

1. People were amazed that the burglary took place in _____ daylight.
A) wide
B) broad
C) large
D) open
2. She invested a lot of time _____ researching the most appropriate university course.
A) to
B) for
C) with
D) in
3. The police claimed that they acted in self _____.
A) interest
B) confidence
C) defence
D) discipline
4. I _____ remember putting my briefcase down on that shelf.
A) deeply
B) entirely
C) clearly
D) strongly
5. He turned _____ to be considerably older than I had imagined.
A) over
B) up
C) out
D) round
6. The windows in this house are in urgent _____ of replacement.
A) need
B) help
C) want
D) demand
7. Speed cameras _____ shown to reduce accidents.
A) have
B) were being
C) have been
D) are being
8. Life is a _____ deal easier for immigrants who can speak the local language.
A) far
B) huge
C) big
D) great
9. The experiment _____ testing people's responses before and after drinking coffee.
A) contained
B) incorporated
C) involved
D) consisted
10. We may be a bit late. We're _____ in a traffic jam.
A) buried
B) stuck
C) blocked
D) surrounded

11. Having _____ his driving test several times, Paul finally passed at the fourth attempt.
- A)** taken
 - B)** made
 - C)** had
 - D)** attended
12. Gospel music has been a major influence _____ other musical styles, especially soul.
- A)** with
 - B)** to
 - C)** about
 - D)** on
13. Maintaining an accurate balance sheet is essential. _____ business you're in.
- A)** however
 - B)** wherever
 - C)** whatever
 - D)** whenever
14. It's _____ likely that this novel will win a literary prize.
- A)** totally
 - B)** deeply
 - C)** strongly
 - D)** highly
15. It's no _____ for me to get Brad's phone number - I'll be seeing him tonight.
- A)** point
 - B)** wonder
 - C)** secret
 - D)** problem
16. I'd lived in Australia, so I was used to _____ on the left side of the road.
- A)** driving
 - B)** drive
 - C)** having driven
 - D)** drove
17. I don't think the colours in Julia's outfit _____ together.
- A)** fit
 - B)** suit
 - C)** match
 - D)** go
18. Very rarely _____ here in July.
- A)** it rains
 - B)** does it rain
 - C)** is it raining
 - D)** it is raining

19. I prefer to buy CDs _____ download music from my computer.

- A)** in contrast to
- B)** as opposed to
- C)** rather than
- D)** in comparison to

20. The number of turtles on the island _____ by 70% over the last decade.

- A)** has declined
- B)** has been declining
- C)** has been declined
- D)** is declining

Answer Key:

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| 1: B | 11: A |
| 2: D | 12: D |
| 3: C | 13: C |
| 4: C | 14: D |
| 5: C | 15: D |
| 6: A | 16: A |
| 7: C | 17: D |
| 8: D | 18: B |
| 9: C | 19: C |
| 10: B | 20: A |