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1. I _____ for my exam last night.
 - a. should of study
 - b. should have study
 - c. should of studied
 - d. should have studied
2. Choose the sentence that is grammatically correct.
 - a. Me and my brother went to the park.
 - b. My brother and I went to the park.
 - c. My brother and me went to the park.
 - d. My brother and me go to the park.
3. Choose the sentence that is grammatically correct.
 - a. I have 16 years.
 - b. Matteo has 15 years and i have 13 years.
 - c. I am 12 years old.
 - d. i am 14 and my sister has 5 years.
4. My mother cooked _____ for breakfast.
 - a. an omelet
 - b. an pancakes
 - c. a toasts with Nutella
 - d. an ham and cheese sandwich
5. Choose the verb.
 - a. Pretty
 - b. Listen
 - c. Very
 - d. She
6. Choose the pronoun.
 - a. But
 - b. However
 - c. She
 - d. Park
7. _____ and _____ family are going skiing during the holiday break from school.
 - a. Her, her
 - b. She, her
 - c. She, it
 - d. Her, it

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8. Choose the sentence that is grammatically correct.
- My birthday is in june.
 - I have soccer practice on thursday night.
 - Last Monday, I went to the doctor.
 - Are you coming over on friday?
9. Choose the sentence that is grammatically correct.
- My father bought a car red.
 - Give me the yellow towel.
 - I hard studied for the test.
 - Is that dress purple new?
10. Choose the sentence that is grammatically correct.
- Juan and Matteo is best friends.
 - Lucía are in my class.
 - Guillermo and I is going to watch a movie after school.
 - Carla is going to gymnastics on Friday.
11. I am going to _____ a decision about the project as soon as I can.
- take
 - make
 - made
 - took
12. The concert is a _____ night for me because I have worked very hard.
- especial
 - specially
 - special
 - especially
13. Would you like _____ help?
- a
 - none
 - any
 - all
14. _____, I went to the dentist.
- Yesterday at night
 - Last night
 - Last day

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15. Choose the sentence that is grammatically correct.
- Mariela do her homework at night.
 - Marco does his homework on night.
 - Javier does his homework at night.
 - Jordi do his homework on the morning.
16. This is _____ book.
- very sad
 - a very interesting
 - very interested
 - sad
17. Choose the word that is NOT a preposition.
- To
 - For
 - Among
 - And
18. Which sentence is grammatically correct?
- I went to the zoo, I saw an elephant.
 - I went to the zoo and i seen an elephant.
 - I went to the zoo and I saw an elephant.
 - I went to the zoo I saw an elephant.
19. Which sentence is grammatically correct?
- One of my friends are going on vacation with me.
 - One of my friends is going on vacation with me.
 - They is going to have a great time!
 - There going to have a great time!
20. Did you _____ to the pharmacy to pick up your father's medicine?
- went
 - going
 - go
 - will go
21. They can't speak with you because they _____ lunch right now.
- were eating
 - are eating
 - was eating
 - is eating

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22. Look at those clouds. It _____ to rain.
- going
 - has gone
 - went
 - is going
23. _____ took my pencil because I don't have it.
- Anyone
 - No one
 - Someone
 - Somewhere
24. Diego is very independent. He wants to complete the task _____.
- herself
 - himself
 - themselves
 - itself
25. The guitar is _____ to learn than the piano.
- easy
 - easiest
 - easier
 - hard
26. Of all the pizza slices I ate, the one with anchovies was the _____.
- baddest
 - worse
 - worst
 - badder
27. Which of the following sentences would be a better *written* response to the following question (and also grammatically correct)?
- Why are you late?
- Because I missed the bus.
 - I'm late because I missed the bus.

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28. Read the following passage and answer the question that follows.

It is easy to make a delicious-looking hamburger at home. But would this hamburger still look delicious after it sat on your kitchen table under very bright lights for six or seven hours? If someone took a picture or made a video of this hamburger after the seventh hour, would anyone want to eat it? More importantly, do you think you could get millions of people to pay money for this hamburger?

These are the questions that fast food companies worry about when they produce commercials or print ads for their products. Video and photo shoots often last many hours. The lights that the photographers use can be extremely hot. These conditions can cause the food to look quite unappealing to potential consumers. Because of this, the menu items that you see in fast food commercials are probably not actually edible.

Let's use the hamburger as an example. The first step towards building the perfect commercial hamburger is the bun. The food stylist—a person employed by the company to make sure the products look perfect—sorts through hundreds of buns until he or she finds one with no wrinkles.

Next, the stylist carefully rearranges the sesame seeds on the bun using glue and tweezers for maximum visual appeal. The bun is then sprayed with a waterproofing solution so that it will not get soggy from contact with other ingredients, the lights, or the humidity in the room. Next, the food stylist shapes a meat patty into a perfect circle. Only the outside of the meat gets cooked—the inside is left raw so that the meat remains moist. The food stylist then paints the outside of the meat patty with a mixture of oil, molasses, and brown food coloring. Grill marks are either painted on or seared into the meat using hot metal skewers.

Finally, the food stylist searches through dozens of tomatoes and heads of lettuce to find the best-looking produce. One leaf of the crispest lettuce and one center slice of the reddest tomato are selected and then sprayed with glycerin to keep them looking fresh.

So the next time you see a delectable hamburger in a fast food commercial, remember: you're actually looking at glue, paint, raw meat, and glycerin! Are you still hungry?

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The author's primary purpose is to

- a. convince readers not to eat at fast food restaurants
- b. explain how fast food companies make their food look delicious in commercials
- c. teach readers how to make delicious-looking food at home
- d. criticize fast food companies for lying about their products in commercials

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As used in paragraph 2, something is edible if it

- a. can safely be eaten
- b. looks very delicious
- c. seems much smaller in real life
- d. tastes good

30. Read the following paragraph and answer the question that follows:

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As used in the final paragraph, which is the best synonym for delectable?

- a. disgusting
- b. familiar
- c. fake
- d. delicious