**ETS 2016 – TEST 08**

**Part 5 – Incomplete Sentences**

**101.** The new-product development meeting will be held either in Room 402 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in  
Room 501.  
(A) or  
(B) and  
(C) not  
(D) but

**102.** The restaurant will \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for two days later this month for remodeling.  
(A) hold  
(B) build  
(C) close  
(D) invite  
  
**103.** The advertising budget is divided \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ among the three divisions in the marketing department.  
(A) equal  
(B) equals  
(C) equality  
(D) equally  
  
**104.** Mr. Fullham’s investments in small start-up companies have doubled \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ value in just over five years.  
(A) they  
(B) their  
(C) them  
(D) themselves  
  
**105.** Printer cartridges can be found in the supply cabinet \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the file folders.  
(A) at  
(B) from  
(C) with  
(D) along

**106.** Solar power is being heavily promoted as a clean and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ source of energy.  
(A) renew  
(B) renews  
(C) renewal  
(D) renewable  
**107.** Registrations for the next lecture series must be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by the end of this week.  
(A) belonged  
(B) practiced  
(C) received  
(D) arrived  
  
**108.** Mr. Montrose’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in his job search has resulted in employment offers from  
three companies.  
(A) persist  
(B) persisted  
(C) persistently   
(D) persistence

**109.** Ms. Vialobos has reported that the new mobile telephones are the lightest \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to be purchased by the department.  
(A) ever  
(B) before   
(C) quite  
(D) well

**110.** Orders \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the weight limit are subject to additional shipping fees.  
(A) exceed  
(B) exceeded  
(C) exceeding  
(D) excessive

**111.** Mr. Wong will travel to the management seminar in Singapore on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) he  
(B) himself  
(C) him  
(D) his own

**112.** According to an informal survey, the sales goal set by the management team seems \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to most of the staff.  
(A) realist  
(B) realism  
(C) realistic  
(D) realistically  
  
**113.** Because the packaging machines \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ break down on the assembly line, factory officials have decided to replace them.  
(A) repeat  
(B) repeatedly  
(C) repeated  
(D) repetition   
  
**114.** Workers are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ against entering the laboratory without protective clothing  
and masks.  
(A) cautious  
(B) caution  
(C) cautiously  
(D) cautioned

**115.** Ms. Gupta wishes to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the terms of her employment contract before signing it.  
(A) deprive   
(B) respond  
(C) modify  
(D) assure

**116.** Highway 140 is not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by Exit 2A due to road construction.  
(A) occupied   
(B) accessible  
(C) exposed   
(D) possible

**117.** Mr. Thomas and Ms. Vasquez \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to work together on the market research  
project.  
(A) assigned  
(B) assigning  
(C) will assign  
(D) have been assigned

**118.** Because of its \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for outstanding customer service, Mei’s Hair Salon is the  
most popular business of its kind in the area.  
(A) approval  
(B) estimation  
(C) probability  
(D) reputation  
  
**119.** Market researchers reported that customers were most impressed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the Vestra Coffeemaker’s delayed-start function.  
(A) by  
(B) beyond  
(C) for  
(D) since  
  
**120.** By the time the magazine article on home security devices \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on the newsstands, the pricing information was already outdated.  
(A) appears

(B) appeared

(C) will appear

(D) appearing

**121.** After December 13 customers will be asked to place their orders online \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ use the mail order form.  
(A) so as  
(B) in case   
(C) rather than   
(D) provided that

**122.** Bylar Corporate Furnishings is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ office furniture vendor for several of  
the area's largest corporations.  
(A) prefer  
(B) preferred  
(C) preference  
(D) preferential

**123.** Science Gadgets, Inc., supports every product it sells \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and will gladly offer a refund for any purchase a customer is dissatisfied with.  
(A) conclusively  
(B) factually   
(C) unconditionally   
(D) steadily   
  
**124.** A quarterly survey \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by Car Trade magazine shows that customers prefer  
fuel-efficiency over size or price when purchasing a new automobile.  
(A) performed  
(B) performs  
(C) had performed  
(D) to perform

**125.** Ferrelli Steel has \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in talks with Montag Fabrics to purchase part of its  
manufacturing business.  
(A) involved   
(B) engaged  
(C) demonstrated  
(D) maintained

**126.** Patent laws guarantee that Halperin Engineering, Inc., has \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ rights to the  
technology it developed for robotic surgical devices.  
(A) responsible  
(B) feasible  
(C) manufactured  
(D) exclusive

**127.** The Culver Award is given annually to an individual or organization that  
demonstrates \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the field of public transportation.  
(A) innovate

(B) innovation

(C) innovative  
(D) innovatively

**128.** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ its main competitor, the ergonomic chair offered by Well Designs is lightweight and comes in a variety of colors.  
(A) In contrast to   
(B) By way of   
(C) Instead of   
(D) So as

**129.** Several \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ have been made to the layout of Banham Library’s Web site.  
(A) revisions  
(B) processes  
(C) considerations  
(D) concepts

**130.** The Parks and Recreation Department is meeting to discuss what \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the extensive sewer work will have for the outdoor summer concert series in Evergreen Park.  
(A) implicated  
(B) implicate  
(C) implications  
(D) implicating

**131.** Guests are asked to register at the front desk \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ entering the main lobby.  
(A) upon  
(B) about  
(C) in order to  
(D) whoever  
**132.** Mr. Tomita was pleased that Ms. Arai was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to adjust her schedule at the last minute in order to revise the financial report.  
(A) busy  
(B) willing  
(C) changed   
(D) timely   
  
**133.** There is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to the number of people that can take the cable car to the top of the mountain.  
(A) limit  
(B) container  
(C) presence  
(D) restraint

**134.** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the search committee offers Doctor Rao the position of Professor of Sociology will depend on a vote of its members.  
(A) Whether  
(B) After   
(C) Although   
(D) Until

**135.** It is widely believed by medical practitioners that a nutritious, well-balanced diet  
increases energy and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) alert  
(B) alerts  
(C) alerted  
(D) alertness

**136.** Management believes that stagnant sales of the Pondhopper luggage line is a result  
of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ advertising campaign that was launched last quarter.  
(A) inadequate  
(B) rare  
(C) intended  
(D) trained   
  
**137.** The number of visitors to the Hannaford Museum of History has \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to exceed the goal set for this year.  
(A) often  
(B) always  
(C) yet  
(D) sometimes

**138.** The MNS Railroad’s most \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ passenger route runs through the White Mountain region and the Still River valley.  
(A) picture  
(B) pictures  
(C) picturing  
(D) picturesque  
  
**139.** The store \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ charged Ms. Han’s credit card twice for the same purchase but quickly corrected its error.  
(A) uniformly   
(B) potentially  
(C) inadvertently  
(D) functionally

**140.** Due to a rise in revenue, the Easthampton town council has decided to increase \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for community programs that have not traditionally received much financial support.  
(A) preservation  
(B) sharing   
(C) appraisal   
(D) funding

**Part 6 – Text Completion**

***Questions 141 -143 refer to the following letter.***

Dear Ms. Novotna,  
On Sunday, January 12, the Farber City Office of Workforce Development \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an  
 **141.** (A) has been holding  
 (B) will be holding  
 (C) holds  
 (D) held

all-day career- development seminar for members of the community. A group of experienced career counselors will advise you on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to succeed in  
 **142.** (A) if  
 (B) easily  
 (C) manner  
 (D) how  
some of today’s most rewarding careers.

The seminar costs $55 for a single participant or $90 for two and is restricted to fifteen  
people. If you are interested, contact the Office of Workforce Development at 303-555-  
0194 to register but make sure to do it soon. There are a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ number of spots  
available.  
 **143.** (A) limited  
 (B) random   
 (C) substantial  
 (D) growing   
Sincerely,  
Jamal Watkinson  
Farber City Office of Workforce Development

***Questions 144-146 refer to the following letter.***

October 30  
Dear Professor Kimmel,  
The Bird Biology Quarterly has received your paper “The Evolution of Avian Wingspans,” and we are pleased to announce that it has been selected to appear in our  
spring edition. We received over 100 submissions, and yours was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ along with 12  
others.  
 **144.** (A) chosen  
 (B) assigned  
 (C) impressed  
 (D) initialized   
Enclosed with this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ letter is the confirmation that you will need to sign in order  
 **145.** (A) accept  
 (B) accepts  
 (C) acceptably  
 (D) acceptance  
for us to publish your paper.Please note that it should be returned to our offices no later than December 1.  
We look \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to hearing from you soon.  
 **146.** (A) dearly  
 (B) fairly  
 (C) forward  
 (D) about  
Sincerely,  
Thomas Wright, Editor  
Bird Biology Quarterly

**Questions 147-149 refer to the following article.**

Every spring for the last decade, the Aslette Bicycle Race has been held to raise money \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the local Aslette Park Foundation.  
**147.** (A) for  
 (B) to  
 (C) of  
 (D) on  
On Sunday, April 17, over 200 individuals \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the event.  
 **148.** (A) are participating  
 (B) will participate  
 (C) participate  
 (D) participated  
Before the end of the race, local residents had contributed over 2000 euros, more than in  
any previous year, and more money continues to pour in. Oliver Davies, president of the  
foundation, would like to thank all community members for their generous \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and  
 **149.** (A) influences  
 (B) expectations  
 (C) donations  
 (D) confirmations

support. To find out more about the Aslette Park Foundation, or to sign up to take part in  
other fund-raising events, go to www.asletteparkfoundation.co.ie.

***Questions 150-152 refer to the following e-mail.***

To: Adams, Finn

From: Gold, Francis

Sent: Friday, August 15

Subject: Computer workstations

Dear Finn,  
As you know, we have eight sales department employees who are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on Monday. I  
 **150.** (A) retiring  
 (B) starting  
 (C) calling  
 (D) trying  
want to verify that the IT department is prepared to provide them with computers.  
They will be in training from Monday to Thursday, and then on Friday they will start  
answering calls in the call center. The computers must be ready for use by Friday so it  
would be a great help if you could have all of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ set up by Thursday morning.  
 **151.** (A) them  
 (B) their  
 (C) which  
 (D) whose  
Thank you for your assistance. Please let me know if you will need any additional  
resources to complete this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
 **152.** (A) offer   
 (B) registration  
 (C) construction   
 (D) task   
Francis Gold

Human Resources  
Ext. 998