

#### Exercise 4

1. He tried to avoid \_\_\_\_\_ my question.  
a. answer                      b. answering                      c. to answer                      d. to have answered
2. Paula has given up \_\_\_\_\_ to lose weight.  
a. try                              b. trying                              c. to try                              d. to have tried
3. We can't go on \_\_\_\_\_ like this.  
a. living                              b. live                              c. to live                              d. to be living
4. Don't keep \_\_\_\_\_ me while I'm talking.  
a. interrupt                              b. to interrupt                              c. interrupting                              d. to have interrupted
5. I can't imagine Bill \_\_\_\_\_ a motorbike.  
a. ride                              b. riding                              c. to ride                              d. to be riding
6. Sorry to keep you \_\_\_\_\_ so long.  
a. waiting                              b. wait                              c. to wait                              d. to have waited
7. She now regrets \_\_\_\_\_ it.  
a. say                              b. having said                              c. to say                              d. to have said
8. We decided \_\_\_\_\_ at home.  
a. to stay                              b. stay                              c. staying                              d. having stayed

9. Frank tends \_\_\_\_\_ too much.  
a. to have drunk    b. drinking    c. drink    d. to drink
10. He doesn't want \_\_\_\_\_  
a. to know    b. know    c. knowing    d. to be knowing
11. I don't advise anybody \_\_\_\_\_ in that hotel.  
a. stay    b. to stay    c. staying    d. to have stayed
12. The mother made her child \_\_\_\_\_ the word  
a. repeat    b. to repeat    c. repeating    d. to be repeating
13. My parents don't let me \_\_\_\_\_ out alone.  
a. go    b. to go    c. going    d. to be going
14. I'm afraid I have some homework \_\_\_\_\_ today.  
a. do    b. to do    c. going    d. done
15. Have the movers \_\_\_\_\_ the bedroom furniture first.  
a. brought in    b. to bring in    c. bring in    d. bringing in
16. Do you know what \_\_\_\_\_ so many people evacuate their homes?  
a. forced    b. made    c. caused    d. convinced
17. Where are the children? "I saw \_\_\_\_\_ in the yard".

- a. them to play      b. them playing      c. they playing      d. to them playing
18. You're been taking a lot of nice photographs.
- a. becoming      b. about become      c. to become      d. about becoming
19. Jane's summer vacation in England led to \_\_\_\_\_ an English man.
- a. her marry      b. her to marry      c. her being married      d. her marrying
20. We would like \_\_\_\_\_ to the president's reception, but we weren't
- a. having invited      b. having been invited
- c. to have invited      d. to have been invited