

12. The stories of Dr. Seuss have been enjoyed \_\_\_\_\_ by millions of childrens.  
 (A) \_\_\_\_\_ (B) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (C) \_\_\_\_\_ (D) \_\_\_\_\_
13. Collections of the simple and functional Shaker furniture can be seen in museum \_\_\_\_\_ throughout the United States.  
 (A) \_\_\_\_\_ (B) \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_ (D) \_\_\_\_\_
14. The decathlon is a two-day \_\_\_\_\_ athletic competition which consists of \_\_\_\_\_ ten types track and field events.  
 (A) \_\_\_\_\_ (B) \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_ (D) \_\_\_\_\_
15. \_\_\_\_\_ designs on a wall, also called graffiti, has become associated with gang activity in many neighborhoods.  
 (A) Spraying of  
 (B) The spraying of  
 (C) Spray the  
 (D) Sprays
16. \_\_\_\_\_ by the author John Grisham are frequently on the best seller list.  
 (A) The novel  
 (B) Novels  
 (C) A novel  
 (D) Some novel
17. \_\_\_\_\_ have made communication faster and easier through the use of e-mail and the Internet is widely recognized.  
 (A) It is that computers  
 (B) That it is computers  
 (C) Computers that  
 (D) That computers
18. Provide pensions for retired persons is \_\_\_\_\_ the primary function of the social security system.  
 (A) \_\_\_\_\_ (B) \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_ (D) \_\_\_\_\_
19. New equipments for medical diagnosis have made many formerly unpleasant \_\_\_\_\_ procedures quite painless.  
 (A) \_\_\_\_\_ (B) \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_ (D) \_\_\_\_\_
20. Termites can do \_\_\_\_\_ to the wood in homes before they are detected.  
 (A) an extensive damage  
 (B) extensive damages  
 (C) the extensive damage  
 (D) extensive damage

### EXERCISE 44: Sentences—Pronouns

In some sentences in the Structure Section on the Paper-Based TOEFL, you will be asked to identify the correct pronoun. A pronoun is a word that can be used instead of a noun, usually to avoid repeating the noun. A pronoun may be singular or plural; masculine, feminine, or neuter; and first, second, or third person to agree with the noun to which it refers. A pronoun may be used as the subject of a sentence or a clause or as the object of a sentence, a clause, or a preposition. In English, pronouns are also used to express possessives and reflexives. Choose the correct answer in the incomplete sentences. Choose the incorrect word or phrase in the underlined choices.

1. The crime rate has begun to decline in New York City due to efforts on the part of both government and private citizens to curb \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (A) them  
 (B) him  
 (C) its  
 (D) it
2. Sloths spend most of its time hanging upside down from trees and feeding on leaves and fruit.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)
3. When the European settlers came in the seventeenth century, the newcomers began a systematic effort to push the Native Americans into the wilderness and to take their land from their.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)
4. Seals can \_\_\_\_\_ because they have a thick layer of blubber under their fur.  
 (A) keep them warm  
 (B) keep themselves warm  
 (C) they keep warm  
 (D) keep their warm
5. After Dr. Werner Arber discovered restriction enzymes, Drs. Daniel Nathan, Hamilton Smith, and him were awarded the Nobel Prize for their research in that field.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)
6. There are not many people which adapt to a new culture without feeling some disorientation at first.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)
7. In order for people who speak different languages to engage in trade \_\_\_\_\_, they often develop a simplified language called *pidgin*.  
 (A) with each the other  
 (B) with each to the other  
 (C) with each another  
 (D) with each other
8. Those of us who have a family history of heart disease should make yearly appointments with their doctors.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)
9. Domestic cats often show loyalty to their owners by leaving freshly killed prey such as birds for \_\_\_\_\_ to find.  
 (A) they  
 (B) he  
 (C) them  
 (D) their
10. The United States and Canada have many trade agreements that benefit \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (A) one the other  
 (B) other  
 (C) other one  
 (D) each other

11. George Herman Ruth, which was better known as Babe Ruth, began his baseball career in 1914 with the Baltimore Orioles.  
 (A) (B)  
 (C) (D)
12. The constellation Orion is easily recognized by three vertical stars.  
 (A) your  
 (B) its  
 (C) their  
 (D) her
13. The first full-length animated movie, *Snow White*, was produced by Walt Disney whom creative genius also inspired such animated classics as *Bambi* and *Cinderella*.  
 (A) (B)  
 (C) (D)
14. Wolves, which are known to travel in packs, both provide for and defend through group cooperation.  
 (A) himself  
 (B) themselves  
 (C) itself  
 (D) theirselves
15. Although orchids give the appearance of being very fragile, they are actually very hardy plants indoors during the winter months.  
 (A) which may be grown  
 (B) what may grow  
 (C) who may be grow  
 (D) where may be growing
16. Hyperactivity in children may result from some food additives.  
 (A) their eating  
 (B) they eat  
 (C) to eat  
 (D) them eating
17. In advanced stages of anorexia, the patient is unable to feed themselves.  
 (A) (B)  
 (C) (D)
18. It is documented that Custer led his troops into a ravine near the Little Big Horn, where a huge army of Sioux Indians was waiting for they.  
 (A) (B)  
 (C) (D)
19. The sea horse is unique among fish because the female deposits their eggs in a pouch that the male carries until the small sea horses are hatched.  
 (A) (B)  
 (C) (D)
20. Hawkeye was a character James Fenimore Cooper created for *The Last of the Mohicans*.  
 (A) who  
 (B) whom  
 (C) which  
 (D) whose



## EXERCISE 45: Sentences—Modifiers

In some sentences in the Structure Section on the Paper-Based TOEFL, you will be asked to identify the correct modifier. A modifier can be an adjective or an adjectival phrase that describes a noun or an *-ing* form. A modifier can also be an adverb or an adverbial phrase that adds information about the verb, adjective, or another verb. Adjectives do not change form to agree with the nouns or *-ing* forms that they describe, but some adjectives are used only with count nouns and others are used only with noncount nouns. Choose the correct answer in the incomplete sentences. Choose the incorrect word or phrase in the underlined choices.

1. The data on the winter migration patterns of the monarch butterfly is very \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (A) interested  
 (B) interest  
 (C) interesting  
 (D) of interest
2. There are more potatoes cultivated than any the other vegetable crop worldwide.  
 (A) (B)  
 (C) (D)
3. Marian Anderson, recognized both in the U.S. and in Europe as a real great vocalist, was the first black singer to appear with the Metropolitan Opera Company.  
 (A) (B)  
 (C) (D)
4. The New England states have had \_\_\_\_\_ serious earthquakes since the Ice Age.  
 (A) none  
 (B) not any  
 (C) not  
 (D) no
5. \_\_\_\_\_ orangutans live alone.  
 (A) Near all  
 (B) Almost all  
 (C) The all  
 (D) The most all
6. Some hybrid flowers retain the fragrant scent of the nonhybrid, and \_\_\_\_\_ are bred without fragrance.  
 (A) anothers  
 (B) the other  
 (C) some other  
 (D) others
7. At the core of a star, temperatures and pressures are so great as particles collide and connect in a process called fusion.  
 (A) (B)  
 (C) (D)
8. The Cartwheel Galaxy is 500 million light year away from Earth.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)
9. According to a recent survey, \_\_\_\_\_ doctors do not have a personal physician.  
 (A) a large amount of  
 (B) large amount of  
 (C) a large number of  
 (D) large number of
10. Because none of food is as nutritious for a baby as its mother's milk, many women are returning to the practice of breast feeding.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)
11. John F. Kennedy was the youngest president of the United States, and \_\_\_\_\_ to be assassinated.  
 (A) the fourth  
 (B) fourth  
 (C) four  
 (D) the four
12. Euthanasia, the practice of assisting the death of a person suffering from an incurable disease, is such a controversial issue as it is illegal in most countries.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)

13. \_\_\_\_\_ in the world export diamonds.  
 (A) Only little nations  
 (B) Only few nations  
 (C) Only a little nations  
 (D) Only a few nations
14. Uranus is just \_\_\_\_\_ to be seen on a clear night with the naked eye.  
 (A) bright enough  
 (B) enough brightly  
 (C) as enough bright  
 (D) bright as enough
15. The conversations on the TOEFL \_\_\_\_\_ will be spoken just one time; therefore, you must listen \_\_\_\_\_ very careful in order to understand \_\_\_\_\_ what the speakers have said.  
 (A) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (B) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (C) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (D) \_\_\_\_\_
16. Gold, silver, and copper coins are often alloyed with \_\_\_\_\_ harder metals to \_\_\_\_\_ make \_\_\_\_\_ them \_\_\_\_\_ hard as enough to withstand wear.  
 (A) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (B) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (C) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (D) \_\_\_\_\_
17. \_\_\_\_\_ like McDonald's and Kentucky Fried Chicken have used franchising to extend their sales internationally.  
 (A) Chain's restaurants  
 (B) Chains restaurants  
 (C) Chain restaurant  
 (D) Chain restaurants
18. Thirty-six years after his first flight, at the age of 77, John Glenn proved that he was not \_\_\_\_\_ to return to his role as an astronaut.  
 (A) so old  
 (B) too old  
 (C) oldest  
 (D) very older
19. \_\_\_\_\_ that is known as Art Deco culminated in the exhibits and expositions at the World's Fair in 1939.  
 (A) The art  
 (B) Arts  
 (C) An art  
 (D) Artist
20. The brightest body in the constellation Hydra, Alphard is only \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (A) a second-magnitude star  
 (B) a magnitude second star  
 (C) a star of the magnitude second  
 (D) a second magnitudes star