

13. The teacher said, "If he does not become serious in his studies he will fail." []
The teacher warned that if the student _____ serious in his studies he _____
a) Did not become, would fail b) does not become, should fail
c) do not become, could fail d) do not becoming, could fail
14. The coming of Pepsi, coke, and such other drinks _____ not been without some effects. []
a) have b) are c) has d) were
15. Nobody could open it. []
a) It could not be opened by anybody b) It can not be opened by anybody
c) It will not be opened by anybody d) It would not be opened by anybody
16. The teacher entered _____ the class. []
a) into b) no preposition c) in d) to
17. Mr. Venkat Rao _____ the marriage of his son. []
a) did b) does c) arranged d) performed
18. Due to my inability, I couldn't finish it. (correct the given sentence) []
_____ my inability, I could not finish it.
a) Because b) Owing to c) And d) Or
19. Let's get started, _____? (Select the suitable question tag) []
a) shall we b) should we c) can we d) will you
20. The police investigated _____ the matter. []
a) in b) into c) no preposition d) on
21. I know her quite _____ you do. []
a) so good as b) as well as c) as bad as d) as better as
22. merciful is to merciless as patient to _____. []
a) hospital b) medicine c) impatient d) angry
23. Does he leave the box? (change the voice) []
a) does the box left by him? b) the box is left by him?
c) Is the box leave by him? d) Is the box left by him?
24. People who speak _____ will be good at heart. []
a) cut and dry b) cut and bite c) cut and cut d) dry and dry
25. The synonym for the word 'mitigate' []
a) palliate b) incite c) harbor d) yearn
26. If Krishna ____ me, I _____ to the party. []
a) had invited, would have attended b) has invited, can have attended
c) has invited, could have attended d) is invited, could have attended
27. Unless you come, I cannot speak to you. []
a) although you come, I cannot speak to you b) if you come, I can speak to you
c) because you came, I cannot speak to you d) as you come, I cannot speak to you
28. One who studies the art of clock making. []
a) hostage b) horologist c) homologist d) hydrographer
29. One who doesn't care for art, literature etc. []
a) philistine b) thirst c) actuary d) turn coal
30. Write the synonym for the word 'avaricious' []
a) greedy b) jealous c) angry d) wicked

31. The antonym for the word 'cheerful' []
 a) recant b) scrimp c) bleak d) salvage
32. A pathological fear of high places []
 a) abridge b) accelerate c) aerial d) acrophobia
33. One who studies the science of animal behavior []
 a) epicure b) ethologist c) epilogue d) etiology
34. Choose the correct 'spelling' in the following []
 a) demeanour b) appologise c) tyranny d) bafle
35. Choose the wrongly spelt word from the following. []
 a) barren b) brevity c) bountiful d) banediction
36. Write the 'synonym' for the word 'exotic' []
 a) alien b) strange c) rare d) grand
37. The one word substitute for 'a long narrative poem' is []
 a) epicure b) epic c) epitaph d) dilogy
38. 'One who cannot make a mistake' []
 a) itinerant b) ambassador c) infallible d) altruist
39. 'A remedy for all ills' []
 a) narcotic b) holonym c) pathology d) panacea
40. Choose the wrongly spelt word from the following. []
 a) concede b) congregate c) constriant d) cordial
41. We _____ think carefully before we do anything. []
 a) have to b) has to c) is to d) was to
42. You _____ deliver milk here from tomorrow. []
 a) no need b) need not c) are not d) were not
43. We should not compare our children _____ other children. []
 a) to b) on c) with d) for
44. Though we have differences we can _____ them _____. (choose the right phrasal verb) []
 a) hold, out b) push, out c) stick, out d) iron, out
45. Don't leave _____ you are asked. []
 a) beside b) until c) off d) up to

(46 - 50) Read the following passage

The 'trace' gases such as water vapour, carbon dioxide, methane and nitrous oxide absorb heat. They are referred to as 'greenhouse' gases as they perform the same function as the gases in a greenhouse. Greenhouses are used extensively to grow plants particularly in cool climates. Its transparent glass covering allows the sunrays to enter unhindered and warm the interior. It also prevents this heat from escaping by reflecting the energy back into the greenhouse.

Our atmosphere functions like a greenhouse. The sun's energy reaches the earth as visible light. 30 percent of this light is reflected back into space by clouds, snow and ice-covered land, sea surfaces and atmospheric dust. The rest is absorbed by the liquids, solids, and gases that constitute our planet.

This absorbed energy is eventually re-emitted as infrared radiation which, in fact, is longer-wavelength light. Although we cannot see it, we can feel its presence just as we can feel the heat as we put our hand near the surface of a hot skillet or frying pan. The 'trace' gases that make up only a tiny fraction of the atmosphere, absorb the infrared radiation and the heat energy.

In the early 1800s, the term 'greenhouse effect' was only used to describe the naturally occurring functions of trace gases in the atmosphere. It was not until the mid 1950s that the term was coupled with the concerns over climate change. The negative concerns are related to the possible impact of an enhanced greenhouse effect, however we must not forget that without the greenhouse effect, life on earth, as we know it, would not be possible.

Now answer the following questions.

46. It is not a trace gas. []
a) carbon dioxide b) water vapour c) methane d) oxygen
47. The sun's energy reaches the earth as []
a) visible light b) heat energy c) longer waves d) infrared rays
48. Which of the following can replace the word 'eventually' given in the 3rd paragraph? []
a) undoubtedly b) slowly c) finally d) probably
49. Life as we know is not possible on earth []
a) without the climate change b) without the infrared radiation
c) without the greenhouse effect d) without the global warming
50. Enhanced greenhouse effect has a _____ impact on earth. []
a) positive b) negative c) great d) little

