1. In my opinion, his leaving early was a very _______ thing.
   (A) child  (B) children  (C) childish  (D) childishly

2. Most movies are not as _______ as this one was.
   (A) interest  (B) interesting  (C) interested  (D) interestingly

3. No one is guilt, according to the company _______.
   (A) spokesperson  (B) speaker  (C) teller  (D) man

4. I believe the _______ for the delivery is high.
   (A) duty  (B) fine  (C) fee  (D) costly

5. There was a holiday ______ Monday
   (A) on  (B) at  (C) in  (D) for

6. The meeting starts ______ 10:30 A.M. in the first conference room.
   (A) on  (B) at  (C) in  (D) for

7. The sale goes on ______ the 20th.
   (A) through  (B) towards  (C) into  (D) for

8. ______ Ms. Brown worked for us, she had received training abroad.
   (A) When  (B) While  (C) After  (D) Before

9. Ms. Wilson refused the promotion ______ the large raise.
   (A) because  (B) despite  (C) but  (D) either

10. Mr. Ji ______ late since he was promoted.
    (A) has been rarely  (B) rarely has been  (C) has rarely been  (D) rarely been

11. The airport guard made us ______ our pockets at the security gate.
    (A) emptied  (B) emptying  (C) to empty  (D) empty

12. If Mr. Kim ______ the information, he would put it in the report.
    (A) has  (B) would  (C) will have  (D) had

13. Come to our Christmas party, if you ______ the chance.
    (A) have  (B) had  (C) will have  (D) don’t have

14. The Taipei branch of our company ______ six years ago today.
    (A) opens  (B) has opened  (C) opened  (D) was opening

15. If I ______ you, I would take the job and then ask for more money.
    (A) were  (B) was  (C) am  (D) had be

16. Please ______ the article for any grammar error.
    (A) look for  (B) check up  (C) look over  (D) check into

17. When you go to Portland, do you plan to ______ you customers?

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18. The secretary was able to get the envelopes ___ before the mail carrier arrived.
(A) were addressing (B) addressed (C) were addressed (D) being addressed

19. Some people don’t know how to eat properly. Their table manners are ___.
(A) edifying (B) attractive (C) appealing (D) shameful

20. The restaurant serves ____ food that I’ve eaten.
(A) the bad (B) worse (C) the worst (D) worst

21. The new accountant is considering ___ to another department.
(A) transfer (B) transferring (C) transferred (D) to transfer

22. Nobody will be ___ to the room after the conference has started.
(A) admitted (B) permitted (C) submitted (D) omitted

23. It is important to ____ your behavior so that you don’t offend the local people.
(A) adopt (B) adapt (C) advance (D) appropriate

24. Fashion trends aren’t only ____ by a few famous clothing designers.
(A) dictated (B) indicted (C) indication (D) dictator

25. I have a meeting this afternoon, so I am going to ____ now.
(A) dressing (B) well dressed (C) get dressed (D) dress down

26. Try to read as ____ as you can if you want to win the contest.
(A) fluent (B) fluently (C) fluency (D) functionally

27. The density of the population has increased, but the supply of available home is ____.
(A) larger (B) unlimited (C) smaller (D) closer

28. My father never missed a day of work, so he is very ____.
(A) response (B) responsible (C) restorable (D) comfortable

29. Some teachers believe students must be both physically and emotionally ____.
(A) relax (B) relaxed (C) relaxing (D) relaxation

30. The two-parent family is the correct way to ____ children.
(A) grow up (B) rise (C) raise (D) arise

31. Children of single parents have to fight ____ some frightening statistics.
(A) against (B) over (C) from (D) after

32. My father is used to ____ up early.
(A) get (B) got (C) gotten (D) getting

33. The homework ____ more than two hours to finish.
(A) cost (B) spent (C) taking (D) took

34. It is very difficult to revive ____ animals. What does extinct mean?
(A) dead (B) exist (C) living (D) growing

35. ____ is another reason for the rise in the cost of living.
(A) Influence (B) Inflation (C) Inflate (D) Inflatable
As in the West, gift-giving is a big part of Christmas, it takes on its own character in Japan. On their big night out, romantic partners may give each other flowers, cute toys, or rings or other jewelry. The family, parents may give presents to their young children, but children do not give anything to their parents. The idea here is that the gifts come from Santa Claus, so it only makes sense to give then while the children still young enough to believe in Santa.

36. (A) besides (B) but (C) therefore (D) for
37. (A) Within (B) Inside (C) For (D) As
38. (A) always (B) seldom (C) never (D) usually
39. (A) mark (B) made (C) make (D) makes
40. (A) was (B) were (C) is (D) are

For the last few years, however, there has been a movement to increase tourism, foreign and domestic, this normally slow time of the year. The agreed-upon goal is to bring more tourists to parts of the country. According to a report issued by an Indian industry group, appropriate destinations for the monsoon season, traditionally a very important time for Indian agricultural workers but less happy for those who work in the tourist trade, must remain by road during the wettest months and have a countryside that looks best during the rains.

41. (A) both (B) of (C) all (D) most
42. (A) during (B) at (C) because (D) on
43. (A) select (B) selected (C) selecting (D) selection
44. (A) access (B) easily (C) accessible (D) accessibly
45. (A) it’s (B) its (C) them (D) their

The Smoking Joy Hamburger restaurant chain reported that, cost cutting, it was able to double its profits this year to $52 million. Smoking Joy Hamburger is the second fast-food company in the country, after Big Burgers, which reported profits this year of $60 million, up from $48 million last year. Smoking Joy Hamburger plans to broaden its customer base by introducing a special low-fat, low-sodium menu geared senior citizens.

46. (A) according to (B) because (C) because of (D) due to that
47. (A) largest (B) luxury (C) large (D) larger
48. (A) toward (B) from (C) by (D) inside
49. How was Smoking Joy Hamburger able to increase its profit?
(A) By lowering its prices  (B) By introducing a new menu
(C) By getting more customers  (D) By decreasing its expenses

50. What were Smoking Joy Hamburger’s profits last year?
(A) $48  (B) $26  (C) $52  (D) $60