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PROGRESS TEST 4

WORD PATTERNS

Question 1. When confronted inside the bar, Searle said he did not _____ to do the damage that had occurred.

A. get B. open C. look D. mean

Question 2. She grabbed the rail to _____ herself from falling.

A. stop B. drop C. miss D. go

Question 3. I find it hard to believe that a man can be so _____ of something that happened 14 million years ago.

A. important B. certain C. significant D. accurate

Question 4. The police suspect John and Mary are _____ in the the burglary.

A. involves B. involved C. involving D. involve

Question 5. They are _____ against teams of full-time professional players.

A. striving B. insuring C. competing D. providing

Question 6. At other times, when highly anxious, I feel like a bee stuck in a tiny box constantly buzzing around and trying to get _____ of something and constantly hitting walls.

A. nervous B. free C. afraid D. confident

Question 7. Why do people find it so _____ to produce copy that is on time and on brand?

A. necessary B. associated C. pleasant D. difficult

Question 8. In the domestic market coal use will be _____ largely on electricity generation and steel manufacture

A. relied B. united C. scored D. concentrated

PHRASES AND COLLOCATIONS

Question 9. So we get pleasure _____ looking at a pretty face, or listening to music, or eating certain foods.

A. in B. on C. at D. from

Question 10. I wouldn't have been afraid of _____, either, because I was a flier on my high school cheerleading squad.

A. heights B. lengths C. Widths D. shallows

Question 11. Steve has a _____ for drawing. His portraits are particularly good.

A. talent B. knowledge C. maintenance D. skill

Question 12. She suggested that Roush should _____ time taking care of her son.

A. give B. get C. spend D. run

Question 13. The initiative was especially popular _____ Denver lawyers and dentists offices.

A. from B. of C. away D. among

Question 14. One way or another, we _____ time for nutritional self-maintenance on a daily basis.

A. tell B. rise C. find D. turn

Question 15. When his father learned of the new complication, he left and didn't turn _____.

A. down B. right C. up D. around

Question 16. Why is it that you always _____ him when he and I argue? I never do that to anyone. I form my own opinions.

A. side with B. take to C. take away D. keep up with

Question 17. They should just keep drinking tea if they are raving _____ on caffeine overdose.

A. happy B. satisfied C. mad D. pleased

Question 18. Going into only his third season, the young Mexican now has the _____ of a lifetime in the form of a top-line drive.

A. chance B. potential C. power D. expertise

Question 19. The idea is that you do your _____ not to subject those around you to the many ravages of your little disease.

A. thing B. advance C. best D. time

Question 20. Although I am taciturnity, I _____ the best of chance to do verbal presentation, it increases my confidence presently.

A. make B. leave C. meet D. arrive

Question 21. I am from New Zealand, as a country we have being on the winning _____ of every war we have fought.

A. chance B. near C. face D. side

VOCABULARY IN CONTRAST

Question 22. Chicago _____ in a season high, topping its best of 123 against Phoenix.

A. marked B. scored C. pointed D. indicated

Question 23. The experience of observing these events has felt like being a _____ at a performance of a football match.

A. audience B. viewer C. spectator D. bystander

Question 24. The _____ between one campaign and the next is not usually measured in hours.

A. interval **B.** weekday **C.** decade **D.** quarter

Question 25. Unfortunately, the game was cancelled because of a waterlogged _____.

A. pitch **B.** pavement **C.** border **D.** edge

Question 26. The punishment depends on how the _____ interprets the rules.

A. goalkeeper **B.** participant **C.** umpire **D.** striker

Question 27. You must not let your personal reactions interfere with your _____ judgement.

A. interesting **B.** professional **C.** practical **D.** accomplished

Question 28. Andy Stevenson's powerful strike as _____ approached was followed by an injury time free kick from Ian Helliwell.

A. free time **B.** period **C.** half time **D.** timeless

Question 29. This _____ is quite smooth, and today it offered a lot of grip with these tyres.

A. track **B.** ground **C.** stage **D.** sideline

PHRASAL VERBS

Question 30. The object of the game is to _____ the animal when it pops up out of a hole.

A. check out **B.** make over **C.** knock out **D.** take up

Question 31. The circus is planning to _____ of the suburb park tomorrow morning.

A. lash out **B.** hand out **C.** bring out **D.** pull out

Question 32. He agreed to _____ deadlines for reducing phosphates in the lake.

A. move forward **B.** look forward **C.** bring forward **D.** step forward

Question 33. But every part of the brain has a function, so we _____ using it all at some time

A. come around to **B.** get through to **C.** get up to **D.** get round to

Question 34. I always assumed he _____ with the losses to gain access to power and influence

A. put up **B.** end up **C.** put in **D.** move in

Question 35. _____ for knowing glances, avoiding eye contact or mumbling when they answer.

A. Look at **B.** Look forward **C.** Look out **D.** Move over

Question 36. I _____ beefburgers after I got food poisoning from a takeaway.

A. stopped off **B.** put off **C.** went off **D.** showed off

Question 37. Then there is the problem of who to sell the company to or _____ partnerships.

A. get around **B.** come out **C.** set down **D.** join in

SYNONYM

Question 38. He doesn't necessarily take pleasure in his work, but he loves the nomadic, airborne lifestyle.

A. have interest **B.** believe **C.** disappoint **D.** qualify

Question 39. Bangladeshis seem, for the time being, rather happy with emergency arrangements.

A. for the first time **B.** at times **C.** for now **D.** for all

Question 40. Steve in turn fired Frank Solich and hired a horrible coach named Bill Callahan.

A. consecutively **B.** regularly **C.** habitually **D.** usually

Question 41. If ever there was any sort of argument, she'd always side with my father against me.

A. support **B.** oppose **C.** object **D.** imitate

WORD FORMATIONS

Question 42. I had the _____ to share a room with someone who snored loudly.

A. fortunate **B.** fortunately **C.** misfortune **D.** unfortunate

Question 43. Managers said it was important to stay listed to _____ customer confidence.

A. maintain **B.** maintainable **C.** maintenance **D.** maintainer

Question 44. Some new students have lost their jobs and are looking to _____ for another field.

A. trainer **B.** training **C.** retrain **D.** trainable

Question 45. _____ factions on the committee are refusing to compromise.

A. Opposition **B.** Opponent **C.** Oppose **D.** Opposing

Question 46. We're trying to _____ them with the knowledge they need to develop their projects.

A. equipment **B.** equipage **C.** equipoise **D.** equip

Question 47. She is entitled to her personal _____ which is three thousand pounds of income.

A. allow **B.** allowance **C.** allowable **D.** disallow

ANTONYM

Question 48. We're going to have a seven-hour layover in Newark, so we'll need to find a way to take up time with the kids.

A. save time B. high time C. keep time D. overtime

Question 49. I don't know if I can finish the whole job in one day, but I'll do my best.

A. struggle B. neglect C. determine D. content

Question 50. Many retired people take up gardening as a hobby.

A. begin B. end C. found D. originate

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