

1 In the jar there was a ... which looked like jam.

- a) material
- b) solid
- c) substance

2 Because his presentation was so confusing, ... people understood it.

- a) clever
- b) few
- c) less

3 I am ... her to arrive at any moment.

- a) expecting
- b) waiting
- c) hoping

4 You ... worry about the bill – I've already paid it.

- a) daren't
- b) might not
- c) needn't

5 I've made an appointment for 11 o'clock. Is that ... for you?

- a) fit
- b) convenient
- c) right

6 You look ... you've seen a ghost!

a) so that

b) that

c) as if

7 You ... blame yourself. It wasn't your fault.

a) daren't

b) won't

c) mustn't

8 I'm ... that I didn't pass the examination.

a) deceived

b) despaired

c) disappointed

9 This magazine has ... interesting article on space travel.

a) quite an

b) a partly

c) nearly an

10 Your sister is much taller ... you.

a) how

b) than

c) from

11 They always quarrel about coffee; she likes it strong, but he wants it

a) small

b) feeble

c) weak

12 Getting divorced was a ... decision for us.

a) firm

b) hard

c) large

13 Mr. Smith was ... in a road accident.

a) damaged

b) wronged

c) injured

14 I expected her at eight but she finally ... at midnight.

a) came to

b) turned up

c) came off

15 Buses into town run ... ten minutes or so.

a) each

b) all

c) every

16 Can you make ... what she has written there?

a) for

b) out

c) up for

17 I can't say what his name is though it is

- a) on the tip of my tongue
- b) on top of my tongue
- c) on my tongue's tip

18 Whether or not to abolish corporal punishment is still ... in political circles.

- a) proposal of contention
- b) a bone of contention
- c) bone of agreement

19 I ... a nice watch two days ago.

- a) was given
- b) have been given
- c) would give

20 As bold as This phrase means cheeky, impudent.

- a) bones
- b) a bear
- c) brass

21 He was an ... writer because he persuaded many people.

- a) ordinary
- b) influential
- c) accurate

22 I ... seeing Mary tomorrow so I will give her your message.

- a) may be
- b) shall be
- c) could be

23 The temperature yesterday was about ... for this season.

- a) average
- b) middle
- c) moderate

24 Steven swims well and ... does his sister.

- a) also
- b) even
- c) so

25 The old man was very ... for my help.

- a) grateful
- b) pleased
- c) delighted

26 ... it was raining she went out without a raincoat.

- a) In spite
- b) However
- c) Although

27 Your progress will be ... in three months' time.

- a) valued
- b) evaluated
- c) counted

28 I don't know why she complains. She doesn't earn as ... as I do.

- a) less
- b) few
- c) little

29 The organization will not be ... any new members.

- a) taking up
- b) taking off
- c) taking on

30 She can make a delicious ... out of almost anything.

- a) food
- b) meal
- c) plate