
CORRIGÉ

■ Section 1 : Structures

1. When you have _____ the one you want, tell me.

- a) chose
- b) choosed
- c) chosen
- d) chosed

2. To get to the coast from Paris, it's best to go _____ Rouen.

- a) in
- b) by
- c) out of
- d) through

3. I've known John _____ we were at school together.

- a) while
- b) when
- c) since
- d) during

4. Before _____, can you please check the lights are off.

- a) to leave
- b) having left
- c) leave
- d) leaving

5. _____ you were out, Mr Smith called from Cairo.

- a) if
- b) whilst
- c) because
- d) as

6. This is probably _____ spell of cold weather this century!

- a) the worsed
- b) the worser
- c) the baddest
- d) the worst

7. She _____ to get through to Head Office all morning.

- a) has tried
- b) is trying
- c) has been trying
- d) will have been trying

8. If I'd known it was going to take this long, I _____ it so late.

- a) would have started
- b) wouldn't have started
- c) wouldn't have starting
- d) wouldn't have been starting

9. I don't know what to answer, it all depends _____ the context.

- a) of
- b) by
- c) to
- d) on

10. You don't have to come to all the classes, some are _____.

- a) optional
- b) partial
- c) permanent
- d) fictional

11. Please ensure all payments are made _____ the next two weeks.

- a) within
- b) for
- c) up to
- d) by

12. *He was full of _____ the way she had run the race.*

- a) admiration to
- b) admiration
- c) admiration for
- d) admiration in

13. *I told you the plate was hot, you _____ listened to me.*

- a) must have
- b) should have
- c) shouldn't have
- d) mustn't have

14. *If I had enough money, I _____ all around the world.*

- a) travelled
- b) would travel
- c) will travel
- d) am travelling

15. *France is twice _____ England.*

- a) bigger than
- b) big as
- c) as big as
- d) as big than

16. _____ we receive payment before the end of the week, legal action will be taken.

- a) until
- b) unless
- c) if
- d) whereas

17. *I've only been here a week, I'm not _____ on the left.*

- a) used to drive
- b) use to drive
- c) used to driving
- d) use to driving

18. Why do you keep asking me? I told you I haven't finished _____.

- a) already
- b) ever
- c) before
- d) yet

19. Any breach of contract _____ will lead to the inevitable consequences.

- a) on your behalf
- b) in your respect
- c) in your behalf
- d) in your accord

20. I'll ask my bank manager for any _____ about finance.

- a) advise
- b) advises
- c) advices
- d) advice

■ Section 2 : Written expression

1. The role of managers is to inspire and motivate staff member.

- a) the
- b) is
- c) to
- d) member

2. It is highly unlikely that will be in a position to meeting all of your demands

- a) highly
- b) unlikel
- c) will be
- d) to meeting

3. I would be grateful if you could confirm that by writing, please..

- a) would
- b) grateful
- c) could
- d) by

4. In Sweden meetings are beginning with hot coffee, especially when it is cold.

- a) in
- b) are beginning
- c) with
- d) especially

5. He always used to smoke 20 cigarettes a day, then overnight he gave in completely.

- a) used to
- b) a day
- c) overnight
- d) gave in

6. I am delighted to have been selected as the position of assistant manager in Leeds.

- a) delighted
- b) have been
- c) as
- d) of

7. I also look at children after school until their parents arrive home from work

- a) at
- b) until
- c) arrive
- d) from

8. Should you require any further informations, don't hesitate to ask me.

- a) should
- b) any
- c) informations
- d) to ask

9. I hardly speak any Spanish, but whereas I visited Madrid I managed to get by.

- a) hardly
- b) any
- c) whereas
- d) by

10. *The Ford motor company, who has been in business for over 100 years, is suffering from the crisis.*

- a) the
- b) **who**
- c) for
- d) from

11. *Don't forget to send me a remember note about the meeting planned for next Tuesday.*

- a) to
- b) **remember**
- c) the
- d) for

12. *Finishing the New York marathon was one of my greatest achievement as an athlete.*

- a) finishing
- b) was
- c) **achievement**
- d) as

13. *I am wondering whether you could help me out with this slight problem.*

- a) **am**
- b) whether
- c) out
- d) slight

14. *She has mentioned having worked in communication before starting here.*

- a) **has**
- b) having
- c) in
- d) starting

15. *I'm afraid I don't can make it for the presentation tomorrow morning.*

- a) afraid
- b) **don't**
- c) make
- d) for

16. At the moment we work on a project designed to increase our profits .

- a) at
- b) **work**
- c) designed
- d) profits

17. I'm sorry but I totally unagree with you, it simply isn't a good enough offer.

- a) sorry
- b) **unagree**
- c) isn't
- d) enough

18. We have been running to quite a few financial problems over the past six months.

- a) have been
- b) **running to**
- c) a few
- d) over

19. Companies can innovate by launch new products which are less costly for the consumer.

- a) **launch**
- b) products
- c) which
- d) costly

20. That's fine by me, I see you tomorrow at noon in your office.

- a) by me
- b) **see**
- c) at noon
- d) in

■ Section 3 : Vocabulary

1. If you hold the line, I'll put you through as soon as he's free.

- a) connect you
- b) contradict you
- c) contact you
- d) call you

2. I'm getting a bit fed up with my current job.

- a) full
- b) confident
- c) bored
- d) competitive

3. You need to have get-up-and-go if you want to succeed in this company.

- a) transport
- b) drive
- c) sensitivity
- d) confidence

4. The moment I get a pay rise, I'm buying the sports car .

- a) incentive
- b) drop
- c) increase
- d) lift

5. I need to improve my health and get fit, so I've taken up running at weekends.

- a) stopped
- b) brought
- c) bought
- d) begun

6. Due to the declining economy the factory has decided to lay off 200 employees.

- a) hire
- b) take on
- c) take off
- d) make redundant

7. The directions on the new GPS you gave me are incredibly accurate.

- a) acute
- b) efficient
- c) **precise**
- d) current

8. We've decided to produce a new glossy brochure for the Christmas campaign catalogue.

- a) **shiny**
- b) expensive
- c) pricey
- d) effective

9. I thought you were going to mind the kids for your sister this weekend.

- a) look at
- b) look in
- c) **look after**
- d) look for

10. Have you received our latest catalogue? It was sent out last week.

- a) latter
- b) final
- c) last
- d) **new**

11. He is heavily in the red since he went on holiday to Mexico.

- a) drawn
- b) **in debt**
- c) on debt
- d) indebted

12. Head Office has given the green light for my new project - so I can now go to New York for the conference.

- a) thumbs down
- b) **go ahead**
- c) straight ahead
- d) go through

13. The plumber will be able to fix the leaking tap if you can't.

- a) mend
- b) reappear
- c) place
- d) mind

14. The number of people out of work has increased since the crisis.

- a) required
- b) retired
- c) employed
- d) redundant

15. I read a really interesting piece about Quentin Tarantino's new film in the Times last week.

- a) paper
- b) news
- c) critic
- d) article

16. I frequently go to the cinema to watch Asian films.

- a) rarely
- b) recently
- c) seldom
- d) regularly

17. I am ready to support you with this idea, if you help me out tomorrow afternoon.

- a) back
- b) stand
- c) blame
- d) discourage

18. It's difficult to break a habit when you are accustomed to doing it.

- a) used to
- b) new to
- c) opposed to
- d) challenged to

19. I tried to warn him about the obvious consequences of not wearing a helmet whilst cycling.

- a) prevent
- b) inform
- c) mislead
- d) form

20. He wrote to let us know that he would be delighted to come to the dinner party on Saturday.

- a) unable
- b) sad
- c) glad
- d) disappointed

■ Section 4 : Reading Comprehension

1. What does the text mainly discuss?

- a) The issue of privacy
- b) The use of computers in schools
- c) The importance of technology in school
- d) The role of teachers today

2. What does the use of e-safety software result in, according to teaching unions?

- a) an increase in bullying
- b) a decrease in the level trust
- c) teachers are more confident
- d) relationships built on trust

3. In line 17 "monitored" is closest in meaning to :

- a) surveyed
- b) watched
- c) seen
- d) questioned

4. Richard Lawson believes that e-software is positive because it detects incidents of:

- a) mistreatment of animals
- b) intimidation
- c) untrue information
- d) false advertising

5. In line 30 "breached" means:

- a) agreed
- b) spread
- c) surveyed
- d) broken

6. According to Mr Lucey, the e-software should never be used to:

- a) check in on teachers
- b) check up on teachers
- c) check in for teachers
- d) check to teachers

7. What is the conclusion of the text?

- a) Computer surveillance is always acceptable
- b) Computer surveillance is never acceptable
- c) Computer surveillance is seldom acceptable
- d) Computer surveillance can be acceptable

8. The article is about recently released documents citing:

- a) UFO activities between 1994 and 2000
- b) confirmed UFO landings over the past 20 years
- c) reported UFO encounters between 1994 and 2000
- d) proved UFO encounters between 1994 and 2000

9. How many different parts of the report have been released so far?

- a) 6,000
- b) 24
- c) 5
- d) 20

10. In line 10 the word "eerie" means:

- a) loud
- b) noisy
- c) scary
- d) beautiful

11. Who warned ships in the North Sea that UFOs had been sighted?

- a) the police
- b) the air force
- c) the radar system
- d) the coastguard

12. What did Winston Churchill ask his ministers to do?

- a) to keep him up to date on sightings
- b) to produce a report about the incidents
- c) to keep the reported sightings secret
- d) to publish the report in the press

13. Which of the following could not explain the incidents of UFO sightings?

- a) weather conditions
- b) genuine error
- c) deliberate invention
- d) disorientation

14. According to David Clarke films and TV shows have:

- a) contributed to the explanation of UFOs
- b) influenced what people believe to have seen
- c) proved that UFOs exist
- d) contributed to the increase in the number of UFO sightings

15. What does this passage mainly discuss?

- a) The economic crisis in the Cote d'Ivoire
- b) An increase in chocolate consumption
- c) How scientific research can benefit the chocolate industry
- d) The sale of chocolate in Cote d'Ivoire

16. What will happen within 50 years, if more cacao is not grown?

- a) demand and supply will be equal
- b) the price will increase
- c) more than enough cacao will be produced
- d) there will not be enough cacao to meet the demand

17. As a result of the release of the genome, in the future:

- a) people will be able to eat more and more chocolate
- b) chocolate will have more nutritional benefits
- c) chocolate will be less expensive
- d) people will be able to buy a wider range of chocolate

18. Why will another area the size of Cote d'Ivoire be required to grow cacao in 10 years?

- a) because consumption is skyrocketing
- b) because Mars will increase demand
- c) if consumption continues to increase
- d) because taste in chocolate is constantly changing

19. For what reason have the genetic codes of wheat and rice been modified?

- a) to improve health and increase production
- b) to improve health and reduce unemployment
- c) to increase production and save jobs
- d) to protect the environment

20. What do cacao producers receive payment for?

- a) the number of cacao beans produced
- b) the amount of cacao butter produced
- c) the amount of chocolate demanded
- d) the amount of butter required

21. The term "ahead of schedule" (line 28) means:

- a) on time
- b) before the deadline
- c) late
- d) just in time

22. What is "a tangible human benefit of science-driven agriculture"?

- a) the fact that more chocolate will be produced
- b) a less varied selection of crops will be produced
- c) land will be used more efficiently
- d) chocolate will taste better

23. What does the word "prevent" in line 1 mean?

- a) warn
- b) avoid
- c) aid
- d) prohibit

24. What does the word "down" in line 4 mean?

- a) drink
- b) drop
- c) put
- d) lower

25. What would the consequence of consuming more than 4 cups of coffee per day be?

- a) there is less chance of liking coffee less
- b) there is more chance of liking coffee more
- c) there is less chance of developing cancer
- d) there is more chance of developing cancer

26. According to the text, what should moderate coffee drinkers be wary of?

- a) giving up coffee altogether
- b) increasing the amount they drink
- c) changing their habits
- d) believing what the report says

27. What makes this particular study more reliable than others?

- a) because coffee is drunk all over the world
- b) because the findings have so many positive aspects
- c) because nine reports were examined
- d) because of the large number of people involved

28. Which of the following statements is more true?

- a) Heavy coffee drinkers have more risk of developing cancer than others
- b) Heavy coffee drinkers have less risk of developing cancer than those who don't drink coffee
- c) Heavy coffee drinkers develop cancer more readily than others
- d) Heavy coffee drinking reduces the risk of developing cancer

29. The word "pinpoint" (line 14) means:

- a) miss
- b) specify
- c) fail
- d) refer to

30. What is not included in the report?

- a) the influence of tea drinking on health
- b) the role played by specific ingredients of coffee
- c) the amount of coffee drunk per person
- d) the role played by factors such as smoking and age