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Choose the word the omitted part of which is pronounced as the given sound

1./gr/	A._ _owth	B._ _oject	C._ _ease	D.._ _obalize
2./pr/	A.disa_ _ee	B._ _ice	C.back_ _ound	D._ _ay

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

3. A. best	B. conquest	C. chest	D. dearest
4. A. development	B. indent	C. establishment	D. employment

Choose the best option to fill in each blank

5. Be careful. The ____ of this medicine can be very dangerous.

A. price B. place C. date D. side effects

6. People are waiting for a ____ system with better doctors and facilities in this country.

A. health care B. educational C. entertainment D. transportation

7. My teacher assigned us a writing task about ____ of our favorite singers.

A. biology B. biography C. biodiversity D. biochemist

8. Lina, the ____ album of the new music band in our city, will be uploaded on the website next week. I'm looking forward to listening to it.

A. debut B. only C. best-selling D. individual

9. Like his mother, Viet is a ____ child who can talk openly to anyone.

A. social B. sociable C. generous D. critical

10. After marriage, Mrs. Hoa always keeps good ____ with her mother-in-law.

A. association B. relation C. friendship D. relationship

Choose the word or phrase that is CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined part in the sentence (2 questions)

11. The old blood cells are broken down by the spleen and eliminated from the body.

A. cut out B. exhaled C. removed D. held

12. Humans will enjoy longer life expectancy when they are more conscious of what they eat and do.

A. aware of B. capable of C. responsible for D. suitable for

Choose the best option to fill in each blank

13. John made me ____ a lot with his hilarious jokes.

A. laughing B. to laugh C. laugh D. laughed

14. I'd like ____ all of you to enjoy my party on this Friday.

A. to invite B. inviting C. invite D. not invite

15. First thing in the morning, I ____ a cup of milk tea.

A. has B. am having C. have D. will have

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16. Ms. Kim ____ very well when she's under pressure.

A. not work B. don't work C. isn't working D. doesn't work

17. I'm sorry, Lan is busy now. She ____ her document on the second floor.

A. are checking B. check C. checks D. is checking

18. I ____ my parents at the weekend. I already bought a train ticket.

A. visit B. am going to visit C. visited D. will visit

19. Perhaps I ____ New York one day.

A. am visiting B. am going to visit C. visit D. will visit

20. Foods ____ into energy in the digestive system.

A. are broke down and converted B. are broken down and converted

C. break down and convert D. broken down and converted

Choose the one option - a, b, c or d - that best completes the passage

It has always been difficult for me to decide (21) …….. " popular music" means music written for the people or is simply music that the people like. The same problem of definition exists with jazz. So (22)…….. different types of music have been called jazz at one time or (23) …….. that is hard to say what it really is. Jazz has always been considered (24)……..black music but when I first took an interest in it, I used to hear white bands playing music that was like Louis Amstrong in the 1920s, I found out (25)…… that they learnt to do this by playing his records over and over again until their style was close enough to his for them to imitate him.

21.	A. when	B. whether	C. what	D. how
22.	A. much	B. a lot of	C. many	D. plenty of
23.	A. another	B. others	C. the other	D. the others
24.	A. being	B. as being	C. to be	D. that it is
25.	A. soon	B. afterwards	C. presently	D. after

Read the passage carefully and choose the correct answers.

The American family unit is in the process of change. In the first half of the 20th century, there were mainly two types of families: the extended and the nuclear. An extended family includes mother, father, children and some other relatives, living in the same house. A nuclear family is composed of just parents and children living **under the same roof**.

As the American economy had progressed from agricultural to industrial one, people were forced to move to different parts of the country to get good jobs. These jobs were mainly in the large cities. Now, in fact, three-quarters of Americans live in urban areas which occupy 2.5% of the national total land mass. Of the 118 million in the labour force, only 3 million still work on the farm.

Since moving for better jobs has often divided the extended family, the nuclear family became more popular. At present, 55% of the families in the US are nuclear families. But besides the two types of traditional family groupings, the family is now being expanded to include a variety of other living arrangements because of divorce.

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There is an increase in single-parent families, in which a father or mother lives with one or more children. Divorce has also led to blended families, which occur when previously married men and women marry again and combine the children from former marriage into a new family. There are also some couples who do not want to have children to form two-person childless families.

26. A nuclear family is one that _____.

A. consists of father, mother, and children living in the same house

B. relatives live with

C. there are only grandparents, parents and their children living in

D. is bigger than extended family

27. The expression "**under the same roof**" means _____

A. a house with one roof **B.** a house with the roof the same as the wall

C. in the same building **D.** under the house

28. The nuclear family becomes more popular because of _____.

A. more divorces **B.** the division of the extended family

C. fewer jobs in big cities **D.** an increase in single-parent families

29. How many types of families have there been in the US since the first half of the 20th century?

A. Two **B.** Three **C.** Four **D.** Five

30. A blended family is a newly-formed family _____.

A. with the combination of children of the two previously married father and mother

B. that has only father or mother living with children

C. in which there are no children

D. that there is only one couple living in with their newborn children

**** Choose the underlined part that needs correcting .***

31. What are you search for, Lan? You look so nervous.
A B C D

32. Mommy, someone are calling me from unknown number. I won't answer it.
A B C D

33. I've already decided . I will buy a new flat.
A B C D

34. Bats usually sleep during the day and they play and eating at night.
A B C D

Choose the sentence that best combines the given pair of sentences

35. His mother wanted him to be a doctor. He wanted to become a music composer.

A. His mother wanted him to be a doctor because he wanted to become a music composer.

B. His mother wanted him to be a doctor so he wanted to become a music composer.

C. His mother wanted him to be a doctor but he wanted to become a music composer.

D. If his mother wanted him to be a doctor, he wanted to become a music composer.

36. He sang very badly. Everyone left the room.

A. Everyone left the room so he sang badly.

B. He sang very badly so everyone left the room.

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C. He sang badly as a result of everyone leaving the room.

D. He sang so badly but everyone left the room.

Choose the sentence that is closest in meaning to the given one

37. They will ask you a lot of questions at the interview.

A. You will be asked a lot of questions at the interview.

B. You will be asked a lot of questions at the interview by them.

C. A lot of questions will be asked you at the interview.

D. A lot of questions will be asked at the interview.

38. Everyone understands English.

A. English has been understood by everyone.

B. English is understood by everyone.

C. English was being understood by everyone.

D. English was understood by everyone.

39.Tim plans on seeing the doctor later about his bad back

A. Tim is going to seeing the doctor later about his bad back

B. Tim is going to see the doctor later about his bad back

C. Tim will see the doctor later about his bad back

B. Tim is going to be seen the doctor later about his bad back

40. Peter went out of the house and I saw this

A. I saw Peter went out of the house

B. I saw this Peter went out of the house

B. I saw Peter go out of the house

B. I saw Peter go out of the house and I saw this

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