

Listen to the recording and complete the sentences

1. The news anchors are

- A) Patrick and Ruth B) Patrick and John
C) John and Ruth D) Not stated

2. The Au Pair Program is a form of

- A) geographic expedition
B) cultural exchange
C) computer game
D) medical treatment

3. Mr. John Peters had a problem because

- A) he had changed his mobile
B) he didn't get enough telephone calls
C) he had written the incorrect salary
D) the newspaper had made a mistake

4. Mr. John Peters is from

- A) Patrick B) London
C) Bristol D) Wimbledon

5. The salary printed in the local newspaper was

- A) £ 8,000 B) £ 800
C) £ 80 D) £ 8

6. The accident with the animal was

- A) 2 days ago B) the day before yesterday
C) yesterday D) Not stated

7. The animal ran away from the

- A) truck B) train C) boat D) trolleybus

8. The factory produces the

- A) furniture B) automobiles
C) oil products D) Not stated

9. The mill is situated in

- A) Patrick B) London
C) Bristol D) Wimbledon

10. There are ... employees who have been dismissed.

- A) 50 B) 60
C) 15 D) 500

Read the text and choose the correct variant

Madame Tussauds is a famous waxworks museum. It is home to hundreds of effigies of various celebrities from world leaders to film and sports stars, and Marvel superheroes to Star Wars characters, all made with fiberglass bodies and wax heads. The museum was founded in 1835 by Marie Tussaud, whose original name was Marie Grosholtz. She was born in Strasbourg in 1761. 41 years earlier she had taken her exhibition on tour to the British Isles, leaving her husband behind. Many of the original models made by Marie Tussaud of her great contemporaries, including Voltaire, Benjamin Franklin, Horatio Nelson, and Sir Walter Scott, are still preserved. Originally established on Baker Street in the capital of Great Britain in 1884, the museum moved to its current site on Marylebone Road. In 1925, the popular attraction was devastated by fire, but three years later the restoration was completed with the addition of a cinema and restaurant. The attraction became so popular that branches of Madame Tussaud's museum started to open all over the world.

11. There are over 150 lifelike celebrity

- A) figures B) clothes
C) presents D) pets

12. The founder of the museum was born in

- A) France B) Great Britain
C) Germany D) the USA

13. Marie Tussaud made the celebrities from

- A) metal and wood B) wood and paper
C) porcelain and glass D) fiberglass and wax

14. The first European Madame Tussauds attraction was opened in

- A) Amsterdam B) London
C) Paris D) Berlin

15. In the 1920s Madame Tussaud's wax museum was destroyed by

- A) the hurricane B) fire
C) the earthquake D) the force of the atomic bomb

Read the text and choose the words closest in meaning to the underlined ones

Alice was beginning to get very **(16)** tired of sitting by her sister on the bank, and of having nothing to do: once or twice she had **(17)** peeped into the book her sister was reading, but it had no pictures or conversations in it, "and what is the use of a book," thought Alice "without pictures or conversations" when **(18)** suddenly a White Rabbit with **(19)** pink eyes ran close by her. There was nothing so VERY remarkable in that; but when the Rabbit actually TOOK A WATCH OUT OF ITS WAISTCOAT-POCKET, and looked at it, and then **(20)** hurried on, Alice started to her feet, for it flashed across her mind that she had never before seen a rabbit with either a waistcoat-pocket, or a watch to take out of it, and burning with curiosity, she ran after it.

16. A) exhausted B) overwhelmed C) miserable D) shy

17. A) stared B) saw C) watched D) looked into

18. A) quickly B) usually C) as a rule D) unexpectedly

19. A) lilac B) turquoise C) purple D) rosy

20. A) roamed B) slowed down C) walked D) made haste

Choose — singular or plural?

21. Mike, your jeans ... too long.

- A) is B) are C) was D) am

22. Be careful, the scissors ... sharp.

- A) am B) was C) are D) is

23. "Now Physics ... favourite subject," he said.

- A) is B) are C) were D) am

24. The news ... so exciting that I couldn't fall asleep.

- A) is B) was C) are D) were

25. Half of the luggage ... already here, don't worry.

- A) am B) was C) is D) were

Complete the sentences with the right variants

26. Everybody ... fine weather.

- A) like B) is liking
C) likes D) have liked

27. I'll ring you up as soon as I ... home.

- A) came B) will come
C) come D) have come

28. She looked ... in her new dress.

- A) wonderfully
B) wonderfuler
C) most wonderfully
D) wonderful

29. Aerobics ... you a lot of good.

- A) do B) does
C) make D) makes

30. A new bridge ... built at the moment.

- A) is being B) was
C) has been D) is

31. When he arrived his wife ...

- A) has already left B) had already left
C) already left D) was already leaving

32. When I arrived at the party everyone

- A) were dancing B) danced
C) was dancing D) dancing

33. He ... his classmate for ages.

- A) hasn't seen B) haven't seen
C) didn't see D) doesn't see

34. The book ... into five languages.

- A) has translated
B) were translated
C) has been translated
D) translating

35. When he was a child, he ... fishing every day.

- A) has gone B) go
C) used to go D) was used to

Add the most suitable missing word

36. Portraits — still life — crayons — ...

- A) easel B) axe
C) broom D) belt

37. Cello — harp — cymbals — ...

- A) square B) oval
C) triangle D) rectangular

38. Fever — wound — disease — ...

- A) desire B) satisfaction
C) syringe D) delight

39. Rowing — archery — fencing — ...

- A) pedestrian B) bathing
C) travelling D) equestrian

40. Niece — nephew — twin — ...

- A) sibling B) neighbour
C) friend D) colleague

Determine where the situations may occur

41. There are 20 members of staff and 300 pupils.

- A) School B) Station C) Job centre D) Hotel

42. If you are unemployed, this is the place to go.

- A) School B) Station C) Job centre D) Hotel

43. Sometimes there may be a long queue at the ticket office there.

- A) School B) Station
C) Job centre D) Hotel

44. The singles, twins and doubles all have en suite facilities.

- A) School B) Station
C) Job centre D) Hotel

45. He went there very often but still was unable to find work.

- A) School B) Station
C) Job centre D) Hotel

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