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1. Don't talk to him about politics because that's like a ... rag to a bull.
 - a) blue
 - b) red
 - c) white
2. She takes the optimistic view and talks about a ... skies scenario.
 - a) blue
 - b) red
 - c) white
3. She hasn't worked here very long and is therefore a little ... on matters of procedure.
 - a) white
 - b) red
 - c) green
4. Now that they have read the document in ..., they believe me.
 - a) white and black
 - b) red and blue
 - c) black and white
5. The reason why I feel so ... today is because it's my birthday and no-one has sent me any congratulations.
 - a) blue
 - b) white
 - c) red
6. He lost the company a lot of money and as a result has got a ... mark against his name.
 - a) red
 - b) black
 - c) white
7. In this business you cannot afford to make any mistake and must be seen to be lily
 - a) red
 - b) white
 - c) green

8. As they turned round and ran away, people thought they were
a) yellow
b) black
c) red
9. As him to help you with your task because he's ... hot at literature.
a) white
b) green
c) red
10. I know she doesn't like you because the moment you came in I saw her give you a ... look.
a) white
b) black
c) green
11. She tend to forget things very quickly and behaves more and more like the typical ... professor.
a) clear-minded
b) cool-minded
c) absent-minded
12. This is a very expensive holiday and it involves a trip ... the world.
a) along
b) around
c) over
13. The car is almost ready to be collected from the garage. There are just a couple of spare ... missing.
a) extras
b) pieces
c) parts
14. They were ... of having broken into the stately home.
a) charged
b) accused
c) blamed
15. The one thing my family will remember about him was the many ... of kindness that Steve showed us in his long life.
a) deeds

- b) feats
- c) acts

16. If you had bought a property about twenty years ago you would find that it had considerably ... in value.

- a) increased
- b) developed
- c) heightened

17. If you're not careful they will start taking ... of you.

- a) part
- b) prominence
- c) advantage

18. There's a huge ... in the paper about the special offers.

- a) notice
- b) display
- c) advertisement

19. The dog will jump up and show its great ... for them.

- a) affection
- b) protection
- c) infection

20. Some believe that the films on show today have created a generation of very ... children.

- a) afraid
- b) fearful
- c) frightened

21. There are no problems because I find those questions very

- a) soft
- b) easy
- c) straight

22. Are you going ... for your holidays this year?

- a) abroad
- b) absent
- c) external

23. They ... him for his brave actions.

- a) praised

- b) flattered
- c) congratulated

24. She is very lucky to have got herself a ... job.

- a) banana
- b) plum
- c) apple

25. They ... from the fire unhurt.

- a) evaded
- b) avoided
- c) escaped

26. After some bell rings she suddenly ... in the doorway.

- a) looked
- b) seemed
- c) appeared

27. She never spoke about herself and was always very ... about the good things she had done.

- a) meek
- b) modest
- c) humble

28. Brian has lots of money and ... three houses in the city.

- a) occupies
- b) holds
- c) owns

29. One of his teeth is very ... and will soon fall out.

- a) loose
- b) lost
- c) lose

30. They worked hard all day without a

- a) pause
- b) break
- c) breach

31. You must decide and ... up your mind.

- a) get
- b) do
- c) make

32. What time do you ... up in the morning?
a) take
b) get
c) do
33. At the moment we are trying to ... for the town centre.
a) make
b) do
c) take
34. After they had shouted at each other, they decided to ... it up.
a) make
b) do
c) get
35. They are good friends and ... on well with each other.
a) make
b) take
c) get
36. The firm has expanded and they want to ... on extra staff.
a) do
b) take
c) get
37. She is good at writing stories for children and is keen to ... up new plots.
a) make
b) take
c) do
38. As I don't have much money at the moment, I've decided to ... without certain luxuries.
a) make
b) take
c) do
39. Today is when the new boss is going to ... over.
a) get
b) take
c) make

40. All lines were destroyed in the storm last night and so it's impossible to ... through to anybody today.

- a) take
- b) get
- c) make

41. He had two sons both of whom were not very ... and avoided work if they could.

- a) industry
- b) industrial
- c) industrious

42. One day the old man knew that he was dying and called his two sons to his bed

- a) side
- b) wall
- c) corner

43. He wanted his son to pay as much ... to the cultivation of the farm as he had done many years before.

- a) care
- b) thought
- c) attention

44. She told him that there was a ... treasure in the land.

- a) unseen
- b) hidden
- c) obscured

45. He told them that they would find the basket in one of his 5 vine

- a) areas
- b) spaces
- c) yards

46. They assured him that they would work hard to ... out the treasure.

- a) sort
- b) find
- c) seek

47. In the end their father died and been ...

- a) earthed

- b) buried
- c) confined

48. We worked hard and dug every single ... meter of the land.

- a) square
- b) cube
- c) block

49. However hard we worked, we ... to find the smallest bit of treasure.

- a) missed
- b) lacked
- c) failed

50. All the work they had done on the land ensured that they had the best ... for years.

- a) crop
- b) production
- c) yielding

51. Yesterday he ... to an archeological site.

- a) visited
- b) go
- c) went

52. The problems she has ... the language are to do with spelling.

- a) on
- b) to
- c) with

53. If I want to pass my exams, I ... study very hard.

- a) can
- b) must
- c) will

54. The ... thing of all difficulties in a language is vocabulary.

- a) bad
- b) worse
- c) worst

55. Ann has been ... English for 7 years.

- a) trying
- b) studied
- c) learning

56. When I walked there, I saw that the students were working very
a) hard
b) easy
c) hardly
57. Most people don't want to study Latin because it is a ... language.
a) old
b) dead
c) death
58. I've forgotten the name of my teacher but I think it is something like ...
.
a) Brown
b) John
c) Smith
59. What is the name of the ... you put tea into?
a) think
b) thinking
c) thing
60. I ... a lot of presents for my birthday.
a) became
b) got
c) become
61. I'm tired of waiting for buses, I'm going there ... foot.
a) to
b) by
c) on
62. Who said growing up was ...?
a) joke
b) fun
c) humour
63. If you want to have your central heating checked, you need a ...
plumber.
a) learned
b) careful
c) trained

64. The moment the lights went out, there were scenes of
a) attack
b) panic
c) insanity
65. Don't be put ... by his manner, he is really kind hearted.
a) up
b) off
c) in
66. When a movie is really boring I tend to nod
a) off
b) out
c) through
67. Have you heard the latest? They are ... married.
a) going
b) growing
c) getting
68. As she had made such an impression on her managers, she was soon offered
a) position
b) promotion
c) progress
69. There's a new software that should protect your computer from any
a) disease
b) virus
c) illness
70. As they always tell you, the value of shares can go ... as well as up.
a) down
b) in
c) across
71. I dare ... you're right.
a) told
b) tell
c) say
72. I've ... you not to do that many times before.
a) said

- b) told
- c) saying

73. That ..., they walked out of the room.

- a) said
- b) told
- c) saying

74. You shouldn't take any notice of that because it's only hear

- a) tells
- b) say
- c) says

75. That's what people are always

- a) saying
- b) telling
- c) said

76. What he ... and what he does are not necessarily the same.

- a) says
- b) tells
- c) saying

77. It's no good trying to persuade me because I'm not ... a word.

- a) saying
- b) told
- c) telling

78. Now that would be ... but my lips area sealed.

- a) told
- b) said
- c) telling

79. ... us that story again!

- a) Say
- b) Tell
- c) Says

80. I'm afraid I can't ... for sure but I think it's safe.

- a) say
- b) said
- c) telling

81. In the interest of safety the main valve on the machine had to be ... off.

- a) closed
- b) shut
- c) closing

82. In the ... moments of the symphony someone's mobile phone started ringing.

- a) closing
- b) shut
- c) shutting

83. The detectives had no problems in solving the crimes as it was an open and ... case.

- a) closed
- b) shut
- c) shutting

84. The man warned us that the road ahead was

- a) shut
- b) shutting
- c) closed

85. In view of the limited amount of information and evidence the case was now considered to be

- a) shut
- b) closed
- c) closing

86. They are having a ... down sale.

- a) shutting
- b) closes
- c) closing

87. After some years as a monk he decided to leave because he felt very ... in.

- a) closed
- b) shut
- c) shutting

88. After terrible experiences, the couple ... themselves away from the community.

- a) shut
- b) closing
- c) shutting

89. The new musical that has had many bad reviews will ... at the end of this week.

- a) shut
- b) close
- c) closed

90. I'm afraid these trees will have to come down as they ... out the light in this room.

- a) close
- b) shutting
- c) shut

91. The food here is quite good although the menu is quite

- a) elementary
- b) basic
- c) easy

92. Whenever I've eaten at this restaurant, I've always come away feeling ... satisfied.

- a) full
- b) usually
- c) completely

93. Dining here will be really an ... experience for you.

- a) excite
- b) excited
- c) exciting

94. There's something about the ... of that particular dish that makes it memorable.

- a) flavour
- b) flavoured
- c) flavouring

95. It can be very irritating when the waiter ... to bring what you have ordered.

- a) forgot
- b) forgets
- c) forgetting

96. If you are interested, I'm sure the chef will tell you the ... of that dish.

- a) contents

- b) composition
- c) ingredients

97. As they're special ... of the restaurant, they always get a good table.

- a) patrons
- b) visitors
- c) customers

98. I got bad service yesterday and had to ... the waiter two times about the food.

- a) order
- b) remind
- c) remember

99. I didn't know what to choose for main dish so in the end I made a ... choice.

- a) formal
- b) casual
- c) random

100. The restaurant was listed in the guide as it had been ... to be of the appropriate standard.

- a) valued
- b) judged
- c) respected

101. It was one of those plays where the ... moved at great speed.

- a) act
- b) action
- c) actor

102. There are different ways of ... Shakespeare's plays.

- a) welcoming
- b) meeting
- c) approaching

103. One of the greatest actors of the century ... an unforgettable character.

- a) moulded
- b) created
- c) developed

104. Many people go to the theatre to listen to the brilliant ... between the actors.

- a) dialogue
- b) chat
- c) comments

105. You can't compare the ... of watching live theatre with watching a film.

- a) experience
- b) knowing
- c) understanding

106. Are you one of those people who never goes to see a movie until you've read the ... in the newspaper?

- a) notes
- b) reviews
- c) opinions

107. The ... were so carried away with the acting that at the end of the play they all stood up and applauded.

- a) spectators
- b) watchers
- c) audience

108. There are always special ... in her tragedies that move you to tears.

- a) particles
- b) elements
- c) constituents

109. However well written the play is, it will never succeed without outstanding

- a) creators
- b) workers
- c) performers

110. As always her latest play has been a huge success and all tickets are ... until September.

- a) sold out
- b) put out
- c) taken out

111. Lightning never strikes in the same place

- a) thrice

- b) twice
- c) secondly

112. If you watch a kettle, it never

- a) heats
- b) stew
- c) boils

113. Look before you

- a) leap
- b) strike
- c) rush

114. Don't count your chickens before they are

- a) fed
- b) hatched
- c) born

115. It's all right to tell a ... lie.

- a) black
- b) red
- c) white

116. There's no fool like an ... fool.

- a) old
- b) elderly
- c) ancient

117. Let ... dogs lie.

- a) dreaming
- b) sleeping
- c) barking

118. Strike while the iron is

- a) soft
- b) heating
- c) hot

119. Politeness costs

- a) much
- b) nothing
- c) a little

120. Never look a gift horse in the
a) mouth
b) nose
c) eye
121. Never let the ... grow under your feet.
a) weeds
b) grass
c) bulbs
122. The grass is always ... on the other side.
a) longer
b) further
c) greener
123. Everything is coming up
a) roses
b) lilies
c) tulips
124. Poor Margaret was a bit of a ... at the dance.
a) wallflower
b) cornflower
c) wildflower
125. He led her up the garden
a) lane
b) street
c) path
126. Everything in the ... is lovely.
a) roses
b) flowers
c) garden
127. Money doesn't grow on
a) bushes
b) trees
c) plants
128. A bird in the hand is worth ... in the bush.
a) four

- b) two
- c) one

129. Come to the point and stop beating about the

- a) tree
- b) hedge
- c) bush

130. Don't trust him, he's a bit of a snake in the

- a) grass
- b) plants
- c) weeds

131. As there are so many dishes, would you like me to ... something to eat?

- a) decide
- b) consider
- c) suggest

132. They took a vote and the ... decided to go on a Chinese restaurant.

- a) most
- b) more
- c) majority

133. We waited one hour for the main dish to ... and then it was the wrong order.

- a) arrive
- b) deliver
- c) reach

134. If you really want to enjoy the full flavour, you must remember to ... the right balance of sauces together.

- a) join
- b) mix
- c) stick

135. It is more relaxing to eat in a restaurant where the faces of the staff are

- a) familiarly
- b) familiar
- c) familiarity

136. They reached a ... and settled on the traditional menu.

- a) compromise
- b) agreement
- c) compromising

137. It doesn't matter how late you arrive at this place. You can always ... on a warm welcome from the owner.

- a) believe
- b) trust
- c) rely

138. The place was so full of people and tables that the waiter had to ... us through the crowds to our table.

- a) show
- b) enable
- c) guide

139. The problem about writing on food is that however hard you try, you will end up being

- a) objective
- b) subjective
- c) reflective

140. The success of a good meal is that it should taste good and also look good and thus ... to your eye.

- a) appeal
- b) attract
- c) appear

141. I've just received her latest book from the publisher, so it's what you might call hot ... the press.

- a) from
- b) off
- c) with

142. You can never tell exactly what she is thinking because she often ... hot and cold over some topics.

- a) changes
- b) flies
- c) blows

143. I'm not sure and I am getting cold ... about it.
- a) hands
 - b) feet
 - c) arms
144. Politicians talk a lot of hot ... most of the time.
- a) air
 - b) steam
 - c) stuff
145. My neighbours take no notice of me and give me the cold ... when they see me.
- a) hand
 - b) ankle
 - c) shoulder
146. The deputy had to take charge and is currently in the hot ... now.
- a) chair
 - b) seat
 - c) position
147. She had committed the murder in cold
- a) blood
 - b) feeling
 - c) passion
148. I ordered a tea from the waiter but by the time it had reached me it was ... cold.
- a) rock
 - b) stone
 - c) tile
149. The authorities have set up a special hot ... amid coronavirus pandemic.
- a) connection
 - b) phone
 - c) line
150. He's always very uneasy like a cat on hot
- a) roads
 - b) bricks
 - c) roads

151. I really can't tell what's
a) taking in
b) going by
c) going on
152. The trouble is that somebody is
a) standing in front of me
b) standing about me
c) standing to me
153. The best thing I suppose is to ask him
a) to depart
b) to vanish
c) to move
154. That's better I've got a clearer
a) view now
b) picture now
c) vision now
155. It looks as if there's been some kind of
a) event
b) collision
c) position
156. There are two cars in the park that have
a) gone through each one
b) gone into each one
c) gone into one another
157. There are some people in the car park and they are
a) driving their arms about
b) waiving their arms about
c) sailing their arms about
158. I'm walking right up to the crowd now to see
a) what's happened
b) what's happens
c) what's happen
159. Now I can see quite clearly that the big red car has
a) struck the little green one

- b) stuck the little green
 - c) stroked the little green one
160. I've just discovered that the little green one
- a) belonged to me
 - b) has belonged to me
 - c) belongs to me
161. Do you know the difference ... ?
- a) between will and shall
 - b) by will and shall
 - c) from will and shall
162. I can see from the expression on your face that you haven't
- a) got a view
 - b) got a clue
 - c) got a thought
163. I think the best way is to tell you a story that ... the difference.
- a) clears
 - b) explains
 - c) exposes
164. The main difference is that "I will" ... "I want to".
- a) means
 - b) says
 - c) signifies
165. If you say "I shall" then you are talking
- a) on the future
 - b) to the future
 - c) about the future
166. I want you to imagine that a man is walking
- a) on the countryside
 - b) by the countryside
 - c) in the country
167. After a few minutes she ... a river.
- a) nears
 - b) attains
 - c) reaches

168. There is a man in the river fully clothed who is
a) in hardships
b) in hazards
c) in difficulties
169. The man in the river keeps
a) calling off for help
b) calling out for help
c) calling to for help
170. Someone who isn't good at grammar, thinks the man really want to drown, walks on and
a) lets him drown
b) permits him drown
c) allows him drown
171. There were some frogs who thought it would be a good idea to
a) out go
b) go out
c) go on an outing
172. To them it was a very big
a) adventure
b) advent
c) adventurer
173. The frogs experienced a sense of ... for the first time in their lives.
a) freed
b) freedom
c) freeing
174. The weather was perfect and the sun never
a) stopped to shine
b) stopped shining
c) stopped to burn
175. They found plenty of food and decided to stop and take
a) resting
b) rested
c) a rest
176. In the hot sun they started to feel sleepy and very soon fell
a) asleep

- b) into sleepy
- c) into sleep

177. Suddenly, the sound of a dog made the boys

- a) waken
- b) wake up
- c) waking

178. They panicked and ... for their lives.

- a) fled
- b) flew
- c) flowed

179. Some frogs jumped into a barrel where they ... in order not to sink.

- a) hoping and hoping
- b) hopped and hopped
- c) hoped and hoped

180. A frog kept on moving about and in the end ... from the barrel.

- a) rescue
- b) evaded
- c) escaped

181. You broke the glass when you ... the door last night.

- a) slashed
- b) crashed
- c) slammed

182. It couldn't have been me. I always shut doors

- a) quietly
- b) still
- c) hardly

183. You were the last person to

- a) come to home
- b) come at home
- c) come home

184. I heard the sound of glass ... in the night.

- a) crackling
- b) creaking
- c) breaking

185. I know you are not ... the truth.
a) speaking
b) telling
c) saying
186. The boy said he had heard that kind of noise. He
a) assure he did
b) swear he did
c) adjure he did
187. You can protest if you like but it doesn't ... with me.
a) break any ice
b) make any ice
c) cut any ice
188. What's that note ... on the door?
a) adhered
b) glued
c) stuck
189. It's a note from out neighbour. I
a) can't make it out
b) can't make it in
c) can't make it off
190. He says he broke the glass by accident and ... apologetic.
a) he's purely
b) he's soundly
c) he's deeply
191. Excuse me ... but what are you doing?
a) intercepting
b) intervening
c) interrupting
192. I think it is pretty
a) obvious
b) accurate
c) noticeable
193. There's no need to bite my ... off!
a) arm

- b) leg
- c) head

194. I didn't mean to be rude but I'm trying to

- a) cogitate
- b) concentrate
- c) ruminate

195. What is the ... you are working on?

- a) duty
- b) task
- c) goal

196. She has been working on those ... English tests for weeks.

- a) fabled
- b) infamous
- c) famous

197. Do they ... you with your English?

- a) help
- b) aid
- c) comfort

198. Please don't ... in asking questions.

- a) persist
- b) insist
- c) continue

199. Sorry. I'll leave you

- a) apart
- b) alone
- c) lonely

200. Leave me in ... and go finish your homework.

- a) piece
- b) peaceful
- c) peace

201. The woman said she could tell the

- a) future
- b) next
- c) coming

202. I'm about to ... the story to you now.
a) regain
b) repeat
c) relate
203. That man had a ... for telling people the future.
a) reputation
b) title
c) idea
204. Brian made a ... out of buying shares in a company.
a) heap
b) fortune
c) gold
205. The priest never used his ... to benefit himself.
a) given
b) gave
c) gift
206. After a while people started to be ... of him.
a) suspect
b) suspicious
c) suspicion
207. Some people wanted to try and ... him out.
a) make
b) do
c) catch
208. The plan was to pretend to ... his small flat late one night.
a) rob
b) burgle
c) steal
209. They just wanted to ... his ability.
a) test
b) examine
c) try
210. Be careful! The old man has just bought a ... guard dog.
a) spiteful

- b) ferocious
- c) severe

211. I can't ... those silly people who always believe everything.

- a) hand
- b) stomach
- c) finger

212. I caught him ... that young lady.

- a) eying
- b) handing
- c) heading

213. Whenever it comes to speaking his mind he always ... down instead.

- a) backs
- b) hands
- c) heads

214. Come on, shake a ... we're running late.

- a) hand
- b) foot
- c) leg

215. Put your ... down and tell them what you really think.

- a) finger
- b) foot
- c) head

216. I had many drinks last night. I should go for ... of the dog.

- a) an ear
- b) a hair
- c) a foot

217. It won't take her long to wrap you round her little

- a) finger
- b) tongue
- c) body

218. Could you please give me a ...? I need some help.

- a) tooth
- b) foot
- c) hand

219. I have the information straight from the horse's
a) back
b) mouth
c) foot
220. You should do your homework you lazy
a) bottoms
b) hips
c) bones
221. You could hear the ... of great activity.
a) move
b) sound
c) sounding
222. You can hear the ants who are ... drying grain.
a) doing
b) active
c) busy
223. The ants had ... the grain during the summer.
a) collected
b) brought
c) assumed
224. Their plan was to eat this ... during the winter.
a) provider
b) provision
c) providing
225. They were so ... in their work that they didn't notice me.
a) engrossed
b) enveloped
c) enlarged
226. The insect was practically ... because it hadn't eaten for ages.
a) stalking
b) straining
c) starving
227. The old man ... them to let him have a little food.
a) bade

- b) begged
- c) bid

228. They asked him why he hadn't ... up food in the summer.

- a) stored
- b) stopped
- c) stoked

229. The man ... he had spent the whole summer enjoying himself.

- a) contented
- b) confused
- c) confessed

230. They didn't say that he would have to dance ... to bed in the winter.

- a) famished
- b) famous
- c) faded

231. They turn ... their studies and experience the real world for a while.

- a) aside from
- b) into
- c) down

232. One long hot summer I turned ... waiting, as my method of getting cash.

- a) to
- b) into
- c) down

233. Perhaps you should turn that word ... a more specific one.

- a) to
- b) into
- c) down

234. I turned my hand ... many jobs during vacation periods.

- a) out
- b) to
- c) into

235. The one business that hadn't turned ... my application was situated 25 kilometers away.

- a) out

- b) into
- c) down

236. You turned ... the drive and saw only hills all around.

- a) out
- b) into
- c) down

237. The house has been turned ... a small hostel.

- a) to
- b) out
- c) into

238. The owners had to turn ... all the rooms which were full of rubbish.

- a) down
- b) out
- c) into

239. They had a problem. They had to turn ... an old tramp who lived in the abandoned house.

- a) out
- b) aside from
- c) into

240. The tramp turned ... to be a relative to the owner, in the end.

- a) to
- b) out
- c) down

241. It looks awful – these colours

- a) crash
- b) hash
- c) clash

242. After what you've ..., I'm sure you need a holiday.

- a) felt
- b) acted
- c) experienced

243. We won't ... that now but I don't think we can avoid the subject much longer.

- a) enter

- b) discuss
- c) introduce

244. ... now that I've heard what he has done.

- a) I don't think at all of him
- b) I think often of him
- c) I think a lot of him

245. My advice to you is to simply take

- a) the opportunity hardly
- b) the opportunity slowly
- c) the opportunity soon

246. The food has been too long out of the fridge and now it has become ...

- a) rotten
- b) stale
- c) flat

247. There were so many members who had ... the leader that he resigned.

- a) apposed
- b) opposed
- c) invited

248. Don't wait for me. You ... and I'll join you later.

- a) go by me
- b) go before me
- c) go forwards me

249. If petrol prices ... any more, I shall have to use a bicycle.

- a) develop
- b) ascend
- c) increase

250. Please ... from where I stopped you. I'm sorry.

- a) continue
- b) speak
- c) finish

251. I reckon I could beat you at chess ... day of the week.

- a) each
- b) every
- c) any

252. At the ... of the day it's what you believe in that's important.
a) finish
b) end
c) start
253. It's getting late now and I'm very tired so I think we'll ... it a day.
a) call
b) name
c) label
254. It was our speaker who ... the day.
a) scored
b) won
c) ended
255. It didn't stop raining throughout my holiday, day in day
a) under
b) up
c) out
256. Don't worry your bad luck will soon end. Remember every ... has its day.
a) mouse
b) dog
c) cat
257. The lovers decided at last to ... the day.
a) state
b) hold
c) name
258. It wasn't long ago when I last saw Mary – it was only the ... day.
a) other
b) last
c) recent
259. We should visit them one of ... days.
a) those
b) these
c) that
260. She turned up at last minute and ... the day.
a) hit

- b) took
- c) saved

261. She was slowly going ... her mind with worry.

- a) out of
- b) past by
- c) in to

262. You should ... this in mind before you seriously think about changing jobs.

- a) carry
- b) bear
- c) hold

263. I never heard such an outstanding performance – it simply ... my mind.

- a) split
- b) blew
- c) broke

264. He said simply that it had never ... his mind.

- a) travelled
- b) found
- c) crossed

265. I'm inclined to give them a ... of my mind considering all the trouble they have done.

- a) piece
- b) section
- c) slice

266. They say that great minds think

- a) like
- b) alike
- c) similar

267. She has a one ... mind as all she ever talks about is fashion.

- a) track
- b) path
- c) road

268. I can't decide. I'm really in ... minds about it.

- a) double

- b) two
- c) dual

269. It has completely ... my mind.

- a) slipped
- b) glided
- c) slid

270. She told me to mind my own

- a) state
- b) actions
- c) business

271. He was as quiet as a ... in order not to wake anybody up.

- a) dog
- b) mouse
- c) rat

272. As he was on a dangerous mission for the government, he had to keep ... about what he did for a living.

- a) mum
- b) dad
- c) aunt

273. There were lots of rumours and the man tried very hard to ... everything up.

- a) stop
- b) silence
- c) hush

274. If anybody asks my lips are

- a) sealed
- b) shut
- c) closed

275. To me silence is

- a) steel
- b) silver
- c) golden

276. The so-called ... majority are the vast number of people who don't go out on the street and protest.

- a) noiseless

- b) quiet
- c) silent

277. It was so quiet you could hear a ... drop.

- a) needle
- b) pin
- c) screw

278. After the earthquake, the cries of those trapped were

- a) audited
- b) auditory
- c) inaudible

279. The villagers complained about the noise from the church bell and asked if it could somehow be

- a) muffled
- b) wrapped
- c) suppressed

280. She promised not to ... a word about it.

- a) open
- b) breathe
- c) mouth

281. I think it's all stuff and

- a) garbage
- b) trash
- c) nonsense

282. They always talk about: health care, education, welfare and stuff ... that.

- a) on
- b) like
- c) as

283. She avoided having any alcohol and then she had a small drop of the ... stuff.

- a) difficult
- b) solid
- c) hard

284. The work they are doing is very basic. In fact you could call it ... stuff.

- a) kids

- b) babies
- c) juniors'

285. When he lectured, you could tell he ... her stuff.

- a) showed
- b) knew
- c) took

286. We rely on you to impress everyone and we expect you to ... your stuff.

- a) make
- b) do
- c) take

287. It's difficult to make him enjoy himself. He always behaves like a stuffed

- a) shirt
- b) suit
- c) coat

288. ... the stuff! I want to hear it loud and clear.

- a) More
- b) There
- c) That's

289. You should stop stuffing your ... every five minutes! If you want to lose some weight.

- a) throat
- b) face
- c) teeth

290. The news quite ... the stuffing out of her for days.

- a) hit
- b) threw
- c) knocked

291. He's ... a high at the moment because everything is going his way.

- a) at
- b) on
- c) for

292. I have high ... that we will succeed with our project.

- a) views

- b) sensations
- c) hopes

293. It's high ... we left.

- a) minute
- b) tempo
- c) time

294. You'll just have to get used to these highs and

- a) downs
- b) lows
- c) falls

295. Now that she has become manager she is so high and

- a) mighty
- b) severe
- c) strong

296. The really high ... of the evening's entertainment was when they fought.

- a) feature
- b) spot
- c) thing

297. Tom left the safe door unlocked last night so I reckon he will be for the high ... this morning.

- a) leap
- b) go
- c) jump

298. When you break a rule, she gets on her high ... and starts shouting at you.

- a) camel
- b) horse
- c) pony

299. The moment she joined the staff you just knew she was a high

- a) flier
- b) sailor
- c) pilot

300. We asked the restaurant to provide a high

- a) chair

- b) seat
- c) place

301. The reader has to work ... who did it, who committed the crime.

- a) **out**
- b) off
- c) in

302. It's interesting how many times a reader can be sent up ... alleys.

- a) twisted
- b) long
- c) **blind**

303. It's interesting how many red ... the author can throw in the reader's path.

- a) fish
- b) **herrings**
- c) sharks

304. The main idea is to keep the readers in a permanent state of

- a) **suspense**
- b) suspension
- c) suspending

305. As the plot ..., you will find out something strange about him.

- a) **unfolds**
- b) unties
- c) undoes

306. It's normal to feel as if you are walking in a

- a) mess
- b) mist
- c) **maze**

307. Brian uses his little grey ... - his brains.

- a) atoms
- b) **cells**
- c) molecules

308. The detective decided to call all the ... together in the end.

- a) suspected
- b) **suspects**
- c) suspecting

309. One by one he ... the innocent.
- a) excluding
 - b) eliminates
 - c) exerts
310. The former chairman bothered to take ... in the final meeting.
- a) part
 - b) parted
 - c) parting
311. The damage is done and it's no good crying over spilled
- a) water
 - b) beer
 - c) milk
312. It is a crying ... that the project is now being abandoned.
- a) shame
 - b) shock
 - c) pity
313. She soon got known as a regular ... at school.
- a) crygirl
 - b) crybaby
 - c) cryinfant
314. His garden cried out ... something colourful to be planted.
- a) for
 - b) on
 - c) to
315. Our guest cried ... at the last moment.
- a) on
 - b) with
 - c) off
316. For crying out ... how many times do I have to tell you not to do that?
- a) loud
 - b) hard
 - c) strong
317. She's simply crying for the
- a) sun

- b) moon
- c) earth

318. Nobody believes her because she has cried ... so often.

- a) wolf
- b) dog
- c) cat

319. Working conditions today are a ... cry from how they were ten years ago.

- a) far
- b) long
- c) distant

320. There was a noisy crowd of about ten people in ... cry chasing the man.

- a) strong
- b) loud
- c) full

321. He didn't have much in the way of property – just ... and pieces.

- a) bits
- b) dots
- c) things

322. In fact this was a piece of ... for her as it happened.

- a) gratitude
- b) luck
- c) fortune

323. The ... of the piece arrived in the shape of a burglar.

- a) evil
- b) peasant
- c) villain

324. Don't ... to pieces. Stay calm.

- a) go
- b) come
- c) find

325. He didn't want to get involved and have a piece of the ... and fled.

- a) acting

- b) action
- c) act

326. I want to hear your opinion. Please give me a piece of your

- a) brain
- b) thoughts
- c) mind

327. She told him he was a ... piece of work.

- a) disgusting
- b) nasty
- c) bad

328. The poor man didn't have a proper job and only did piece

- a) work
- b) works
- c) working

329. The architecture in this town is ... of a piece.

- a) complete
- b) all
- c) same

330. The police arrived and were pleased to see that her was all right and in ... piece.

- a) good
- b) fine
- c) one

331. This castle is very old – it has stood the test of

- a) duration
- b) time
- c) history

332. This treatment may be useful but we don't know until we've ... it to the test.

- a) placed
- b) put
- c) struck

333. It's a good idea to test the ... first.

- a) waters

- b) rivers
- c) springs

334. No-one knows whether she will succeed in her attempt. It's a bit of a test ...

- a) case
- b) theme
- c) example

335. Before you buy a car, you will be allowed to test ... it first.

- a) travel
- b) conduct
- c) drive

336. These are indeed ... times for the government.

- a) testing
- b) tested
- c) tester

337. He was one of the most experienced of the company's test ...

- a) drivers
- b) pilots
- c) travellers

338. The hero mixed something up in a test ... and then drink it.

- a) pipe
- b) tube
- c) glass

339. The engine had to be placed in a test ... to make sure it worked.

- a) hole
- b) bed
- c) centre

340. There is a coloured test ... on the printer.

- a) sheet
- b) paper
- c) card

341. He has got the kind of job that seems to keep her occupied all the time – 24-....

- a) 5

- b) 7
- c) 6

342. ..., I couldn't agree with you more.

- a) Absolutely
- b) Finally
- c) Totally

343. It's time to ... the issue.

- a) talk
- b) speak
- c) address

344. It's difficult to say how many people were involved but I would say ...
50.

- a) around
- b) across
- c) into

345. It was one of those sights that you never forget it was

- a) fine
- b) awesome
- c) interesting

346. I don't know how much it will cost but I could give a ... figure of 2
million euros.

- a) ball place
- b) ball field
- c) ball park

347. I agree with what you say, but

- a) simply
- b) basically
- c) wholly

348. You should fill in those forms on a weekly

- a) basis
- b) stand
- c) base

349. I hope you will be patient and ... with me a minute.

- a) stay

- b) bear
- c) hold

350. He's between a rock and a ... place.

- a) firm
- b) soft
- c) hard

351. Keep in mind that he's likely to shout at you and lose his

- a) cool
- b) cold
- c) ice

352. Unfortunately, there's no hope for him now because he has lost his ... and has gone completely crazy.

- a) jewels
- b) stones
- c) marbles

353. She broke down in tears and lost her

- a) sense
- b) nerve
- c) skill

354. She began to throw things round the room and it was clear he had just lost his

- a) rag
- b) cloth
- c) cover

355. Despite his great age we realized that he hadn't lost his

- a) feeling
- b) contact
- c) touch

356. It seems they have lost the ... of your argument.

- a) thread
- b) cord
- c) string

357. We lost ... because we didn't get a fair agreement.

- a) through

- b) out
- c) off

358. The acrobat lost his ... and fell to the ground.

- a) control
- b) balance
- c) sense

359. After a while I began to lose ... in the story.

- a) interest
- b) thought
- c) following

360. Try your luck! You have ... to lose.

- a) less
- b) least
- c) nothing

361. You've just ... on my foot!

- a) stode
- b) trodden
- c) stuck

362. There's a car ... on your left.

- a) guiding
- b) driving
- c) approaching

363. Just a second, you have just ... my case.

- a) broken
- b) burst
- c) braced

364. Mind, the doors are

- a) ending
- b) finishing
- c) closing

365. Watch it, you almost ... my eye out with that umbrella.

- a) pointed
- b) placed
- c) poked

366. Pay attention! There's a large ... between the platform and the train.

- a) gap
- b) line
- c) area

367. Do you see what you did to that ... of books?

- a) mount
- b) pile
- c) hill

368. You've given me the wrong I gave you a ten-euro note.

- a) difference
- b) change
- c) account

369. That man has just gone ... with my wallet!

- a) off
- b) on
- c) by

370. You have ... your car lights on.

- a) placed
- b) tested
- c) left

371. I know I ... do it because I have done it before.

- a) must
- b) ought
- c) can

372. You really ... see that film because I know you'll like it.

- a) will
- b) should
- c) could

373. It's quite clear that you ... to visit the museum, so why don't you?

- a) may
- b) were
- c) want

374. It's the right thing to do in this situation and it's my belief that you ... to go.

- a) should

- b) ought
- c) might

375. I say to myself each day I really ... write that e-mail.

- a) must
- b) might
- c) can

376. ... I have your permission to leave the meeting early?

- a) Will
- b) May
- c) Would

377. You should take an umbrella with you. It ... rain.

- a) must
- b) will
- c) might

378. She ... eventually succeed, I assure you.

- a) will
- b) want
- c) might

379. You ... to finish on time because you have no choice.

- a) must
- b) can
- c) have

380. ... you really help me? If so, I should be most grateful.

- a) May
- b) Could
- c) Must

381. You look ... in that dress.

- a) starting
- b) startling
- c) stunning

382. I haven't had such a ... meal for ages.

- a) delighting
- b) delight
- c) delightful

383. I like your suit. What's the name of your ...?
a) tailor's
b) maker's
c) warder's
384. I must ... you on your performance.
a) enquire
b) impress
c) congratulate
385. One can tell immediately that you are a ... by the way you act.
a) tyro
b) professional
c) worker
386. I can't believe that you are ... enough to have such children.
a) old
b) wise
c) grown
387. Even if I ... for a ten years, I couldn't beat you.
a) pursued
b) polished
c) practised
388. You certainly don't look your
a) old
b) age
c) type
389. It's always a ... talking to you.
a) please
b) pleasure
c) pleased
390. His jokes are as always ... to read.
a) fun
b) funnily
c) amusement
391. We are trying to finish in time and we are working ... the clock.
a) on

- b) against
- c) up

392. You have to turn this from left to right – in other words clock

- a) way
- b) path
- c) wise

393. You can't make yourself any younger and turn the clock

- a) back
- b) by
- c) down

394. This service is as regular as clock

- a) time
- b) work
- c) job

395. You can always get a response as the staff are there ... the clock.

- a) round
- b) down
- c) along

396. What time do you start work or more exactly when do you clock ... ?

- a) with
- b) by
- c) on

397. When do you finish work or more exactly what time do you clock ... ?

- a) in
- b) off
- c) through

398. I've clocked ... about 10 hours this week.

- a) up
- b) for
- c) on

399. Each team wants to be fastest and ... the clock.

- a) strike
- b) hit
- c) beat

400. She's not interested in her job. She's just a clock

- a) seer
- b) **watcher**
- c) looker

401. I recommend you make a list of points to consider ... deciding which payment method to accept.

- a) where
- b) **when**
- c) what

402. How long do you think it will take ... we'll be in a position to implement the changes?

- a) **before**
- b) upon
- c) to

403. The new promotion campaign had been ... because of software problems.

- a) founded
- b) created
- c) **postponed**

404. Some young engineers have been ... the opportunity to join our company.

- a) offer
- b) offering
- c) **offered**

405. One indicator of business success is how ... types of communication channels a company use.

- a) lots
- b) **many**
- c) much

406. A customer support service should be ... as the nerve centre of all company communication.

- a) **regarded**
- b) dreamt
- c) thought

407. It goes without ... that there are more goals that can be achieved with your business.

- a) saying
- b) asking
- c) talking

408. A organization's success will largely depend ... how far ahead into the future it can forecast its operations.

- a) at
- b) in
- c) on

409. It is also ... that every team member feels part of a unit.

- a) vivid
- b) vital
- c) lively

410. Corporations ... on an international scale create and pursue a human resources policy covering many different aspects.

- a) operation
- b) operating
- c) operates

411. From an early age she had been passionate ... animals.

- a) to
- b) of
- c) about

412. He used to socialise with people who ... the same way as he did.

- a) thought
- b) approved
- c) considered

413. Their main interest in life was to ... that all animals were well treated.

- a) ensure
- b) assure
- c) convict

414. She got to know somebody in a local organisation ... at stopping cruelty to children.

- a) hit

- b) aimed
- c) struck

415. She was an important ... in a government department.

- a) puppet
- b) figure
- c) character

416. They forced him to take ... retirement.

- a) easy
- b) busy
- c) early

417. As far ... she was concerned, he was a fool.

- a) than
- b) as
- c) so

418. They were not at all pleased ... where she had decided to work.

- a) about
- b) for
- c) around

419. He thought that all this animal ... was a lot of nonsense.

- a) matter
- b) business
- c) topic

420. We had several conversations about her decisions but they usually ... up with nothing useful.

- a) lasted
- b) terminated
- c) ended

421. She often worries. This is something she has ... from her father.

- a) left
- b) earned
- c) inherited

422. There are some people who are never happy unless they have a problem to

- a) solve

- b) cut
- c) release

423. She worries about the cost of ... these days.

- a) life
- b) existence
- c) **living**

424. Something happened to her exactly three years

- a) over
- b) **ago**
- c) passed

425. Other things happen too in the spring – people ... in love.

- a) **fall**
- b) drop
- c) decline

426. He doesn't have a romantic

- a) **disposition**
- b) institution
- c) constitution

427. The boy lives in a village by a little stream and ... this time lots of creatures start to wake up and make noise.

- a) across
- b) **around**
- c) through

428. In London, which ... on the river Thames, people are completely different.

- a) sits
- b) **stands**
- c) holds

429. I apologize for the simplicity of these I want everybody to clearly understand me.

- a) **statements**
- b) mentions
- c) declamations

430. I gave examples to show the extent of the change he

- a) underdid

- b) underwent
- c) undertook

431. The other ... in this anecdote is a young woman.

- a) part
- b) principal
- c) character

432. The little girl lives in that ... and remote village.

- a) wretched
- b) minor
- c) tiny

433. Life is too short to ... time imagining the worst.

- a) waste
- b) spend
- c) pass

434. In a word she is the complete ... in temperament of Brian.

- a) opponent
- b) opposed
- c) opposite

435. Please consider the close ... of their cities.

- a) standing
- b) placing
- c) proximity

436. If you take the second ... to the right after the signpost you will arrive.

- a) turn in
- b) turning
- c) turn

437. The weather ... a significant part in their lives.

- a) controls
- b) plays
- c) holds

438. He has already set ... for the local pub.

- a) to
- b) by
- c) off

439. She had an umbrella with her and a coat ... that aphorism her mother always used.

- a) following
- b) pursuing
- c) chasing

440. She made it to the pub before the storm

- a) collapsed
- b) dropped
- c) broke

441. He ... to buy her a drink and told her not to worry.

- a) offered
- b) requested
- c) asked

442. It means everything ... will go up in price.

- a) else
- b) also
- c) other

443. Everyone in the meeting room looks ... depressed at her remark.

- a) ideally
- b) easily
- c) suitably

444. That day, the ... was palpable.

- a) bloom
- b) gloom
- c) room

445. Taking into consideration the storm, I saw the young lady as someone who was ... and needed help.

- a) downed
- b) draped
- c) drenched

446. The man walked over to her and asked if she was ... right.

- a) all
- b) some
- c) total

447. That moment, the man ... his worry from himself to someone else.
a) offered
b) preferred
c) transferred
448. He mixed her a ... drink to protect her from a possible cold.
a) special
b) speciality
c) unusual
449. I heard you live in this town. "How do you ...?", he asked.
a) know
b) realize
c) find
450. For a special drink, put a drop of ginger ale and a piece of lemon in the alcohol and then ... thoroughly.
a) fork
b) stir
c) mash
451. The medical doctor always kept two ... with him.
a) parts
b) ingredients
c) particles
452. She must Her train leaves in ten minutes.
a) flea
b) flee
c) fly
453. Don't forget to take the tablets I You'll feel better.
a) congested
b) suggested
c) ingested
454. I will ... you know as soon as I come back from Spain.
a) let
b) leave
c) allow
455. He ... his pulse.
a) detected

- b) ticked
- c) checked

456. That time, it was a different sort of worry that was ... a concern.

- a) exactly
- b) almost
- c) fairly

457. ... seconds he rushed out of the pub leaving everything behind.

- a) Within
- b) Inside
- c) Outside

458. What was ... to him? He saw something strange.

- a) occurring
- b) coming
- c) happening

459. The man jumped down from the platform onto the ... and waved at the train driver to stop.

- a) road
- b) track
- c) lane

460. Two years ... their first date they got married.

- a) sooner
- b) later
- c) after

461. He doesn't ... any more now that he's rich.

- a) concern
- b) disturb
- c) worry

462. He ... calm.

- a) stays
- b) rests
- c) relaxes

463. The time when people ... him to start worrying was over.

- a) expected
- b) waited
- c) stood

464. Do you want to attend the wedding ...?
a) event
b) ceremony
c) occasion
465. She knew what everyone had
a) believed
b) thought
c) dreamt
466. They thought she would go to
a) parts
b) sections
c) pieces
467. I am relaxed and I ... it all to my team.
a) lend
b) borrow
c) owe
468. She smiled at him when they were standing ... the altar.
a) on
b) in
c) at
469. She stopped worrying from that moment
a) on
b) by
c) to
470. One can see him ... relaxed in the newspaper pictures.
a) looking
b) seeing
c) watching
471. I ... come if I had had time.
a) had
b) did
c) would have
472. This time tomorrow you ... fishing.
a) are

- b) will
- c) **will** be

473. Before you called, I ... watching a documentary.

- a) **was**
- b) have
- c) am

474. After the storm ... finished, many people were destitute.

- a) has
- b) **had**
- c) were

475. Tomorrow I ... taking a day off.

- a) will
- b) **am**
- c) have

476. Where did you ... for your holiday?

- a) **go**
- b) went
- c) gone

477. I admit you ... tried but I'm afraid the results is negative.

- a) did
- b) do
- c) **have**

478. Sometimes I wonder if I ... ever succeed.

- a) were
- b) shall
- c) **am**

479. How many times ... you been there?

- a) will
- b) have
- c) **did**

480. She has ... working there for ten years.

- a) **been**
- b) have
- c) done

481. It's time we

- a) are going
- b) go
- c) **went**

482. I couldn't follow a word you

- a) will say
- b) are saying
- c) **were** saying

483. She asked me what I ... doing there.

- a) will be
- b) did
- c) **was**

484. I've just ... that the price has gone up.

- a) **been** told
- b) was told
- c) am told

485. Marry was annoyed that she ... spoken to like that.

- a) has been
- b) was been
- c) **had** been

486. I've just been ... here that man has been released.

- a) **reading**
- b) read
- c) reads

487. What ... you do if they stopped you?

- a) shall
- b) **would**
- c) do

488. Long ... the King!

- a) lived
- b) living
- c) **live**

489. If I get there early, I ... you a seat.

- a) do save

- b) shall save
- c) did save

490. When she is in town, she ... listening to the birds.

- a) miss
- b) missing
- c) misses

491. There you ...! I wondered where you were.

- a) were
- b) are
- c) be

492. She would help him if she

- a) could
- b) can
- c) can't

493. The candidate told them he ... starting work the next day.

- a) will be
- b) would be
- c) will have been

494. He had instructions that he ... to leave the door unlocked.

- a) was
- b) will being
- c) were

495. She refused to go until she ... seen the pictures.

- a) has
- b) was
- c) had

496. Don't worry even if you make a mistake. If you ..., it doesn't matter.

- a) done
- b) do
- c) will do

497. She ... silly things like this!

- a) will do
- b) always did
- c) is always doing

498. The man who ... walking down the road then lives next door.
- a) was
 - b) will be
 - c) is
499. I can't understand why she ... at you last night.
- a) has shout
 - b) shout
 - c) shouted
500. Tell me what you ... to do now.
- a) will want
 - b) want
 - c) wanted
501. As we've got a lot of time to ... before the car comes, let's have a drink.
- a) lose
 - b) kill
 - c) waste
502. If you criticize your wife in public, it can only be regarded as very
- a) tactless
 - b) careless
 - c) casual
503. Last time when I saw him he was really out of
- a) trend
 - b) order
 - c) sorts
504. She never worries about anything and has a happy ... disposition.
- a) go-lucky
 - b) tempered
 - c) disposed
505. I'm feeling under the
- a) rain
 - b) weather
 - c) clouds
506. There's an informative programme on the radio tonight on ... affairs.
- a) current

- b) actual
- c) factual

507. He published his books under a

- a) acronym
- b) **pseudonym**
- c) homonym

508. She spoke the language in a regional

- a) voice
- b) jargon
- c) **dialect**

509. I sometimes find that the ... made by the advertisers are more interesting than the product.

- a) commerce
- b) comments
- c) **commercials**

510. Don't forget the ... is on Sunday.

- a) lifeline
- b) **deadline**
- c) sideline

511. They have been walking ... together for 8 months now.

- a) through
- b) **out**
- c) off

512. Don't let him walk all ... you.

- a) under
- b) across
- c) **over**

513. She never looks where she's going and is always walking ... things.

- a) **into**
- b) under
- c) up

514. He left the room walking ... in a really bad temper.

- a) **off**
- b) to
- c) down

515. The safe has been broken into and someone's walked ... with all the jewels.

- a) of
- b) into
- c) off

516. The boy took no notice of the accident and walked

- a) across
- b) by
- c) in

517. A stranger walked ... to me and asked for directions.

- a) up
- b) along
- c) by

518. There is an expression in Australia. If you mix with the crowd, they say you're going on a walk

- a) about
- b) across
- c) out

519. The administrator was scared that his employees would stop work and walk

- a) over
- b) about
- c) out

520. They suddenly left and walked ... on us.

- a) to
- b) in
- c) out

521. Where ... tonight?

- a) you go
- b) going
- c) are you going

522. That ... my local store.

- a) is
- b) was
- c) had

523. I'm so sorry. I ... mean to be rude.
- a) won't
 - b) can't
 - c) don't
524. ... all right.
- a) That has
 - b) That is
 - c) There is
525. I hope I ... offended you.
- a) didn't
 - b) won't
 - c) haven't
526. You ... offend me at all.
- a) wouldn't
 - b) hadn't
 - c) didn't
527. So, ... got an idea.
- a) I've
 - b) I'm
 - c) I'll
528. ... me about it.
- a) Speak
 - b) Say
 - c) Tell
529. I ... we could go out together, that night.
- a) thought
 - b) think
 - c) have thought
530. That ... a bad idea to me. I don't risk investing in it.
- a) will sound
 - b) shall sound
 - c) sounds
531. I'm ... a letter. I need some quiet.
- a) wrote

- b) writing
- c) written

532. I ... I won't make a sound.

- a) promise
- b) promised
- c) did promise

533. He is stressed. His wife is always ... that!

- a) said
- b) saying
- c) said

534. Please, trust me. This time I ... it.

- a) will mean
- b) am mean
- c) mean

535. I don't think you ... telling the truth.

- a) were
- b) are
- c) will be

536. At least ... the woman a chance.

- a) gave
- b) giving
- c) give

537. If I ..., I know I shall regret it.

- a) were
- b) do
- c) have

538. She likes him. I might regret helping you. No, you

- a) couldn't
- b) won't
- c) didn't

539. You ... stay as long as you want.

- a) can
- b) could
- c) will

540. The boy shall be quiet but ... just put the TV on.
a) he has
b) he will
c) he is
541. If I ... you, I wouldn't risk it.
a) were
b) am
c) would be
542. If I had waited another month, I could probably ... a better price for the house.
a) had got
b) would get
c) have got
543. When it's cold, water
a) froze
b) freezes
c) has frozen
544. If she decides to accept that job, she ... it for the rest of her life.
a) regret
b) will regret
c) has regretted
545. If you ... of applying for that job, my advice is: do it!
a) would think
b) will think
c) are thinking
546. If he hadn't been driving so fast, he ... have hit the woman.
a) wouldn't
b) didn't
c) hadn't
547. ... he been more careful, he would have spotted the mistake.
a) Is
b) Were
c) Had
548. If he goes on passing his exams, ... soon be qualified.
a) he will

- b) he is
- c) he has

549. If I pay you thrice as much, will you ... to finish by Friday?

- a) is able
- b) be able
- c) can be able

550. If only I'd invested in that company, I'd ... a billionaire by now.

- a) became
- b) had become
- c) have become

551. I want to try and carry out an

- a) experience
- b) endurance
- c) experiment

552. My ... is to explain the different uses of the tenses.

- a) problem
- b) plan
- c) situation

553. The main problem is knowing where you ...?

- a) start
- b) commence
- c) activate

554. As you ... know there are many things we should solve.

- a) sometimes
- b) probably
- c) certainly

555. The problem is ... you can tell the difference.

- a) which
- b) what
- c) how

556. How can you tell the difference between, for ..., the Present Simple and Present Continuous?

- a) case
- b) instant
- c) example

557. I should ... myself from talking about this nonsense.
a) stop
b) exact
c) control
558. Please ... me for doing that.
a) forget
b) forgive
c) forbid
559. I should be thinking about the
a) beginning
b) genesis
c) first
560. General issues should be talked about ... particular ones.
a) before
b) of
c) with
561. So let's go ... to the beginning.
a) back
b) for
c) on
562. The ... thing to consider is the budget.
a) premier
b) premium
c) first
563. Each English tense has two
a) forms
b) outlines
c) figures
564. ... are common to every language.
a) Their
b) They
c) Them
565. She goes to work Monday to Saturday and that ... a habit.
a) defeats

- b) detracts
- c) describes

566. This is something he ... every day.

- a) done
- b) did
- c) does

567. She lives in a small house. The previous sentence is another ... of Present Simple.

- a) painting
- b) illustration
- c) picture

568. Let's ... that second issue.

- a) address
- b) call
- c) nominate

569. He is walking home now and that means at this

- a) period
- b) moment
- c) day

570. Using Present Continuous we describe what is ... now.

- a) elapsing
- b) going
- c) happening

571. First impressions are important because how you ... initially can be as important as what you say. Remember this all the time!

- a) come out
- b) come across
- c) come by

572. It's so hard to ... a good personal assistant.

- a) come out
- b) come back
- c) come by

573. Will your insurer ... for you?

- a) come over

- b) come to
- c) come through

574. If you have met someone from China and ... a fever followed by breath shortness, you should seek urgent medical attention!

- a) come up
- b) come across
- c) come down with

575. In terms of personality he's certainly ... well since he changed his attitude.

- a) come along
- b) come over
- c) come back

576. Be careful as some symptoms may ... after stopping the therapy.

- a) come by
- b) come back
- c) come out

577. Making the decision to ... about her sexual preferences might be scary for her.

- a) come along
- b) come over
- c) come out

578. I was wondering how astronomers ... their facts.

- a) come out
- b) come along
- c) come up with

579. It was reported that the Government is expected to ... stringent norms.

- a) come out
- b) come across
- c) come up with

580. Her boyfriend wants her to ... when nobody is at home.

- a) come over
- b) come along
- c) come out

581. They were instructed to use the Internet to ... information.

- a) look over

- b) look after
- c) look up

582. The treasurer assured his constituents that he would ... the scandal.

- a) look into
- b) look up
- c) look over

583. My attorney advised me to ... the terms and conditions.

- a) look into
- b) look over
- c) look up

584. I have always ... my grandfather.

- a) looked on
- b) looked at
- c) looked up to

585. I ... my laptop in car, in my office and even in the wardrobe.

- a) looked at
- b) looked for
- c) looked after

586. Authorities advised passengers to ... suspicious looking people.

- a) look out for
- b) look after
- c) look for

587. The view ... over the Atlantic Ocean.

- a) looks out
- b) looks after
- c) looks for

588. Participants were given ten minutes to ... their final papers.

- a) look into
- b) look after
- c) look through

589. Unfortunately she is no longer capable of ... herself.

- a) looking out
- b) looking into
- c) looking after

590. When I blamed them for giving me the wrong medicine, they ... the matter very carefully.

- a) looked into
- b) looked at
- c) looked for

591. I'll cook supper ... I come home.

- a) before
- b) as soon as
- c) while

592. I want to finish my work ... we go out.

- a) before
- b) as soon as
- c) until

593. He's going to look after the cat ... I'm away.

- a) until
- b) before
- c) while

594. I'll email you ... I arrive.

- a) as soon as
- b) until
- c) as long as

595. I will find a place to stay ... I arrive in Jakarta.

- a) when
- b) while
- c) as long as

596. She won't speak to him ... he apologizes.

- a) when
- b) while
- c) until

597. Drink your coffee ... it gets cold.

- a) while
- b) before
- c) when

598. Don't cross the road ... you see the green light.

- a) while

- b) until
- c) as soon as

599. I will give you a new laptop ... we get back.

- a) until
- b) while
- c) when

600. She advised us to have vaccinations ... we travel to that country.

- a) before
- b) as long as
- c) as soon as

601. When do you have to pick him up at the airport?

- a) He flew into the international airport.
- b) I don't think she's coming.
- c) I should be there at about six o'clock.

602. What are you going to buy your girlfriend for Christmas?

- a) I picked it up yesterday.
- b) A bottle of perfume.
- c) She received jewelry from her mother.

603. How many people are coming to the birthday party?

- a) I'm expecting about 20 people.
- b) There were about 70 people at the restaurant.
- c) Thirty people were there.

604. What are you doing tonight?

- a) I went to that new restaurant.
- b) We had a great time.
- c) I think I'm going to a movie.

605. How was your honeymoon?

- a) It was great.
- b) We went by plane.
- c) We went to Spain.

606. What is your favourite kind of food?

- a) I ate Chinese food yesterday.
- b) I like Italian food.
- c) Indian cuisine is spicy.

607. Who is coming to the business conference?
- a) The assembly line workers were there.
 - b) Fifty members attended the conference.
 - c) The management team for sure.
608. What are your thoughts on last meeting?
- a) I'm glad we covered the latest employees' issue.
 - b) We should bring up the financial concerns.
 - c) I think the director will be there.
609. When are you going to the party?
- a) She is coming with me.
 - b) I'm going right now.
 - c) I arrived at 6 pm.
610. Where is the best place to go for a drink?
- a) We'll meet there.
 - b) That restaurant has great food.
 - c) The pub around the corner has great beer.
611. I asked if ... wanted an ice cream?
- a) everyone
 - b) anyone
 - c) someone
612. Did ... phone me when I was out?
- a) anyone
 - b) someone
 - c) everyone
613. You look familiar. Haven't I seen you ... before?
- a) nowhere
 - b) anywhere
 - c) somewhere
614. She left the room without saying
- a) nothing
 - b) anything
 - c) everything
615. I have never been ... more beautiful than Thailand.
- a) somewhere

- b) nowhere
- c) anywhere

616. Who was at the party? ..., so something very bad must have happened.

- a) No one
- b) Anyone
- c) Everyone

617. What would you like to eat for lunch? ..., I don't mind.

- a) Nothing
- b) Anything
- c) Something

618. Where do you want to go on holiday? ... with a beach.

- a) Somewhere
- b) Nowhere
- c) Anywhere

619. I have ... to say to you. Goodbye!

- a) nothing
- b) everything
- c) something

620. I felt so good being on stage. I was sure that ... was looking at me.

- a) someone
- b) everyone
- c) no one

621. Can you please ... some money until next week?

- a) lend
- b) borrow
- c) give

622. I decided to invest in the commodities as the ... on offer from bank was extremely low.

- a) tax
- b) rent
- c) interest

623. Many retailers refuse to exchange purchases unless you can show them your

- a) receipt

- b) bill
- c) recipe

624. My manager informed me that I had been nominated to ... a sales pitch.

- a) talk
- b) make
- c) do

625. I saw a very good ... advertised in the newspaper.

- a) work
- b) job
- c) occupation

626. My girlfriend has a ... job at the department store.

- a) part-time
- b) spare-time
- c) half-time

627. The medical doctor gave his patient a ... for some medicine.

- a) receipt
- b) recipe
- c) prescription

628. At least ten ... paintings were destroyed during the fire.

- a) priceless
- b) valueless
- c) useless

629. I must remember to fill in my tax ... before the end of this week.

- a) return
- b) declaration
- c) brochure

630. Can you take this money to the bank and make a ... for me?

- a) loan
- b) transaction
- c) deposit

631. Girls smoke almost ... boys in many cities.

- a) as much as
- b) as long as
- c) as soon as

632. He told her that he would take her to the circus the following week ... she got a good mark.

- a) as good as
- b) as much as
- c) as long as

633. You need to go to the hospital ... possible.

- a) as good as
- b) as long as
- c) as soon as

634. She failed her exams. She is ... dead when her parents see her report card.

- a) as much as
- b) as good as
- c) as long as

635. I bet you don't like me ... I like you.

- a) as soon as
- b) as good as
- c) as much as

636. She will accept your proposal ... you promise to take care of her.

- a) as long as
- b) as good as
- c) as soon as

637. Rampant corruption will continue to happen ... the government continues to deny that the problem exists.

- a) as long as
- b) as soon as
- c) as good as

638. Many men love watching football twice ... their women.

- a) as good as
- b) as long as
- c) as much as

639. Many think that the army should withdraw from that country ... possible.

- a) as good as

- b) as soon as
- c) as long as

640. A wise man said that a change is almost ... a holiday.

- a) as long as
- b) as much as
- c) as good as

641. I had to keep him home from school because he had a ... of 38 degrees.

- a) fever
- b) temperature
- c) warmth

642. When I was in Spain last year I ... at a marvelous hotel.

- a) lived
- b) rented
- c) stayed

643. I usually ... up at 8 am every morning.

- a) rise
- b) awake
- c) get

644. I ... see the manager, please.

- a) want to
- b) like to
- c) wish

645. I thought she said she ... spend the weekend with her parents.

- a) is
- b) will
- c) was going to

646. She was wondering if you can ... her to play the piano?

- a) learn
- b) teach
- c) assist

647. Would you ... this letter to the Post Office?

- a) take
- b) retrieve
- c) fetch

648. I hate doing the ... - especially cleaning the floor.
a) housework
b) jobs
c) groundwork
649. She got married ... years ago.
a) for three
b) three
c) at three
650. I haven't ... today.
a) done my lesson
b) read my lesson
c) done my homework
651. His father's ... came as great shock.
a) die
b) death
c) dead
652. They ... last week.
a) married
b) marry
c) got married
653. Their poor old dog is They've had him for ten years. It sleeps all day long.
a) dying
b) dead
c) death
654. The girl screamed when she saw the ... body.
a) die
b) death
c) dead
655. We had a lovely ... in a small country church.
a) wedding
b) marriage
c) reception
656. A ... will be held for the victims.
a) funeral

- b) burial
- c) memorial service

657. She is planning to ... with Mike.

- a) elope
- b) engage
- c) marry

658. Sterility is not adequate grounds for divorce or ... in some states.

- a) annulment
- b) nuptials
- c) marriage

659. Marriage ceremonies should take place ... 6 am and 10 pm.

- a) after
- b) during
- c) between

660. Her body was laid to rest in a beautiful cedar ... adorned with flowers.

- a) wreath
- b) casket
- c) morgue

661. Place the umbrella stand ... the door.

- a) before
- b) across
- c) beside

662. You can get supplies ... the stationery store.

- a) during
- b) from
- c) with

663. They have been best friends ... second grade.

- a) from
- b) after
- c) since

664. We can do this project ... any extra help.

- a) without
- b) within
- c) with

665. The boy stood ... the other new students in his class.
a) out of
b) according to
c) apart from
666. I ran ten laps ... the gym.
a) against
b) across
c) around
667. During my study time, I came ... this poem.
a) past
b) upon
c) over
668. Will you please write about John ... Steve?
a) into
b) instead of
c) in front of
669. They went outside the building ... the false alarm.
a) on top of
b) in front of
c) because of
670. The airplane flew ... the storm.
a) above
b) about
c) ahead
671. Look over there. ... is the biggest apple I've ever seen.
a) These
b) This
c) That
672. She told ... same joke yesterday.
a) this
b) that
c) these
673. Please, take ... and put it over there.
a) this

- b) those
- c) these

674. His eyes shining, the boy pointed to ... piece of candy.

- a) those
- b) these
- c) that

675. ... elephants are sleeping under the shade of the tree over there.

- a) This
- b) These
- c) Those

676. ... are the best days of my life.

- a) These
- b) Those
- c) That

677. ... students at the office want to transfer to out institution.

- a) Those
- b) These
- c) That

678. The pilot steered through ... big cloud.

- a) this
- b) that
- c) those

679. ... film that my cousin saw last week seems like an interesting one.

- a) This
- b) Those
- c) That

680. May I buy five of ... flowers hanging over there?

- a) that
- b) those
- c) these

681. They use wood in the construction process ... it is easy to shape.

- a) while
- b) after
- c) because

682. I haven't spoken with her ... she moved.
a) since
b) unless
c) while
683. Airplanes sometimes fly to unscheduled cities ... the weather is bad.
a) wherever
b) where
c) when
684. Please read the book ... it is still available from the library.
a) since
b) while
c) before
685. I had dessert ... I finished eating the main course.
a) after
b) because
c) while
686. The rally won't begin ... the sum is collected.
a) than
b) until
c) since
687. The boy will groom the horse in the morning ... he can ride it later.
a) until
b) unless
c) so that
688. You will receive extra money ... you turn in your project early.
a) if
b) unless
c) than
689. The concert will end soon ... the audience insists on several encores.
a) as
b) while
c) unless
690. ... they feel threatened, animals sometimes display aggressive behaviour.
a) Where

- b) When
- c) Until

691. One person who made ... a career was Tiger Woods.

- a) herself
- b) himself
- c) itself

692. Divers wear wetsuits to protect ... under the water.

- a) ourselves
- b) itself
- c) themselves

693. You should buy ... a suit or helmet.

- a) myself
- b) yourself
- c) himself

694. Divers use external air suppliers to enable ... to breathe.

- a) themselves
- b) himself
- c) yourselves

695. The candidate ... many voters when he ran for manager last year.

- a) impress
- b) impressed
- c) will impress

696. He still ... oil from a company in Spain.

- a) bought
- b) will buy
- c) buys

697. She ... for us next Saturday night.

- a) baby-sit
- b) baby-sat
- c) will baby-sit

698. The athlete ... with the track team next week.

- a) trains
- b) will train
- c) trained

699. Humidity usually ... when the temperature goes down.
a) will fall
b) fell
c) falls
700. Her cousin ... in that apartment over there.
a) lives
b) living
c) life
701. My brother and my sister ... artists.
a) are
b) have
c) has
702. The man was found guilty ... stealing from his manager.
a) with
b) of
c) for
703. Designing ... for actors to wear require much creativity.
a) scripts
b) kinds
c) costumes
704. He went on his work with an air of
a) determine
b) determined
c) determination
705. Such ... statements are likely to provoke opposition.
a) tendency
b) tendentious
c) tend
706. Every house in the street ... the same.
a) is
b) has
c) have
707. What is he so nervous ...?
a) with

- b) to
- c) about

708. The patient is getting on

- a) satisfied
- b) satisfy
- c) satisfactorily

709. The men were found guilty ... fraud.

- a) by
- b) of
- c) with

710. He ... that if we started at dawn, we would be there by noon.

- a) reasoned
- b) reason
- c) reasonable

711. He is very good ... telling jokes.

- a) at
- b) for
- c) in

712. If TV series were not violent, they would not ... in increased violence.

- a) conclude
- b) give
- c) result

713. Many passengers were traveling home to ... holidays with their families.

- a) keep
- b) spend
- c) hold

714. The country was in total ... as the pandemic began.

- a) confusion
- b) confusian
- c) confusment

715. He was very unpopular. Nobody ... him.

- a) hated
- b) quarrelled
- c) liked

716. We plan to investigate the possibility ... spending a week at your place.

- a) for
- b) in
- c) of

717. A few of the passengers were trying to get some sleep, but ... of them were listening to music.

- a) mostly
- b) most
- c) all most

718. In order to make a good ... at a job interview, you should prepare extremely well.

- a) impression
- b) impressian
- c) impressment

719. Huge areas have been ... because of the storm.

- a) disturbed
- b) evacuated
- c) restrained

720. What will happen if you ... to loud music?

- a) listened
- b) listen
- c) are listening

721. A ... accident happened here 5 years ago.

- a) fearless
- b) fearful
- c) fearfulness

722. Did they ... to that beach when they were in Spain?

- a) went
- b) gone
- c) go

723. Do you think ... is a good gift?

- a) gloves
- b) money
- c) cookies

724. A fish may need camouflage to hide itself ... its enemies cannot find it.

- a) so that
- b) due to
- c) so

725. ... I get angry, I try to take some deep breaths.

- a) Until
- b) Whenever
- c) For

726. I wouldn't give a ... to a child for his birthday.

- a) money
- b) toys
- c) basket of fruit

727. If you cross your eyes, they ... that way.

- a) stayed
- b) won't stay
- c) are staying

728. A comedy is a movie ... you laugh, theoretically.

- a) who make
- b) who makes
- c) that makes

729. ... you select reverse gear, the car goes backwards.

- a) For
- b) Unless
- c) If

730. They gave her some beautiful ... when she finished high school.

- a) ring
- b) jewelry
- c) necklace

731. His account was not ... with the facts.

- a) consistent
- b) match
- c) reliable

732. It was not until he had arrived home ... remembered his appointment.

- a) and he

- b) when he
- c) that he

733. Is this old car capable ... me home?

- a) in getting
- b) of getting
- c) about getting

734. My parents ... dinner by the time I got home.

- a) had finished
- b) finished
- c) finish

735. Let's ask her how to solve this problem ... we can't agree on the answer.

- a) since
- b) as long as
- c) because of

736. She did not do well in the class because

- a) she was a badly student
- b) she failed to study properly
- c) she studied bad

737. He will substitute ... the geography teacher.

- a) for
- b) at
- c) with

738. I was worry about her because no one was aware ... she had gone.

- a) the place
- b) where that
- c) of where

739. We express our thoughts by means ... word.

- a) to
- b) in
- c) of

740. Brian made a speech at a wedding reception. He spoke during the

- a) party
- b) ceremony
- c) wedding

741. We were delighted ... you've won the first prize.
a) that
b) why
c) where
742. Children with ... faces are waiting for the show to start.
a) expect
b) expected
c) expectant
743. The movie didn't ... to our expectations.
a) give
b) equal
c) gave
744. There are four categories ... answers you can choose one.
a) of
b) with
c) in
745. Either my answer or yours ... wrong.
a) has
b) are
c) is
746. He was ... to prevent it.
a) powerless
b) power
c) powerly
747. She returned money to the man who ... it.
a) lost
b) had lost
c) loose
748. These are just some of the ways to increase your ... awareness.
a) culture
b) cultured
c) cultural
749. Those men seem dull and I want to get ... of them quickly.
a) pant

- b) rid
- c) chance

750. You were responsible ... the error.

- a) on
- b) to
- c) for

751. She was unable to speak from

- a) fearsome
- b) fearful
- c) fear

752. I felt ashamed ... her action.

- a) on
- b) of
- c) for

753. Radioactivity causes cancer and may ... future generations.

- a) develop
- b) affect
- c) create

754. Prices continue to show an upward

- a) tendency
- b) tend
- c) tendentious

755. Historians will never agree completely that the effect of ... the world's first atomic bomb ... the war.

- a) dropping/to be ended
- b) drop/end
- c) dropping/to end

756. It is very important that you learn how ... this tool.

- a) using
- b) to use
- c) used

757. The quality of this item is not noticeably different ... that one.

- a) of
- b) from
- c) for

758. A good student must know
a) to study hard
b) how to study effectively
c) to be a good student
759. The pilot agreed to land the plane only ... the hijackers threatened to kill the passengers.
a) when
b) that
c) which
760. You should get into the habit of ... at least national news daily.
a) read
b) to read
c) reading
761. I finally finished ... at 8 pm and served dinner.
a) to cook
b) cooking
c) being cooked
762. It is a thing worth
a) doing
b) to be done
c) being done
763. He's perfectly ... in his demands.
a) reason
b) reasoned
c) reasonable
764. There are ways ... that.
a) to be done
b) to do
c) doing
765. Instead of ... about the good news, she seemed to be indifferent.
a) exciting
b) to excite
c) being excited
766. She hoped ... to join the private club.
a) inviting

- b) being invited
- c) to be invited

767. The tourists complained ... any sleep.

- a) about not getting
- b) for not getting
- c) on not getting

768. Would you mind not ... the TV until I have finished the homework?

- a) to be turned on
- b) turning on
- c) being turned on

769. Women ... to live longer than men.

- a) tendency
- b) tend
- c) tendentious

770. Many students tend ... interest in literature.

- a) lose
- b) losing
- c) to lose

771. The jury isn't satisfied ... his answer.

- a) to
- b) of
- c) with

772. The examiner must have been pleased ... your performance.

- a) with
- b) for
- c) in

773. Some people think that the camel ... water in its hump.

- a) stored
- b) stores
- c) had stored

774. I've succeeded ... getting hold of the telephone number.

- a) about
- b) on
- c) in

775. His team consists of secretaries, who report to him, give him advice, and ... him make decisions.

- a) to help
- b) helping
- c) help

776. Each of the satellites ... in a fixed position.

- a) remained
- b) remain
- c) remains

777. She said she ... win this race.

- a) want to
- b) wanted to
- c) wanting to

778. He was ... to four months' imprisonment.

- a) sentenced
- b) given
- c) sent

779. He informed me about it. That's the ... I received.

- a) inform
- b) informs
- c) information

780. An important characteristic is the powerful ... of both light and shade.

- a) use
- b) useful
- c) useless

781. Almost all life depends ... chemical reactions with oxygen to produce energy.

- a) on
- b) with
- c) for

782. ... missiles were used in some wars.

- a) Guidance
- b) Guided
- c) Guide

783. A barometer is a device designed ... the changes in the pressure of air in the atmosphere.

- a) read
- b) reading
- c) to read

784. According to the ... at the time, they had been killed.

- a) belief
- b) believe
- c) believer

785. She put a well-... case for increasing the fees.

- a) reason
- b) reasoned
- c) reasonable

786. It is an ... advice service.

- a) occupation
- b) occupied
- c) occupational

787. Grasshoppers can produce sounds by ... their legs.

- a) rubbing
- b) rub
- c) rubbed

788. Modern presidents have far ... responsibilities than their predecessors.

- a) great
- b) greater
- c) more great

789. Cotton fiber ... composed mostly of cellulose.

- a) are
- b) has
- c) is

790. He was not only a poet and an author but ... the chairman of this company.

- a) also
- b) as well
- c) so

791. There is no limit to the diversity to be ... in the cultures of people around the world.

- a) find
- b) found
- c) finding

792. Math is ... and serves so many of the sciences that it is a prerequisite for studying different disciplines.

- a) such an important field
- b) such important field
- c) so an important field

793. The Sloths spend most of ... time hanging upside down.

- a) his
- b) its
- c) their

794. This is the rate of interest that our bank will charge when it ... money to its best clients.

- a) lends
- b) lent
- c) borrows

795. The military founded a base and ... a fort two years ago.

- a) builds
- b) to built
- c) built

796. The area where a vaccine is manufactured must be the ... environment possible.

- a) cleaner
- b) cleanest
- c) more cleanest

797. We were very proud of his

- a) fearful
- b) fearlessness
- c) fearfulness

798. Studies of this kind are unreliable because there ... so many variables.

- a) are

- b) is
- c) were

799. Natural gas often occurs together ... petroleum.

- a) by
- b) in
- c) with

800. I knew I could rely ... them to get the job done.

- a) in
- b) of
- c) on

801. You should book in advance. You can't rely ... a hotel room.

- a) on finding
- b) of finding
- c) in finding

802. About 50 percent of the budget is used ... the economic development of this nation.

- a) to support
- b) support
- c) supporting

803. That she didn't call ... in designing the draft.

- a) it is a primary problem
- b) a primary problem
- c) is a primary problem

804. Before penicillin was discovered, many people died

- a) infected with simple bacteria
- b) from simple bacterial infections
- c) infecting of simple bacteria

805. The two main ... are full-time jobs and part-time jobs.

- a) kinds jobs
- b) kinds of jobs
- c) kind of jobs

806. ... medical doctors do not have a personal physician.

- a) A large number of
- b) A large amount of
- c) Large number of

807. ... the plow is being displaced by new techniques.
- a) Wholly
 - b) As a whole
 - c) On a whole
808. The bacteria in milk is destroyed when ... to at least 65 Celsius degrees.
- a) it heated
 - b) it be heated
 - c) it is heated
809. There are many historic buildings
- a) in that street in Jersey
 - b) in that street in Jersey
 - c) on that street in Jersey
810. In order for people who spoke different languages to engage in trade ..., they often used translators.
- a) with each to the other
 - b) with each other
 - c) with each another
811. This table is already
- a) occupied
 - b) occupy
 - c) occupational
812. A man ... a woman in many respects.
- a) different than
 - b) different
 - c) differs from
813. The ... I'm late is that I missed the train.
- a) reasoned
 - b) reason
 - c) reasonable
814. ... like KFC and Springtime have used franchising to extend their sales.
- a) Chain restaurant
 - b) Chain restaurants
 - c) Chains restaurants

815. The yearly path of the sun around the heavens
a) is known as the ecliptic
b) it is known to be ecliptic
c) known as the ecliptic
816. I read two articles but neither article ... very interesting.
a) has been
b) were
c) was
817. That planet is ... to be seen on a clear night with the naked eye.
a) bright enough
b) enough brightly
c) bright as enough
818. ... unknown quantities is the task of algebra.
a) Find
b) The find
c) Finding
819. A baby is under parental
a) guide
b) guidance
c) guided
820. We are all amenable ... discipline.
a) with
b) for
c) to
821. I believe ... discussing things openly.
a) for
b) on
c) in
822. Although scientists had hoped that the field of transplantation ..., it didn't happen so.
a) would progress
b) progressed
c) progress
823. ... separate nation states are included in the official list nowadays.
a) Many as two hundred

- b) As much as two hundred
- c) More than two hundred

824. ... owe much of their success as a group to their unusual powers of migration.

- a) A bird
- b) Birds
- c) The bird

825. One of his ..., was the story that inspired me.

- a) greatest works
- b) greatest work
- c) the greatest works

826. Liquids flow freely from a container because they have

- a) none definite shape
- b) no definite shape
- c) not definite shape

827. Nerve impulses ... to the brain at great speeds.

- a) be send sensations
- b) send sensations
- c) to send sensations

828. Latest research in the work place reveals that people work for many reasons

- a) beside money
- b) money besides
- c) besides money

829. The seed heads of some plants raise the nap on coarse tweed cloth ... than do the machines designed to replace them.

- a) most efficient
- b) more efficiently
- c) efficiently more

830. Seals can ... because they have a thick layer of blubber.

- a) keep themselves warm
- b) keep them warm
- c) keep their warm

831. The consistency of your substance and that of mine

- a) are similar

- b) the same
- c) are similar to

832. The original book is ... longer available.

- a) not
- b) no
- c) none

833. Their decomposition at the bottom of the sea results in an accumulation of ... in porous rocks.

- a) oil
- b) oils
- c) the oil

834. Parents have great ... for their children's future. Many times they are based on nothing.

- a) expects
- b) expectant
- c) expectations

835. The battle field was a ... sight.

- a) fear
- b) fearless
- c) fearsome

836. The procedure includes a requirement that two pieces of identification

....

- a) presented
- b) present
- c) be presented

837. The opposition said that she was ... for doing that.

- a) too old
- b) oldest
- c) so old

838. We discussed the matter calmly and

- a) reasoned
- b) reasonably
- c) reason

839. The appliances in this building use alternating current

- a) instead direct current

- b) that instead direct current
- c) instead of direct current

840. I saw a sample ... her work.

- a) in
- b) about
- c) of

841. The exam results could ... your career.

- a) determine
- b) determined
- c) determination

842. These animals are particularly ... because of their unusual structures.

- a) to interest
- b) interest
- c) interesting

843. Products in this shop were ... arranged.

- a) attract
- b) attractively
- c) attractive

844. ... poetry is enjoyable when it is read aloud.

- a) Most
- b) Few
- c) Almost

845. It is essential that cancer ... diagnosed as early as possible.

- a) is
- b) been
- c) be

846. Scientists believe that understanding lightning might help us ... life itself.

- a) understood
- b) understand
- c) to understanding

847. I used to earn ... money.

- a) many
- b) lot
- c) a lot of

848. If the oxygen supply in the atmosphere ... replenished by plants, we would die.

- a) wasn't
- b) weren't
- c) hadn't been

849. The implications of euthanasia are so controversial ... it is illegal in most countries.

- a) that
- b) since
- c) when

850. Ten dangerous criminals escaped ... prison two days ago.

- a) for
- b) out
- c) from

851. ... food is as nutritious for a baby as its mother's milk.

- a) None
- b) Some
- c) No

852. Kennedy was the youngest president of the US and ... to be assassinated.

- a) the fourth
- b) fourth
- c) four

853. Anyone reproducing copyrighted works without permission ... breaking the law.

- a) are
- b) is
- c) was

854. Many years ago, many people believe that the earth ... motionless.

- a) were
- b) is
- c) was

855. Engineers had better ... to use steel supports in this building.

- a) to plan

- b) plan
- c) planning

856. Double-stars orbit

- a) each other
- b) each other one
- c) each to the other

857. A ... is a person who searches for valuable minerals.

- a) prospect
- b) prospector
- c) prospective

858. Nitrogen must be ... with another element to be useful in agriculture.

- a) combine
- b) combining
- c) combined

859. This plant ... a wavy, gliding motion.

- a) being
- b) with
- c) has

860. Supersonic transport ... the Concorde will probably be accepted by our company.

- a) such as
- b) so
- c) so as

861. Your mistakes are similar ... his.

- a) by
- b) on
- c) to

862. All the cereal grains ... grow on these prairies and plains.

- a) except the rice
- b) excepting rice
- c) but rice

863. To relieve pain caused by severe burns and prevent infection

- a) taking immediate steps
- b) take immediate steps
- c) taken steps immediately

864. This flag may or may not have been ... by them.
- a) make
 - b) making
 - c) made
865. ... thought was given, but all was not approved.
- a) A great deal of
 - b) A large number of
 - c) Many
866. A vacuum will neither conduct heat nor
- a) transmitting sound waves
 - b) sound waves are transmitted
 - c) transmit sound waves
867. All of them are new employees, ... whom come from countryside.
- a) most of
 - b) most of the
 - c) most
868. These colours are complementary. They are located opposite each other on the colour palette,
- a) and so are blue and yellow
 - b) and too blue and yellow
 - c) and blue and yellow so
869. A team of engineers is
- a) working on one project
 - b) on one project work
 - c) to working on one project
870. Here you can find goods for sale at ... prices.
- a) attraction
 - b) attractively
 - c) attractive
871. One way to inform the public about this pandemic is through ... program on TV.
- a) cultural
 - b) educational
 - c) industrial

872. Optical fibers ... to deliver laser light.
- a) also can use
 - b) can also used
 - c) can also be used
873. The extent to which an individual is a product of either heredity or environment
- a) cannot be proved
 - b) cannot prove
 - c) cannot proved
874. These animals can be divided into six groups, two of which ... extinct.
- a) were
 - b) are
 - c) is
875. He had established in Spain and ... his new project when he was awarded the Nobel prize.
- a) begun
 - b) began
 - c) begin
876. I was shocked ... the news of the plane crash.
- a) of
 - b) about
 - c) at
877. Every country ... a national flag.
- a) are
 - b) have
 - c) has
878. Without alphabetical order, many projects would be ... to use.
- a) impossible
 - b) possible
 - c) possibility
879. The flag is ... in the morning and taken down at night.
- a) risen
 - b) raised
 - c) raise

880. The book wasn't very
a) well written
b) well typed
c) good written
881. Who is responsible ... the project?
a) to
b) about
c) for
882. A ... mountaineer reached the peak last week.
a) fearless
b) fearful
c) fearlessness
883. Apartments cost more to rent than they ... in other, smaller cities.
a) would
b) do
c) will
884. Our company requires that a census be taken every year ... accurate statistics may be compiled.
a) such
b) such that
c) so that
885. People who have a family history of diseases should make yearly appointments with ... doctors.
a) their
b) our
c) his
886. Federal support for basic research programs ... much less than it was five years ago.
a) was
b) is
c) were
887. The average life expectancy for people born in 2000 ... around 77 years.
a) is

- b) was
- c) were

888. The main ... of economics success is out ability to control inflation.

- a) determine
- b) determined
- c) determinant

889. This new laptop not only saves time but also

- a) to save energy
- b) saves energy
- c) energy

890. TV has little ... for me.

- a) attract
- b) attractive
- c) attraction

891. The artistic clay medium is ... that images have been found near the remains of fires from the last age.

- a) so old
- b) old
- c) such an old

892. Many Americans ... a bowl of cereals every day.

- a) are used to eating
- b) are used to eat
- c) use to eat

893. His body-guard will keep him safe ... the crowded.

- a) of
- b) from
- c) to

894. Neither the economics department nor the mathematics department at this university requires that the students ... a thesis.

- a) will write
- b) would write
- c) write

895. The best form of treatment ... water filtration and chlorination of water sources.

- a) is

- b) are
- c) it is

896. Students often support themselves by babysitting, working in restaurants or ... taxis.

- a) to drive
- b) drive
- c) driving

897. The oxygen on Mars is not ... to support life as we know it.

- a) sufficient
- b) suffice
- c) sufficient enough

898. They had hoped ... the game, but the other team played better.

- a) that state university would win
- b) state university to win
- c) that state university win

899. He viewed the ... of a week alone in the house without enthusiasm.

- a) prospect
- b) prospector
- c) prospective

900. People with exceptionally high intelligence may not be the best employees since they become bored ... their work.

- a) of
- b) in
- c) with

901. ... are found on the surface of the moon.

- a) Craters and waterless seas that
- b) Craters and waterless seas
- c) Since craters and waterless seas

902. A child in the first grade tends to be ... all of his colleagues in the class.

- a) as old like
- b) the same old to
- c) the same age as

903. The teacher told me that an equilateral triangle is a triangle ... and three angles of equal size.

- a) that has three sides of equal length
- b) that have three sides of equal length
- c) that has three sides of equal length

904. I'm ... to succeed.

- a) determined
- b) determine
- c) determinant

905. Students set confused ... having to suffer long and hard years before they obtain success.

- a) of
- b) with
- c) about

906. His ... made him cry.

- a) fearless
- b) fearful
- c) fearfulness

907. He is considered ... greatest painter in the Europe.

- a) that he was
- b) the
- c) as he was

908. An egg is such an efficient structure for protecting the embryo inside ... difficult for the hatchling to break.

- a) that it is
- b) that
- c) and is

909. ... two waves pass a given point simultaneously, they will have no effect on each other.

- a) That
- b) So that
- c) If

910. The detonator for a nuclear device may be made of

- a) two equipment pieces
- b) two pieces of equipment
- c) two pieces of equipments

911. Having ... the topics for their project, they started working.
a) chosen
b) chose
c) choice
912. ... that the English settled in this town.
a) In 1500 that it was
b) Because in 1500
c) It was in 1500
913. Some students are so afraid ... failing that they deny all job interviews.
a) at
b) of
c) about
914. Please state your name, age and
a) occupied
b) occupation
c) occupied
915. Staying in a hotel costs ... renting a room in a dormitory.
a) twice as much as
b) twice more than
c) as much as twice
916. When friends insist on ... gifts, it makes me uncomfortable.
a) I accepting
b) I accept
c) my accepting
917. Wild roses have large flowers, which usually smell
a) sweet
b) sweetly
c) sweetish
918. It is important that the office ... an applicant's registration.
a) confirms
b) confirm
c) will confirm
919. Deserts are often formed ... they are cut off from rain-bearing winds.
a) so

- b) due to
- c) because

920. Do any of these paints ... you?

- a) attract
- b) attractive
- c) attractively

921. When Columbus landed in the Bahamas in 1492, he thought that he ... the east Indies.

- a) has reached
- b) had reached
- c) has been reached

922. By 2000, there were over fifty yachts on our little river, ... were quite luxurious.

- a) many that
- b) many of them
- c) many of which

923. This law is purely

- a) prospect
- b) prospector
- c) prospective

924. During the initial phase of the pandemic, a doctor was able to diagnose the problem ..., but the therapy wasn't clear.

- a) perfectly
- b) perfect
- c) perfection

925. Most school-leavers have the ... to go to work because they need more money.

- a) keenness
- b) keener
- c) keen

926. Some executives require that the secretary ... responsible for writing all reports.

- a) was
- b) be
- c) is

927. Nurses won't ... you give blood if you have just had a cold.
- a) let
 - b) need
 - c) leave
928. Most comets have two kinds of tails, one made up of dust, ... made up of electrically charged particles.
- a) each other
 - b) the other
 - c) other ones
929. ... objections to the plan haven't happened.
- a) Expectant
 - b) Expectation
 - c) Expected
930. The number of the days in a week ... seven.
- a) are
 - b) is
 - c) needs
931. Since infection can cause ... fever ... pain, it is a good idea to check a patient's temperature.
- a) both/with
 - b) both/and
 - c) both/as well as
932. A number of ... submitted their manuscripts under pseudonyms.
- a) novelists
 - b) novelist
 - c) novels
933. I thought that she was guilty ... racial discrimination.
- a) with
 - b) for
 - c) of
934. We must ensure that the product is equal ... the given expression.
- a) by
 - b) to
 - c) with

935. In purchasing a winter coat, it is important ... it on.
a) for trying
b) to try
c) to try
936. What happened in our city ... a reaction from city workers.
a) was
b) were
c) is
937. Bricks baked in a kiln are much harder ... that are dried in the sun.
a) ones
b) than those
c) than do those
938. This disease ... by genetic predisposition, stress, drugs or infections.
a) may be trigger
b) may trigger
c) may be triggered
939. They asked us, Mark and ..., what we thought about it.
a) I
b) mine
c) me
940. The result of the experiment was
a) satisfied
b) satisfactory
c) satisfaction
941. He has ... the conditions for entry into the college.
a) satisfactory
b) satisfied
c) satisfactory
942. As the demand increases, manufacturers who produced luxury cars ...
compelled to make smaller models in order to compete in the market.
a) is
b) will
c) are
943. For the first time in the history of the country, the person ... was
recommended is a woman.

- a) whom
- b) who
- c) whose

944. To see the statue of liberty and ... pictures from the top of the empire state building are just a few reasons to visit New York city.

- a) to take
- b) take
- c) taking

945. You can't ... to learn a foreign language in a week.

- a) expected
- b) expectation
- c) expect

946. ... rain or snow there are always more than thirty thousand fans at the football games.

- a) Despite of
- b) In spite with
- c) Despite

947. This tenor's range, which was ... any other, living or dead, was amazing.

- a) greater than that of
- b) as large as
- c) more greater

948. Words are constantly being invested ... new objects and concepts.

- a) to describe
- b) describe
- c) they describe

949. I can't see the ... of sitting on the beach all day.

- a) attractive
- b) attract
- c) attractiveness

950. The prices of homes are ... high in urban areas that we can't afford to buy one.

- a) as
- b) so
- c) so as

951. Gunpowder ... a mixture of potassium nitrate, charcoal and sulfur.
a) had
b) was
c) had been
952. Frost occurs in valleys ... on hills.
a) more frequently as
b) as frequently than
c) more frequently than
953. You must listen very ... in order to understand what the speaker has said.
a) carefully
b) care
c) careful
954. Cold objects emit ... hot objects.
a) fewer infrared rays than
b) fewer than infrared rays as
c) fewer infrared rays as
955. I would like you ... my family this month.
a) meet
b) meeting
c) to meet
956. In the history of industrial ..., London has played a vital role.
a) develop
b) developed
c) development
957. The mountain can be ... from more than 50 kilometers away.
a) see
b) seen
c) been seen
958. The job has no
a) prospector
b) prospects
c) prospective
959. ... that gold was discovered in this area.
a) It was in 1938

- b) That in 1938
- c) In 1938 that it was

960. Mr. Brown, along with his friends, ... arriving here tonight.

- a) are
- b) were
- c) is

961. Money, nor beauty, nor wealth, ... brought happiness to everybody.

- a) is
- b) have
- c) has

962. Each learner of a foreign language ... a good dictionary.

- a) needs
- b) need
- c) is

963. Uranus is an extremely cold planet, and

- a) so has Neptune
- b) so does Neptune
- c) so is Neptune

964. Many embarrassing situations occur ... a misunderstanding.

- a) because of
- b) because
- c) of

965. The salary of a bus driver is higher

- a) than a teacher
- b) than that of a teacher
- c) to compare as a teacher

966. They ... at this school before they opened a private school.

- a) were taught
- b) had taught
- c) taught

967. A laptop is usually chosen because of its simplicity of operation ... its capacity to store information.

- a) the same
- b) as well
- c) as well as

968. I expect you to call me when it is necessary ... an appointment.
a) to cancel
b) cancel
c) canceled
969. She has got two sisters. Both of them ... married.
a) has
b) are
c) have
970. The captain as well as the passengers ... frightened.
a) were
b) was
c) be
971. Do you have any contingency plan to ... back on if this one fails?
a) fall
b) lean
c) come
972. He can look back on his career with great
a) satisfaction
b) satisfied
c) satisfactory
973. She couldn't be present at the meeting as the date ... with her holidays.
a) clashed
b) opposed
c) struck
974. He had become ... to human distress after years as a doctor.
a) expert
b) hardened
c) unemotional
975. After the meeting, the staff went back to their ... offices.
a) respected
b) respective
c) perspective
976. Mike was unhappy ... his childhood.
a) for

- b) while
- c) during

977. My washing machine has

- a) run down
- b) gone out
- c) broken down

978. Stopping racial ... simply by legislation is impossible.

- a) seclusion
- b) prejudice
- c) obsession

979. ... every student passed the swimming test.

- a) Next to
- b) Near of
- c) Nearly

980. Given the present crisis, it ... be best to wait before making further wage demands.

- a) should
- b) might
- c) seemed

981. Steve was ... to steal the camera when he saw it lying on the table.

- a) brought
- b) dragged
- c) tempted

982. Not only ... visit Spain but they plan to stop off in Italy as well.

- a) they plan to
- b) will they
- c) are they paying

983. ... I ask him for the money he owes me, Brian says he will bring it in a few days.

- a) Wherever
- b) However
- c) Whenever

984. We must tell you about our ... when we first arrived in Italy.

- a) incidents

- b) events
- c) experience

985. He was forced to get out of the city and had to ... his family behind.

- a) let
- b) desert
- c) leave

986. I managed to rescue a little boy from the burning house in the ... of time.

- a) wink
- b) nick
- c) tick

987. The traffic was very ... and I got home earlier.

- a) light
- b) few
- c) weak

988. She seems very quiet, but it would be a mistake to ... her intelligence.

- a) depreciate
- b) underrate
- c) devalue

989. This is a nice coat and the colour ... you!

- a) suits
- b) fits
- c) matches

990. She was furious after the argument and ... out of the house.

- a) hopped
- b) trudged
- c) stormed

991. My money is ... up in the new flat I have bought.

- a) limited
- b) tied
- c) connected

992. It was so hot that the ... in the wood dried up last summer.

- a) pond
- b) bowl
- c) bath

993. Good luck! I hope you ... the job.

- a) would get
- b) got
- c) get

994. When she returned home, she discovered ... her horror that the entire house was flooded.

- a) to
- b) of
- c) by

995. While we're on vacation, we always ... lots of photos.

- a) catch
- b) take
- c) make

996. Wait a moment and I will just ... your file on the computer screen.

- a) pull down
- b) bring in
- c) call up

997. The building of the new metro station will ... as planned.

- a) go ahead
- b) go up
- c) go on

998. Before you sign this contract, ... in mind that you won't be able to change anything later.

- a) hold
- b) bear
- c) retain

999. She used to want to ... to play the violin.

- a) know
- b) learn
- c) discover

1000. The child told a ... because he didn't want to upset his mother.

- a) black lie
- b) good lie
- c) white lie

1001. Children are made ... their breath by the show.
a) held
b) to hold
c) holding
1002. She gets very agitated if her daughter ... her once a week.
a) not ring
b) didn't ring
c) doesn't ring
1003. He wasn't offered the job because of his untidy
a) presence
b) appearance
c) sight
1004. Steve asked me to marry him but I turned him
a) down
b) over
c) aside
1005. I bought a ... for my family.
a) recall
b) recollection
c) souvenir
1006. One of these days there will be an accident. I ...!
a) hope not
b) don't hope so
c) don't hope it
1007. I separated the children and gave each of them a sharp
a) pinch
b) slap
c) poke
1008. Our professor makes us ... very hard.
a) to work
b) working
c) work
1009. Whether she'll come or not is anybody's
a) feeling

- b) question
- c) guess

1010. You have to let your children ... their own way.

- a) go
- b) to go
- c) going

1011. ...the weather is warmer, you can go out.

- a) However
- b) Now that
- c) So that

1012. I must go on now. I promised ... late.

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

1013. My solicitor has advised ... take legal action.

- a) me to not
- b) me against
- c) me not to

1014. I'm sure she was ... lies!

- a) doing
- b) saying
- c) telling

1015. Every student tries ... hard to pass the examination.

- a) to study
- b) studying
- c) studied

1016. Mary, you look tired. I ... all night.

- a) had worked
- b) have been working
- c) have worked

1017. A small number of countries possess nuclear

- a) guns
- b) weapons
- c) ammunition

1018. I'm late. I expect the film ... by the time I get there.
a) will start
b) have started
c) will have started
1019. He asked me what the ... of the explosion was.
a) source
b) cause
c) reason
1020. ... want to visit this part of the town.
a) The most women
b) Most women
c) Most of women
1021. The passport she carried was
a) false
b) artificial
c) untrue
1022. I'm tired of them ... their records at full volume every evening.
a) play
b) to play
c) playing
1023. I warned the students ... sailing alone on the lake.
a) not
b) about
c) out of
1024. I never forget the town ... I was born.
a) when
b) that
c) where
1025. The police have ... the suspect.
a) arrested
b) punished
c) captivated
1026. ... many times I tell him, he always forgets.
a) However

- b) Whenever
- c) Wherever

1027. For the first minutes she was leading the race, then she began to fall

....

- a) off
- b) back
- c) out

1028. The burglar was sentenced to 10 years in

- a) goal
- b) trial
- c) jail

1029. They will never ... to get here by seven.

- a) succeed
- b) manage
- c) able

1030. This sort of music was very ... in the 1980.

- a) popular
- b) liked
- c) preferred

1031. I disapprove ... women smoking in public places.

- a) on
- b) at
- c) of

1032. Come and see me after you ... your report.

- a) will finish
- b) finish
- c) had finished

1033. This machine was not ... when it caught fire.

- a) in ruins
- b) in order
- c) in use

1034. He found it hard to ... up to the fact that he would never be famous.

- a) face
- b) keep
- c) come

1035. The factory ... my brother works in is in the centre of the city.
a) where
b) how
c) which
1036. This holiday is usually celebrated on
a) thirtieth May
b) the thirtieth May
c) the thirtieth of May
1037. In some countries, it is compulsory to vote in a/an
a) choice
b) election
c) selection
1038. Phone me before, please; ... I will be too busy to talk to you.
a) otherwise
b) unless
c) if
1039. They haven't ... replied to the letter I sent three months ago.
a) ever
b) still
c) yet
1040. Please leave this space ... on the form.
a) absent
b) undone
c) blank
1041. My doctor ... me to take up swimming.
a) said
b) advised
c) proposed
1042. Company closure became ... because of the cancellation of several major orders.
a) inevitable
b) responsible
c) irreplaceable
1043. All the articles of jewellery were arranged on a ... of black velvet.
a) terrace

- b) vicinity
- c) background

1044. He's a ... and so he votes for the Labour Party.

- a) liberal
- b) conservative
- c) socialist

1045. Mike was one of the most notable ... in our town.

- a) features
- b) figures
- c) statements

1046. From the very beginning until her death, she ... our University.

- a) associates with
- b) was associated with
- c) associated

1047. He was the last soldier ... left China.

- a) whom
- b) whose
- c) who

1048. ... the golf is warmer than the ocean water surrounding it.

- a) As a whole
- b) Whole
- c) A whole as

1049. My neighbours complained to me ... the noise I made last night.

- a) for
- b) about
- c) on

1050. A woman is slender. This means:

- a) long and thin
- b) bright and shiny
- c) round and curvy

1051. Humid climate:

- a) moist
- b) frigid
- c) perilous

1052. Her father won't ... her drive his car.
a) allow
b) let
c) permit
1053. Will they be able to ... all their financial difficulties?
a) dismiss
b) overtake
c) overcome
1054. Although blood ... a residue in urine and stool, it cannot be detected without a microscope.
a) lets
b) leaves
c) leave
1055. Choose the synonym of "innocent beyond a shadow of a doubt".
a) lack of certainty
b) lack of freedom
c) lack of vision
1056. My house is ... at the corner of the street.
a) placed
b) stood
c) situated
1057. They saw the plane crash into the lake when its engines
a) stood
b) failed
c) held
1058. What will I do if no one ... me at the airport?
a) meets
b) met
c) will meet
1059. Eliminate a problem:
a) perceive
b) aggravate
c) wipe out
1060. Professionals who serve ... deserve at least 20 percent tip.
a) courteously

- b) with courtesy in their manner
- c) in a courteous manner

1061. Rarely do we get ... an intelligent student as you.

- a) as
- b) such
- c) too

1062. The screen monitor is responsible ... these colours.

- a) with
- b) about
- c) for

1063. Olive promised to write ... I never heard from her again.

- a) but
- b) because
- c) except

1064. It took me a few hours to ... the paper off the wall.

- a) paste
- b) scrape
- c) chip

1065. This is the second time I ... such a difficult exercise.

- a) do
- b) did
- c) have done

1066. He ... out of the house as fast as his leg would carry him.

- a) dashed
- b) ambled
- c) plunged

1067. In addition ... doing the cleaning, I make the coffee.

- a) on
- b) to
- c) with

1068. I hope this backache ... soon.

- a) goes out
- b) comes away
- c) wears off

1069. I couldn't make my son ... hard.
a) work
b) to work
c) working
1070. My house is going to be knocked ... when the store is built.
a) down
b) away
c) off
1071. I prefer fish ... meat.
a) over
b) than
c) to
1072. She earned her money by developing a travel
a) shop
b) business
c) affair
1073. I didn't hear you ... in.
a) to come
b) come
c) all are wrong
1074. They gave me a form and told me to
a) fill in
b) fill it into
c) fill in it
1075. ... a hotel, I looked for somewhere to have dinner.
a) Found
b) Find
c) Having found
1076. You should keep a box of matches ... in case you need it.
a) handy
b) by hand
c) in touch
1077. It depends ... the traffic.
a) from

- b) on
- c) for

1078. ... she is studying at a famous university.

- a) At present
- b) In a moment
- c) In the present

1079. I ... 5 English grammar books by the end of this year.

- a) will write
- b) will have written
- c) will wrote

1080. I went to that museum ... some famous pictures.

- a) to see to
- b) to visit
- c) to look at

1081. My manager She left last month.

- a) doesn't work here any more
- b) doesn't still work here
- c) no more works here

1082. Scientists have discovered a close ... between smoking and lung cancer.

- a) action
- b) connection
- c) union

1083. ... he is very busy, he is agreeable to help me.

- a) Even when
- b) Even though
- c) Even if

1084. Who? I've never heard ... him.

- a) from
- b) of
- c) after

1085. The mission was more difficult than I ... expected it to be.

- a) might
- b) would
- c) had

1086. We were afraid
a) to fall
b) of falling
c) from falling
1087. She doesn't speak very clearly. ...
a) She is difficult to understand.
b) It is difficult to understand her.
c) She is difficult to understand her.
1088. You should do something ... it.
a) for
b) against
c) about
1089. The burglar ... to open a store's window.
a) managed
b) forced
c) succeeded
1090. She ... drive to work every day.
a) was using to
b) used to
c) was used to
1091. Could you tell me where ... is?
a) the manager office
b) the manager's office
c) the office of the manager's
1092. Can you ...?
a) explain this word to me
b) explain to me this word
c) explain me this word
1093. My friend phoned ... me to a party.
a) to invite
b) for invite
c) for inviting
1094. Many people in the world died ... Covid-19.
a) for

- b) from
 - c) of
1095. Have you any objections ... this plan?
- a) to
 - b) with
 - c) for
1096. ... a long time for the train.
- a) We have always to wait
 - b) Always we have to wait
 - c) We always have to wait
1097. They took him to the police when he was caught his hand in the
- a) till
 - b) books
 - c) register
1098. I ... to music a lot but I don't do any more.
- a) was listening
 - b) used to listen
 - c) was used to listen
1099. I object ... being kept waiting.
- a) to
 - b) of
 - c) for
1100. To get a passport, you must send in your birth ... and two photos.
- a) card
 - b) paper
 - c) certificate
1101. It took her a long time to get there. It was ... journey.
- a) four hours
 - b) four hour
 - c) a four-hour
1102. I'm sure you'll have no ... the exam.
- a) difficulty to pass
 - b) difficulties to pass
 - c) difficulty passing

1103. ... a villa when they were living in Spain?
a) Did they have
b) Had they
c) Have they had
1104. My brother likes walking.
a) Every morning he walks to work
b) He walks to work every morning.
c) He walk every morning to work.
1105. Who is most likely to swing a club?
a) a golfer
b) a cricket player
c) a basketball player
1106. He is not very good ... translating documents.
a) about
b) in
c) at
1107. Since her mother died, her aunt ... her.
a) brought in
b) brought up
c) brought after
1108. ... you have no key, you will have to get back soon.
a) Although
b) Unless
c) As
1109. ... the time you get to the cinema, the film will have finished.
a) Until
b) By
c) In
1110. The child was told to eat all his rice or ... he would get no ice-cream.
a) else
b) instead
c) in case
1111. Many accidents in the home could be ... if householders gave more thought to safety.
a) avoided

- b) excluded
 - c) protected
1112. The sole child from the plane was nervous because he ... before.
- a) hasn't flown
 - b) didn't fly
 - c) hadn't flown
1113. There's a bus ... ten minutes.
- a) each
 - b) every
 - c) most
1114. Why were you so unfriendly ... her?
- a) of
 - b) for
 - c) to
1115. The story was really boring. It was ... I've ever read.
- a) the more boring story
 - b) the most boring story
 - c) most boring story
1116. The plane ... down at Budapest on its way to China.
- a) visited
 - b) touched
 - c) landed
1117. Smoking is a bad habit. Many people find difficult to ... it.
- a) break
 - b) beat
 - c) cough
1118. It is a good idea to be ... dressed when we go for an interview.
- a) smartly
 - b) clearly
 - c) finely
1119. What time ... on television?
- a) is news
 - b) is the news
 - c) are the news

1120. The traffic lights ... to red.
a) shone
b) turned
c) exchanged
1121. The nurse ... a rare disease.
a) caught
b) took
c) infected
1122. I phoned him to make an early ... at the hairdresser's.
a) order
b) date
c) appointment
1123. It's late It's time ... home.
a) going
b) to go
c) going
1124. The pandemic began in China and from there it ... to Europe.
a) carried
b) spread
c) spilled
1125. I had to pay for the damage ... the other car.
a) of
b) on
c) to
1126. Brian ... in Italy for three years. Now he lives in Spain.
a) has lived
b) living
c) had been living
1127. We burst into loud
a) laughter
b) amusement
c) smiles
1128. This old hospital is going to be ... soon.
a) pulled down

- b) run down
- c) laid out

1129. I'm thinking ... a house.

- a) to buy
- b) of to buy
- c) of buying

1130. I can't swim as well as

- a) he is
- b) him
- c) he can

1131. The show was long, but there were two

- a) tests
- b) intervals
- c) gaps

1132. It was impossible for me to tell the truth so I had to ... a story.

- a) lie
- b) combine
- c) invent

1133. Faraday ... generator.

- a) invented
- b) invents
- c) have invented

1134. We've become ... to the noise of the trains.

- a) aware
- b) familiar
- c) accustomed

1135. When I came to Britain, I had to get used ... on the left.

- a) drive
- b) to driving
- c) driving

1136. I think all students ... uniforms.

- a) should wear
- b) would rather wear
- c) had better to wear

1137. In spite of her protests, her mother ... her train for the competition three hours a day.

- a) made
- b) caused
- c) insisted

1138. What a party! ... enjoyed it!

- a) Us all
- b) We
- c) Every

1139. The curtains began to ... after they had been hanging in the sun.

- a) melt
- b) fade
- c) dissolve

1140. Mike is a student at

- a) school
- b) university
- c) class

1141. Shall we ... across this field?

- a) set
- b) take
- c) go

1142. ... him two hours to do his homework.

- a) Taking it
- b) It takes
- c) It must

1143. Have you read any books ... by him?

- a) written
- b) wrote
- c) writing

1144. My parents visited

- a) Spain and United Kingdom
- b) the Spain and the United Kingdom
- c) Spain and the United Kingdom

1145. She likes to ... the crossword puzzle in the newspaper every day.

- a) answer

- b) fill
- c) do

1146. The more running water you use,

- a) will be higher your bill
- b) the higher your bill will be
- c) your bill will be higher

1147. He can make a delicious ... out of almost anything.

- a) meal
- b) plate
- c) food

1148. Is he watching TV? He's ... to be washing the car.

- a) expected
- b) hoped
- c) supposed

1149. Are you looking forward ... your family again?

- a) to see
- b) to seeing
- c) seeing

1150. I asked two strangers the way to the shop but ... of them knew.

- a) none
- b) neither
- c) either

1151. We will stop now ... you have any further questions.

- a) unless
- b) in spite of
- c) if

1152. During the exam, he wasted ... time searching for his pen.

- a) costly
- b) expensive
- c) valuable

1153. I've known him ... I left college.

- a) when
- b) until
- c) since

1154. There was no ... in continuing. The race was over for her.
a) point
b) value
c) profit
1155. I travelled ... 8:00 train, arriving at 10:00.
a) in the
b) on the
c) by
1156. I don't know for certain what time he's coming back but I'm sure he'll be back ... Friday.
a) by
b) in
c) at
1157. She ... out after dinner and she's just come back.
a) had gone
b) went
c) is gone
1158. She ... a new laptop.
a) suggested that I should buy
b) suggested that I bought
c) suggest I buy
1159. He was wearing a heavy sweater to ... himself against the cold.
a) wrap
b) cover
c) protect
1160. The exam was quite easy; ... I expected.
a) easier than
b) easier as
c) more easy that
1161. Nowadays ... don't need an ink pot.
a) most pupils
b) they the most pupils
c) most of they pupils
1162. The play lasted four hours with ... of fifteen minutes between scenes.
a) a pause

- b) a stop
- c) an interval

1163. My manager is busy at the moment so it may take a ... time to answer.

- a) few
- b) small
- c) little

1164. I don't get tired ... watching TV every night.

- a) by
- b) of
- c) with

1165. When I first came here, they ... this bridge yet.

- a) had built
- b) hadn't built
- c) haven't built

1166. He has to go to work on foot today because his car is being

- a) broken
- b) rented
- c) serviced

1167. I'd rather ... with us.

- a) you came
- b) you to come
- c) you would come

1168. When ... invented?

- a) was washing machine
- b) were the washing machines
- c) was the washing machine

1169. It's two years ... Brian.

- a) since I saw
- b) since I didn't see
- c) that I don't see

1170. What a great party last night! You ... come.

- a) must have
- b) should have
- c) had to

1171. The man ... his son for the broken window.
a) blamed
b) denied
c) accused
1172. She wondered ... her uncle looked like now.
a) whose
b) what
c) how
1173. They say they've been to ... restaurant in town.
a) all
b) every
c) most
1174. It's ... to walk.
a) rather a long way
b) a quite long way
c) longer way
1175. He's ... holiday in Spain.
a) for
b) at
c) on
1176. When I was on holiday, I spent ... money.
a) too much
b) much
c) a lot of
1177. The girl screamed while the dentist ... one of her teeth.
a) was pulling out
b) had pulled out
c) had been pulling out
1178. Joana hasn't written to me
a) never
b) yet
c) already
1179. I'll be in Madrid next month. I hope to see her ... there.
a) while I will be

- b) while I am
 - c) while having been
1180. ... a problem in most big cities.
- a) Crime is
 - b) The crime is
 - c) The crimes are
1181. She has been working here
- a) six months ago
 - b) for six month
 - c) for six months
1182. What time did they ... the hotel?
- a) arrive to
 - b) get at
 - c) arrive at
1183. Mary wasn't offered the job because of her untidy
- a) sight
 - b) appearance
 - c) presence
1184. She treats me ... her own son.
- a) as if I were
 - b) as if I am
 - c) as if I was
1185. She put ... speaking to him as long as possible.
- a) off
 - b) back
 - c) over
1186. They used the aircraft to save several people from the ... floor of the blazing building.
- a) low
 - b) high
 - c) top
1187. The light went out. My father ... a match to find the candles.
- a) rubbed
 - b) struck
 - c) scratched

1188. I wonder who ate all the food. It ... have been Mike because he was out all day.

- a) must
- b) can't
- c) could

1189. There's plenty of time. You ... hurry.

- a) don't have to
- b) needn't
- c) mustn't

1190. I'm exhausted. I'd rather ... out this evening.

- a) not go
- b) not going
- c) not to go

1191. She was used to ... late.

- a) working
- b) work
- c) have worked

1192. He likes ... the flat as often as possible.

- a) clean
- b) to clean
- c) cleaned

1193. I haven't got ... on holiday at the moment.

- a) money enough to go
- b) money enough for going
- c) enough money to go

1194. Unexpectedly, the lights ... out.

- a) gave
- b) went
- c) turned

1195. She is still ... control of all that is happening.

- a) over
- b) with
- c) in

1196. I couldn't buy anything as ... of the shops were open.

- a) no one

- b) none
- c) all

1197. The opening ... of the play took place in an office.

- a) scene
- b) sight
- c) piece

1198. The coins are ... to be over fifty years old.

- a) spoken
- b) said
- c) described

1199. Every day ... starts at 9 and finishes at 3.

- a) school
- b) the school
- c) a school

1200. Few people ... to the wedding party can't come.

- a) inviting
- b) who invited
- c) invited

PART II: Advanced level

1201. Some people only read the ... lines in a newspaper.
a) top
b) head
c) main
1202. You should always check the sell ... date.
a) in
b) off
c) by
1203. After the building was completed, they were paid
a) off
b) out
c) over
1204. The manager was good enough to ... my mistake.
a) overdo
b) oversee
c) overlook
1205. It is always ... when you misunderstand the customs of other nations.
a) peculiar
b) singular
c) embarrassing
1206. Newspapers are ... to people's doors every week.
a) taken
b) delivered
c) distributed
1207. In his short speech he expressed his ... for all help.
a) gratitude
b) thanking
c) thankfulness
1208. In ... nothing much happened at the meeting.
a) quick
b) short
c) briefly

1209. The whole assembly gave the speakers a standing
a) support
b) cheering
c) ovation
1210. Politicians pretend to ignore opinion
a) votes
b) polls
c) numbers
1211. Start reading the study from page 2 and then go on until you ... the end of the study.
a) arrive
b) touch
c) reach
1212. Answer the questions at the back of the book and make ... that you check your answers carefully.
a) sure
b) definite
c) clear
1213. The whole purpose of all these exercises is to ... your knowledge of grammar and vocabulary.
a) probe
b) test
c) interpret
1214. A useful way to ... your vocabulary is to read as much as possible.
a) gather
b) amass
c) increase
1215. You can read newspapers to see examples of ... language.
a) dogmatic
b) idiomatic
c) axiomatic
1216. It is important to ... your spoken language.
a) train
b) exercise
c) practice

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