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1. Jane ... *D* Spanish for five years now.
A) teaches B) is teaching
C) taught D) has been teaching
2. "Did you speak to John?" "Yes, he
his homework when I phoned him."
A) did B) has done
C) was doing D) does
3. "Are you coming out with us?" "I can't, I
..... late tonight."
A) will work B) am working
C) have worked D) had worked
4. She is the smartest model the world.
A) in B) of
C) than D) from
5. I ought her this morning – now
it's too late.
A) to have phoned B) phone
C) phoning D) to be phoning
6. Would you mind the TV down?
A) to turn B) turn
C) have turned D) turning
7. "Did you grow up in the city?" "No. When we were
children we in the country."
A) would live B) have lived
C) had lived D) used to live
8. I think that Dave a new car this year.
A) had bought B) will buy
C) buys D) have bought
9. She's looking everywhere – she seems
something.
A) to have lost B) to lose
C) to be losing D) to have been lost
10. She said that she the actor several times
before.
A) met B) was meeting
C) meets D) had met
11. My boss dislikes people late.
A) be B) to have been
C) being D) having been
12. After we, we can go to the cinema.
A) eat B) will eat
C) ate D) had eaten
13. He'll have sent in his application
the end of May.
A) by B) when
C) until D) yet
14. This is the village I was born.
A) that B) which
C) where D) who
15. This room really ought soon.
A) to paint B) be painted
C) to be painted D) to have been painted
16. If only I them my secret!
A) wouldn't tell B) shouldn't tell
C) don't tell D) hadn't told
17. Despite a lot of money, she's always broke.
A) she earns B) of earning
C) earn D) earning
18. That boy, father is a violinist, is very musical.
A) who B) whose
C) which D) who's
19. "What did you think of her new novel?" "I think it is
the book she's ever written."
A) most interested B) most interesting
C) more interesting D) interested
20. The money not enough to pay the bill.
A) are B) were
C) has D) was
21. That is the incredible news I've ever heard.
A) most B) more
C) very D) far
22. He works than anyone else in the company.
A) slower B) slowest
C) slowly D) more slow
23. "Can I help you?" "I'd like a of milk, please."
A) box B) carton
C) pot D) rasher
24. Paul asked Sally when go out with him.
A) would she B) will she
C) she would D) she will
25. David to be the best player on the team.
A) says B) is said
C) said D) is saying