

Choose the best alternative.

1. This is an opportunity that comes once in a lifetime. We _____ let it pass.

- A) don't have to B) shouldn't have
C) needn't D) mustn't

2. I _____ go to the cinema than study English.

- A) would rather B) had better C) need to D) should

3. When I was a child my father _____ read me a story every night before bed.

- A) was going to B) was used to C) would D) got used to

4. A: Did you enjoy the concert? B: It was OK, but I _____ to the theatre.

- A) needn't have gone B) must have gone
C) had better go D) would rather have gone

5. A: How much do you weigh? B: _____.

- A) I needn't have told you B) I'd rather not tell you
C) I couldn't have told you D) I'd better not be told

6. When I was a child, I _____ a flashlight to bed with me so that I _____ read comic books without my parents' knowing them.

- A) used to take / could B) was used to taking / am able to
C) would take / can D) would have taken / was able to

7. After looking at his notes again, he _____ to complete the exercise.

- A) could B) was able C) can D) has been able

8. If we don't book seats soon, we _____ to get into the concert.

- A) are able B) won't be able C) will be able D) can't

9. If we went to live in the tropics, I _____ buy some thin clothes.

- A) will have to B) have to
C) would have to D) have had to

10. If there is fuel shortage, solar energy _____.

- A) has to develop B) will have to be developed
C) had had to develop D) had to be developed

11. When she got thinner, she _____ take her dress in.

- A) will have to B) should C) has to D) had to

12. Mary _____ any chocolates, but she did.

- A) shouldn't eat B) ought not to have eaten
C) ought not to eat D) must not have eaten

13. Your umbrella is wet. It _____ raining.

- A) must be B) should be C) can be D) might be

14. _____ the pains come again, don't hesitate to phone me.

- A) Would B) Should C) Will D) Had

15. _____ it been raining, I'd have needed my umbrella.

- A) Should B) Would C) Might D) Had

16. A: I took Janet to the cinema last night. B: You _____ me too. I was at home.

- A) might take B) may have been taken
C) might have taken D) must have taken

17. I don't think it _____. Check the weather forecast again.

- A) can snow B) might have snowed
C) must snow D) can be snowed

18. Lucy is very late. She _____ her train.

- A) may miss B) may have missed
C) had to miss D) should have missed

19. I walked to school this morning, but I _____ a bus.

- A) didn't need to take B) had better take
C) might take D) could have taken

20. The flower is dead. Maybe I _____ it more water.

- A) might give B) needed to give
C) should have given D) ought to have been given

21. These flowers _____ twice a week, but I always forget to water them.

- A) ought to water B) ought to have been watered
C) should be watered D) needn't have been watered

22. Why don't you buy a lottery ticket. You _____ a large prize.

- A) might win B) may have won
C) could have won D) must have won

23. Why did you take such a risk? You _____ died!

- A) could have B) must be C) might D) may be

24. We _____ our towels because we knew the hotel would provide some.

- A) didn't need to pack B) needn't pack
C) don't have to pack D) needn't have been packed

25. It was very cold in the morning. You _____ your sweater.

- A) could wear B) need to wear
C) should have worn D) might wear

26. "I was supposed to call her at seven." means: _____.

- A) I called her at seven B) I was called by her at seven
C) I could call her at seven. D) I should have called her at seven

27. You _____ for me; I could have found the way all right.

- A) needn't have waited B) could have waited
C) don't have to wait D) didn't need to wait

28. Janet _____ some problem. She keeps crying.

- A) must have had B) must have
C) needs to have D) may have had