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TEST DI GRAMMATICA: cerchiare la risposta corretta

1. Are you _____ some friends this weekend ?
a. going meet b. meeting c. meet
2. She often goes to the library _____ she can study .
a. which b. where c. who
3. The boy was very nervous because he _____ before.
a. was never flown b. had never flown c. was never flying
4. I _____ German for ten months and my teacher is very pleased.
a. have been studying b. am studying c. was studying
5. - I'm really tired.
- If I _____ you, I'd go to bed early.
a. were b. was c. am
6. Paula and Tom _____ live in a small village, but now they live in the centre of York.
a. use to b. used to c. did use
7. - It's really hot in here.
- Yes. _____ the window.
a. I'll open b. I'm opening c. I open
8. _____ is my favourite meal.
a. The dinner b. Dinner c. A dinner
9. I can't buy the book because I haven't got _____.
a. too money b many money c. enough money

10. He _____ her telephone number in the phone book.
a. looked through b. looked after c. looked up
11. They were always best friends and helped _____ all their lives.
a. themselves b. one other c. each other
12. My sister is a brilliant tennis player but she's also very interested _____ basketball.
a. to b. at c. in
13. She drives _____ than her brothers.
a. fast b. faster c. more fast
14. You _____ come to the party. You'll enjoy it.
a. should b. would c. had to
15. I tried three different shops but _____ of them had the CD in stock
a. neither b. none c. no-one
16. Mary: Do you eat a lot of chocolate?
Anne: No, _____
a. not a lot of b. not much c. not many
17. _____ horror films can be very frightening
a. Watching a. To watching c. Watch
18. The relatives were allowed to see the new baby _____ the window in the maternity ward.
a. through b. across c. over
19. If you what I was thinking , you would be very surprised.
a. know b. had known c. knew
20. John, who is only six years old, can read his sister, who is eight.
a. as well as b. as well than c. as good than
21. We have classes twice _____ week.
a. the b. a c. in
22. You _____ come with me if you don't want to.
a. don't have to b. mustn't c. might not

23. If we _____ more time , we would have visited the art gallery,

- a. had b. had had c. have had

24. It's important _____late for work.

- a. not being b. not be c. not to be

25. He drives much _____than me.

- a. slower b. more slowly c. more slow

For questions 26 - 30, complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words, including the word given. There is an example at the beginning (0..

Example:

0. They published this book in England.

came

This book*came from*.... England.

26. The police have investigated the crime.

by

The crime the police.

27. Without your help, I would never have managed.

you

If, I would never have managed.

28. Perhaps he's working late.

may

He late.

29. The day was so nice that we went on a picnic.

Such

It was that we went on a picnic.

Firma _____

30. I've never tasted such good food before.

ever

It is the tasted.

VOCABULARY

CHOOSE THE WORD WHICH BEST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES

Cerchiare la risposta corretta

1. Architects travel to Greece and Italy to the marvels of classic design.
 - a. recall
 - b. spray
 - c. study
 - d. embellish

2. Fire safety in family homes, most fire deaths occur, is difficult to achieve.
 - a. why
 - b. where
 - c. how
 - d. when

3. The house was so quiet, you could hear the floorboards

 - a. rising
 - b. moving
 - c. sinking
 - d. creaking

4. You were frightened by a concept which you in your own mind.
 - a. created
 - b. hired
 - c. externalized
 - d. lived

5. That unpleasant man always hatefully.
 - a. gives
 - b. behaves
 - c. does
 - d. helps

Firma _____

6. There is going to be a of television programmes on the Big Ben.
- a. edition
 - b. series
 - c. broadcast
 - d. serial
7. His first to the news was one of total disbelief.
- a. sensation
 - b. intention
 - c. action
 - d. reaction
8. She was able to give a account of the accident since she had been a witness to it.
- a. first-class
 - b. first-hand
 - c. forefinger
 - d. preview
9. 'Most people the Government's economic policy as a success', claimed the spokesman.
- a. measure
 - b. consider
 - c. think
 - d. believe

Choose the answer which is closest in meaning to the underlined word and which does not change the meaning of the original sentence.

10. I had a very bad toothache, and was in great pain all night.
- a. panic
 - b. agony
 - c. a bad mood
 - d. action
11. I am afraid the children have been very badly-behaved today.
- a. bored
 - b. immoral
 - c. naughty
 - d. sleepy
12. The player with the lowest number of points wins the game.
- a. score
 - b. charm
 - c. success
 - d. attitude

Find the opposite meaning of

13. 'cheeky'
- a. arrogant
 - b. disrespectful
 - c. respectful
 - d. presumptuous
14. 'lawful'
- a. permissible
 - b. illegal
 - c. prescribed
 - d. healthy
15. 'rough'
- a. smooth
 - b. bumpy
 - c. hasty
 - d. irregular

Text n.1: LEISURE & TOURISM

LISTEN AND ANSWER

Listen to the text, then read the statements below and choose the best alternative:

1. Today is Saturday, September 11th 2005
 True False
2. Tourism is something we do for money or because we are required by law .
 True False
3. There are basically four approaches to this whole concept of "leisure"
 True False
4. Go to the movies or watch television are considered forms of leisure
 True False

5. There are some people for whom work can be leisure.

True

False

Firma _____