Choose the best answer

1. …… some German and British management styles are similar, there are many differences between them.

A. In spite B. In spite of C. Despite the fact that D. Despite

2. I could not eat …… I was very hungry.

A. even though B. in spite C. despite D. in spite the fact that

3. Julie passed the exam …… of working very hard.

A. despite B. because C. in spite D. though

4. In spite ……., the baseball game was not cancelled.

A. the rain B. of the rain C. it was raining D. there was a rain

5. …… he had enough money, he could buy a new car.

A. Despite B. In spite of C. Because of D. Because

6. ……., he walked to the station.

A. Despite being tired B. Although to be tired C. In spite being tired D. Despite tired

7. The children slept well, despite ……

A. it was noise B. the noise C. of the noise D. noisy

8. She left him …… she still loved him.

A. even if B. even though C. in spite of D. despite

9. …… her lack of hard work, she wasn't promoted.

A. Because B. Even though C. Because of D. In spite of

10. Our new neighbors are quite nice …… they are sometimes talkative.

A. despite B. in spite of the fact C. though D. despite of

11. I have tried hard but I can't earn enough money.

A. Although I have tried hard, but I can't earn enough money.

B. Although I have tried hard, I can't earn enough money.

C. In spite of I have tried hard, I can't earn enough money.

D. Despite I have tried hard, but I can't earn enough money.

12. She stayed at home because her mother was sick.

A. Despite her sick mother, she stayed at home.

B. Because of her sick mother , she stayed at home.

C. In spite of her sick mother, she stayed at home.

D. A & C are correct.

13. Although he took a taxi, Bill arrived late for the concert.

A. Bill arrived late for the concert because he takes a taxi.

B. Bill arrived late for the concert because of the taxi.

C. In spite of taking a taxi, Bill arrived late for the concert.

D. Although Bill took a taxi, he can't come to the concert in time.

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14. In spite of his suffering from a bad cold, William went to school.

A. Although William suffers from a bad cold, he went to school.

B. Although William suffered from a bad cold, he went to school.

C. William went to school although he is suffering from a bad cold.

D. William went to school; he suffered from a bad cold although.

15. Despite the fact that it was snowing, I felt warm.

A. In spite of snowing, I felt warm.

B. In spite of feeling warm, it was snowing.

C. Although it was snowing, I felt warm.

D. Although I felt warm, it was snowing.

16. Though he tried hard, he didn't succeed.

A. Despite he tried hard, he didn't succeed.

B. In spite of he tried hard, he didn't succeed.

C. In spite of trying hard, he didn't succeed.

D. Even though he tried hard, but he didn't succeed.

17. Because of the development of birth-control, women could delay having children .

A. Because birth-control was developed, women could delay having children.

B. Because birth-control is developed, women could delay having children.

C. Despite birth-control is developed, women could delay having children.

D. Though birth-control was developed, women could delay having children.

18. John is fat because he eats so many chips.

A. John is fat because of the fact that he eats so many chips.

B. John is fat because of eating so many chips.

C. John is fat because of not eating so many chips.

D. A & B are correct.

19. He was very tired but he kept on working.

A. Despite he was very tired, he kept on working.

B. In spite of he was very tired, he kept on working.

C. Though his tiredness, he kept on working.

D. Although he was very tired, he kept on working.

20. The trip was boring but we enjoyed it a lot.

A. We enjoyed boring trips.

B. We are bored with the trip.

C. We liked the trip very much even though it was boring.

D. The trip bored us.

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