

Choose the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) **OPPOSITE** in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following sentences.

1. The next day the union voted to begin an indefinite strike.
A. make B. end C. start D. light
2. I clearly remember talking to him in a chance meeting last summer.
A. unplanned B. deliberate C. accidental D. unintentional
3. To be prepared for war is one of the most effectual means of preserving peace.
A. best B. worst C. fastest D. least
4. We have been out of touch him since he moved to London.
A. kept contact with B. made a call to C. contacted with D. written to
5. Mr. Smith's new neighbours appear to be very generous.
A. mean B. pleasant C. meaningful D. easy-going
6. China has become the third country which can independently carried out the manned space activities.
A. put up B. put in C. put on D. put off
7. A narrow passage led directly through the house into the garden.
A. wide B. long C. deep D. high
8. When I was young, I admired clever people. Now that I am old, I admire kind people.
A. strong B. old C. healthy D. free
9. It was brave of you to speak in front of all those people.
A. good B. wonderful C. coward D. courageous
10. The bank announced that it was to merge with another of the high street banks.
A. associate B. separate C. cooperate D. assemble
11. The sun soon dispelled the thick fog.
A. thin B. many C. long D. far
12. That draught is too much for my horse to pull.
A. take B. lay C. raise D. push
13. The World Cup is followed with great interest around the globe- the final game of the 1994 tournament was played to a television audience of more than 1 million viewers.
A. primal B. first C. beginning D. starting
14. With the victory over Germany in the final match, Brazil became the first team to win the trophy five times.
A. fall B. lose C. upset D. defeat
15. Name some famous football players in the world.
A. infamous B. unknown C. impossible D. irregular
16. If you don't feel well, go to bed and rest.
A. tired B. alright C. fine D. hard
17. For many young people in Britain, being in one of the school teams and playing in matches is very important.
A. ill B. sick C. meaningless D. small
18. My suitcases are so heavy that I cannot carry it on my own.
A. thin B. light C. large D. round
19. The best time to visit is during the dry season, from October to April, when the hard forest rain is over.
A. wet B. engaging C. obvious D. cordial
20. The chairs felt hard and uncomfortable.
A. plastic B. simple C. relaxed D. soft
21. Visitors, especially children, can go there to learn how to recognize the different species of animals and plants.
A. pure B. same C. alike D. whole

22. You can slide the front seats forward if necessary.
A. back B. beside C. above D. under
23. An interesting feature of this park is the Orphanage where lots of orphaned or abandoned animals are taken care of.
A. bad B. ugly C. weak D. dull
24. This national park is special because it has plants and animals from both tropical and temperate zones.
A. warm B. arctic C. cool D. wet
25. Due to an increase in population and the use of nearby land for farming, there are toxic levels of chemicals in the water.
A. fall B. lowness C. shortage D. illness
26. When did Nguyen Hue defeat Thanh enemies?
A. peoples B. animals C. friends D. kids
27. Toxic chemicals continue to be dumped in the North Sea.
A. stop B. go on C. follow D. begin
28. Rapid run-off would cause frequent floods and leave little water during dry seasons.
A. Bad B. Weak C. Slow D. Ugly
29. Rapid run-off would cause frequent floods and leave little water during dry seasons.
A. sometimes B. unusual C. irregular D. little
30. We cannot clean up our polluted rivers and seas overnight.
A. cleared B. purified C. honoured D. respected