

## PRACTICE UNIT 6 (2)

### VII. Choose the best answer to complete the following sentences.

1. \_\_\_\_ is a branch of Natural Science, and is the study of living organisms and how they interact with their environment.  
A. Biology      B. Biological      C. Biologist      D. Biologically
2. A/ an \_\_\_\_ species is a population of an organism which is at risk of becoming extinct.  
A. dangerous      B. endanger      C. endangered      D. endangerment
3. Besides, several programmes should be \_\_\_\_ that spreads the word of the conservation of the elephants in the public.  
A. told      B. used      C. operated      D. introduced
4. Cheetah's tail is \_\_\_\_ during fast running, because it balances the animal and allows fast and sudden turns which happen often when the prey tries to escape.  
A. essential      B. basic      C. adequate      D. sufficient
5. People should be told about the things that threaten the safety of \_\_\_\_ so that they can avoid doing them.  
A. the wild      B. wildness      C. wild life      D. wildlife
6. Humans depend on species **diversity** to provide food, clean air and water, and fertile soil for agriculture.  
A. destruction      B. contamination      C. fertilizer      D. variety
7. The more you talk about the situation, \_\_\_\_.  
A. it seems worse      B. the worse it seems      C. the worse does it seem      D. it seems the worse
8. \_\_\_\_ the Sun is, \_\_\_\_ the shadow is.  
A. The higher / the low      B. The more high/ the more low  
C. The higher / the lower      D. The more higher / the more lower
9. Life on Earth is **disappearing** fast and will continue to do so unless urgent action is taken.  
A. vanishing      B. damaging      C. polluting      D. destroying
10. By December next year, we \_\_\_\_ in this house for twenty years.  
A. will have lived      B. have lived      C. will live      D. had live
11. \_\_\_\_ it is, \_\_\_\_ miserable I feel.  
A. The hotter / more      B. The hotter / the more  
C. The more hotter / the more      D. The more hot / the more
12. The saola is also indirectly threatened by insufficient \_\_\_\_ to and investment in its conservation.  
A. interest      B. attention      C. care      D. treatment
13. The better the weather is, \_\_\_\_.  
A. the beaches get the more crowded      B. the beaches get the most crowded  
C. the most crowded the beaches get      D. the more crowded the beaches get
14. Hunting for meat and burning forests for soil cause **destruction** to wildlife.  
A. organization      B. contamination      C. protection      D. damage
15. Species become extinct or endangered for \_\_\_\_ number of reasons, but \_\_\_\_ primary cause is the destruction of habitat by human activities.  
A. Ø/ a      B. a/ the      C. the/ a      D. Ø/ Ø
16. I think I \_\_\_\_ my door key. I can't find it anywhere.  
A. will have lost      B. am losing      C. have lost      D. will lose
17. Only a few of the many species at risk of extinction actually make it to the lists and obtain legal \_\_\_\_.  
A. protect      B. protection      C. protective      D. protector

18. Probability of extinction depends \_\_\_\_ both the population size and fine details of the population demography.

A. on      B. in      C. from      D. for

19. Many modern medicines are derived \_\_\_\_ plants and animals.

A. on      B. for      C. from      D. in

20. Toxic chemicals from factories are one of the serious factors that leads wildlife to the \_\_\_\_ of extinction.

A. wall      B. fence      C. verge      D. bridge

21. Saving \_\_\_\_ species from becoming extinct is crucial for our health and the future of our children.

A. dangerous      B. endanger      C. endangering      D. endangered

22. The more she practices, \_\_\_\_ she becomes.

A. the greater confidence      B. more confidently      C. the more confident      D. the most confident

23. The older you are, \_\_\_\_.

A. the more you may become worried  
become      B. the more worried you may  
become      C. the more worry you may become  
worried      D. you may become more  
worried

24. Mr. Edwards \_\_\_\_ history for 35 years, and is retiring soon.

A. teaches      B. will have taught      C. taught      D. has been teaching

25. It is high time we had to \_\_\_\_ some measures to protect endangered animals.

A. take      B. bring      C. hold      D. use

26. Many \_\_\_\_ groups now support putting a value on ecosystems.

A. conserve      B. conservative      C. endangering      D. endangered

27. 15,589 species (7,266 animal species and 8,323 plant species) are now considered \_\_\_\_ risk \_\_\_\_ extinction.

A. at / of      B. on / in      C. for / with      D. in / at

28. Internationally, 189 countries have signed \_\_\_\_ accord agreeing to create Biodiversity Action Plans to protect endangered and other threatened species.

A. a      B. an      C. the      D. Ø

29. I'm tired. I \_\_\_\_ the house since 9 this morning.

A. am cleaning      B. will have cleaned      C. had been cleaning      D. have been  
cleaning

30. Clearing forests for timber has resulted \_\_\_\_ the loss of biodiversity

A. with      B. at      C. in      D. for