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There are 50 questions. Each question carries two (2) points

Questions 1 to 30 Choose the word (words) that best completes the sentence

1. Who is _____ public relations?
a. in charge of/ b. in charge by/ c. in charge in/ d. in charge to
2. I look forward to _____ you.
a. see/ b. seen/ c. seeing/ d. sent
3. You have a(an) _____; the examination has been postponed for two weeks.
a. excuse/ b. chance/ c. reprieve/ d. absence
4. Since his clothes were wet, his story of being caught in the rain is _____.
a. absurd/ b. predictable/ c. plausible/ d. sensible
5. Trespassing on private property is _____ by law in most countries.
a. understandable/ b. acceptable/ c. forbidden/ d. allowed
6. The level of _____ implied by the warranty was confusing.
a. protect/ b. protective/ c. protection/ d. protector
7. John's face was _____ when he heard of the loss of the goods.
a. vivid/ b. angry/ c. somber/ d. animated
8. When you are restive, you are _____.
a. relaxed/ b. nervous/ c. bitter/ d. sad
9. To tremble in the face of a storm is to _____.
a. cower/ b. shower/ c. tower/ d. glower
10. Your teacher looks at you _____ if you admit to not wanting to study.
a. respectfully/ b. askance/ c. directly/ d. only
11. To be _____ was her lot; she was destined never to have earned enough money to support herself.
a. imperfect/ b. unbalanced / c. impecunious/ d. important

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12. You can depend on me to _____ my duty.

- a. shirk/b. miss/c. lack/d. perform

13. A miracle is _____.

- a. a natural occurrence/b. an unhappy occurrence/c. an unusual occurrence
d. a sad occurrence

14. When something is punctual it is _____.

- a. early/b. late/c. on time/d. delayed

15. A bicycle is moved along by _____.

- a. petrol/b. paddling/c. gravity/d. sunlight

16. A glimpse is a _____.

- a. headache/b. look/c. toothache/d. sore

17. Thanks to the state _____, the music center is now the showpiece of our university.

- a. clearance/b. conventions/c. developments/d. subsidies

18. Although Mary is reputed to be aloof, her manner that day was so _____ that people felt relaxed.

- a. reluctant/b. arrogant/c. mean/d. gracious

19. Her remarks were too _____ to be taken seriously.

- a. urbane/b. critical/c. careless/d. insipid

20. Worshipping her every move, Tom was her most _____ admirer.

- a. beneficent/b. ardent/c. sophisticated/d. urbane

21. It is hard to tell if these shoes will be _____ because the leather is so stiff.

- a. comfort/b. comfortably/c. comfortable/d. comforting

22. I like to _____ the issue with you, but I am busy.

- a. exploratory/b. exploration/c. exploring/d. explore

23. We _____ adhere to our company's policy in not accepting credit card.

- a. strictness/b. strictly/c. strict/d. strictest

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24. The synonym of "avoid" is _____
a. avert/ b. amaze/ c. assert/ d. allow

25. The synonym of "survive" is _____
a. erode/ b. elude/ c. withstand/ d. weaken

26. The synonym of "legislate" is _____
a. enact/ b. feign/ c. solve/ d. exhaust

27. The synonym of "exaggerate" is _____
a. dominate/ b. impress/ c. elaborate/ d. embellish

28. The synonym of "inconsistent" is _____
a. erratic/ b. destructive/ c. emphatic/ d. commonplace

29. The word "distain" means _____
a. dislike/ b. content/ c. regard/ d. offend

30. A good trial lawyer will argue only what is central to an issue, eliminating _____ information or anything else that might _____ the client.

- a. seminal--amuse
- b. extraneous--jeopardize
- c. erratic--enhance
- d. responsible--initiate

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Questions 31-40 Comprehension 1

Ralph Waldo Emerson is one of America's best-known essayists. In 1837 he was called on to give the Phi Beta Kappa address to Harvard. He spoke on "The America Scholar."

It is remarkable, the character of the pleasure we derive from the best books. They impress us with the conviction that one nature wrote and the same reads. We read the verses of one of the great English poets, of Chaucer, of Marvell, of Dryden, with the most modern joy, -with a pleasure, I mean, which is in great part caused by the abstraction of all time from their verses. There is some awe mixed with the joy of our surprise, when this poet, who lived in some past world, two or three hundred years ago, says that which lies close to my own soul, that which I also had well-nigh thought and said. But for the evidence thence afforded to the philosophical doctrine of the identity of all minds, we should suppose some pre-established harmony, some foresight of souls that were to be, and some preparation of stores for their future wants, like the fact observed in insects, who lay up food before death for the young grub they shall never see.

I would not be hurried by any love of system, by any exaggeration of instincts, to underrate the Book. We all know, that as the human body can be nourished on any food, though it were boiled grass and the broth of shoes, so the human mind can be fed by any knowledge. And the great and heroic men have existed who had almost no other information than by the printed page. I would only say that it needs a strong head to bear that diet. One must be an inventor to read well. As the proverb says, "He that would bring home the wealth of the Indies, must carry out the wealth of the Indies." There is then creative reading as well as creative writing. When the mind is braced by labor and invention, the page of whatever book we read becomes luminous with manifold allusion. Every sentence is doubly significant, and the sense of our author is as broad as the world. We then see, what is always true, that as the seer's hour of vision is short and rare among heavy days and months, so is its record, perchance, the least part of his volume. The discerning will read, in his Plato or Shakespeare, only that least part, -only the authentic utterance of the oracle; -all the rest he rejects, were it never so many times Plato's and Shakespeare's.

Of course, there is a portion of reading quite indispensable to a wise man. History and exact science he must learn by laborious reading. Colleges, in like manner, have their indispensable office, -to teach elements. But they can only highly serve us when they aim not to drill, but to create; when they gather from far every ray of various genius to their hospitable halls, and by the concentrated fires, set the hearts of their youth on flame.

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31. By "one nature wrote the same reads" Emerson means that _____

- a. the author is rereading his own work/ b. nature writing is read by the same people/
- c. author and reader live in the same era/ d. author and reader are in accord

32. The word "abstraction" is used to mean _____

- a. conception/ b. notion/ c. preoccupation/ d. elimination

33. Emerson uses the image of insects to parallel his discussion of _____

- a. past writers storing knowledge for future readers/ b. the food chain/ c. the act of creative art/ d. authors working in difficult situations

34. A good title of this essay might be _____

- a. Creative Writing/ b. The Wealth of the Indian Nations/ c. Creative Reading/ d. Rating Good Books

35. The proverb "He that would bring home the wealth of the Indies, must carry out the wealth of the Indies" is used to support his theory that _____

- a. one must apply knowledge to extract knowledge/ b. only a writer can be a good reader/ c. the wealth of the present is in the past/ d. a clever man is a good writer

36. The word "braced" is used to mean _____

- a. upset/ b. beamed/ c. paired/ d. bolstered

37. The "manifold allusion" Emerson means _____

- a. diverse references/ b. numerous mentions/ c. fantasies/ d. many sided remarks

38. The word "oracle" means _____

- a. wonder/ b. seer/ c. reader/ d. writer

39. The word "office" is used to mean _____

- a. place of study/ b. work/ c. department/ d. duty

40. Emerson calls for an education system that _____

- a. includes works of the masters/ b. teaches students how to do research/ c. teaches students how to be practical/ d. teaches students how to be wealthy

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Questions 41 to 50 Reading Comprehension 2

Classical music is another term for elaborately composed concert music. However, the music is often referred to as "classical" because it is "old" music.

This old music developed from three sources. One source was the music of the church, which used elaborate melodies and performance styles, more to praise God than to entertain audiences.

The other two musical sources were in many ways completely opposed, not only to church music, but to the influences of the church music and its teachings. This music was folk music and popular dance music, both of which were frowned upon and even censured by the church.

Folk music used simple vocal styles and repetitive musical forms such as common among the untutored population. Its common, typically hand-held instruments were used in highly restricted but effective ways.

Despite official sanctions, both kinds of music flourished and their blend produced concert music, which shared, in many ways, the simple appeal of folk music and the more elaborate forms of church music.

41. The writer has a bias towards classical music.
a. True/ b. False
42. Folk music is elaborate.
a. True/ b. False
43. Folk music requires a lot of skill.
a. True/ b. False
44. Church music is _____.
a. devotional/ b. entertaining/ c. profitable/ d. exciting
45. Classical music's origin is a blend of different kinds of music.
a. True/ b. False
46. The music of the church is to entertain the audience.
a. True/ b. False
47. Folk music is generally the music of the educated class.
a. True/ b. False
48. Classical music is developed from dance music.
a. True/ b. False
49. Classical music is known for its _____.
a. forte / b. softness / c. beauty / d. popularity
50. The word "sanctions" means _____.
a. getting the blessing of the Church/ b. getting the permission from the composers/ c. getting the copyrights from the publishers/ d. getting the reviews from the critics.