

# VOCABULARY

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## ESSENTIAL VOCABULARY - 3

1. His piano playing had ---- tremendously while he was at the music camp last summer, so he was ready to win the music competition in the fall.
- A) wasted  
B) released  
C) hastened  
D) survived  
E) improved
2. A mediator takes the needs and wants of two parties into ---- and tries to find a way to a successful negotiation.
- A) approval  
B) consideration  
C) modesty  
D) discouragement  
E) accuracy
3. Abraham is a very ---- person, because we have never met a student quite like him.
- A) similar  
B) contemporary  
C) distinctive  
D) commonplace  
E) ordinary
4. If you want to tell her that you want to get a divorce, you should do it as ---- as possible, because I don't want you to upset her anymore.
- A) offensively  
B) reluctantly  
C) hesitantly  
D) tactfully  
E) disrespectfully
5. Every student must take a literacy test before they can be ---- to this program.
- A) admitted  
B) insisted  
C) confessed  
D) inspired  
E) dispensed
6. A greedy dealer doesn't worry about people paying too much for a product, because his main ---- is to make a lot of money quickly.
- A) goal  
B) contract  
C) summary  
D) result  
E) conclusion
7. Our car has kept breaking down on the way to work so many times this year that we think it is completely ---- now.
- A) capable  
B) unreliable  
C) sufficient  
D) irresistible  
E) responsible
8. Kevin used to talk ---- about being the most intelligent student in the class, but he stopped doing so when Linda got a much higher grade than he did.
- A) modestly  
B) tolerantly  
C) boastfully  
D) respectfully  
E) wastefully
9. I ---- that you should save your work on the computer as often as possible, because there may be a power failure any time today.
- A) scold  
B) treat  
C) hasten  
D) contribute  
E) advise
10. There is a great sense of ---- in completing a jigsaw puzzle; I really feel good when I put in the final piece.
- A) density  
B) inspiration  
C) reluctance  
D) satisfaction  
E) disappointment

11. The journey was so tiring that we all were ---- when it was over.

- A) accessible
- B) futile
- C) exhausting
- D) fatigued
- E) permissive

12. I hope you will check your homework very ----, because I'll take off points if you make any mistakes.

- A) arguably
- B) diligently
- C) bitterly
- D) disturbingly
- E) abusively

13. Betty, who was wearing a nice blue dress and a smart white hat, was looking so attractive that she ---- all of us with her beauty.

- A) dazzled
- B) realized
- C) devoted
- D) employed
- E) contributed

14. I felt ---- for the praise I received from the teacher, as I had copied the essay from the Internet.

- A) reality
- B) mercy
- C) guilt
- D) ridicule
- E) innocence

15. Even five hundred years ago, astronomers were able to make ---- measurements of the distance between the earth and the moon.

- A) fragile
- B) coincidental
- C) frustrating
- D) incorrect
- E) accurate

16. It is ---- important that you take care of yourself so that you can stay in good shape and feel healthy.

- A) extremely
- B) scarcely
- C) previously
- D) fearlessly
- E) intensively

17. At first, I didn't ---- of the techniques he was using while teaching new vocabulary, but now I really admire his way of teaching.

- A) deprive
- B) coincide
- C) disagree
- D) approve
- E) rehearse

18. Racism and ethical discrimination have always been ---- in the world, but it seems that they have often been openly ignored.

- A) disruptions
- B) complications
- C) issues
- D) requirements
- E) expressions

19. All the plants in this garden are located in an ideal place for ---- growing.

- A) fruitless
- B) healthy
- C) fragile
- D) tedious
- E) unstable

20. The solar power is getting ---- competitive and not only addressing climate change but also reducing bills of the very lowest income tenants.

- A) clumsily
- B) ordinarily
- C) indifferently
- D) depressingly
- E) increasingly

21. According to various estimates, the plague that ravaged Europe in the Middle Ages ---- nearly two-thirds of the population.
- A) put out  
B) made out  
C) wiped out  
D) died out  
E) came out
22. Environmental degradation has negative effects on human's health, and no economic growth can ---- the serious deterioration of people's health
- A) give rise to  
B) grow out of  
C) take part in  
D) make up for  
E) cut down on
23. My workmates and I haven't been able to ---- a time when we are all free; therefore, we never have an afternoon break anymore.
- A) work out  
B) put down  
C) sell out  
D) stand for  
E) deal with
24. Childcare is an important arena for language development and for preventing and ---- mental health issues, regardless of the child's functional level.
- A) seeing off  
B) coping with  
C) belonging to  
D) making out  
E) bringing about
25. Some patients should ---- eating certain foods that cause blood vessels to dilate such as chocolate, aged cheese, liver, and eggplant.
- A) take part in  
B) put up with  
C) give rise to  
D) participate in  
E) cut down on
26. When a team of scientists ---- its energies ---- a single animal, the result is speedy increase in knowledge.
- A) focuses / on  
B) makes / out  
C) brings / on  
D) gives / off  
E) cares / about
27. Edward Jenner ---- that a vaccine made from cowpox, a related but milder illness, could be used to prevent smallpox.
- A) took up  
B) gave off  
C) pointed out  
D) made up  
E) broke out
28. Some of our misunderstandings about ancient Egypt ---- in part because the Egyptians presented much of their history in a monumental and monolithic form.
- A) help out  
B) let down  
C) look after  
D) pour down  
E) come about
29. Blood is pumped through the heart and ---- oxygen as it passes by the lungs.
- A) makes up  
B) goes off  
C) puts up  
D) take after  
E) picks up
30. In order to understand why some experiments are ---- in certain ways, it is helpful to understand how they should be best conducted.
- A) broken out  
B) seen off  
C) carried out  
D) given away  
E) passed out

31. Plaque is constantly forming ---- teeth, so regular care is important ---- prevent this build-up.

- A) on / to
- B) at / for
- C) for / with
- D) in / from
- E) under / by

32. Some animals ---- the world are reported to migrate using only innate responses ---- environmental signs.

- A) on / by
- B) by / into
- C) across / to
- D) from / on
- E) at / about

33. A new study of DNA ---- people who died ---- the plague in London has now identified the form of the germ that caused their deaths.

- A) at / from
- B) by / over
- C) among / to
- D) from / of
- E) between / for

34. Severe forms ---- schizophrenia can be tiring on both the person ---- schizophrenia and their families.

- A) about / up
- B) of / with
- C) under / to
- D) off / between
- E) at / on

35. Traditional antipsychotics have side effects which may be mild ---- serious, some occurring only ---- high doses.

- A) to / at
- B) from / on
- C) over / in
- D) from / up
- E) below / in front

36. Skin shade is due ---- the amount of a substance called melanin ---- the skin; the more melanin, the darker the skin.

- A) on / by
- B) for / at
- C) up / under
- D) to / in
- E) off / over

37. Most of the languages ---- modern India belong ---- two families, Aryan and Dravidian.

- A) at / up
- B) behind / on
- C) in / for
- D) beyond / down
- E) of / to

38. The onset of puberty changes from child to child and is influenced ---- a number ---- factors, including heredity.

- A) behind / up
- B) to / over
- C) by / of
- D) with / for
- E) under / beyond

39. The mythological stories ---- India actually mirror the essence ---- its rich culture and traditions.

- A) to / in
- B) at / between
- C) with / on
- D) from / at
- E) of / of

40. The reasons why plague no longer brings ---- widespread deaths are that it is fairly easy to suppress, both by antibiotics and by means ---- isolation and pesticides.

- A) at / into
- B) about / of
- C) by / from
- D) over / at
- E) along / by

ANSWER KEY

1	E	9	E	17	D	25	E	33	D
2	B	10	D	18	C	26	A	34	B
3	C	11	D	19	B	27	C	35	A
4	D	12	B	20	E	28	E	36	D
5	A	13	A	21	C	29	E	37	E
6	A	14	C	22	D	30	C	38	C
7	B	15	E	23	A	31	A	39	E
8	C	16	A	24	B	32	C	40	B