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ENTRANCE EXAMINATION IN ENGLISH

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*Read the instructions carefully and make sure you understand them!*

**Exercise 1 (15 points)**

Complete each sentence with the correct word created from the one given in brackets.

**Example:**

Nicotine and alcohol are highly (**high**) addictive substances.

1. I think \_\_\_\_\_ (**strong**) and \_\_\_\_\_ (**determine**) are key personal qualities of any explorer.
2. Going to France for a week was a very \_\_\_\_\_ (**educate**) experience and great fun, too!
3. Most \_\_\_\_\_ (**politics**) are heavily criticised, but our local representative is very hard-working.
4. Don't ask him for a loan. He's \_\_\_\_\_ (**employ**) at the moment and doesn't have much money.
5. I'm sorry about the mistake. We have a new \_\_\_\_\_ (**train**) who's still learning the job.
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ (**edit**) of this newspaper has very extreme views.
7. It's hard to find \_\_\_\_\_ (**dependent**) media in their country because most are controlled by the \_\_\_\_\_ (**govern**).

8. There's a \_\_\_\_\_ (**document**) on tonight about what really happened on the night the Titanic sank.
9. My brother earns a lot of money as a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ (**electric**).
10. He's so \_\_\_\_\_ (**rely**) that you should not trust him at all.
11. The number of \_\_\_\_\_ (**vote**) who took part in the last election was really dissatisfying.
12. This car is rather cheap and \_\_\_\_\_ (**economy**). You will be satisfied.
13. Winning all the matches in the tournament was a real \_\_\_\_\_ (**achieve**) for the team.

### **Exercise 2 (15 points)**

**Read the text below and think of the word which best fits each space. Use only one word in each space. There is an example at the beginning.**

#### **A. Arranged marriages**

Arranged marriages are **(0)** \_\_\_\_\_ *still* \_\_\_\_\_ very common in some societies. In Bangladesh, for **(1)** \_\_\_\_\_, the parents of two families often agree a marriage between their children when they are still quite young. The choice is **(2)** \_\_\_\_\_ on the basis of economic or social reasons.

In the past, couples are known to **(3)** \_\_\_\_\_ had little say in whether they approved of their parents' choice of partner, but these days they are generally consulted and another partner is found if they are very much **(4)** \_\_\_\_\_ their parents' first choice.

It is argued by defenders of arranged marriages that relationships based purely on love and romance often fail, **(5)** \_\_\_\_\_ the partners don't really understand the practicalities of living with someone.

## **B. Healthy Body, Healthy Mind**

Sitting around in **(6)** \_\_\_\_\_ of the TV or computer all day makes you put on weight and feel tired. Regular physical activity **(7)** \_\_\_\_\_ calories and gives you more energy. Exercise can improve not only your shape, but also your well-being, or your professional or academic achievements.

The key to success is to take up **(8)** \_\_\_\_\_ an activity that challenges you. If you want to be good at anything, from playing a musical instrument to learning a foreign language, you have to work hard and practise. Sport is no different, so if you go **(9)** \_\_\_\_\_ a sport you like, then there's a better chance you'll carry on with it.

Most sports build physical ability, strength and coordination, but team sports can teach a sense of **(10)** \_\_\_\_\_ play and develop leadership and other social skills. But if you can't stand the idea of teams, choose an individual sport, like swimming, gymnastics or weightlifting.

## **C. To Buy or Not to Buy?**

In many parts of the world, people don't have enough food and are too poor to own basic items such as a refrigerator or a washing machine. **(11)** \_\_\_\_\_, in the richer countries, people throw away appliances that can be repaired, and change cars or computers just to have a more up-to-date model.

The reason **(12)** \_\_\_\_\_ that is quite simple. Everywhere we go, advertisements create the desire for things we don't really need, and **(13)** \_\_\_\_\_ us to consume, creating the impression that those who don't, won't fit in any more.

This constant pressure to spend and consume has **(14)** \_\_\_\_\_ too far. So we can understand why some people in the rich world show their disapproval of this consumerism by deciding not to buy anything for a day. But what would happen if we took this idea to its logical conclusion and everyone **(15)** \_\_\_\_\_ up buying things not just for one day, but for a month, or even a year?

### **Exercise 3 (30 points)**

**Choose the most suitable word or phrase to complete each sentence. Write A, B, C or D.**

***Example:***

*Just a minute! You have forgotten to A your test.*

A sign	B signature	C signing	D note
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1. It's cheaper to pay \_\_\_\_\_ cash.

A. by	B. in	C. with	D. on
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2. It is possible that she called while we were out.  
She \_\_\_\_\_ called while we were out.

A. could have	B. would have	C. must have	D. should have
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3. What would you like to \_\_\_\_\_ for a living?

A. make	B. do	C. have	D. use
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4. She accused him \_\_\_\_\_ her CD player.

A. of breaking	B. to break	C. for breaking	D. about breaking
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5. I have never \_\_\_\_\_ a lie in my whole life.

A. said	B. told	C. spoken	D. talked
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6. If you had locked the door, the burglars \_\_\_\_\_ in.

A. wouldn't get	B. wouldn't have got	C. wouldn't got	D. hadn't got
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7. If only you \_\_\_\_\_ me to help you before.

A. asked	B. had asked	C. would ask	D. would have asked
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8. Ann was told \_\_\_\_\_ by her father for coming home late.

A. off	B. on	C. lies	D. jokes
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9. You can start when you \_\_\_\_\_ ready.

A. are	B. is	C. will be	D. have been
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10. They were obliged to close the factory.  
They \_\_\_\_\_ close the factory.

A. must	B. must have	C. had	D. had to
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11. You should tidy your room.  
It's time \_\_\_\_\_ your room.

A. you tidy	B. you should tidy	C. you would tidy	D. you tidied
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12. I locked the door \_\_\_\_\_ we could continue our discussion undisturbed.

A. so	B. so that	C. because	D. that
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13. A: Why are you so tired?  
B: We \_\_\_\_\_ in the forest all morning.

A. have cycled	B. have been cycling	C. were cycling	D. cycled
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14. I think it would be a good idea to take a taxi.  
I suggest \_\_\_\_\_ a taxi.

A. we take	B. that we took	C. taking	D. us to take
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15. Joe \_\_\_\_\_ his teeth checked twice a year.

A. has	B. does	C. is having	D. is doing
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16. It is my dream to take \_\_\_\_\_ in *Dance with the Stars*.

A. place	B. part	C. a role	D. up
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17. Whenever I buy something expensive, I always keep the \_\_\_\_\_ in case of any problems in the future.

A. recipe	B. receipt	C. prescription	D. guidelines
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18. The girl \_\_\_\_\_ car you've crashed into is our headmaster's daughter.

A. who	B. whom	C. who's	D. whose
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19. I'll go mad \_\_\_\_\_ you turn that radio off.

A. unless	B. if	C. as soon as	D. provided
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20. Yesterday I came \_\_\_\_\_ an old photograph of my father.

A. by	B. across	C. in	D. to
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21. \_\_\_\_\_ no point in crying over spilt milk.

A. It is	That is	C. This is	D. There is
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22. I'll tell you what happened as \_\_\_\_\_ as you promise not to tell anyone else.

A. soon	B. long	C. much	D. quickly
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23. I would like to apologise \_\_\_\_\_ behaving like that.

A. about	B. for	C. by	D. on
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24. \_\_\_\_\_ your shoulders is a sign of bad manners in formal situations.

A. Raising	B. Moving	C. Lifting	D. Shrugging
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25. \_\_\_\_\_ he won the competition, he wasn't satisfied.

A. Although	B. Because	C. However	D. Despite
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26. A: I'd really like to read his latest novel.

B: \_\_\_\_\_. It's said to be a masterpiece.

A. So do I	B. So would I	C. Neither would I	D. Me neither
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27. Tom hardly knew what was going on, \_\_\_\_\_?

A. did he	B. didn't he	C. was he	D. wasn't he
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28. I can't get used \_\_\_\_\_ up early.

A. to get	B. getting	C. to getting	D. get
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29. Although he felt ill, he \_\_\_\_\_ finish all the paperwork.

A. could	B. was able	C. managed to	D. succeeded to
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30. I look forward \_\_\_\_\_ your confirmation by return.

A. to receiving	B. to receive	C. receive	D. receiving
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