

**For questions 1 – 19 choose the correct answer and mark it on your answer sheet. Only one answer is correct.**

1. The tenants in my apartment building are allowed to hang lights on their doors for the holidays, but they .....

- a) mustn't
- b) can't
- c) don't have to
- d) couldn't

2. He thought ..... John might come.

- a) which
- b) what
- c) Ø
- d) if

3. I hope you remembered ..... the electricity bill. If you didn't, we'll have to pay a late fee.

- a) to pay
- b) paid
- c) paying
- d) pay

4. It is ..... film I have ever seen.

- a) worse
- b) the worse
- c) the worst
- d) worth

5. .... now, it is too early.

- a) Let not go
- b) Let not going
- c) Let's not going
- d) Let's not go

6. .... a beautiful present, ..... expensive it must have been!

- a) How / what
- b) How much / what
- c) What / How
- d) So / How

7. She is a pretty girl: she .....

- a) is good-looking
- b) look men
- c) looking well
- d) good looks

8. She has blue eyes: she is a .....

- a) blue-eyed
- b) blue-eyed girl
- c) blue eye
- d) blue eyes

9. Snow usually ..... in winter.

- a) is falling
- b) has fallen
- c) falls
- d) fall

10. "Why did he leave his home country?" " ..... a job."

- a) For finding
- b) To find
- c) In finding
- d) By finding

11. I'm very happy ..... in India. I really miss being there.

- a) to live
- b) to have lived
- c) to be lived
- d) to be living

12. They didn't reach an agreement ..... their differences.

- a) on account of
- b) due
- c) because
- d) owing

13. I wish I ..... those words. But now it's too late.

- a) not having said
- b) have never said
- c) never said
- d) had never said

14. The woman, who has been missing for 10 days, is believed .....

- a) to be abducted
- b) to be abducting
- c) to have been abducted
- d) to have been abducting

15. She was working on her computer with her baby next to .....

- a) herself
- b) her
- c) her own
- d) hers

16. If ..... a man on the moon, why can't they sort out paper-jams!

- a) we are landing
- b) they were able to land
- c) we had landed
- d) they had landed

17. It'll be fine ..... you do it the way I told you.  
 a) as like                      b) as could                      c) so as                      d) as long as
18. Sarah would have made sure John was here ..... were coming too.  
 a) when she had known I                      c) if she had known you  
 b) if he has known you                      d) if she knew
19. When their flight was delayed, they all had a meal at the airline's .....  
 a) account                      b) expense                      c) cost                      d) finance

**For questions 20 – 34 read the text below and decide which answer A, B, C or D best fits each space. Only one answer is correct.**

You know exams are around the corner and you can't stop checking your Facebook?

If that is 20) ....., you are 21) ..... to get bad results because of your more than apparent internet addiction.

22) ..... can be considered an internet addict when the internet becomes a priority in life, above other priorities, such as exams. Social media is known 23) ..... a rush of happiness and contentment 24) ..... the release of dopamine, a neurotransmitter which helps control the brain's reward and pleasure centres, and which plays a key role in addictions. The more people use social media, 25) ..... stimulation they receive, which makes them more vulnerable to addiction. And teens get more easily addicted to the internet and social media because their brains are still developing and they still have to set their priorities, and that makes it more difficult 26) ..... control their use of social media even when they know that they really need to study for exams.

Social media is a constant source of text, photographs, videos - all of 27) ..... provide stimulus to the brain making the activity addictive. And peer pressure also adds to it, because teenagers feel that they would miss out on what's going on among their friends if they 28) ..... constantly check their Instagram, WhatsApp or Facebook.

29) ..... seems that addiction to social media is more common in teens with lower self-esteem,

30) ..... their online interactions make them 31) ..... they are part of a group. Of course, parents on 32) ..... don't have a clue what their kids do online.

Not only 33) ..... have little or no idea how to technically control their children's behaviour online, but they also have the added problem that teenagers are absolute experts 34) ..... concealing everything from their parent.

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| 20) a) which      | b) it                 | c) like             | d) <u>so</u>         |
| 21) a) probable   | b) definitely         | c) <u>likely</u>    | d) probably          |
| 22) a) <u>One</u> | b) They               | c) People           | d) He                |
| 23) a) trigger    | b) <u>to trigger</u>  | c) that it triggers | d) to have triggered |
| 24) a) to         | b) since              | c) <u>owing to</u>  | d) because           |
| 25) a) the most   | b) <u>the more</u>    | c) more             | d) increasingly      |
| 26) a) them       | b) <u>for them to</u> | c) they             | d) that they         |
| 27) a) that       | b) <u>which</u>       | c) what             | d) it                |
| 28) a) won't      | b) don't              | c) <u>didn't</u>    | d) wouldn't          |
| 29) a) Which      | b) That               | c) <u>It</u>        | d) There             |
| 30) a) because of | b) <u>since</u>       | c) yet              | d) on account of     |
| 31) a) to feel    | b) <u>feel</u>        | c) to feeling       | d) feeling           |
| 32) a) general    | b) all                | c) most             | d) <u>the whole</u>  |
| 33) a) they       | b) <u>do they</u>     | c) might do they    | d) they              |
| 34) a) for        | b) <u>at</u>          | c) in               | d) to                |

**For questions 35 – 50 read the text below and decide which answer A, B, C or D best fits each space. Only one answer is correct.**

### **Tsunami in the Indian Ocean**

One of the greatest 35) ..... disasters of recent years was the tsunami that 36) ..... on 26 December 2004 in southeastern Asia. It was so 37) ..... that more than 220,000 people were killed.

The tsunami (or tidal wave) was 38) ..... by a powerful earthquake that was felt 39) ..... as Alaska. The result was a 30-metre high wave which 40) ..... all the countries bordering the Indian Ocean. There was almost no warning of the tsunami. As a result, very 41) ..... people were prepared for it.

Many houses were destroyed because they weren't 42) ..... enough to 43) ..... the huge wave. People who were too young or weak to hold on to solid objects were 44) ..... out to sea. Many of the beaches hit by the tsunami were 45) ..... tourist resorts. It is not surprising that more than 9,000 of the casualties were European visitors. Most of the countries around the Indian Ocean didn't have enough 46) ..... to cope with the disaster so it was 47) ..... for international agencies to help in the 48) ..... operation.

Fortunately, there was much publicity during the event, so that more than \$7 billion were 49) ..... worldwide - enough for many people 50) ..... their homes and start a new life.

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| 35) a) international    | b) <u>natural</u>     | c) human            | d) environment        |
| 36) a) participated     | b) took part          | c) was made         | d) <u>occurred</u>    |
| 37) a) hurtful          | b) harmful            | c) destroying       | d) <u>destructive</u> |
| 38) a) affected         | b) produced           | c) made             | d) <u>caused</u>      |
| 39) a) that far away    | b) <u>as far away</u> | c) far away         | d) so far away        |
| 40) a) <u>hit</u>       | b) crashed            | c) bumped           | d) blew               |
| 41) a) little           | b) <u>few</u>         | c) a little         | d) a few              |
| 42) a) strict           | b) <u>strong</u>      | c) hard             | d) powerful           |
| 43) a) <u>resist</u>    | b) deny               | c) oppose           | d) refuse             |
| 44) a) moved            | b) <u>swept</u>       | c) stretched        | d) stroked            |
| 45) a) accepted         | b) common             | c) <u>popular</u>   | d) standard           |
| 46) a) <u>resources</u> | b) properties         | c) wealth           | d) stores             |
| 47) a) required         | b) basic              | c) <u>necessary</u> | d) optional           |
| 48) a) saving           | b) <u>rescue</u>      | c) release          | d) freeing            |
| 49) a) increased        | b) <u>raised</u>      | c) produced         | d) risen              |
| 50) a) rebuilding       | b) rebuild            | c) for rebuilding   | d) <u>to rebuild</u>  |