**Grammar test**

**(Multiple choice)**

1. Learning how to write an essay \_\_\_\_ no easy task.

a. is

b. are

c. be

d. am

2. The noise was \_\_\_\_ annoying that I could not concentrate.

a. very

b. such

c. much

d. so

3. The fact that I passed the test is \_\_\_\_.

a. encouraging

b. encourages

c. encouraged

d. encourage

4. When I came to school, I saw that a number of people \_\_\_\_ protesting.

a. were

b. was

c. are

d. is

5. My mother does not like pop music, and my father does not like it \_\_\_\_.

a. also

b. either

c. too

d. still

6. Neither Alissa nor her sister \_\_\_\_ travelled outside this country.

a. have

b. has

c. is

d. are

7. \_\_\_\_ the professor said amazed everyone.

a. That

b. When

c. What

d. Who

8. I \_\_\_\_ here ever since I \_\_\_\_ to this country.

a. have worked / came

b. work / came

c. worked / have come

d. am working / had come

9. “Why are my grades so low?”

“You almost never come to class, \_\_\_\_ you?”

a. don’t

b. do

c. aren’t

d. are

10. Since I changed jobs, I can only play basketball \_\_\_\_.

a. week

b. the week

c. once a week

d. last week

11. The teacher made her students \_\_\_\_ hard.

a. to work

b. working

c. worked

d. work

12. He has breakfast every day, \_\_\_\_ he?

a. haven’t

b. doesn’t

c. won’t

d. didn’t

13. Bill Gates is \_\_\_\_ because he works hard.

a. succeed

b. successful

c. success

d. successfully

14. If you have difficulty \_\_\_\_ a word, you should consult a dictionary.

a. understanding

b. understand

c. you understanding

d. you understand

15. By the time you called, I \_\_\_\_ two movies already.

a. watch

b. was watching

c. had watched

d. will have watched

16. Leah will start her Japanese lessons \_\_\_\_ January 12.

a. in

b. at

c. on

d. of

17. Everyday he would spend half an hour \_\_\_\_.

a. jogging

b. jog

c. jogged

d. to jog

18. It took Amy two hours \_\_\_\_ her book project.

a. complete

b. completing

c. have completed

d. to complete

19. A deer runs \_\_\_\_ than a cow.

a. fast

b. more fast

c. faster

d. as fast

20. You had better \_\_\_\_ her back. She said she had something important to tell you.

a. to call

b. calling

c. called

d. call

21. I can’t walk there in time today, so \_\_\_\_ a bus.

a. I’ll take

b. taking

c. had taken

d. I take

22. Among the three students, Richard is \_\_\_\_ talented.

a. more

b. the more

c. less

d. the most

23. \_\_\_\_ he is very generous, he has very few friends.

a. So

b. Although

c. Because

d. In spite of

24. “Shall we go fishing or camping this weekend?”

“I prefer fishing \_\_\_\_ camping.”

a. than

b. instead

c. on

d. to

25. Mr. Liapunov stopped \_\_\_\_ when he was 29.

a. smoking

b. to smoke

c. smoke

d. smoked

26. We will cancel the picnic if it \_\_\_\_.

a. will rain

b. raining

c. going to rain

d. rains

27. “What are your plans for Saturday?”

“I don’t know yet. I think I \_\_\_\_ my parents.”

a. would go visit

b. visiting

c. will visit

d. am visited

28. How \_\_\_\_ people attended the meeting?

a. much

b. many

c. fewer

d. more

29. When \_\_\_\_ at the airport?

a. did the delegates arrive

b. have the delegates arrived

c. will the delegates arrived

d. the delegates had arrived

30. You \_\_\_\_ a little tired when I saw you yesterday

a. have seemed

b. seem

c. had been seeming

d. seemed

31. The children stayed home because there is no \_\_\_\_ today.

a. schooling

b. school

c. schools

d. the school

32. One of the twins has a scar above his eye, but \_\_\_\_ doesn’t.

a. the other one

b. another one

c. others

d. one other

33. Please \_\_\_\_ forget our meeting tomorrow at 10:30 a.m.

a. not

b. won’t

c. don’t

d. shouldn’t

34. \_\_\_\_ such beautiful flowers?

a. Have ever you seen

b. Have you ever seen

c. Never you have seen

d. Never you hadn’t seen

35. Would you mind \_\_\_\_ the book in my mailbox?

a. putting

b. to put

c. put

d. putted

36. I am sorry that I was late. I \_\_\_\_ have come earlier.

a. must

b. may

c. will

d. should

37. I found the book you lent me. I will \_\_\_\_ tomorrow.

a. give you it

b. give it to you

c. give to you it

d. give it for you

38. New students should \_\_\_\_ for classes as early as possible.

a. register

b. registering

c. registered

d. to register

39. The girl got a piece of candy and \_\_\_\_ left.

a. fast

b. quick

c. quickly

d. faster

40. Mr. Wells is \_\_\_\_ vacation now.

a. in

b. on

c. at

d. during