TEST 2

I. Choose the word which is stressed differently from the rest:

1. A. adore B. detest C. fancy D. enjoy
2. A. bracelet B. event C. window D. centre
3. A. improve B. hurry C. listen D. visit
4. A. badminton B. cinema C. magazine D. performance
5. A. prefer B. protect C. skateboard D. rely

II. Choose A, B, C or D that best completes each sentence:

6. I really love outdoor activities like_____. I usually go to the park across my house to enjoy my new pair of roller skates.
   A. dancing B. swimming C. skating D. gardening
7. My grandmother adores _____. She's very fat.
   A. cooking B. eating C. running D. singing
8. My father is fond of _____ a lot of trees and vegetables.
   A. growing B. grow C. grew D. grows
9. Susan is interested in _____ flowers and vases.
   A. painting B. paint C. paints D. painted
10. Tommy _____ to go swimming every day. He has an amazing body.
    A. fancies B. enjoys C. doesn't mind D. likes
11. Coco _____ to watch TV at night.
    A. adores B. hates C. fancies D. dislikes
12. Katarina _____ doing morning exercise. She is healthy.
    A. dislikes B. love C. loves D. dislike
13. Schoolchildren waste time sitting in front _____ the computer.
    A. before B. after C. about D. of
14. She often hangs _____ with her friends in the shopping mall.
    A. in B. out C. of D. to
15. He is keen _____ collecting stamps.
    A. on B. of C. with D. in

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III. Find a mistake in each sentence below:

16. He (A) is hooked (B) to video (C) games. He can sit (D) in front of the computer all day.
17. This dog is (A) so cute. I adore (B) to play (C) with (D) it.
18. Sam likes (A) to stay (B) outdoors but his (C) brother, Nick, (D) are always at home.
19. (A) On my opinion, (B) "Shaun the Sheep" (C) is a (D) good movie.
20. (A) On Sundays, Bob (B) doesn't mind (C) to help his mother to do the (D) housework.

IV. Read the text and choose the correct answer A, B, C or D for each of the gaps:

If life seems more rushed than ever, you might be surprised (21) _____ learn that we Americans don't have less leisure time than we did 40 years ago. We actually have (22) _____ leisure time. We get about 45 minutes (23) _____ day of extra leisure.

Then why does it feel like we have so much less? It might be (24) _____ we waste half of all our leisure time watching television. The average American adult devotes 2.5 hours a day to this hobby. So if you want more free time, I recommend one thing: turn it off. This is (25) _____ said than done, especially during the world series.

When I was growing up, my mom had one piece (26) _____ advice for me, and she said it (27) _____ single morning. "Get out of the house!" It's good advice. Come join the 6.8 millions who are (28) _____ a book club, or the 196,000 who attend (29) _____ volleyball, or the 680,000 who go to tractor pulls every month. There are even 3 millions people who (30) _____ a sport called "muzzle loading", which involves shooting a gun that looks 200 years old.

21. A. in	B. to	C. at	D. of
22. A. least	B. most	C. less	D. more
23. A. an	B. a	C. once	D. two
24. A. because	B. why	C. what	D. that
25. A. as easy	B. easiest	C. easier	D. hard
26. A. of	B. in	C. to	D. from
27. A. a	B. the	C. wherever	D. every
28. A. to	B. on	C. in	D. at
29. A. ball	B. beach	C. sport	D. pool
30. A. enjoys	B. to enjoy	C. enjoying	D. enjoy

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