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PROGRESS TEST 24

ERROR IDENTIFICATION

Question 1. On her way to her interview she silently rehearsal what she would say.

- A. silently B. On C. rehearsal D. would

Question 2. Someone proposed a motion to increase the membership ticket to £500 a year.

- A. proposed B. ticket C. increase D. to

Question 3. Listen on this! You can win a car just by answering three simple questions.

- A. questions B. on C. win D. answering

Question 4. I don't really get along to my sister's husband.

- A. to B. get C. don't D. sister's husband

Question 5. I didn't get much of an impressed of the place because it was dark when we drove through it.

- A. didn't B. because C. drove D. impressed

WORD PATTERNS

Question 6. I must apologize _____ our meeting at such short notice.

- A. of cancelling B. for cancelling C. to cancel D. to cancelling

Question 7. You have to stand up in court and _____ to tell 'the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth'.

- A. deserve B. object C. enjoy D. promise

Question 8. I try to avoid _____ shopping on Saturdays because the stores are so crowded.

- A. to go B. going C. gone D. went

Question 9. They are bound and determined _____ their own house someday.

- A. built B. building C. to build D. build

Question 10. Are you happy _____ your new working arrangements?

- A. at B. for C. about D. of

Question 11. I wish you'd spend more time at home _____ of going out drinking with your friends every night.

- A. lots B. instead C. kind D. fun

Question 12. It is _____ that a chain is only as strong as its weakest link.

- A. said B. spoken C. told D. talked

Question 13. You're _____ a bear with a sore head this morning. What's wrong with you?

- A. at B. as C. like D. in

PHRASES AND COLLOCATIONS

Question 14. The boys at school used to _____ fun of me because I have a crooked spine.

- A. get B. have C. take D. make

Question 15. Go into the living room and make yourself _____ home.

- A. to B. in C. at D. for

Question 16. When I first met him I _____ the impression that he was a shy sort of person.

- A. did B. had C. took D. made

Question 17. Did I _____ you the joke about the chicken crossing the road?

- A. tell B. say C. speak D. talk

Question 18. Everyone needs to have a good laugh now and then, to see the funny side of things, and to laugh _____ himself.

- A. in B. at C. on D. with

Question 19. How many countries _____ part in the last Olympic Games?

- A. got B. made C. took D. had

Question 20. They're going to _____ a party to celebrate a great year.

- A. come B. take C. make D. throw

Question 21. His financial expertise played a major _____ in London City airport's development.

- A. role B. need C. particle D. situation

Question 22. Competitors queue _____ to steal clients and key employees.

- A. in B. up C. on D. at

Question 23. She has a younger sister who is far more attractive and who _____ the show at every party.

- A. snatches B. grabs C. steals D. robs

Question 24. Employees should _____ a voice in the decision-making process.

- A. do B. take C. make D. have

Question 25. It's very rare that a book is so good you actually _____ out loud.

- A. laugh B. smile C. giggle D. sneer

Question 26. It _____ a bad impression if you're late for an interview.

- A. comes B. makes C. does D. takes

VOCABULARY IN CONTRAST

Question 27. We really _____ ourselves at the party! Thanks so much for inviting us!

- A.** entertained **B.** had fun **C.** enjoyed **D.** occupied

Question 28. The play wasn't supposed to be a comedy, but everyone started laughing when some of the _____ fell over and hit one of the actors.

- A.** scenery **B.** stages **C.** scenes **D.** acts

Question 29. I've got a(n) _____ for the school play tomorrow. I really hope I get a main part!

- A.** rehearsal **B.** practice **C.** audition **D.** performance

Question 30. I'm going to stay in and _____ TV tonight.

- A.** see **B.** watch **C.** look at **D.** view

Question 31. When you're learning to play a musical instrument, it's important to _____ for an hour or two every day.

- A.** rehearse **B.** practice **C.** train **D.** perform

Question 32. Did you read that _____ of the new Lloyd-Rice musical? It said it was awful!

- A.** review **B.** report **C.** summary **D.** criticism

Question 33. Being the conductor of a large _____ is an extremely demanding job. You have to make sure about a hundred musicians are playing in time.

- A.** group **B.** band **C.** company **D.** orchestra

Question 34. The water park we went to yesterday was fantastic, but the entrance _____ was a bit expensive.

- A.** ticket **B.** fee **C.** charge **D.** cost

PHRASAL VERBS

Question 35. Don't _____ other people to help you out of trouble.

- A.** count on **B.** count down **C.** fall for **D.** let down

Question 36. I must have _____ during the show, because I don't remember how it ended.

- A.** taken off **B.** dropped off **C.** got along **D.** showed off

Question 37. Try to _____ your parents who are honest and hardworking people.

- A.** take up **B.** take off **C.** take after **D.** take care

Question 38. She only bought that sports car to _____ and prove she could afford one.

- A.** put on **B.** let down **C.** take off **D.** show off

Question 39. They are running up the engine to see if the plane is ready to _____.

- A.** take off **B.** take after **C.** take care **D.** take on

Question 40. Sadly, the film is _____ by an excessively simple plot.

- A. taken on B. let down C. put off D. taken over

Question 41. My birthday seems to _____ more quickly every year.

- A. come into B. come in C. come round D. come on

Question 42. He doesn't want to _____ the record books as the guy who walked away from his main responsibility.

- A. come up with B. keep up with C. go up to D. go down in

SYNONYM

Question 43. After changing the bed, I would **fall asleep** quickly.

- A. drop off B. stand out C. look after D. see off

Question 44. You weren't **paying attention to** what I was saying.

- A. getting along with B. standing in for C. taking part in D. concentrating on

Question 45. I'm good at tennis but I need to **practice** my serve.

- A. have B. leave C. train D. work

WORD FORMATIONS

Question 46. Her _____ has declined since her return from exile two years ago.

- A. popularity B. popular C. popularly D. unpopular

Question 47. We had _____ problems on our journey, including a flat tyre.

- A. variation B. variety C. varied D. various

Question 48. Are you getting _____ about your holiday?

- A. exciting B. excited C. excitement D. excite

ANTONYM

Question 49. Staying physically **active** in later years can also keep you feeling younger.

- A. gifted B. skilful C. inactive D. talented

Question 50. I **detest** having to get up when it's dark outside.

- A. hate B. enjoy C. dislike D. loathe

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