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# English High Flier

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Czas pracy: 45 minut

WPISZ KOD SZKOŁY

Na starcie otrzymujesz od nas pulę 112 punktów – tyle ile masz decyzji do podjęcia. Za każdą poprawną odpowiedź otrzymasz dodatkowy 1 punkt, za błędną zabieramy 1 punkt. Gdy nie odpowiadasz, zachowujesz podarowany punkt. Pamiętaj, że każda z odpowiedzi A, B, C, D może być fałszywa lub prawdziwa. W czasie konkursu nie wolno wykorzystywać słowników, notatek, podręczników i innych pomocy naukowych. Sprawdź czy test jest obustronnie zadrukowany. Zgłaszaj wszelkie nieprawidłowości. Spróbuj swoich sił również w konkursie English Ace 2024.

Życzymy sukcesów i zapraszamy do testu konkursowego English High Flier!

1. Match the collocations.

1. carry out	a. a solution
2. give up	b. hope
3. play truant	c. from school
4. come up with	d. research

A) 1a, 2d, 3b, 4c

B) 1d, 2a, 3c, 4b

C) 1c, 2b, 3d, 4a

D) 1d, 2b, 3c, 4a

2. Joshua got the job even though he didn't have much experience in journalism. = ...

- A) Joshua got the job in spite of his experience in journalism.
- B) Joshua got the job despite he didn't have much experience in journalism.
- C) Joshua wouldn't have got the job had it not been for his experience in journalism.
- D) Joshua got the job. He didn't have much experience in journalism, though.

3. After years studying black bears in the ... way, the biologist Martin Hanson felt no better about understanding the animals.

A) common

B) straight

C) conventional

D) hopeful

4. Which conditional sentence is appropriate to talk about a job you didn't get in the past because you didn't have programming skills then?

A) If I had known programming, I would have the job now.

B) If I knew programming, I would get the job.

C) I could have got the job if I knew programming back then.

D) I would have got the job if I had known programming.

5. Unless she says sorry, I ... . She was so disrespectful!

A) won't talk to her.

B) will contact her parents.

C) had not visited her.

D) wouldn't know what to do.

6. You'd ... learn to pay the bills by yourself.

A) like

B) better

C) rather

D) wish

7. Barbara would only speak to the headmaster alone. = ...

A) Barbara insisted on speaking to the headmaster alone.

B) Barbara suggested speaking to the headmaster alone.

C) Barbara was criticized for speaking to the headmaster alone.

D) Barbara denied speaking to the headmaster alone.

8. Match.

1. splish-splash	a. sound of a person talking
2. chatter	b. sound connected to water
3. swoosh	c. sound of air movement
4. howl	d. animal sound

A) 1a, 2c, 3b, 4d

B) 1b, 2a, 3c, 4d

C) 1c, 2b, 3d, 4a

D) 1d, 2a, 3c, 4b

9. Which sentence is grammatically correct?

A) Colour is first and foremost a social phenomenon.

B) I have reflected on such issues at greater length in my previous work.

C) The future is by no means secure, though, and recent evidence suggests that the wildcat is particularly vulnerable to local eradication.

D) A prospective employer does not want to see that you had changed jobs every six months with no thread running between them.

10. Yet architects do not normally talk nowadays very much about ... emotion and ... beauty. They talk about design and ... function

A) --- / a / a

B) an / the / ---

C) an / --- / a

D) the / --- / the

11. Is everything OK, Ronnie? You look ... anaemic.

A) a tad

B) slightly

C) just a little

D) a touch

12. Are you coming to my party? - ...

- A) Hundo!      B) Sorry, too many people – that freaks me out. C) It's definitely a match!      D) Sure, let's roll!

13. Do we want our buildings ... to shelter us, or do we also want them to speak to us?

- A) only      B) purely      C) enough      D) merely

14. ... he is a rigorous thinker, most of de Botton's revelations, such as the contradictions in Le Corbusier's theory and practice, are not particularly new. However, this is an engaging and intelligent book on architecture and something everyone should read.

- A) Nevermore      B) Nevertheless      C) No longer      D) Undeniably

15. Match the phrasal verbs to their definitions.

1. look into	a. visit a place
2. look down on	b. think that you are better than someone
3. look up	c. investigate
4. look around	d. become better

A) 1a, 2c, 3b, 4d

B) 1b, 2a, 3c, 4d

C) 1c, 2b, 3d, 4a

D) 1d, 2a, 3c, 4b

16. Which vowel sound is the same as the underlined sound in the word mat?

- A) look      B) card      C) lord      D) heart

17. Which word is connected to music?

- A) timbre      B) chord      C) pitch      D) treble clef

18. Which two expressions are missing in the fragment below?

*It's not 1993 anymore, and listening to music ..... means inviting your friends over to listen to the new Nirvana CD. ...., it often means a teen who has shut himself in his room and isolated from any social interaction.*

- A) doesn't / However      B) no longer / Instead      C) never / Although      D) whereas / Possibly

19. Which word fits well in all the three sentences?

- A two dimensional cake is observable: you can ... the top layer and you can deconstruct this top layer into components.
- We produce graduates who can take a critical ... of the law, its strengths and weaknesses, and its potential for improving society.
- I think the first ... is more academic.

- A) lookout      B) see      C) visualize      D) analyze

20. Damien Hirst's practice ... installations, sculptures, painting, and sketching.

- A) establishes      B) enlists      C) includes      D) encompasses

21. How many of these idioms are related to feeling happy?

like a dog with two tails, on cloud nine, over the moon, under the weather, have a whale of a time

- A) 2      B) 3      C) 4      D) 5

22. If you ace your English test, you'll go to the party. The underlined word means:

- A) pass a test with flying colours      B) fail a test  
C) obtain a high score in a test      D) have butterflies in your stomach during a test

23. How many of the phrasal verbs in the box are connected to environmental issues?

heat up, die out, run out, throw away, cut down, wipe out

- A) none of them      B) some of them      C) half of them      D) all of them

24. Which word fits well in all the three sentences?

- His hands are ..... because of hard work.
- Oh, she has ..... edges, I admit this, but she is young, you see.
- The first ..... draft of the screen play took about 5 months.

- A) rough      B) hard      C) sharp      D) raw

25. For this purpose, the scenes are not ... shown in the order in which they appear in the film.

- A) necessary      B) unnecessary      C) necessity      D) necessarily

26. Which word is missing in the sentence below?

*If you're not very young, you might still think of "listening to music" as playing the radio in the car, listening to CDs with friends, or ..... your stereo to your girlfriend.*

- A) showing off      B) showing      C) making up for      D) looking up to

27. Which word isn't similar to "opaque" ?

- A) misty      B) transparent      C) dense      D) translucent

28. What are the steps of the legislative procedure ?

- A) to sign a bill      B) to consider a bill      C) to promulgate a bill      D) to adopt a bill