1. This coming Sunday, there will be a long line of people ______ to get into the department for free designed handbags.
   (A) waits (B) waiting (C) waited (D) wait

2. Guam was a sunny, beautiful, cheap, and funny place; ______, it was perfect!
   (A) so (B) all in all (C) because (D) moreover

3. A ______ room deposit is due and payable within seven days of acceptance.
   (A) unsuspecting (B) nonrefundable (C) additional (D) reforming

4. There is some bread to go ______ your creamy Vegetable Chowder.
   (A) without (B) alone (C) for (D) with

5. The ______ exited the supermarket. Immediately, a security guard ran out of the store chasing him.
   (A) shoplifter (B) musician (C) infant (D) shopkeeper

6. Taipei city has welcomed tourists from all over the world, many of ______ agree that this city is one of the most friendly places in the world.
   (A) whom (B) where (C) which (D) whose

7. ______ a little preparation, traveling a new city can be safe and interesting.
   (A) Without (B) To (C) With (D) Toward

8. I hate the humid weather in summer. ______, I do like swimming and surfing.
   (A) So (B) Because (C) Therefore (D) However

9. Compared to cotton products, wool sweaters easily ______ if they’re not dry-cleaned by a professional.
   (A) purify (B) protect (C) shrink (D) break down

10. Seat belts and air bags might keep people safe and ______ in car accidents.
    (A) hurt (B) die (C) serve (D) survival

11. Couples can try taking turns on ______ day to complete house chores.
    (A) altering (B) advanced (C) flexible (D) alternate

12. People like to read magazines about celebrity ______.
    (A) paparazzo (B) gossip (C) agenda (D) fashion

13. Research suggests that men enjoy ______ channels, but women tend to stick to just one.
    (A) flipping through (B) to flip through (C) over through (D) going through

14. You need to ______ if you want to enter a good university.
    (A) knock down (B) knee down (C) bend down (D) knuckle down
15. As a foreigner in Japan, you should be familiar with at least the most basic ______.
   (A) entice  (B) etiquette  (C) antique  (D) religion

16. To qualify for the job application, a three-year work experience in the same field is ______.
   (A) required  (B) protected  (C) published  (D) decided

17. ______ did she know that the Chinese word for “cheers” means “dry glass”?
   (A) Less  (B) Little  (C) Few  (D) Least

18. Sometimes, children tend to join in the battle for the TV remote control. Indeed, the battle for a remote is not for the faint of heart. What does “the faint of heart” mean?
   (A) cowards  (B) braver  (C) heroes  (D) travelers

19. Many researchers advise students against ______ the midnight oil ______.
   (A) burned; studied  (B) to burn; to study
   (C) burning; studying  (D) burning; study

20. Individuals _____ are popular usually have good people skills.
   (A) whom  (B) which  (C) whose  (D) who

21. When men’s and women’s opinions on what to watch often ______, they have different habits as it comes to the TV remote control as well.
   (A) various  (B) different  (C) the same  (D) differ

22. Theodore Roosevelt once said, “The most important single ______ in the formula of success is knowing how to get along with people.”
   (A) integration  (B) factors  (C) ingredient  (D) ingredients

23. They sent us the wrong order. How can we help them ______ the bad situation.
   (A) correction  (B) putting right  (C) rectify  (D) rectification

24. We need to ______ the plane right now since it will take off soon.
   (A) boarding  (B) abroad  (C) take  (D) board

25. It is so amazing that my trip ______ with the festival.
   (A) coincides  (B) coincident  (C) occurs  (D) occasion

26. Kobe City was in a state of ______ after the tsunami, and people were eagerly looking for their relatives.
   (A) confusion  (B) confused  (C) confuse  (D) fusion

27. That will be great if we could ______ the speech into our conference.
   (A) exclude  (B) incorporate  (C) cooperate  (D) conclude

28. It is difficult to ______ how much food we should prepare for the banquet.
   (A) predictable  (B) pretrial  (C) forebode  (D) predict

29. Johnny enjoys the ______ as a computer programmer.
   (A) professional  (B) profession  (C) occupy  (D) specific

30. The skin beneath your eyes is very ______, so it’s important not to touch it too much.
   (A) delicate  (B) reflective  (C) observant  (D) functional

31. Brazil is the world’s fifth largest country ______ population.
   (A) with  (B) on  (C) by  (D) for
32. It had never ______ to me that you would be upset about my promotion.
   (A) attended  (B) considered  (C) occurred  (D) exchanged

33. The board’s vote to hire Mr. Bush as CEO was unanimous. What does unanimous mean?
   (A) proven  (B) agreed  (C) disagreed  (D) announced

34. The GIS department installed a filter to block junk mail. What does “junk mail” mean?
   (A) SPAM  (B) valuable mail  (C) precious mail  (D) document

35. I’m so happy with the results of our ______. You and I work well together!
   (A) meltdown  (B) yesteryear  (C) fascination  (D) collaboration

36-38 為題組

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36. What is the tone of this passage?
   (A) Disturbed.  (B) Oppressive.  (C) Melancholy.  (D) Enthusiastic.

37. Who would be most interested in this passage?
   (A) A Giraffe Woman.  (B) A tour guide in Thailand.  
   (C) Someone who wants to take a vacation.  (D) A traveler who returned from Thailand.

38. What does the writer imply about people who see Thailand from a tour bus?
   (A) They don’t really experience Thailand.  
   (B) They are not permitted to eat Thai food.  
   (C) They don’t take charge of their trip.  
   (D) They remind him of the Longneck Women.

39-40 為題組

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customers’ dining pleasure.

Just select the foods that you want from our website. In five business days, they will be delivered right to your door – fat free and amazingly delicious! Best of all, these foods are ready to use in the meals your customers love!

So what are you waiting for? Contact us today at acme@chemical.com!

39. Who would be most interested in this advertisement?
(A) Taiwanese people.  (B) Restaurant owners.
(C) Overweight people.  (D) Internet users.

40. Which of the following is true, according to the advertisement?
(A) These foods make people lose weight.
(B) These foods can only be bought online.
(C) Acme Chemical Foods is located in Taiwan.
(D) Acme delivers in less than a week.

41-45 為題組

If you get an invitation to a wedding in the United States, there are certain things you may be expected to do. After receiving the invitation, R.S.V.P. using the ____41____ envelope to tell the bride-to-be if you will attend the wedding. In the U.S., the bride’s family usually plans the wedding, so show respect ____42____ them by replying quickly. If you are female, more often than not, you’ll be invited to the bride’s wedding shower. This is a party ____43____ you “shower” the bride with gifts. Male guests may be asked to go to a bachelor party celebrating the groom’s last night as a single man. You may have heard about these parties – some are pretty wild! Most weddings are held in churches, but some are held in people’s homes. ____44____ if there is a reception afterwards. Because of the expense, some guests may not be invited to the wedding and the reception, ____45____ if you are, you’ll get to eat some delicious wedding cake!

41. (A) to enclose  (B) enclose  (C) enclosed  (D) enclosing
42. (A) at  (B) by  (C) for  (D) with
43. (A) for that  (B) at which  (C) by what  (D) with whom
44. (A) Find out  (B) Get on  (C) Keep up  (D) Make up
45. (A) for  (B) and  (C) or  (D) but
Some busy people say that they cannot take time to eat breakfast in the morning. Rather than eat a healthy meal, they will instead drink a cup of coffee and eat nothing before lunch.

In my opinion, this is **bogus**. I doubt if these people are getting enough nutrients in their diets to stay healthy. And I’m also not certain that they will be able to resist hunger cravings later in the day. Most likely, they will give in to the cravings they’ll get in mid-afternoon, and eat more unhealthy food, such as candy.

Regardless of the fact that you might not feel hungry in the morning, you are going to be healthier if you eat a nutritious breakfast each day. Breakfast? Bring it on!

46. What is the writer’s opinion of people drinking coffee rather than eating?
   (A) It’s a fair choice.  (B) It’s not preventable.
   (C) It’s a bad idea.  (D) He approves.

47. What does **bogus** mean?
   (A) phony  (B) true  (C) real  (D) funny

48. What does the writer mean by saying, “Bring it on!”?
   (A) Breakfast is bogus.  (B) Let’s all decide to eat breakfast!
   (C) Don’t bring unhealthy food!  (D) Give me some candy now!

49. What is closest in meaning to “nutrients”? 
   (A) Dangerous proteins in food.  (B) Unhealthy items in water.
   (C) Healthful elements in food.  (D) Healthy ways to go on a diet.

50. How does the writer feel about the fact that some people aren’t hungry in the morning?
   (A) They will thin down.  (B) They lie about it.
   (C) It’s nutritious.  (D) It doesn’t matter.