

TOEIC3-5 Incomplete Sentence

HOMEWORK: 3-4

Kindly give the definition of the following words and make the sentence.

1. resilient - recovering readily from illness, depression, adversity, or the like; buoyant

Sample Sentence: A child who thinks he is good at something even if he is not—soccer, math, violin—is likely to be more resilient than a child who is never satisfied with his efforts.

2. vanity - excessive pride in one's appearance, qualities, abilities, achievements, etc.; character or quality of being vain; conceit

Sample Sentence: Failure to be elected was a great blow to his vanity.

3. articulate - to pronounce clearly each of a succession of speech sounds, syllables, or words; enunciate

Sample Sentence: To articulate with excessive precision is his cup of tea.

Part V marks the beginning of the reading skills section. In this section you will read a sentence that has one blank spot. There will be four choices of words or phrases to choose from. You will have to choose the one that you think completes the sentence. When the sentence is complete it must be grammatically correct.

1. Because of his high blood pressure, his doctor advised him to use salt _____.
 - a. spare
 - b. sparingly**
 - c. spares
 - d. sparing
2. She has been the president of _____ company for seven years.
 - a. her self
 - b. herself
 - c. she owns
 - d. her own**
3. The turn _____ at the company picnic was greater than expected.
 - a. up
 - b. out**
 - c. in

- d. off
4. During the ____ years of the millennium, social unrest increased dramatically.
- a. close
 - b. closed
 - c. closing**
 - d. closes
5. This new hearing aid is ____ that it is almost invisible when placed in the ear.
- a. smallest
 - b. so small**
 - c. even small
 - d. very small
6. In some parts of the world, the leaves on deciduous trees ____ in the autumn.
- a. turned colored
 - b. turning colored
 - c. turn colored
 - d. turn colors**
7. With the successful launch of the new satellite, the company can offer space-based ground imaging with one meter ____.
- a. resolving
 - b. resolute
 - c. revolution
 - d. resolution**
8. Since many of the managers were ____, and the chairman had a headache, the meeting was cancelled.
- a. absenting
 - b. in absence
 - c. absent**
 - d. absence
9. The teleconference ____ for 3:00 PM, but was delayed due to telephone problems.
- a. schedule
 - b. is scheduling

c. was scheduled

d. schedules

10. All the students' _____ awaited the results of their last test.

a. anxiety

b. angst

c. anxiously

d. anxious

11. Looking at the problems in schools around the world, from Colorado to Germany, from Japan to Pennsylvania, it seems many have forgotten the old adage, 'Spare the rod and _____ the child', to their misfortune.

a. spoils

b. spoil

c. spoiled

d. spoiling

12. The computer department decided to _____ the Y2K crisis by purchasing Macintosh computers before the end of the year.

a. head in

b. head off

c. head up

d. head out

13. With the current increases in _____ in US schools, the level of police security will also increase, perhaps causing an escalating situation.

a. agitated

b. violence

c. violent

d. agitating

14. The camera is _____ quite expensive, carrying a price tag of over Y6, 000.

a. reported

b. cost

c. reportedly

d. reporting

15. The president signed just eight of the ____ spending bills that were supposed to be passed by Oct. 1.
- a. annuity
 - b. annual**
 - c. anniversary
 - d. annually
16. The price of space tourism should come down ____ as more companies get into the business.
- a. complicate
 - b. complicating
 - c. complication
 - d. complications**
17. The Pokémon ____ in the US has caused a run on anything Pokémon related.
- a. dramatic
 - b. dramatically**
 - c. drastically
 - d. drastic
18. There are many stories of inventors or writers who can not ____ a manufacturer or publisher, yet eventually make it big.
- a. notice
 - b. found
 - c. find**
 - d. notify
19. The man was given a ticket for _____.
- a. litter
 - b. littering**
 - c. loiter
 - d. loiters

HOMEWORK:

Kindly give the definition of the following words and make the sentence.

- 1. jeopardize**
- 2. obstinate**
- 3. peropdical**