

CONCOURS AVANCE EPREUVE D'ANGLAIS

Durée : 30 minutes

Utiliser la grille de réponses jointe (une seule bonne réponse par proposition).
Seules les réponses exactes seront comptabilisées. Ne pas oublier d'inscrire vos nom et prénom.

1. We've been standing here _____ six o'clock.
A. since B. for C. until D. at
2. The _____ you wait, the more difficult it will be.
A. long B. longest C. length D. longer
3. I _____ my photo _____ last week.
A. have... taken B. had.... taken C. have.... take D. have.... took
4. The plane _____ _____ one hour late because of bad weather.
A. took up B. took on C. took off D. took out
5. _____ a new pollution-free automobile takes many years.
A. Design B. By designing C. To design D. Designing
6. The storm caused a lot of _____.
A. damage B. costs C. blessing D. wounds
7. He always _____ to do his best.
A. tries B. try C. trying D. trial
8. Thank you very much _____ coming.
A. for B. in C. at D. of
9. The couple had been visiting the family six months before the girl _____.
A. disappearing B. disappeared C. disappear D. has disappeared
10. If you _____ me her address, I _____ her the package.

A. told...brought B. will tell...will bring C. tell...will bring D. told..will bring

11. Pretoria is _____ capital city of South Africa.

A. one B. a C. the D. that

12. There's _____ traffic on the freeway today than yesterday.

A. more B. smaller C. lesser D. fewer

13. These shoes are _____ big for me to wear – look they're 10½, and I wear 7!

A. too much B. so much C. almost too D. much too

14. No _____ in this area please !

A. smoke B. smoked C. smoking D. smokeless

15. "He will make do with these results" means he will ...the result.

A. be content with B. calculate C. create D. change

16. The economic crisis was the worst _____ recent history.

A. on B. in C. while D. to

17. Both _____ were sentenced to prison for fifteen years.

A. his and his wife B. him and her wife C. he and his wife D. he and her wife

18. She still _____ as if she _____ him well. After all, he died before she was born.

A. speaks...had B. spoke... knows C. speak... knows D. spoke...knew
known

19. The bomb made the building _____ for a few seconds.

A. trembling B. to tremble C. trembled D. tremble

20. "The employees resumed their work the next morning" means:

A. changed B. continued C. summarized D. shortened

21. There are four doctors in the town, one of _____ is a gynecologist.

A. who's B. who C. whom D. whose

22. You have a choice of 10 books to read. _____ would you like?

A. what one B. which one C. who D. whose

23. When I returned home, she _____ a portrait of her sister.

A. was painted B. paints C. has been painting D. was painting

24. "The house maid shattered the vase" means she:

A. destroyed it B. hid it C. cleaned it D. exposed it

25. The iPad is a very popular electronic _____.

A. devise B. divide C. device D. deride

26. Why not _____ out for a walk in the park!

A. go B. gone C. to go D. for going

27. If I _____ the way, then I _____ go there immediately.

A. knew...will B. am knowing...'d C. knew...'d D. know...'d'

28. _____ had I arrived at the gate _____ she opened the door and ran towards me.

A. No sooner...than B. No longer that C. The sooner...that D. No sooner....then

29. _____ you _____ I will be allowed to compete in the game.

A. Neither...nor B. Nor...nor C. Neither ... or D. Either...nor

30. Is there _____ reason _____ I shouldn't go with you
?

A. any which B. any...why C. a....for whom D. any...for whom

31. I'm _____ _____ waking up early.

A. used to B. not used C. use to D. using to

32. It's hard to _____ _____ with the noise.

A. put out B. put down C. put up D. put about

33. _____ _____ trying to call you for hours.

A. She is B. She has C. She's be D. She's been

34. You're late! You _____ _____ _____ the subway.

A. can have taken B. should be taken C. should have taken D. may be taken

35. We don't _____ with our neighbours.
 A. get on B. get in C. get through D. get out
36. We have a very busy _____ today.
 A. scuttle B. settle C. shuttle D. schedule
37. How long have you known _____?
 A. they B. them C. their D. there
38. Where _____ you _____ last night?
 A. do... go B. have... gone C. did.... go D. would... go
39. When _____ there, I'll call you.
 A. I'll get B. I get C. I got D. I'm getting
40. We're _____ to seeing you next week.
 A. looking outward B. looking upward C. looking backward D. looking forward
41. Today I'm going to speak about the major _____ of the new product.
 A. inconvenient B. default C. weakling D. drawback
42. What floor do you live _____?
 A. at B. in C. on D. to
43. In the fifth year, all the school's students do a six-month _____ in the company of their choice.
 A. leadership B. partnership C. internship D. sponsorship
44. _____ the rain, we went ahead with the match.
 A. Despite B. Although C. Albeit D. Whereas
45. I'm sorry to give you _____ notice.
 A. such short B. some short C. such few D. so few