

Placement test

Choose the best answer.

1. The farmers _____ in the field now.

- A. were working B. have worked C. worked D. are working

2. Leaves turn color _____ the autumn.

- A. for B. in C. at D. on

3. The boy _____ by the teacher yesterday.

- A. punish B. punished C. punishing D. was punished

4. I _____ understand this letter. Will you translate it for me ?

- A. mustn't B. don't have to C. can't D. shouldn't

5. Would you mind _____ the door?

- A. open B. to open C. opening D. opened

6. Hoa was late _____ her car was broken down.

- A. if B. whether C. because D. while

7. Mary is _____ in our class.

- A. prettier B. more pretty C. most pretty D. the prettiest

8. It was late, so we decided _____ a taxi home.

- A. to take B. taken C. taking D. was taken

9. The plane _____ has just taken off is an hour late.

- A. it B. what C. which D. who

10. Mr. John _____ to Los Angeles in 1992.

- A. had gone B. has gone C. went D. was going

11. The Medical Center is close _____ the school.

- A. to B. at C. next D. from

12. A lot of homework _____ me tired.

- A. make B. makes C. have made D. are making

13. I can't work here. There's so much _____.

- A. noise B. noises C. the noise D. a noise

14. Gold _____ in California in the 19th century

- A. was discovered B. has been discovered C. was discover D. they discover

15. If I _____ the bus this afternoon, I will get a taxi instead.

- A. miss B. will miss C. missed D. had missed

16. Both Tom _____ Mary are students.

- A. and B. nor C. so D. with

17. Yesterday I _____ finish the work because I was very tired.

- A. could B. can't C. couldn't D. mustn't

18. Is there _____ for everyone ?

- A. food and drink enough B. enough food and drink
C. enough of food and drink D. enough food and drink enough

19. Are you interested _____ learning English ?

- A. of B. with C. along D. in

20. Toshi speaks _____ at home.

- A. the Japanese B. Japan C. the Japan D. Japanese

21. When I came to visit her last night, she _____ a bath.

- A. is having B. was having C. has D. had

22. If he _____ me, I'll be ready to help him.

- A. ask B. will ask C. asks D. to ask

23. Please hurry or you will be late _____ school.

- A. to B. for C. in D. at

24. You should give up _____ or you will die of cancer.

- A. smoke B. to smoke C. smoking D. smoked

25. My wedding ring _____ of yellow and white gold.

- A. is made B. is making C. made D. make

26. Minh was born_____ Ho Chi Minh city.

- A. on B.at C. in D. up

27. Do you need _____ ?

- A. an umbrella B. a umbrella C. umbrella D. an umbrellas

28. The man _____ spoke to John is my brother.

- A. whom B. who C. whose D. which

29. He _____ a cup of coffee every morning.

- A. drinks B. drank C. is drinking D. has drunk

30. I enjoy _____ to music.

- A. listen B. to listen C. listening D. listened

31. Do you still remember the day _____ we first met ?

- A. where B. whom C. which D. when

32. My mother _____ in this factory since 1990.

- A. works B. worked C. has worked D. had worked

33. _____ is a star.

- A. Sun B. A sun C. The sun D. Suns

34. Most of the pupils are _____ to pass the examination.

- A. enough good B. good enough C. too good D. very good

35. If I had money now, I _____ a car.

- A. will buy B. buy C. would buy D. had bought

36. Paul was _____ sad about his examination results that he didn't smile all week.

- A. enough B. so C. such D. too

37. Many birds will ____ more than 3,000 miles to reach their winter homes.

- A. flying B. fly C. be fly D. flew

38. I'll see you near the post office _____ we met the other day.

- A. which B. where C. when D. why

39. Up to now, the manager _____ a lot of information about his secretary.

- A. learned B. has learned C. had learned D. learns

40. You had better _____ at home until you feel better.

- A. stay B. to stay C. staying D. stayed

41. She can't get home ____ she has no money.

- A. unless B. if C. until D. without

42. _____ the flight delay, they didn't attend the conference.

- A. Because B. As C. Although D. Because of

43. Do you know the woman _____ lives next door ?

- A. she B. who C. whom D. her

44. The room is being _____ at the moment.

- A. was cleaned B. cleaned C. cleaning D. clean

45. What would Tom do if he _____ the truth ?

- A. would know B. has know C. knows D. knew

46. When we arrived _____ the station, the last train had just gone.

- A. in B. at C. for D. from

47. Laura _____ in Boston.

- A. are born B. were born C. was born D. born

48. _____ it was raining hard, he went out without a raincoat.

- A. Despite B. In spite of C. However D. Although

49. She'll come home _____ April.

- A. on B. in C. at D. for

50. I really must _____ on with my work now.

- A. to get B. getting C. get D. to getting

Answer key

1.D	2.B	3.D	4.C	5.C	6.C	7.D	8.A	9.C	10.C
11.A	12.B	13.A	14.A	15.A	16.A	17.C	18.B	19.D	20.D
21.B	22.C	23.B	24.C	25.A	26.C	27.A	28.B	29.A	30.C
31.D	32. C	33.C	34.B	35.C	36.B	37.B	38.B	39.B	40.A
41.B	42.D	43.B	44.B	45.D	46.B	47.C	48.D	49.B	50.C