

## Colegio San Bernabé

## 10th Grade English

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I. Choose the word that best completes the sentence.

- As a ----- for making contracts with a lot of new clients, Mr. Skinner was given additional vacation days.
  - reward
  - progress
  - solution
  - routine
- Please be seated according to the -----name cards that have been placed on each table.
  - personalizes
  - personalizing
  - personalize
  - personalized
- Some employees at Jenson Consulting ----- within a few miles of the office.
  - live
  - take
  - use
  - have
- Candidates must clearly express their strengths and weaknesses when -----interviews.
  - are attending
  - attend
  - to attend
  - attending
- To indicate your ----- for the chicken or beef meal, please check the appropriate box.
  - placement
  - appearance
  - preference
  - collection
- The projector borrowed by Ms. Reid is ----- back to the IT department by five o'clock.
  - due
  - set
  - paid
  - prompt
- Many voters in this city are uninterested, and only about 15% of them are -----active.
  - politically
  - political
  - politics
  - politician
- This year's award winner, Cheryl Garner, taught basic first aid skills to students and adults----- the region.
  - between
  - throughout
  - during
  - toward
- According to consumers, using the new Web site is no ----- than calling the help center directly.
  - easily
  - easy
  - easiest
  - easier
- Anyone who participates ----- the city's Annual Baking Competition will receive a coupon from Fresh Supermarket.
  - to
  - beside
  - in
  - among
- , the cabin will be rented out for the entire month, but the owner would agree to four weekly rentals instead.
  - Reluctantly
  - Absolutely
  - Ideally
  - Mutually
- City officials are still debating Irving Enterprises' request ----- the outdated building.
  - demolishes
  - have demolished
  - to demolish
  - demolished

13. Because the technology industry changes so -----, companies must develop ways to adapt.

- a. mostly
- b. quickly
- c. very
- d. hardly

14. Andrew Gray is an----- composer who has written a number of award-winning musicals.

- a. admires
- b. admire
- c. admired
- d. admiringly

15. Heron Glassworks ----- student groups of all ages for weekday tours of its warehouse and production floor.

- a. conveys
- b. preserves
- c. encloses
- d. welcomes

16. To combat mental illness, the clinic will take a more comprehensive ----- than it did in the past.

- a. approachably
- b. approached
- c. approach
- d. approachable

17. Now that the annual conference is finished, the planning committee will hold meetings ----- often.

- a. below
- b. less
- c. decreased
- d. lower

18. Before you distribute the report, ask Ms. Burns to check that ----- has all the necessary information.

- a. them
- b. our
- c. her
- d. it

19. Brandy can make withdrawals from any Salis Bank branch, but she usually visits the ----- one.

- a. closing
- b. closely
- c. closure
- d. closest

20. The memo sent by Mr. Lee addressed a few ----- that were discovered during the quarterly inspection.

- a. issuing
- b. issue
- c. issues
- d. issued

II. Select the word that best completes the sentence.

calculation	fill out	owe	refund
deadline	give up	penalty	spouse
filings	joint	prepared	withhold

21. Our home is under \_\_\_\_\_ ownership, being the property of both myself and my wife, since we believe sharing responsibility is an important part of our marriage.
22. Each year, my \_\_\_\_\_ and I celebrate our wedding anniversary by watching the movie we saw on our first date.
23. Before leaving for Florida, the family \_\_\_\_\_ for their trip by buying new swimwear and packing their suitcases.
24. The secretary spent the afternoon \_\_\_\_\_ each of the clients' paper folders in alphabetical order.
25. The mathematician was able to make a mental \_\_\_\_\_ and didn't need to write out the estimate on paper.
26. The money that is \_\_\_\_\_ to the bank is a great sum that I can't pay back right now, forcing me to take another loan and starting a vicious cycle.

27. After an hour of waiting on their drinks and food, the irate couple demanded the restaurant give a \_\_\_\_\_ of their money.

28. The detective resolved that he would never \_\_\_\_\_ on finding the murderer, even if he would have to delay his retirement.

29. Cruel and mean, the mother tends to \_\_\_\_\_ love from her children.

30. Hannah cheated on her test so she received a \_\_\_\_\_ of no recess, detention, and a zero on the exam.

31. In order to enter the race, Reina was required to \_\_\_\_\_ the entry form.

32. There is only a short window to enter the contest since the \_\_\_\_\_ is this Friday afternoon.

III. Select the word that best completes the sentence.

aggressively  
attitude  
noncommittal

conservative  
fund  
invest

long-term  
portfolio  
pull out

resource  
returnable  
wisely

33. The company's most valuable \_\_\_\_\_ is its staff, which has accounted for much of its success.

34. The Chief Executive Officer's \_\_\_\_\_ goal is to increase the return on investment over the next ten years.

35. The company will \_\_\_\_\_ the trip to the conference so that the employees won't have to pay for it out of their own money.

36. His advisor suggested that she \_\_\_\_\_ her investments in the troubled country as there was a great chance that the current conflicts would result in a civil war.

37. Some people are \_\_\_\_\_ investors and take few risks with their money.

38. If for any reason you are unsatisfied with the merchandise, it is \_\_\_\_\_ as long as you have your receipt.

39. I had hoped that the discussion would yield a definite answer from them, but they were \_\_\_\_\_.

40. Some people are risk takers and prefer to invest \_\_\_\_\_.

41. The \_\_\_\_\_ investor does her homework before investing her money.

42. We decided to hire Joan as our new human resource director. She is punctual, she has a good \_\_\_\_\_ and people like her.

43. Don't \_\_\_\_\_ all of your time in just one project; focus on two or three different ventures to have a greater chance of success.

44. The investor's \_\_\_\_\_ consisted of blue-chip company stocks and government bonds.