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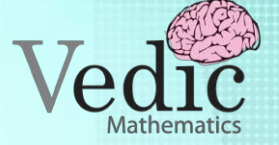
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Directions:

select the appropriate word for the given blank.

1) They wasted all the money on purchase of some _____ items.

- a) excellent b) important c) significant
d) quality e) trivial

2) The hotel was not too expensive _____

- a) was it? b) wasn't it?
c) is it ? d) isn't it ?

3) The reward was shared _____ the members of the cricket team.

- a) among b) for c) to
d) against e) between

4) The musician had a sore throat. Despite that, performance at the concert was _____.

- a) outstanding b) sub-standard c) undesirable
d) excellence e) happy

5) Ten miles _____ a long way to walk

- a) are b) is c) are being d) are not

6) He is weak _____ he does a lot of work

- a) and b) yet c) because d) so

7) The diamond necklace was _____ too extravagant for a simple dinner party.

- a) distance b) long
c) very much d) far

8) Our life promises a lot _____ pleasure and we must learn to enjoy it

- a) with b) for c) of d) at

9) A good teacher should _____ responses from the students

- a) elicit b) provoke
c) command d) infer

10) Kym was _____ in choosing her friends, so her parties were attended by vastly different and sometimes bizarre personalities.

- a) indispensable b) indiscriminate
c) commensurate d) propulsive
e) indisputable

11) Sarojini Naidu will always be remembered for her _____ to the national cause.

- a) blessing b) involvement c) pursuit
d) dedication e) command

12) All decisions _____ are likely to be taken by consensus

- a) anyhow b) forever
c) somehow d) however

13) With all of the recent negative events in her life, she felt _____ forces must be at work.

- a) resurgent b) premature
c) malignant d) punctilious
e) antecedent

14) The president's coterie of advisers was unable to offer him a _____ to the national problem.

- a) solvent b) solute
c) solution d) mixture

15) He was too _____ to make a statement before the Boss.

- a) shy b) tired c) timid d) coward

16) Speed is _____ essence

- a) in b) for c) about d) of

17) The employee did not _____ to the argument of the manager.

- a) Precede b) exceed
c) concede d) recede





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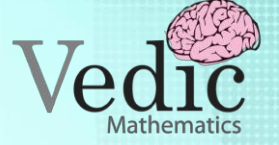
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18) When her schoolwork got to be too much, Pam had a tendency to _____, which always put her further behind.

- a) dedicate b) rejuvenate c) ponder
d) excel e) procrastinate

19) In a classroom students are to be trained to love _____

- a) each other b) all others
c) one another d) altogether

20) The country's economic growth was adversely _____ by political instability

- a) reflected b) effected
c) affected d) expected

21) Ruchi said that they must have a feast to _____ the victory.

- a) enjoy b) flaunt c) celebrate
d) expand e) forget

22) He _____ to all his friends that he was getting married.

- a) told b) related c) announced
d) called e) spoke

23) Today, as citizens of free India, we _____ both our democracy and our secularism.

- a) promote b) cherish c) establish
d) champion e) declare

24) Sadly, tomorrow's cricket match will have to be _____ due to bad weather.

- a) played b) un organized c) cancelled
d) won e) rained

25) He was _____ accept the grudgingly given invitation.

- a) Not enough sensible to
b) Sensible enough to
c) Sensible enough not to
d) Sensible enough to not

26) He thought the boy _____ to benefit the blacksmith.

- a) wants b) wanting c) desire
d) harm e) loose

27) Sincerity is the essential condition of a _____ friendship.

- a) durable b) highest c) motivated
d) flexible e) dynamic

28) All jobs are respectable _____ of their nature

- a) irrelevant b) immaterial
c) irresponsible d) irrespective

29) Fourteen kilometres _____ not a short distance, to reach to my office daily.

- a) are b) has c) have d) is

30) Candace would _____ her little sister into an argument by teasing her and calling her names.

- a) advocate b) provoke c) perforate
d) lamente e) expunge

31) John as well as his friends always _____ the permission of his mother before going for a rugby match.

- a) asks b) receives
c) seeks d) soughts

32) The building is not safe and must be _____ down

- a) pull b) pulling
c) pulled d) pulls

33) Ill health cannot dampen his spirits. He was found quite _____ at the ceremony.

- a) spiritual b) effervescent c) subdued
d) uncomfortable e) nervous

34) This novel is written _____ an Indian.

- a) by b) as c) from d) into e) after





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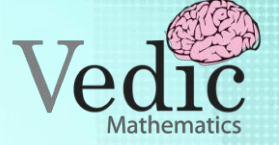
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35) His criticism was not that the economy was not growing at all, but of the _____ of urban growth at the expense of rural areas.

- a) laziness b) facility c) lopsidedness
d) extravagance e) None of these

36) Herbert was _____ a poet of religion. He explains in his poems Gods' ways to man.

- a) out-and-out b) many c) part and parcel
d) such e) first and foremost

37) Today's paper _____ that we shall have an election this year.

- a) states b) admits c) expresses
d) proposes e) gives

38) The more electricity you use _____

- a) your bill will be higher
b) will your bill be higher
c) will be higher your bill
d) the higher your bill will be

39) The cost of _____ is rising rapidly in this city

- a) being b) existing
c) surviving d) living

40) Many with _____ I have shared my thoughts have shown initial surprise.

- a) whom b) who c) which
d) that e) me

41) I know to _____ you are alluding

- a) who b) which c) where d) whom

42) The chef was wondering _____

- a) when to brush his teeth
b) what to prepare for the important dinner
c) how to wash the dishes
d) when to take the dog for a walk

43) Jimmy _____ avoids playing tennis on weekdays as it is very tiring.

- a) rarely b) usually c) greatly
d) highly e) poorly

44) I was washing my face as the insect _____ quietly into the bedroom

- a) crept b) creeps
c) was creeping d) has crept

45) Such a _____ violation of school policy should be punished by nothing less than expulsion.

- a) copious b) flagrant c) raucous
d) nominal e) morose

46) His friend _____ unexpectedly

- a) returned to b) come back
c) turned up d) get down

47) Moving to the city was eye-_____ for the straitlaced country girl.

- a) clearing b) freeing
c) saving d) opening

48) The United Government's statutory dues to the state-run retirement fund manager EPFO have _____ to Rs. 9115 Cr, being the highest of all time.

- a) Ballooned b) Blossomed c) Mitigate
d) Bundled e) Segregated

49) Being a _____ doctor, he never shirks work.

- a) conscious b) conscience
c) conscientious d) consensus

50) Each man and each woman _____ a vote

- a) have b) has
c) can d) must

