

1. It is very important for a firm or a company to keep _____ the changes in the market.

A. pace of B. track about C. touch with D. up with

2. The forecast has revealed that the world's reserves of fossil fuel will have _____ by 2015.

A. taken over B. caught up C. used off D. run out

3. We intend to _____ with the old system as soon as we have developed a better one.

A. do up B. do in C. do away D. do down

4. Put your shoes on properly or you'll _____ over.

A. get B. turn C. fall D. bend

5. The teacher made a difficult question, but at last, Joe _____ a good answer.

A. came up with B. came up to C. came up against D. came up for

6. Unexpectedly the lights _____ and we were left in darkness.

A. turned down B. went out C. put off D. gave away

7. The train to the center of the city was _____ by a heavy snowfall.

A. held up B. took back C. put off D. given out

8. My hat has just _____ behind the sofa although I thought I had lost it.

A. turned up B. gone away C. run into D. come across

9. Jim's _____ flu again. That's the third time this year.

A. gone down with B. put up with C. led up to D. come up with

10. Considering how little they have got in common, it's surprising how well they _____ together.

A. get through B. get on C. get down D. get up

11. Her brother was offered the manager's job, but he _____. He said he didn't want the responsibilities.

A. turned it off B. turned it down C. threw it away D. put it off

12. Roger Federer couldn't _____ the possibility of withdrawing from the championship because of injury.

A. rule out B. pass over C. come off D. do without

13. He is disappointed at not being offered the job, but I think he will _____ it.

A. turn off B. fill in C. get over D. take after

14. Lucy was late for school this morning because the alarm didn't _____ as usual.

A. ring off B. go off C. get off D. take off

15. His son _____ him so much that we can't see any differences between them.

A. takes after B. looks up C. takes in D. looks over

16. My sister-in-law is beloved by all my relatives for she can _____ all right after getting married.

A. get on well with B. get up C. get over D. get out of

17. I know we had an argument, but now I'd quite like to _____.

A. look down B. make up C. fall out D. bring up

18. Don't worry about trying to catch last train home, as we can easily _____ you _____ for the night.

A. keep/off B. put/up C. take/out D. set/off

19. The thieves ran away when the burglar alarm _____.

A. went out B. went on C. went off D. went

20. Boys! Put your toys _____. It is time to go to bed. Don't stay _____ late.

A. around/for B. away/up C. down/off D. off/to