

242. Some felt that five years in prison was lenient, considering the suffering he had caused.

- A. disappointed B. satisfied
C. occupied D. strict

243. Thanks to medical advances, life expectancy has greatly improved in the last few decades.

- A. developments B. reductions
C. progress D. expansion

244. Problems arise if the parents' approach to discipline is inconsistent.

- A. enhanced B. compatible
C. contradicted D. incorporated

245. It's commonly believed that poor hygiene can generate disease.

- A. prevent B. produce C. affect D. supply

246. A number of houses were demolished so that the supermarket could be built.

- A. abused B. ruined
C. endorsed D. constructed

247. She wished that something miraculous would happen and Miles would fall in love with her.

- A. false B. improper C. ordinary D. ugly

248. Skills can be enhanced by the appropriate use of technology in certain circumstances.

- A. ill-prepared B. unimportant
C. unsuitable D. irregular

249. There could be a serious accident as a result of their thoughtless actions.

- A. pleasant B. kind C. honest D. thoughtful

250. The Soviet Union became anxious to withdraw its soldiers from the Afghan imbroglio.

- A. advance B. balance C. reduce D. retreat