

Part One

Read the text carefully and choose the correct answer:

The others liked croquet, but Bunny and I didn't – (1)_____ of us ever (2)_____ got the hang of it, and we always sliced at the ball as if we (3)_____ golf. Every now and then, we (4)_____ early enough to go on a picnic. We were always too ambitious – the menu elaborate, the chosen spot distant – and they inevitably ended with all of us reluctant (5)_____ the long walk home. Every time, we (6)_____ around on the grass all afternoon, drinking juice from thermos bottles, until they ran out and we had to (7)_____ towards our private dormitory. No wonder people hate (8)_____ rich.

It was always a memorable occasion if Julian, (9)_____ was our renowned professor, agreed to dine with us. Bunny (10)_____ order all kinds of food from the grocery store and read (11)_____ the cookbooks; flowers came from (12)_____ florist we now regularly hired. I always wondered why (13)_____ such a production of it, always insisting (14)_____ pure perfection. Usually, by the time Julian arrived, we (15)_____ most of our energy. While we (16)_____ to put on our sweetest smiles, the entire event was often a source of stress. At this point, I am unsure (17)_____ anyone remembers (18)_____ a good time during these get-togethers. I suppose there will be (19)_____ people attending them now. If (20)_____ better at the time, the dinners would have been a sweeter memory.

(Adapted from: "The Secret History" by Donna Tartt)

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| 1. A either
B no one
<input checked="" type="radio"/> C neither
D none | 6. A lie
B lied
<input checked="" type="radio"/> C lay
D laid |
| 2. A quit
B quaint
C quiet
<input checked="" type="radio"/> D quite | 7. <input checked="" type="radio"/> A set off
B set aside
C set up
D set by |
| 3. A will play
<input checked="" type="radio"/> B were playing
C have been playing
D should play | 8. A -
B a
C an
<input checked="" type="radio"/> D the |
| 4. A raised
B risen
<input checked="" type="radio"/> C rose
D rising | 9. A which
B whose
<input checked="" type="radio"/> C who
D that |
| 5. <input checked="" type="radio"/> A to start
B starting
C to have started
D to be started | 10. A should
<input checked="" type="radio"/> B would
C must have
D might have |



11. A on
B up
 C through
D into
12. A the
B -
C ours
D a
13. A had we made
B did we make
C we are made
 D we made
14. A to
 B on
C with
D -
15. A were already spending
B have already spent
C were already spent
 D had already spent
16. A was attempting
B attempt
 C did attempt
D have been attempting
17. A weather
B wetter
 C whether
D whichever
18. A to have
 B having
C to have had
D to be having
19. A none
B less
C much
 D fewer
20. A did we know
B had we known
 C we had known
D we knew

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Part TwoChoose the correct answer:

21. He said he _____ the project by last Monday. He still hasn't finished.
A will complete
 B would complete
C is going to complete
D completed
22. I'm looking forward _____ your thoughts. I can't wait _____ to you!
A to hear / talking
B to hearing / talking
 C to hearing / to talk
D to hear / to talk
23. I won't eat the salad unless it _____ fresh ingredients.
A had had
B doesn't have
 C has
D is having
24. He likes to go for a run _____ the morning and attend yoga classes _____ Fridays.
A on / in
B on / at
C at / on
 D in / on
25. His contract was soon _____, so he had to find another job.
A determined
 B terminated
C termed
D deterred
26. A pharmacist's is a shop _____ sells medicaments, vitamins and similar products.
A where
B who
 C that
D whose
27. I've never been to _____ Lake Como, but I have seen _____ Atlantic Ocean.
A - / -
 B - / the
C the / -
D the / the
28. The King will soon be succeeded _____ his eldest daughter.
A with
B -
 C by
D at
29. _____ lovely yard you've got there!
A What
B How
 C What a
D How a
30. This time next year we will _____ each other for 20 years.
 A have known
B be known
C had known
D have been known
31. I will enjoy _____ in this swimming competition.
 A taking part
B taking place
C to take place
D in taking part
32. They _____ their tents when they _____ a strange noise coming from the forest.
A are setting up / heard
C were setting up / had heard
B had set up / had heard
 D were setting up / heard



33. ____ the end, the postman found my house ____ the end of the street.
A At/ in
 B In/ at
C At/ at
D In / in
34. If she knew about the affair, they would _____ up immediately!
 A break
B have broken
C brake
D have braked
35. I'm always ____ the look-out ____ interesting recipes.
A in / for
B for / to
 C on / for
D to / in
36. Mom, could you ____ me your car this weekend? I'd like to visit my aunt.
A borrow
B let
C hire
 D lend
37. You _____ have seen Taylor at the city centre. She doesn't live here anymore.
A mustn't
 B couldn't
C shouldn't
D needn't
38. No sooner _____ the signal _____ they ran for the door.
A they had seen / then
B had they seen / then
C did they see / than
 D had they seen / than
39. There you are! I _____ for 45 minutes in the rain!
A will have waited
B had been waiting
C am waiting
 D have been waiting
40. They kindly suggested _____ my engine light again.
A me to check.
 B that I should check
C me to have checked
D me that I check

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