### I. Vocabulary and Structure 100%

1. The baby’s skin is as ______ as silk.
   - (A) tough   (B) stiff   (C) smooth   (D) straight

2. She is used to wearing this ________ of perfume.
   - (A) brass   (B) brain   (C) brand   (D) breast

3. We should learn to look on the bright ______ of life. Be optimistic all the time.
   - (A) slice   (B) side   (C) sheet   (D) piece

4. I bought some postcards as ______ of my trip to Rome.
   - (A) souvenirs   (B) strategies   (C) solutions   (D) station

5. My brother’s son is my ______.
   - (A) uncle   (B) nephew   (C) niece   (D) cousin

6. I had to rest for a few minutes to catch my ______ back.
   - (A) sign   (B) breath   (C) light   (D) uniform

7. This sweater looks pretty, but I don’t like its ______. Do you have a black one?
   - (A) brand   (B) color   (C) price   (D) size

8. Ann put too much pepper in the soup. Now it tastes very ______.
   - (A) sweet   (B) bitter   (C) sour   (D) salty

9. I saw a traffic ______ on my way to school. Many people got hurt.
   - (A) accident   (B) jam   (C) light   (D) rule

10. My mom asked me several times to send an e-mail to my cousin in England, but I always ______ to do it.
    - (A) forget   (B) learn   (C) try   (D) volunteer

11. I like to go shopping in that department store because the ______ there are very polite and nice.
    - (A) clerks   (B) doctors   (C) fans   (D) passengers

12. David plays basketball well. He’s quick and makes good ______.
    - (A) desserts   (B) music   (C) shoes   (D) shots

13. We enjoy working with Canny because she always ______ to help.
    - (A) begins   (B) forgets   (C) hates   (D) volunteers

14. The ______ last week scared a lot of people. Its strong winds and heavy rains took fifty lives.
    - (A) air pollution   (B) soccer game   (C) system   (D) typhoon
15. ( ) Isabelle has always been ______ writing. In fact, she likes writing so much that she has decided to be a writer.
   (A) embarrassed by (B) fond of (C) fans (D) passengers

16. ( ) If you are not afraid of talking to strangers, you’ll have more ______ to make friends.
   (A) schools (B) opportunities (C) universities (D) problems

17. ( ) It is the bus driver’s job to make sure that every ______ is safe.
   (A) motorcyclist (B) passenger (C) stranger (D) vendor

18. ( ) ______ of the students in my school do not have the experience of going to a foreign country.
   Only a few do.
   (A) Any (B) Mostly (C) Most (D) One

19. ( ) Simon is an interesting person. He gets excited ______.
   (A) easy (B) easier (C) easily (D) easiest

20. ( ) John felt much better ______ he took the medicine the doctor gave him.
   (A) if (B) so (C) than (D) after

21. ( ) Mary got two dolls from her grandfather on her birthday, and she liked ______ very much.
   (A) her (B) it (C) ones (D) them

22. ( ) Judy moved to France and has lived there ______ two years. I miss her very much.
   (A) before (B) for (C) in (D) since

23. ( ) My dog hates to take a bath. It usually ______ me one hour to make him clean.
   (A) needs (B) spends (C) takes (D) uses

24. ( ) The singer sings beautifully. I cannot think of anyone with a ______ beautiful voice.
   (A) best (B) good (C) more (D) most

25. ( ) Corrie found ______ the novel he bought last week was under his bed.
   (A) that (B) where (C) whether (D) which

26. ( ) Candy cried out when she saw a motorcycle ______ into her cat.
   (A) bump (B) bumped (C) to bump (D) has bumped

27. ( ) You’ve studied English for a long time, ______?
   (A) did you (B) didn’t you (C) have you (D) haven’t you

28. ( ) A sign at the train station says, “Please ______ for tickets.”
   (A) eat up (B) get up (C) line up (D) wake up

29. ( ) Is ______ difficult to learn French?
   (A) it (B) this (C) those (D) he
30. ( ) Tom is ______ short to reach the top of the shelf.
   (A) so            (B) too           (C) very         (D) as

   (A) wrote   (B) is written   (C) is writing     (D) writes

32. ( ) Neither Carol nor Peter ______ my classmate.
   (A) is    (B) are    (C) be    (D) am

33. ( ) Good learners are not afraid of ______. In fact, they learn more from looking for the answers.
   (A) asking questions   (B) avoiding problems   (C) copying ideas   (D) criticizing others

34. ( ) My grandmother believes that young children in big cities get sick easily ______ the air is dirty.
   (A) because    (B) before (C) but (D) whether

35. ( ) Peter is very fond of having parties, so he often ______ his friends to his house on the weekend.
   (A) follows   (B) invites   (C) remembers   (D) visits

36. ( ) I sent Lucy two e-mails last week, but she has not answered me ______.
   (A) already   (B) also     (C) either    (D) yet

37. ( ) Henry does well at school and is always polite to his teachers. His friends like him, and his parents are ______ him.
   (A) good at (B) interesting to   (C) proud of   (D) worried about

38. ( ) I love sports and enjoy ______ baseball with friends.
   (A) be play   (B) playing     (C) played    (D) be to play

39. ( ) ______ the lesson before class gives me a better idea about what the teacher is going to teach.
   (A) Preview   (B) Previews   (C) Previewed   (D) Previewing

40. ( ) I need someone ______ his work to take out the garbage for me.
   (A) finish   (B) finished    (C) has finished   (D) who has finished

41. ( ) My mother ______ me send a letter yesterday.
   (A) asked    (B) had       (C) told     (D) wanted

42. ( ) Mr. Su: Sorry, I don’t have enough money now. Can I pay with my ______?
   Waiter: Sure.
   (A) birthday card   (B) credit card   (C) name card   (D) phone card
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<td>43. ( ) Cathy: What are these flowers for?</td>
<td>Oscar: We’re going to use them to _____ the Christmas tree. Would you please help us put them in the tree?</td>
<td>(A)celebrate (B)create (C)decorate (D)produce</td>
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<td>44. ( ) Jane: Did you get up early this morning?</td>
<td>Tina: No, I didn’t, but my brother _____ . He got up early today.</td>
<td>(A)does (B)is (C)did (D)was</td>
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<td>45. ( ) Lucy: _____ is Ted doing in the kitchen?</td>
<td>Ryan: He’s cooking dinner for us.</td>
<td>(A)What (B)Where (C)Who (D)Why</td>
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<td>46. ( ) Grace: How many pencils _____ in your pencils box?</td>
<td>Allen: Two.</td>
<td>(A)are there (B)are they (C)is there (D)is it</td>
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<td>47. ( ) Mrs. Li: I think you should take a jacket with you, Cindy. It will get _____ this afternoon.</td>
<td>Cindy: OK, Mom, but where’s my jacket?</td>
<td>(A)cold (B)dark (C)dry (D)fine</td>
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<td>48. ( ) George: _____ do you practice playing the piano?</td>
<td>Tommy: When my mom is at home, I have to practice EVERY DAY, but she’s away on a business trip this week!</td>
<td>(A)How about (B)How long (C)How much (D)How often</td>
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<td>49. ( ) Lisa: I hate washing these pants by hand.</td>
<td>Jane: Perhaps we should get a _____ to do it for us. Let’s buy one tomorrow.</td>
<td>(A)factory (B)machine (C)supermarket (D)towel</td>
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<td>50. ( ) Michael: Dad, can I go dancing tomorrow?</td>
<td>Mr. Wu: _____ your homework and we’ll take about it.</td>
<td>(A)Finishes (B)Finishing (C)To finish (D)Finish</td>
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