選擇題 50 題（每題 2 分）

字彙與結構
1. Moon cakes are a ___ food this time of year.  A. fun  B. traditional  C. lunar  D. feast
2. The ___ will take care of your bill. Go to him when you are ready to check out the goods. 
   A. counter  B. change  C. cashier  D. check
3. Christine had a 16 hour ___ to the United States. She does not like airplanes. A. venture
   B. jet lag  C. launch  D. flight
4. Please stop talking so loudly. You are really ____ me.  A. bothering  B. teasing  C. turning
   D. tossing
5. It's a quarter to four o'clock. It is ____.  A. 4:15  B. 4:45  C. 3:45  D. 3:15
6. Could you stop ____ about the same issue over and over again? A. complain  B. complained
   C. to complain  D. complaining
7. Amy doesn't wear too much makeup. She looks more ______ without a lot of makeup.
   A. natural  B. devoted  C. skinny  D. fascinated
8. Gary is overweight. He needs to go on a ___.  A. beauty  B. muscle  C. diet  D. fuse
   Peter practiced playing basketball every day.
9. He was ______ he could be on the team.  A. attractive  B. confident  C. creative  D. overweight
10. Going to a bank is a common errand for many people. People go there to ____ money. A. post
    B. record  C. reduce  D. deposit
11. Because of the weather, there was an ______ of our travel plans.  A. alteration
    B. altered  C. alternating  D. alternative
12. It is difficult to ______ a new language.  A. acknowledge  B. acquisition  C. acquire
    D. acquiring
13. ______ of the big game in the city, the place was swarming with tourists.  A. Due  B. Resulting
    C. For the reason  D. Because
15. Add some seasoning to _____ the flavor.  A. enhanced  B. enhances  C. enhance
    D. enhancing
16. The company is filing a _____ against its competitors.  A. critic  B. glory  C. success
    D. lawsuit
17. In order to _____ from a fire spot, stay low to the ground and take the stairs.  A. escape
    B. manage  C. mix  D. get
18. Chinese _____ a popular language for people to study.  A. are becoming  B. has become
    C. have been becoming  D. becoming
19. After years of study, Thomas reached his goal of becoming a brain ____.  A. mascot  B. volunteer
    C. surgeon  D. athlete

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20. The dinner party at the Smith’s house was quite _____.  A. delightful  B. delighted  C. delight  D. delighting
21. A lot of restaurants are saying they offer gluten-free foods, but they don’t understand ____.  A. special terms  B. poisons  C. cross-contamination  D. convenience foods.
22. The material riches of modern society have given _____ more choices and convenience.  A. warehouses  B. consumers  C. missions  D. technology
23. Game designers and _____ experts combine their expertise to produce games that serve as treatment options.  A. medical B. social  C. patent  D. disaster
24. His doctors helped him set up a diabetic ____ plan. Now he feels much better.  A. job B. youth  C. celebration  D. meal
25. Try tracking your spending for one month. Each time you make a _____, write it down. A. purchase B. board  C. promotion  D. budget

A new machine in Abu Dhabi was ____ in the Emirates Place Hotel. One might think this machine would have people psyched, ____ in a place where the very wealthy drink cappuccinos with gold ____, this machine seems to fit right in. What is this machine? It’s a gold dispenser! Customers can choose from 320 types of pure gold, ____ gold bars to gold coins. On the first night of the reveal, there were a lot of people using this machine, including one person who bought a ____ amount: one of each type of gold!

Do you ever wish your family members' birthdays were easier to remember? For a couple in Arkansas, it will be! The couple just __ a baby girl on September 9, 2009. This was just a little over a year since the older sister was born, on August 8, 2008. And if that's not enough of a __, the elder daughter's name has eight letters, the younger sister has nine in her name. When asked if the couple were now for another child on October 10, 2010, they said that they were going to take a rest.

26. A. made B. had  C. saw  D. gave
27. A. as B. yet  C. although D. however
28. A. organization B. impetuousness  C. coincidence D. accident
29. A. though B. while  C. when D. but
30. A. yearning B. making  C. intending D. caring

31. A. unveil B. unveils  C. unveiled  D. unveiling
32. A. but B. also  C. where  D. whereas
33. A. domain B. flakes  C. points  D. paths
34. A. involving B. then  C. from  D. including
35. A. typical  B. unexceptional C. trite  D. staggering
Washington State __36__ and young social entrepreneur Adora Svitak was reading books by age 3. She started __37__ soon after, and the year she was 7, she wrote 250,000 words. That same year she also __38__ her first book, *Flying Fingers*. The book contains short stories __39__ tips for would-be writers. At 11, she was earning up to $10,000 for each appearance speaking to teachers and educators about technology and creativity. Now 14, Adora continues to write and __40__ around the world promoting literacy through writing.

36. A. individual   B. resident  C. parent    D. teacher  
37. A. growing     B. living    C. writing   D. complaining  
38. A. gained      B. read      C. knew     D. published  
39. A. as well as    B. as well   C. also      D. within   
40. A. sees        B. travels   C. takes     D. makes  

閱讀測驗

When you move to a new country, you may have culture shock. It's the feeling of not knowing what to do or how to do things in a new place. You usually have such feelings after the first few weeks of going to a new place. The way that you lived before is not accepted. Everything is different. For example, not speaking the language or not knowing how to use the telephone. Then, how can you deal with culture shock? First, get a hobby. Second, be easy on yourself. Third, get in touch with your friends. Last, find ways to live with the things that are different. Everything will become OK this way.

41. Where might you have culture shock?  A. In an old place.  B. In a new place.  C. In your country.  D. In your home.  
42. When might you have culture shock?  A. After having good friends.  B. Many years later.  C. The first few weeks.  D. After getting back home.  
43. What is not the sign of culture shock?  A. Wanting to have more friends.  B. Not knowing how to use the phone.  C. Everything is different.  D. Not speaking the language.  
44. How can you make culture shock easier?  A. Get a hobby.  B. Staying away from others.  C. Forgetting all your friends.  D. Be hard on yourself.  
45. What will help you feel OK about living in a new place?  A. Being alone all the time.  B. Living with things that are different.  C. Fighting with people around you.  D. Being hard on yourself.  

Do you like listening to singers like Will Smith and Beyonce? If you do, you like hip-hop. But do you know hip-hop is more than just a kind of music? Hip-hop is also a culture. Hip-hop music started out as rap music. It started in Jamaica. It came to America in the
1970s. Black Americans used this music to express themselves. Many felt angry about problems like poverty and crime. They used hip-hop songs to express those feelings.

Later, hip-hop became more than just music. It became a kind of dance. Then it became a fashion. But hip-hop singers say true hip-hop culture is more than these things. They say hip-hop is a way to react to problems. They do not get angry or fight. Instead, they express themselves in song.

46. Will Smith and Beyonce ______. A. are both hip-hop artists B. are popular in Jamaica C. have talent for all kinds of music D. have the same last name

47. How long has hip-hop music been around? A. Over one hundred years. B. More than seventy years ago. C. About thirty years. D. Over forty years.

48. We can know from the reading, if one is in poverty, he or she ______. A. must be a hip-hop artist B. writes songs beautifully C. has to be tested how well he or she dances D. may not be happy about their situation

49. This readings says hip-hop is______. A. a kind of African-American problem B. something that makes people angry C. a way to react to problems D. not a fashion

50. From the reading we know ______. A. where hip-hop started B. who is the most important hip-hop singer C. why hip-hop singers like to fight D. how to express our feelings through hip-hop music