

English Important Questions:

**1. Steven is always\_\_\_\_\_about showing up for work because he feels that tardiness is a sign of irresponsibility**

- A. legible
- B. tolerable
- C. punctual**
- D. literal

**2. Candace would \_\_\_\_\_ her little sister into an argument by teasing her and calling her names**

- A. advocate
- B. provoke**
- C. perforate
- D. lamente

**3. As \_\_\_\_\_ beings we live each day conscious of our shortcomings and victories**

- A. sensational
- B. sentient**
- C. sentimental
- D. static

**4. To \_\_\_\_\_ a congressional bill the president must use his official seal on all documents**

- A. nullify
- B. patronize
- C. victimize
- D. ratify**

**5. The task of building the cabin was a \_\_\_\_\_ one but Rob was up to the challenge**

**A. laborious**

B. venerable

C. archaic

D. cynical

**6. I could tell by Angelica's \_\_\_\_\_ tone that she was still very angry with me.**

A. ingratiating

B. adjacent

C. oblique

**D. acerbic** e. eloquent

**7. After years of living at a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ pace, Paola decided it was time to slow down and learn how to relax.**

**A. frenetic**

B. pedestrian

C. pretentious

D. colloquial

**8. The hospital had an outbreak of chicken pox and was forced to \_\_\_\_\_ all patients and staff to prevent more infected victims.**

A. clandestine

B. saturate

C. germinate

**D. quarantine**

**9. Living on several acres of land dotted with oak and maple trees makes autumn leaf-raking a \_\_\_\_\_ task.**

A. fatuous

**B. toilsome**

C. tardy

D. obsequious

**10. Acting in the high school play served to \_\_\_\_\_ Ander's appetite for professional acting**

A. satiate

**B. whet**

C. purport

D. incriminate

**11. Sean would \_\_\_\_\_ whenever it became his turn to do the dishes**

A. premeditate

**B. palter**

C. reform

D. distend

**12. TO CRY WOLF means**

A. To listen eagerly

**B. To give false alarm**

C. To turn pale

D. To keep off starvation

**13. It would take many hours of cleaning and repairing for the young family to transform the \_\_\_\_\_ into a clean and comfortable little cottage**

A. territory

B. manor

**C. hovel**

D. demesne

**14. Ms. Lu allowed her son a great deal of \_\_\_\_\_ in spending his birthday money, because she believed it should be his decision**

A. injunction

B. assimilation

**C. latitude**

D. declamation

**15. It was once believed that alchemists could \_\_\_\_\_ common metals to gold**

**A. transmute**

B. commute

C. execute

D. repute

**16. The close-up of the actor drinking the popular brand of cola in the movie was a \_\_\_\_\_ display of commercialism**

A. dispassionate

B. languid

C. apathetic

**D. gratuitous**

**17. A MAN OF STRAW means**

**A. A man of no substance**

B. A very active person

C. A worthy person

D. An intelligent person

**18. Identify the meaning of the idiom “Miss the boat”.**

(A) Let too much time go by to complete a task.

(B) Long for something that you don't have.

**(C) Miss out on an opportunity.**

(D) Not know the difference between right and wrong.

**19. Identify the meaning of the idiom “Seeing eye to eye.”**

**(A) Agreeing with somebody**

(B) Treating someone with respect

(C) Paying close attention to something someone is saying

(D) Identifying a minor mistake

**20. Identify the meaning of the idiom “spill the beans.”**

(A) To be untidy

(B) To be very talkative

**(C) To reveal something that is supposed to be kept a secret**

(D) To leave a place quickly

**21. 'Shedding Crocodile tears' means \_\_\_\_\_.**

(A) be in trouble

**(B) insincere display of emotions**

(C) be nervous

(D) find the hidden meaning

**22. Identify the meaning of the idiom "Can't judge a book by its cover."**

(A) It is easier to read a book than to protect the pages.

**(B) It is hard to tell how something is simply from its outward appearance.**

(C) A book's ending can't always be guessed by how it begins.

(D) It takes a long time to really know someone.

**23. The meaning for the idiom, 'fall on deaf ears' means:**

(A) cannot remember

**(B) people would not listen to**

(C) to be in trouble

(D) find the hidden meaning

**24. The phrase, "A hard nut to crack" means \_\_\_\_\_.**

(A) an interesting problem

**(B) a difficult problem**

(C) a unique problem

(D) a simple problem

**25. Choose the one which best expresses the meaning of the idioms and phrases: Ram sold their house because it was a real white elephant.**

(A) A rare find

(B) Very expensive and useless

(C) A very big one

(D) A useless one

**26. Choose the one which best expresses the meaning of the idioms and phrases: They were having a whale of time dancing and singing.**

(A) To enjoy yourself very much

(B) To enjoy life

(C) To enjoy leisure time

(D) To enjoy with loved ones

**27. Identify the meaning of the idiom “a bed of roses”.**

(A) An easy situation

(B) A fragrant place

(C) A tough option

(D) An impossible situation

**28. What does BAD BLOOD imply**

A. Impure blood

B. Thick blood

C. Ill feelings

D. Harmful blood

**29. A disease prevailing in a locality**

A. epidemic

B. exotic

C. endemic

D. systemic

**30. To remove all objectionable matter**

A. expurgate

B. censure

C. edit

D. photoshop

**31. Sword is related to Slaughter in the same way as Scalpel is related to**

A. Murder

B. Stab

C. Surgery

D. Chopping

**32. Chef is related to Restaurant in the same way as Druggist is related to**

A. Medicine

B. Pharmacy

C. Store

D. Chemist



**33. One who collects coins is a**

**A. Numismatist**

B. Somnambulist

C. Philatelist

D. Chauninist

**34. Act of deceiving somebody in order to make money is called**

A. Pickpocket

B. Theft

C. Robbery

**D. Fraud**

**35. Lack of skill is**

A. insistence

**B. ineptness**

C. insolence

D. inertness

**36. Poetry:Rhyme::Philosophy:\_\_\_\_\_**

A. imagery

B. music

C. bi-law

**D. theory**

**37. Marshal:Prisoner::Principal:\_\_\_\_\_**

- A. teacher
- B. president
- C. doctrine
- D. student**

**38. Mend:Sewing::Edit:\_\_\_\_\_**

- A. darn
- B. repair
- C. manuscript**
- D. makeshift

**39. Choose the correct statement**

- A. Do not make friend with selfish people
- B. Do not make friendship with selfish people
- C. Do not make friends with selfish people**
- D. Do not make friendly with selfish people

**40. Some students are \_\_\_\_\_ at copying**

- A. adapt
- B. adept**
- C. adopt
- D. edept

**41. Choose the correct statement**

- A. The hooligans broke in the factory
- B. The hooligans broke onto the factory
- C. The hooligans broke at the factory
- D. The hooligans broke into the factory

**42. What they are doing does not seem \_\_\_\_\_ working**

- A. be
- B. being
- C. been
- D. to be

**43. She is going to quit her job \_\_\_\_\_ they give her a pay rise**

- A. or
- B. until
- C. unless
- D. providing

**44. Near the historic monument, there is a bridge \_\_\_\_\_ the Thames River**

- A. above
- B. over
- C. off
- D. towards

45. Katherine has finished her work, now she is \_\_\_\_\_ home

A. going

B. going to

C. going to the

D. going towards the