

I. Choose the best option to complete the questions.

1. These students never do anything _____ the teacher shows them.
A. as if B. as C. because D. if
2. When I told her the news she acted _____ it was my fault.
A. as B. although C. as though D. that
3. It sounds _____ it is raining.
A. as if B. even if C. now that D. in case
4. The dog isn't a child, but they treat it as if it _____ a child.
A. had been B. were C. is D. be
5. Why can't we live our life _____ we want to live it?
A. how B. as if C. or D. because
6. How can the boss act _____ nothing had happened?
A. if B. as though C. so D. therefore
7. The boss behaved _____ he always does.
A. as if B. like C. in case D. when
8. She acted _____ she were mad.
A. as B. as if C. because D. if
9. We try to work honestly _____ we won't feel ashamed in any situation.
A. as if B. in order that C. the way D. although
10. I feel _____ I am floating on air.
A. yet B. that C. as if D. if
11. They seem to be really angry. It sounds _____.
A. as if they are having an argument B. they are tired
C. as though they haven't met for ages D. as they are not friends
12. He is very late. It looks as if he _____.
A. is not coming B. came C. did not come D. had not come
13. _____ former radio-broadcaster and actor, Ronald Reagan is an excellent speaker.
A. Like B. As C. As a D. As if
14. He has lost a lot of weight _____ he went on that diet.
A. as if B. since C. even though D. when
15. He acted as if he _____ English perfectly.
A. known B. know C. knew D. is knowing
16. We have bought extra food _____ our guests stay to dinner.
A. when B. in case C. as if D. so that
17. "You can go to the party tonight _____ you are sober when you come home."
A. as soon as B. as long as C. as if D. as far as
18. You can use my car _____ you drive carefully.
A. as long as B. as C. unless D. until
19. Beautiful _____ the necklace was, we didn't buy it because we thought it was over-priced.
A. as B. as although C. so D. however
20. I'd _____ the operation unless it is absolutely necessary.
A. rather not have B. not rather had C. rather not to have D. rather not having
21. He looked frightened as if he _____ a ghost.
A. sees B. is seeing C. has seen D. had seen
22. Doctor, I feel as if my head _____ on fire at the moment.
A. is B. were C. had been D. be

23. Everybody was exhausted. It looked as if they _____ hard.
A. had been working B. worked C. were working D. have worked
24. They are making so much noise. It looks as if they _____ a party.
A. are having B. had C. have had D. will have
25. My neighbors always treat us as though we _____ their servants.
A. are B. have been C. were D. would be
26. It is cloudy. It looks as if it _____.
A. was raining B. is going to rain C. would rain D. had rained
27. It seems _____ those students hadn't learnt this grammar point before.
A. so that B. as if C. such that D. even though
28. His mother is crying as if she _____ a baby.
A. is B. had been C. were D. was
29. He often acts as if he _____ the Prime Minister
A. will be B. was C. has been D. would be
30. He walks into the furniture as if he _____ blind.
A. is B. were C. had been D. has been
31. Don't look at me _____ it were my fault.
A. as though B. because C. if D. when
32. I don't like Norma. She talks _____ she knew everything.
A. because B. as if C. although D. if
33. The house is quiet as though nobody _____ at home.
A. were B. has been C. is D. will be
34. The room was very messy as if there _____ a bomb explosion.
A. was B. was having C. had been D. is
35. Don't talk to me as if I _____ a child
A. am B. were C. was D. had been
36. He walks as if he _____ a wooden leg.
A. has B. had C. has had D. is having

II. Identify the underlined part that needs correction .

37. Today it is almost impossible imagining the world as it was before the invention of
A B C
the automobile.
D
38. The old lady dresses as if it is winter even in the summer.
A B C D
39. Angelique walks as though she has studied modelling.
A B C D
40. Betty talked about the contest as if she won the grand prize last month.
A B C D
41. When I saw Helen, she looked as if she saw a ghost.
A B C D
42. He's always asking me to do things for her as if I don't have enough to do.
A B C D
43. After the interruption, the speaker carried on talking as if nothing happened.
A B C D
44. Ann sounded as if she has a cold, didn't she?

A B C D

III. Rewrite each of the following sentences so that its meaning remained unchanged

45. I had a feeling that I was walking in the air.

→ I feel as though

46. He spent his money like a prince.

→ He spent his money as if

47. You speak like a prophet.

→ You speak as though

48. She pretended not to know me.

→ She looked as if she

49. He appears to be running away from your fierce dog.

→ It looks as if

50. He doesn't know how to use a computer.

→ He talks as though.....

10. I. CONJUNCTIONS

I. Choose the correct answer.

1. The sky was gray and cloudy. _____, we went to the beach.

A. Consequently B. Nevertheless C. Even though D. In spite of

2. I turned on the fan _____ the room was hot.

A. due to B. despite C. even though D. because

3. Sam and I will meet you at the restaurant tonight _____ we can find a baby-sitter.

A. although B. unless C. otherwise D. only if

4. Carol showed up for the meeting _____ I asked her not to be there.

A. even though B. despite C. provided that D. because

5. You must lend me the money for the trip. _____, I won't be able to go.

A. Consequently B. Nevertheless C. Otherwise D. Although

6. The road will remain safe _____ the flood washes out the bridge.

A. as long as B. unless C. providing that D. since

7. The roles of men and women were not the same in ancient Greece. For example, men were both participants and spectators in the ancient Olympics. Women, _____ were forbidden to attend or participate.

A. nevertheless B. on the other hand

C. therefore D. otherwise

8. The windows were all left open. _____, the room was a real mess after the windstorm.

A. Nevertheless B. However C. Consequently D. Otherwise

9. It looks like they're going to succeed _____ their present difficulties.

A. despite B. because of C. even though D. yet

10. _____ Marge is an honest person, I still wonder whether she's telling the truth about the incident.

A. In spite of B. Since C. Though D. In the event that

11. The professor told me that I was doing well, _____ my final grade was awful!

A. so B. therefore C. in spite of D. yet