

## PART 5 MISSING WORDS

**Directions:** A word or phrase is missing in each of the sentences below. Four answers are given below each sentence. Select the best answer to complete the sentence.

1. All the students \_\_\_\_\_ awaited the results of their last test.

- A) anxious
- B) angst
- C) anxiously
- D) anxiety

2. Looking at the problems in schools around the world, from Colorado to Germany, from Japan to Pennsylvania, it seems many have forgotten the old adage, 'Spare the rod and \_\_\_\_\_ the child', to their misfortune.

- A) spoil
- B) spoilt
- C) spoils
- D) spoiling

3. With the current increases in \_\_\_\_\_ in US schools, the level of police security will also increase, perhaps causing an escalating situation.

- A) violent
- B) violence
- C) agitated
- D) up in arms

4. The Pokemon \_\_\_\_\_ in the US has caused a run on anything Pokemon related.

- A) craze
- B) the in thing
- C) style
- D) crazy

5. Police officers are inquiring as to \_\_\_\_\_ dog bit that little boy.

- A) why
- B) that
- C) whose
- D) when

6. Both my parents encouraged me \_\_\_\_\_ a college education.

- A) getting
- B) got
- C) to get
- D) have got

7. The belief \_\_\_\_\_ teachers is that preparation for entrance examinations is the most important function of a school education.

- A) among
- B) with
- C) between
- D) to

8. ----- be fooled any longer.

- A) Can't
- B) Don't
- C) Won't
- D) Hasn't

9. Mr. and Mrs. Spellborn will be joining the party late due to \_\_\_\_\_ son's school play

- A) they
- B) their
- C) theirs
- D) them

10. After the first of the year, students will ----- register on-line.

- A) in order to
- B) have
- C) be able to
- D) must

11. A poll ----- by the University's political science department showed most residents were opposed to the new industrial zone.

- A) conducted
- B) questioned
- C) responded
- D) determined

12. In a move to increase eco-tourism, several environmental ----- initiatives have been proposed.

- A) projection
- B) protection
- C) protraction
- D) provision

13. The issue of climate change ----- the international conference

- A) dominated
- B) discussed
- C) warned
- D) involved

14. Oleg is \_\_\_\_\_ her hair much shorter now

- A) wearing
- B) having
- C) growing
- D) getting

15. There is an old \_\_\_\_\_ that 'time is money' but this is not always true.

- A) telling
- B) speaking
- C) saying
- D) expressing

16. I will tell you a secret if you can keep it to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) you
- B) yourself
- C) yours
- D) your

17. Iron can be alloyed \_\_\_\_\_ many other metals to increase its strength.

- A) to
- B) with
- C) along
- D) by

18. To get the correct answer, add this column of figures and then divide \_\_\_\_\_ twelve

- A) with
- B) in
- C) by
- D) of

19. Mr. and Mrs. Kaplan attended the reception along with some friends of

- A) their's
- B) them
- C) theirs
- D) themselves

20. The golf courses designed by Robert Trent Jones tend to be extremely \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) challenging
- B) a challenge
- C) challenged
- D) to challenge