**Unit1**

1. When making modern cameras, people began to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ plastics for metal.

A. surround   B. substance   C. stretch   D. substitute

2. People who have difficulty when communicating face-to-face can become \_\_\_\_\_\_ and courteous when online.

A. eloquent B. elusive C. elegant D. elaborate

3. The government is putting through some \_\_\_\_\_\_ social reforms to improve its image.

A. rational B. recreational C. radical D. recurrent

4. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to study harder in the future so that he could have more opportunities to find a better job.

A. resolved   B. resorted   C. requested   D. reserved

5. He proved himself a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ successor to the former Prime Minister.

A. worthwhile B. worthless C. worthy D. worth

6. Anthony is a very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ person and never wastes anything.

A. miserly B. thrifty C. economic D. conservative

7. The ghostly presence was just a (n)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sensation of some people.

A. objective B. subjunctive C. subjective D. ejective

8. The heavy traffic \_\_\_\_\_\_ us for half an hour.

A. maintained B. obtained C. retained D. detained

9. I hope I can learn more from my role model and \_\_\_\_\_ more experience.

A. accumulate B. stimulate C. simulate D. formulate

10. He was caught \_\_\_\_\_\_ when the judge produced the evidence against him.

A. off-limit B. off-site C. off-side D. off-balance

11. The company is on the verge of bankruptcy, and thousands of jobs are at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. danger B. loss C. threat D. stake

12. You should \_\_\_\_\_\_ all the information needed for your application.

A. seize B. acquire C. capture D. snatch

13. We cannot trust him anymore because he often \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his duty.

A. owes B. spoils C. deserts D. neglects

14. After a slow start, the plan soon took \_\_\_\_\_\_and was accepted by all.

A. up B. off C. over D. away

15. What she achieved in her research might \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ what she had been expecting.

A. exceed B. exclaim C. excess D. extend

**Unit 3**

1. The government used their emergency powers to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the truth about the accident.

A. suppress B. manipulate C. control D. utilize

2. He always has a lot of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ideas in his mind, and sometimes we do not even know what he is thinking about.

A. fickle B. abnormal C. weird D. errant

3. In order to write his paper, he borrowed a lot of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ books from the school library.

A. sample B. reference C. resource D. assist

4. When he caught a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of his girl-friend in the rain, Jack asked the taxi driver to stop to pick her up.

A. glance B. peep C. glare D. glimpse

5. Embroidery calls for great care. There must not be even a single \_\_\_\_\_\_stitch.

A. reckless B. slack C. sloppy D. floppy

6. This nation is noted for its economic \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. steadiness B. stability C. static D. stationary

7. Citizens have the right to know and to \_\_\_\_\_\_ government.

A. monitor B. interfere C. control D. supervise

8. Mr. Smith asked his secretary to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a new paragraph in the annual report she was typing.

A. inject B. install C. invade D. insert

9. It may be necessary to stop \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the learning process and go back to the difficult points in the lessons.

A. at large B. at intervals C. at random D. at length

10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ quantities of water are being used nowadays with the rapid development of industry and agriculture.

A. Excessive B. Extensive C. Effusive D. Exclusive

11. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ recent developments we do not think your scheme is practical.

A. In view of B. In favor of C. In case of D. In honor of

12. When you buy the spare parts for your car, try to get the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ones from the authorized dealer.

A. genuine B. original C. raw D. veritable

13. Works of taste can \_\_\_\_\_\_ the mind.

A. confine B. define C. refine D. fine

14. I hoped this film would provoke audiences to \_\_\_\_\_\_ what we could do to the poor.

A. template B. contempt C. contemplate D. tempt

15. He is \_\_\_\_\_\_ in his control of expenditure.

A. severe B. rigorous D. rigid D. grave

Unit5

1. They are trying to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the waste discharged by the factory for profit.

A. expose B. expire C. expand D. exploit

2. The continuous rain \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the harvesting of the wheat crop by two weeks.

A. set back B. set off C. set out D. set aside

3. Too much stress can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ toll on your body and affect your productivity.

A. give B. take C. have D. make

4. To my teacher I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this dictionary in token of affection and gratitude.

A. dedicate B. delicate C. dictate D. duplicate

5. As a footballer, if you're \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to injury it can mean the end of your career.

A. sensitive B. likely B. immune D. prone

6. Research universities have to keep up with the latest computer and scientific hardware \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ price.

A) on account of B) regardless of C) in light of D) in accordance with

7. You will not be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about your food in time of great hunger.

A. special B. particular C. peculiar D. specific

8. We should concentrate on sharply reducing interest rates to pull the economy out of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. concession B. confession C. session D. recession

9. This ticket \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you to a free boat tour on the lake.

A. entitles B. appoints C. grants D. credits

10. This mobile app has enabled people to make connections and virtual friendships can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ into real-life relationships.

A. resolve B. revolve C. evolve D. convolve

11. In the sentence “The newly \_\_\_\_\_\_ network culture provides opportunities as well as challenges to the traditional college English teaching”, which of the following is the odd one out?

A. rising B. arising C. popping D. emerging

12. He was proud of being chosen to participate in the game and he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ us that he would try as hard as possible.

A. insured B. assured C. reassured D. secured

13. If people feel hopeless, they don’t bother to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the skills they need to succeed.

A. adopt B. acquire C. accumulate D. assemble

14. We have planned an exciting publicity \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with our advertisers.

A. struggle B. campaign C. battle D. conflict

15. John doesn’t believe in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ medicine; he has some remedies of his own.

A. standard B. regular C. routine D. conventional

**Unit7**

1. Techniques for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sleep would involve learning to control both mind and body so that sleep can occur.

A.promoting B. strengthening C. cultivating D. simulating

2. Our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ reaction when someone causes us pain is to strike back

A.intuitive B. instinctive C. talented D. natural

3. They were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ admission to the military exhibition because they were foreigners.

A. denied B. declined C. deprived D. rejected

4. Residents were cutting their lawns, washing their cars and otherwise \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a pleasant, sunny day.

A. idling away B. wasting away C. chasing away D. driving away

5. We’d like to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a table for five for dinner this evening.

A. preserve B. conserve C. reserve D. deserve

6. The European Union countries were once worried that they would not have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ supplies of petroleum.

A. proficient B. efficient C. deficient D) sufficient

7. As Jane was about to graduate, she was in a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ whether to continue her website or seek work.

A. difficulty B. trouble C. adversity D. dilemma

8. Several witnesses can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to her good character.

A. prove B. confirm C. attest D. testify

9. Now, I'm still \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, but I'm much more open to spending on things that enrich my life.

A. frugal B. extravagant C. stingy D. economic

10. The group is accused of\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ its members to commit crimes.

A. luring B. persuading C. tempting D. brainwashing

11. The work was almost complete when we received orders to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ no further with it.

A. progress B. proceed C. prompt D. promote

12. A dark suit is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to a light one for evening wear.

A. favorable B. suitable C. preferable D. adorable

13. It was in the United States that I made the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_of Professor Jones.

A. acknowledgement B. acquaintance C. recognition

D. association

14. Mr. Smith was the only witness who said that the fire was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. artificial B. deliberate C. well-intentioned D. innocent

15. There was a big hole in the road which \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the traffic.

A. set back B. lay back C. held up D. kept down