

### Listen to the text and answer the questions

1. How long will it take the group to get to the factory?

- A) An hour or so    B) An hour and a half  
C) Half an hour    D) 2 hours

2. What can you see in the mountains?

- A) Lakes    B) Caverns    C) Waterfalls    D) Valleys

3. What do they produce at the factory?

- A) Cars    B) Puppets    C) Carpets    D) Trumpets

4. Which is the maximum height of the mountains in the region?

- A) 200 metres    B) 300 metres  
C) 3000 metres    D) More than 3000 metres

5. Which fruit do they not grow in the region?

- A) Lemons    B) Plums    C) Oranges    D) Grapefruit

6. What proves that the region is attractive for tourists?

- A) Agriculture    B) Traffic jams  
C) Many hotels    D) Carpet factory

7. When does it not usually rain?

- A) In December    B) In January  
C) In February    D) In autumn

8. How many days a year are usually rainy and cloudy?

- A) Nine months    B) 50 days  
C) Nobody knows    D) 40 days

9. What can tourists enjoy doing in the region most of the year?

- A) Growing fruits    B) Skiing in the mountains  
C) Walking in the rain    D) Swimming in the sea

10. Where do the tourists go alpine skiing in the winter?

- A) In the city centre    B) Far from the city centre  
C) Along the beach    D) On the coast of the sea

### Read the text and choose the correct answer

A safe and comfortable working environment will boost your energy and help you to avoid fatigue. If your working area is well designed, you'll be able to work comfortably and efficiently in one position with no adverse effects on your health. A well-designed chair will help you to avoid back aches and tiredness. A good quality monitor will reduce eye strain and help you to avoid headaches. There are many other factors that affect the impact a monitor can have on your health and well-being. These include your monitor's refresh rate, glare from the screen's surface, reflectiveness, and dot pitch. The lower the dot pitch, the clearer the image. Give yourself a break from your computer every twenty minutes or so. This reduces wear and tear on both body and mind. Keep yourself fresh by stretching, walking around, and drinking water. Sit up straight with your feet flat on the floor slightly in front of your knees. Your wrists and hands should be in a straight line with your arms. Make sure that you don't twist your wrists at awkward angles.

11. Why is comfortable working environment so important? It can ...

- A) ruin your health    B) increase your efficiency  
C) make you laugh    D) make you feel tired

12. Which is not a synonym for the word "fatigue"?

- A) tiredness    B) exhaustion  
C) nausea    D) weariness

13. What effect may a poor working environment have on your health?

- A) Unfavourable    B) Positive  
C) Unforgettable    D) Desired

14. Why does the article recommend well-designed chairs? They ...

- A) prevent pain    B) are executive chairs  
C) are hard    D) are made of leather

15. What can poor quality monitors cause?

- A) Eye fatigue    B) Backache  
C) Toothache    D) Bad mood

16. Which negative effects, that are not mentioned in the text, do computers have on people's health?

- A) Vision problems    B) Working without breaks  
C) Muscle pain    D) Bright light from the screen

17. How often should you have a break according to the article?

- A) Three times an hour    B) Two times a day  
C) Whenever you want    D) After dinner

18. What is advised to do during the breaks? To ...

- A) drink coffee or tea    B) have a bite or a fruit  
C) walk and exercise    D) sing the songs

19. While working on the computer, your feet should be ...

- A) stretched    B) crossed  
C) on the floor    D) on the stool

20. What does "awkward" mean in the text?

- A) modest    B) timid  
C) not comfortable    D) graceful

### Select the correct words from the choices

21. Nobody likes to be taken ... , even by good friends.

- A) for granted    B) of understood  
C) for discounted    D) of guaranteed

22. There were ... people interested in the trip that they decided to cancel it.

- A) so little    B) such a few  
C) so few    D) no many

23. You can't go to the interview like that! Your suit needs ... for a start!

- A) for to be pressed    B) to press  
C) to be pressing    D) pressing

24. It wasn't very polite ... her.

- A) he ignored      B) of him ignoring  
C) of him to ignore      D) that he has ignored

25. His mother sometimes lets ... her car.

- A) him borrowing      B) that he borrows  
C) him borrow      D) him to borrow

26. She wishes she ... more fashionable clothes, but she can't afford them.

- A) has had      B) has  
C) had had      D) had

27. Ugh! Smell this milk. I think it's ....

- A) gone off      B) put out  
C) taken bad      D) got off

28. We can't use the computer lab today.

- A) It is redecorating  
B) It was been redecorated  
C) It has redecorated  
D) It is being redecorated

29. I don't know why she isn't here. She ... the train.

- A) may miss      B) should have missed  
C) must miss      D) might have missed

30. The more she practices, ....

- A) the best she gets  
B) the better she gets  
C) she is getting better  
D) she gets better

**Choose the necessary negative prefix**

31. responsible

- A) il-      B) in-      C) im-      D) ir-

32. respectful

- A) il-      B) ab-      C) mis-      D) dis-

33. legible

- A) il-      B) in-      C) im-      D) ir-

34. leading

- A) in-      B) ir-      C) dis-      D) mis-

35. acceptable

- A) un-      B) im-      C) mis-      D) anti-

36. practical

- A) im-      B) in-      C) dis-      D) mis-

37. capable

- A) in-      B) mis-      C) il-      D) non-

38. metallic

- A) in-      B) im-      C) il-      D) non-

39. imaginable

- A) il-      B) un-      C) mis-      D) non-

40. balanced

- A) im-      B) an-      C) ir-      D) anti-

**Do you know history?**

41. In 1066, Britain was conquered by ....

- A) the Normans      B) the Romans  
C) the Vikings      D) the Celts

42. Between 1455-1485 there was the ....

- A) War with France  
B) War with Spain  
C) War of the Roses  
D) Glorious Revolution

43. In 1707, the Act of Union between ... was adopted.

- A) Scotland and England  
B) England and Ireland  
C) Northern Ireland and England  
D) England and Wales

44. In 1805, there was the Battle of ....

- A) Waterloo      B) Flodden  
C) Trafalgar      D) Hastings

45. The ... was opened in 1863.

- A) Channel Tunnel  
B) London underground  
C) World's first railway  
D) Albert Hall



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