

13. I want to go to ____ beach.

A. a

B. an

C. the

14. There are many mice in ____ house.

A. a

B. an

C. the

15. Can you turn off ____ television, please?

A. a

B. an

C. the

16. We had ____ meal in a restaurant.

A. a

B. an

C. the

17. Thank you. That was ____ very nice dinner.

A. a

B. an

C. the

18. We might be able to catch____last train if we hurried.

A. a

B. an

C. the

19. We lived at____third house from the supermarket.

A. a

B. an

C. the

20. My mom has____interesting novel.

A. a

B. an

C. the

21. It was____best film I had ever watched.

A. a

B. an

C. the

22. I saw____boy on the street last night

A. a

B. an

C. the

Task 2. Choose the best answer to complete these sentences.

1. Mr. Ba was late for the meeting though he took a taxi.

- A. Even though taking a taxi, Mr. Ba was late for the meeting.
- B. In spite of taking a taxi, but Mr. Ba was late for the meeting.
- C. Mr. Ba was late for the meeting despite the fact he took a taxi.
- D. Mr. Ba was late for the meeting although having taken a taxi.

2. We came to the meeting on time though the traffic was heavy.

- A. Despite the traffic was heavy; we came to the meeting on time.
- B. In spite of the heavy traffic, we came to the meeting on time.
- C. Even though the heavy traffic, we came to the meeting on time.
- D. Although the traffic was heavy, but we came to the meeting on time.

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

- A. Bill arrived late for the concert whether he took a taxi or not.
- 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. Bill took a taxi to the concert, but he couldn't catch it.

5. Although Sue felt tired, she stayed up late talking to Jill.

- A. Despite feeling tired, Sue stayed up late talking to Jill.
- B. In spite feeling tired, Sue stayed up late talking to Jill.
- C. Sue wouldn't feel tired despite staying up late talking to Jill.
- D. Sue stayed up late talking to Jill. As a result, she was tired.

Task 3. Choose the best answer to complete these sentences.

1. I could not eat ____ I was very hungry.

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

2. In spite _____, the baseball game was not cancelled.

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

3. _____ he had enough money, he refused to buy a new car.

A. In spite

B. In spite of

C. Despite

D. Although

4. _____, he walked to the station.

A. Despite being tired

B. Although to be tired

C. In spite being tired

D. Despite tired

5. The children slept well, despite _____.

A. it was noise

B. the noise

C. of the noise

D. noisy

6. She left him _____ she still loved him.

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

7. _____ her lack of hard work, she was promoted.

- A. In spite
- B. Even though
- C. in spite of
- D. despite of

8. _____ they are brothers, they do not look like.

- A. Although
- B. Even
- C. Despite
- D. In spite of

She _____ English at RMIT these days.

A. studies B. is studying C. will study D. is going to study

Robert _____ tomorrow morning on the 10: 30 train.

A. arrived B. is arriving C. has arrived D. would arrive

Look! The bus _____

A. left B. has left C. leaves D. is leaving

Mike _____ one hour ago.

A. phoned B. was phoning C. had phoned D. has phoned