.
- A. I had got
- B. had I got
- C. I got
- D. got I

10. No sooner _____ the announcement than everyone started cheering.
- A. had they made
- B. they had made
- C. did they make
- D. have they made

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11. The economy _____ steadily over the last decade.
- A. grew
- B. has grown
- C. had grown
- D. grows

12. I _____ him since university.
- A. know
- B. knew
- C. have known
- D. am knowing

13. She _____ dinner when the guests arrived.
- A. prepared
- B. was preparing
- C. has prepared
- D. had prepared

14. At that moment, everyone _____ to the manager's speech.
- A. listened
- B. was listening
- C. had listened
- D. listens

15. If only I _____ more time yesterday.
- A. had
- B. have had
- C. had had
- D. would have

16. The new regulations _____ next month.
- A. introduce
- B. will introduce
- C. will be introduced
- D. introduced

17. Several mistakes _____ in the report before publication.
- A. had detected
- B. had been detected
- C. detected
- D. were detecting

18. The suspect _____ by police for three hours.
- A. questioned
- B. was questioned
- C. had been questioned
- D. has questioning

19. The proposal _____ by the committee at the moment.
- A. is considering
- B. is being considered
- C. has considered
- D. considered

20. Little _____ about the incident.
- A. knows
- B. is known
- C. has known
- D. knowing

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21. All applications must _____ by Friday.
- A. submit
- B. submitted
- C. be submitted
- D. being submitted

22. The building _____ when the fire broke out.
- A. was renovated
- B. was being renovated
- C. renovated
- D. has renovated

23. English _____ in more than 70 countries.
- A. speaks
- B. is spoken
- C. has spoken
- D. speaking

24. The documents _____ before the meeting started.
- A. distributed
- B. had distributed
- C. had been distributed
- D. were distributing

25. The decision _____ yet.
- A. hasn't made
- B. hasn't been made
- C. wasn't made
- D. isn't made

26. I had my laptop _____ last week.
- A. repair
- B. repaired
- C. repairing
- D. repairs

27. We are having the office _____.
- A. redecorated
- B. redecorate
- C. redecorating
- D. to redecorate

28. She had her passport _____ before travelling.
- A. renew
- B. renewed
- C. renewing
- D. renewal

29. They had all the documents _____ professionally.
- A. translate
- B. translated
- C. translating
- D. translation

30. I'm going to have my eyes _____ tomorrow.
- A. test
- B. tested
- C. testing
- D. tests

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31. He had his house _____ against flooding.
- A. protect
- B. protected
- C. protecting
- D. protection

32. We had the roof _____ after the storm.
- A. repair
- B. repaired
- C. repairing
- D. repairs

33. She had her portrait _____ by a famous artist.
- A. paint
- B. painted
- C. painting
- D. paints

34. Have you had your car _____ recently?
- A. service
- B. serviced
- C. servicing
- D. serves

35. They had their website _____ by a specialist company.
- A. design
- B. designed
- C. designing
- D. designs

36. Not only _____ late, but he also forgot the documents.
- A. he arrived
- B. did he arrive
- C. he did arrive
- D. arrived he

37. Rarely _____ such enthusiasm among students.
- A. I have seen
- B. have I seen
- C. I saw
- D. saw I

38. Had I known the truth, I _____ differently.
- A. act
- B. would act
- C. would have acted
- D. acted

39. The more you practise, the _____ you become.
- A. skilled
- B. more skilled
- C. most skilled
- D. skillful

40. She denied _____ the confidential information.
- A. reveal
- B. revealing
- C. to reveal
- D. revealed

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41. He succeeded _____ the problem.
- A. solve
- B. solving
- C. in solving
- D. to solve

42. The manager insisted _____ a detailed explanation.
- A. on receiving
- B. receive
- C. receiving
- D. to receive

43. Were it not for your support, we _____ the project.
- A. wouldn't complete
- B. wouldn't have completed
- C. won't complete
- D. didn't complete

44. She is believed _____ abroad.
- A. live
- B. living
- C. to live
- D. lived

45. The film was so boring that I couldn't help _____ asleep.
- A. fall
- B. falling
- C. to fall
- D. fell

46. Despite _____ hard, they failed to meet the deadline.
- A. work
- B. worked
- C. working
- D. to work

47. I'd rather you _____ me before making a decision.
- A. tell
- B. told
- C. have told
- D. will tell

48. Scarcely _____ the meeting started when the fire alarm rang.
- A. had
- B. had been
- C. has
- D. did

49. It was the first time I _____ such a challenging task.
- A. face
- B. faced
- C. had faced
- D. have faced

50. Under no circumstances _____ this information.
- A. you must disclose
- B. must you disclose
- C. you disclose
- D. disclose you

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