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Choose the best option. (Each question is 2 points)

1. A: What _____ Jane _____ in her free time?

B: She goes swimming.

A) do/does C) is/does

B) does/do

D) is/do

E) does/doing

2. Yesterday morning, I met my friends and _____ tennis with them. What _____ you do?

A) plays / did

C) play/ did

B) play / do

D) played / did

E) played/ do

3. Normally he has a casual style but he _____ a blue jacket today, because he _____ to the gym right now.

A) wears / goes

C) wearing / going

B) wear / go

D) are wearing /are going

E) is wearing / is going

4. Mark is one of my best friends. We _____ each other for over 15 years.

A) knew

C) have known

B) known

D) have been knowing

E) had known

5. Sorry I've missed your call. I _____ shower when you called.

A) am taking

C) took

B) was taking

D) take

E) had taken

6. If people _____ too much, they _____ fat.

A) eat/get

C) ate/gets

B) doesn't eat/ doesn't get

D) eats/gets

E) will eat/ gets

7. If my grandfather was alive, he _____ 110 years old.

A) will be

C) was

B) is

D) were

E) would be

8. You look very confused by the homework, Clive? _____ I help you?

A) Will

C) Must

B) Need

D) Can

E) Have to

9. When Tim was 16, he _____run 100 metres in 11 seconds.

A) may

C) should

B) could

D) can

E) has to

10.The deadline for this project is next week. We _____ finish it tonight.

A) **don't have to**

C) mustn't

B) can't

D) may not

E) shouldn't

11.My bedroom was very cold _____I forgot to close the window.

A) so

C) because

B) but

D) and

E) or

12.They felt very bored, _____ they turned on the TV and watched a comedy movie.

A) so

C) but

B) before

D) because

E) However

13. _____ reading is my favourite hobby, that book is very boring. I could not finish reading it.

A) Although

C) But

B) Unless

D) And

E) After

14. These chips are horrible! You've put _____ salt on them for my taste.

A) many

C) enough

B) very few

D) too much

E) much

15. He is _____ lazy. Although he had _____ days to finish the project, he waited till the last day.
- A) too/ several C) too/ much
 B) very/ a little D) enough/ many
 E) very/ little
16. My mother cleans the house, washes the dishes and cooks. She does all the _____. My father just goes to work.
- A) exams C) homework
 B) housework D) framework
 E) hometown
17. John writes articles. He's a/an _____.
- A) mechanic C) singer
 B) journalist D) artist
 E) architect
18. Although it's too expensive, my brother is trying to arrange a/n _____ for his vacation in Dubai.
- A) accommodation C) job
 B) information D) furniture
 E) advice
19. Tom Jones played for the Dallas Cowboys football team, where the fans called him 'Too Tall Jones'. He got this _____ because, at 2.1 metres, he was the tallest player in the league.
- A) pen name C) surname
 B) forename D) nickname
 E) family name
20. The movie we watched yesterday was very long and _____. I didn't like it at all.
- A) interesting C) bored
 B) boring D) interested
 E) lovely
21. This bag costs only \$20. It is very _____.
- A) expensive C) pricey
 B) costly D) cheap
 E) small
22. Even though I studied hard, I didn't pass the exam. I am so _____.
- A) excited C) disappointed
 B) delighted D) pleased
 E) relaxed
23. John is _____. He always tells the truth.
- A) smart C) jealous
 B) shy D) organized
 E) honest
24. I didn't have enough money to _____ the rent. I'm penniless.
- A) take C) come
 B) believe D) feel
 E) pay
25. Next week I'll fly to London to _____ my boyfriend. I really miss him.
- A) break C) clean
 B) visit D) advise
 E) hear
26. I'm _____ sorry! It is my mistake. I will fix the problem right away!
- A) happily C) well
 B) suddenly D) slightly
 E) terribly
27. I'm _____ waiting for the bus. It's late! I'm very sorry but I will be late for the meeting. Please start without me. I'll be there as soon as possible.
- A) yet C) politely
 B) still D) slowly
 E) safely
28. It takes 365 days for the earth to orbit _____ the Sun.
- A) over C) from
 B) around D) to
 E) across
29. Are UFOs real? Do you believe _____ UFOs?
- A) at C) in
 B) on D) under
 E) near
30. I'm very bad _____ cooking, so we often go _____ for meals.
- A) at/out C) in/out
 B) at/to D) in/to
 E) of/out

Read the text and choose the correct answer. (31-33)

John and His Family

Hi! My name is John. I live in a big house in London, United Kingdom with my parents and two sisters. My father is a doctor. He is forty-five years old. He is a tall man and he has got dark hair. My mother is a teacher and she is also forty-five years old. She is not tall. She has got long dark hair. My elder sister's name is Lucy and she is sixteen years old. My younger sister's name is Lily and she is twelve. I am fifteen years old and a high school student now. I really love maths and science but my favourite is music. I am having piano lessons after school. My dream job is to be a musician one day. I enjoy travelling also. My family and I travel and visit new places in our free time.

31. Where does John live?

- A) France
- B) Italy
- C) the UK
- D) the USA
- E) Spain

32. What does John want to be?

- A) musician
- B) doctor
- C) traveller
- D) teacher
- E) scientist

33. Which information is NOT true about John?

- A) His father is a tall man.
- B) He loves visiting new places.
- C) He has got two sisters.
- D) His favourite lesson is maths.
- E) His mother is 45 years old.

Read the text and choose the correct answer. (34-37)

The man with the most world records

Ashrita Furman is a record-breaking record-breaker: He has set more records than anyone else in the world! In the last 40 years, he has established more than 600 records! As a child, Ashrita loved reading the Guinness Book of World Records. He wanted to be in it, too. But he thought people had to be good at sports to be in the book. He wasn't a good athlete. He felt his dream would never come true. But later in life, Ashrita learned meditation, and with this, he learned that nothing is impossible. He tested this idea in 1978 by entering a 24-hour bike race in New York. Without any training, Ashrita came third! After that, he started thinking about breaking records again. First, he tried to break the record for the most jumping jacks. He failed at first, but, remembering that 'anything is possible', he trained, meditated and tried again. This time, he did 27,000 jumping jacks in 6 hours 45 minutes and became the

new record holder. His achievement appeared in the 1980 Guinness Book of Records. Today, Ashrita has a long list of records, including: walking the furthest distance with a bike on his chin, cycling the longest distance with a bottle on his head and lighting the most candles on a birthday cake. He says: "I choose ideas which are challenging, fun and childish! I enjoy practising and seeing my progress."

34. When Ashrita was a child, he _____.

- A) was good at sports.
- B) dreamed of being in the Guinness Book of Records
- C) achieved his first world record.
- D) met a record-breaking athlete.
- E) learnt everything from his family.

35. When he was a child, he thought that _____.

- A) one day he would achieve his dream.
- B) everything is possible.
- C) only good athletes could break records.
- D) he would become a good athlete one day.
- E) he could set more records than anyone else in the World.

36. When Ashrita did the 24-hour bike race, he learned that...

- A) training is important.
- B) breaking records is easy.
- C) anything is possible.
- D) meditation is unnecessary.
- E) becoming an athlete is boring.

37. Which of these sentences is NOT true about Ashrita?

- A) He failed in his first record-breaking attempt.
- B) His record-breaking activities are childish.
- C) In one record, he carried a bottle on his head while cycling
- D) He doesn't enjoy training for records.
- E) He stopped meditation after his records.

Read the text and choose the correct answer. (38-40)

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All around the world large cities have the same problem. That problem is air pollution. İstanbul has very bad air. The air **there** is dirty and very unhealthy. Cars are one reason for the dirty air. Many people in İstanbul now have their own cars and drive in the city. The factories in the area also cause air pollution. These factories put a lot of smoke into the air. It's not easy to clean up the air in a large city. The government has to make new laws and everyone has to help.

38. The best title for this passage could be _____.

- A) Cars and Traffic
- B) The World's Worst Problem
- C) Health Problems and Dirty Air
- D) Air Pollution**
- E) Factories

39. According to the passage, which sentence is False?

- A) Many people in İstanbul have cars.
- B) Factories are also a cause of pollution.
- C) Cars are not the only reason for the dirty air.
- D) New laws are needed for the prevention of air pollution in big cities.
- E) It's easy to clean up the air in a large city.**

40. "There" in sentence 2 refers to _____.

- A) **İstanbul**
- B) the cars
- C) the world
- D) the factories
- E) large cities

What does the second speaker say? (41-44)

41. A: This is Martin. Can I speak to Jack?
B: I'm afraid he is not here at the moment. _____.
A: Yes. Can you tell him to call me as soon as possible?
B: Sure.

- A) Can I leave a message?**
- B) Can I call him back?
- C) Speaking
- D) Can I take a message?
- E) Can you keep quiet?

42. A: John and I are getting married next month.
B: _____

- A) What a pity! Never mind!
- B) Oh, lovely! I hope you enjoy the film.
- C) That's fantastic! Congratulations!**
- D) Don't mention it.
- E) Yes, make yourself at home.

43. **Jean:** How was the play last night?
Tony: I didn't enjoy it very much.
Jean: _____?
Tony: It was too long and I got bored.

- A) Which theatre did you go to, the Grand and or New Stage?
- B) Had you seen it before?
- C) Didn't Meg enjoy it either?
- D) I haven't been to a theatre for a long time.
- E) Really? Why not?**

44. A: So, what's your research topic?
B: I've _____ since we last talked. I think I will write my paper on the Solar System instead of the Milky Way.

- A) kept it in mind
- B) changed my mind
- C) paid attention
- D) saved time
- E) made up my mind**

Where would you hear or see this? (45-48)

45. 'Stand back from the platform edge.'

- A) at a train station
- B) at the theatre
- C) in a nightclub
- D) in a bank
- E) in a police station

46. 'Please do not touch the exhibits'

- A) at the cinema
- B) at the office
- C) at a playground
- D) at a supermarket
- E) an art gallery

47. A: *New York 24seven*. How can I help you?

B: Hello. Can I speak to Barbara, please?

A: Just a second. I'll put you through.

- A) At a restaurant
- B) **On the phone**
- C) In the classroom
- D) At the hospital
- E) At a cafe

48. Where can you see this sign?



- A) At an airport
- B) At a stadium
- C) At a library
- D) **At a museum**
- E) At a petrol station

What are they talking about? (49-50)

49. Frank: Have you finished moving?

Sam: Yes, and it is enough for all my furniture.

Frank: I'm glad you like it.

What are they talking about?

- A) Sam's new job
- B) Sam's new bag
- C) Sam's new fridge
- D) Sam's new house
- E) Sam's new hobby

50. Tyler: My daughter wants to adopt one, too.

Marla: It makes you happy, but it also has many responsibilities.

Tyler: I know. It is a living thing, not a toy.

What are they talking about?

- A) Toys
- B) Children
- C) Clothes
- D) Holidays
- E) Pets

_____ **Good Luck** _____