1. Located in Kaohsiung, Chen’s Kitchen serves _____ Taiwanese home-style food.
   (A) satisfied  (B) useful  (C) traditional  (D) painful

2. Tainan is a center of history and culture in Taiwan, and is home to many ____ historical sites.
   (A) ancient  (B) helpful  (C) lucky   (D) impossible

3. We _____ to tell you that your application for a job in our company was not successful.
   (A) revise   (B) receive  (C) remember  (D) regret

4. Australia is famous for its ____ animals, such as koalas, kangaroos, and emus.
   (A) uniform  (B) useful  (C) unique  (D) united

5. It is often faster, easier and cheaper to send a text ____ than to call your friend.
   (A) message  (B) factory  (C) method   (D) book

6. To save electricity, please ____ all the lights when you leave the classroom.
   (A) close down  (B) turn in  (C) turn around  (D) turn off

7. Jason eats breakfast if he is hungry, but just drinks coffee if he ________.
   (A) doesn’t  (B) isn’t  (C) wouldn’t  (D) hasn’t

8. George is always late to work. Last week, his boss finally ______ him.
   (A) has fired  (B) fires  (C) fired  (D) will fire

9. Annie and Bill were _____ during the movie, and I thought it was ____ too.
   (A) bored/boring (B) boring/bored (C) bored/bored   (D) boring/boring

10. We rarely have time to cook meals. _____ the time we eat out.
    (A) During  (B) Much of  (C) None of  (D) Always

11. I don’t like my boss. He’s _____ greediest man I have ever met.
    (A) a  (B) an  (C) the  (D) this

12. Have you washed your hands? Look at all that ____ under your fingernails!
    (A) dirty  (B) dirt  (C) dirtiest  (D) dirtiness

13. Don’t _____ your homework until the last minute. Do it as soon as possible.
    (A) put away  (B) put down  (C) put up  (D) put off

14. You’re going to quit school? I ____ if I were you!
    (A) wouldn’t do that  (B) would don’t do that  (C) would not that  (D) don’t do that

15. This herb _____ in China for centuries to treat disease.
    (A) used  (B) has used  (C) has been used  (D) is used

16. If Jenny had a better job, she _____ not be so unhappy.
    (A) will  (B) would  (C) can  (D) won’t

17. This vase is over 2,000 years old, but its _____ remains unknown.
    (A) origin  (B) original  (C) originally  (D) originality

18. To apply for this job, please send your _____ to our Taipei office.
    (A) postcard  (B) resume  (C) life story  (D) memo

19. Sally met her husband at an international _____ on green energy.
    (A) negotiation  (B) board meeting  (C) conference  (D) interview

20. The government announced a number of new measures to _____ poverty in rural areas.
    (A) exaggerate  (B) alleviate  (C) implement  (D) strengthen
21. Our specially trained instructors will _____ your fitness, and design an exercise program which suits your needs.
   (A) concentrate  (B) reflect  (C) inform  (D) assess

22. In the essay test, you need to quickly_____ an opinion about the topic, and develop some arguments to support it.
   (A) formulate  (B) hesitate  (C) abolish  (D) inspire

23. After all the pre-release hype, actual sales figures for the new Apple iPhone 5 have been ______, to say the least.
   (A) experimental  (B) innovative  (C) confidential  (D) disappointing

24. Victims of last year’s chemical spill have demanded millions of dollars in ______ from the company responsible.
   (A) handcrafts  (B) regulation  (C) compensation  (D) inspection

25. With thousands of people starving, ______ aid is urgently needed in the drought-stricken areas of northern African.
   (A) fragile   (B) humanitarian  (C) courteous  (D) discrimination

26. The information in this report is strictly ______. You are not allowed to discuss it with anyone, even family members.
   (A) confidential  (B) trivial  (C) habitual  (D) identical

27. There has not yet been any decision made ______ will represent the country at the Olympics.
   (A) concerned athletes  (B) as to which athletes  (C) those athletes  (D) for athletes

28. If Susan had visited us last summer, she ______ the hikes in the mountains.
   (A) would have enjoyed  (B) would enjoy (C) enjoyed  (D) has enjoyed

29. Authorities in Argentina have issued an alert over increased activity at the Copahue volcano, which _____ spewing smoke and gas.
   (A) begins  (B) began to  (C) has begun  (D) is beginning

30. This product ______ our most popular item.
   (A) always has been considered  (B) has been always considered
   (C) has been considered always  (D) has always been considered

A growing problem in the health of young people is the ___31___ that so many are living sedentary lives. According to recent research, when 80 percent of school children get home, the first thing they do is sit ___32___ of a TV or computer. A huge ___33___ of these children have TVs and computers in their rooms. The fact that they are no longer very active puts them ___34___ of cancer and heart disease later in life. This is a problem that ___35___ requires attention from the government and education authorities.

31. (A) saying   (B) true   (C) fact   (D) idea

32. (A) watching   (B) turning  (C) using  (D) in front

33. (A) part    (B) masses  (C) minority  (D) majority

34. (A) at risk    (B) in hospital (C) in view  (D) in need

35. (A) delightfully  (B) tactfully  (C) politely  (D) urgently

African elephants love water. They bathe several times a day to stay cool. During a ___36___ when water is scarce, they bathe themselves and their companions by ___37___ water from their trunks. To protect themselves from ___38___ attacks by biting insects, they put dry dirt or mud over their wet bodies after their bath. These endangered animals make deep noises from the nose, throat and trunk when they ___39___ for food. When they are in danger, they ___40___ the herd by discontinuing these sounds.

36. (A) famine   (B) drought  (C) blizzard  (D) tsunami

37. (A) deleting   (B) pretending (C) spraying  (D) commenting

38. (A) routine   (B) painful  (C) perpetual  (D) throbbing

39. (A) eating   (B) depart  (C) craved  (D) search

40. (A) save    (B) warn  (C) frighten  (D) reject