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CHUYÊN ĐỀ 5:
INFINITIVES
(Động từ nguyên mẫu)

I. Put the verbs in the correct form: the gerund (e.g. *working*) or to + infinitive (e.g. *to work*).

1. I'd like (work) _____ as part of a team.
2. I enjoy (help) _____ people with their problems.
3. I don't mind (not earn) _____ a very large salary.
4. I'm good at (listen) _____ to people.
5. I'm happy (work) _____ by myself.
6. (Take) _____ risks doesn't worry me.
7. I'm not afraid of (manage) _____ large amount of money.
8. It's important for me (be) _____ creative.
9. I'm able (calculate) _____ space and distance.
10. I went to the bank (get) _____ some money.
11. I want you (tell) _____ exactly what happened.
12. Some couples can go on (not speak) _____ to each other for days after an argument.
13. The service had been so bad that the manager agreed (not charge) _____ us for our meal.
14. I wish (see) _____ the manager.
15. Some people seem (have) _____ the passion for writing to the newspapers.

II. Put the verbs in brackets in the infinitive (with or without *to*)

16. I must (listen) _____ to some of their songs before I go to the concert.
17. Our teacher makes us (check) _____ our homework.
18. Mark learned (play) _____ the guitar when he was a teenager.
19. My girlfriend is very possessive. She doesn't let me (go out) _____ with my friends any more.
20. Kim expected (get) _____ her exam results on Friday.
21. He managed (pass) _____ his driving test although he was really nervous.
22. We'd better (do) _____ some online shopping – there isn't much food for the weekend.
23. She lets her children (stay) _____ up very late.
24. Would you mind showing me how (work) _____ the lift.
25. She made her son (wash) _____ the windows before he could go outside (play) _____ with his friends.

III. Choose the best answer.

26. It's difficult _____ a good job these days.
A. finding B. to find C. find
27. He isn't very good at _____ decisions.
A. making B. to make C. make
28. They promised _____ me at the end of the month.
A. paying B. to pay C. pay
29. I should _____. It's getting late.
A. going B. to go C. go
30. _____ an application form can take ages.
A. Filling in B. To fill in C. Fill in
31. My girlfriend told me _____ her later.
A. calling B. to call C. call

32. The film I saw last night made me _____.
 A. crying B. to cry C. cry
33. I went to the supermarket _____ some bread.
 A. buying B. to buy C. buy
34. I gave up _____ basketball when I went to university.
 A. playing B. to play C. play
35. I can't imagine _____ get up at 6.00 every morning.
 A. having to B. to have to C. have to

IV. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb.

36. My sister is trying (find) _____ a new job. She doesn't get on with her boss.
37. Do you remember (climb) _____ the apple tree in our parents' garden when we were children?
38. We need (call) _____ a plumber because the shower's broken.
39. I remembered to buy the milk, but I forgot (buy) _____ any bread!
40. If you can't sleep at night, try (read) _____ a book in bed. It will help you relax.
41. I didn't remember (turn off) _____ the cooker, so the kitchen was full of smoke.
42. Your hair needs (cut) _____. It's really long!
43. I'll never forget (see) _____ the Grand Canyon for the first time.

V. Choose the best answer.

44. "If I were you, I wouldn't invite Tam to the party," said Mai to me.
 A. Mai advised me not to invite Tam to the party.
 B. Mai suggested that I should invite Tam to the party.
 C. According to Mai, Tam was not invited to the party.
 D. Mai wanted to know why I didn't invite Tam to the party.
45. "Sorry madam, looking after visitors' belongings is not my duty."
 A. He apologized for not taking care of visitors' belongings.
 B. He said he was not responsible for looking after visitors' belongings.
 C. He promised he would take care of visitors' belongings.
 D. He asked me if looking after visitors' belongings was his duty.
46. "If I were you, I wouldn't trust Peter," she told John.
 A. She said that John didn't trust Peter.
 B. John told her that he didn't trust Peter.
 C. John ordered Peter not to trust her.
 D. She advised John not to trust Peter.
47. My friend told me, "Would you like to have a picnic this weekend?"
 A. My friend invited me to have a picnic that weekend.
 B. My friend suggested having a picnic that weekend.
 C. My friend advised me having a picnic that weekend.
 D. My friend reminded me to have a picnic that weekend.
48. I often spend 15 minutes riding to school every day.
 A. It often takes me 15 minutes to riding to school every day.
 B. It often takes me 15 minutes to ride to school every day.
 C. It often takes me 15 minutes ride to school every day.
 D. It often takes me 15 minutes riding to school every day.

VI. Rewrite each of the following sentences with infinitive.

49. I expect to hear from you.

I am looking forward _____

50. Remember to phone me as soon as you come home.

Don't _____