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Choose the correct answer:

- At first meetings the two persons introduced usually say .....  
a. How do you do?      b. How are you?      c. good to see you again.
- At first meetings speakers usually use .....  
a. last names.      b. titles followed by last names.      c. nick names.
- "How are you?" is an expression used to greet someone .....  
a. you know.      b. you don't know.      c. you've just met.
- "How do you do?" is ..... used after introductions,  
a. not      b. only      c. sometimes
- If there is no third person to introduce you to a new friend, you may say .....  
a. May I introduce myself? My name is Peter Dennison.  
b. What's your name? My name is Peter Dennison.  
c. I don't know your name. My name is Peter Dennison.
- "I'd like you to meet Miss Maine ... This is Mr Richards" is said by .....  
a. Miss Maine      b. Mr Richards      c. a third person
- "Ladies and gentlemen" is used to grab .....attention.  
a. a speaker's      c. a participant's      d. an audience's      d. none of the above's
- At 5:30 pm ..... is a suitable greeting.  
a. Good morning      b. good afternoon      c. good evening      d. see you
- How's life? Not too bad, thanks. Is an exchange taking place between two .....  
a. public speakers      b. strangers      c. friends      d. foreigners
- In Britain "Good day" is normally only used for ..... by shop-assistants.  
a. leave-taking      b. leave-giving      c. leave-donating
- The word "bitter" in "Is that bitter you're drinking?" means .....  
a. sour      b. acidic      c. beer      d. vinegary
- ..... Is an answer suitable to "Nice looking girl, isn't she?"  
a. I think so      b. Yes she is, isn't she?      c. Yes.      d. You can say so.
- "How are you going?" is best answered .....  
a. Very well thank you      b. By the way      c. By air      d. By noon
- "How are you getting on?" is best answered .....  
a. Very well thank you      b. By the way      c. By air      d. By noon
- "Thank you very much" is .....  
a. formal      b. informal      c. familiar      d. familial
- "Thanks for the ride" is .....  
a. formal      b. informal      c. familiar      d. familial

17. "Not at all" is the ..... expression to reply to thanks  
 a. unusual                      b. worst                      c. least safe                      d. safest
18. "You're welcome" is an ..... expression to reply to thanks.  
 a. American                      b. British                      c. Australian
19. When thanked, If you are not sure what to say .....  
 a. apologize                      b. just smile                      c. ask for forgiveness                      d. express regret
20. "Please" is ..... used on its own.  
 a. never                      b. always                      c. hardly ever                      d. forever
21. "Please sit down" is ..... than "will you sit down".  
 a. less polite than                      b. more polite than                      c. similarly polite as
22. A comma is placed after please if the speaker is ..... something  
 a. ordering                      b. asking                      c. begging for                      d. looking for
23. .... Is a formal apology  
 a. "Pardon?"                      b. "Sorry?"                      c. "What?"                      d. "I beg your pardon?"
24. "I'm afraid I'm rather late" is an apology for .....  
 a. coming late                      b. having to leave                      c. coming unexpectedly  
 d. leaving for good
25. "Excuse me, please" is an expression suitable to say when .....  
 a. passing someone in a cinema, etc.                      b. getting late into class                      c. visiting a friend late in the evening
26. "Sorry to bother you just now" is .....  
 a. cheering up                      b. apologetic                      c. soothing                      d. sympathetic
27. "My fault, I'm so sorry" is usually used when .....  
 a. not catching what is said                      b. coming back home late                      c. it's not quite clear who's to blame
28. "I beg your pardon?" used with a sharply rising intonation is .....  
 a. an apology                      b. a quest for information                      c. a sign of agreement                      d. a not catching phrase
29. "Pardon" or "Sorry" with a falling tone indicates a .....  
 a. curt apology                      b. a not catching phrase                      c. a sign of agreement                      d. a sign of confusion
30. "Sorry, I didn't quite catch what you 'said'" is used with a ..... intonation.  
 a. rising                      b. falling                      c. level                      d. none of the above
31. "I just don't know how people manage nowadays" is a complaint about .....  
 a. inflation                      b. someone's absence                      c. literacy                      d. illiteracy
32. "Shall we go to the cinema tonight?" is best positively answered .....  
 a. Yes, we shall                      b. Yes, we will                      c. Yes, let us go                      d. Yes, let's
33. "Shall we stop here?" is best negatively answered .....  
 a. No, not yet                      b. No, we shalln't                      c. No, let's not stop yet
34. The negative of "shall" is .....  
 a. shalln't                      b. shaln't                      c. shan't                      d. none of the above
35. "Is that the President over there?" is best answered .....  
 a. Yes, he is.                      B. Yes, it is.                      Yes, that he is.
36. They were late, .....

- a. were they      b. aren't they      c. weren't they      d. were they not
37. When your voice rises at end of a question tag, this means .....
- a. you are asking for information      b. you are unsure of your statement      c. both a and b  
d. either a or b
38. When your voice drops at end of a question tag, it means you are .....
- a. making a statement of fact      b. you are pretty sure of yourself, but politely ask for the o  
agreement      c. both a and b      d. either a or b      e. neither a nor b
39. I am lucky, .....?
- a. am I not      b. I'm not      c. aren't I      d. arn't I
40. let's go home now, .....?
- a. shan't we      b. shall we      c. won't we      d. will we
41. Oh dear, I'm untidy, .....?
- a. am I      b. I'm not      c. aren't I      d. arn't I
42. .... is used to ask someone to convey your greetings to his brother.
- a. How's your brother?      b. Convey my greetings to your brother  
c. Please remember me to your brother
43. "How long are you going for?" is used to ask for the time ..... a certain place.
- a. of staying at      b. of leaving      c. of arriving at      d. taken before going to
44. "How are you going?" is used to ask about .....
- a. the way to take      b. means of transport      c. means of booking      d. none  
of the above
45. "They are giving him a lift" refers to .....
- a. Stephen and Mary Newby are going to take Paul Bartlett up to the fourth flour.  
b. Stephen and Mary Newby are going to drive Paul Bartlett mad.  
c. Stephen and Mary Newby are going to drive Paul Bartlett over to the airport.
46. One should avoid being ..... when disagreeing in English
- a. gradual      b. flexible      c. abrupt      d. polite
47. On disagreement honesty should be .....
- a. given the only priority      b. given the last priority      c. ignored      d. tempered with tact
48. .... are expressions that are used to "soften the blow" on disagreement.
- a. mitigators      b. aggravators      c. intensifiers      d. augmenters
49. A: What a charming city Liverpool is, isn't it?  
B: Well, personally I don't care much for it.  
In this exchange B ..... A's utterance.
- a. agrees to      b. disagrees to      c. is not interested in
50. "Looks as if it's going to rain, doesn't it?" ..... an answer.
- a. does not care for      b. doesn't expect      c. expects      d. none  
of the above
51. "She's pretty" is usually said with .....
- a. a rising intonation      b. falling intonation      c. both rising and falling  
intonations
52. "This summer's been a bad one, 'hasn't it?" is usually said with .....
- a. a rising intonation      b. falling intonation      c. both rising and falling  
intonations
53. " This isn't a very fast train, 'is it?" is usually said with .....
- a. a rising intonation      b. falling intonation      c. both rising and falling intonations

54. In speech I'd rather (I would rather) is commonly used to express .....  
 a. distant preference      b. immediate indifference      c. disinterest      d. immediate preference.
55. I expect you've seen quite a lot of the country already is.....  
 a. a direct way of finding out where you've been      b. an impolite remark  
 c. a disguised question
56. English people often try to avoid a direct question because they are afraid of appearing  
 a. nosey      b. ignorant      c. discourteous      d. dexterous
57. In conversation a remark is more ..... than a direct question.  
 a. unfamiliar and unmindful      b. handy and inquisitive      c. casual and oblique
58. Question tags mostly end with a ..... intonation.  
 a. falling      b. rising      c. even      d. none of the above
59. "I expect", "I suppose", "I imagine", "I hear", "I see" are all expressions starting ..... in English.  
 a. questions      b. conversations      c. remarks      d. speeches
60. "I expect", "I suppose", "I imagine", "I hear" are all expressions used in English to avoid .....  
 a. questions      b. direct questions      c. indirect questions      d. all the above
61. To express strong liking, English people, especially women, often use .....  
 a. love and adore      b. respect and admire      c. like and esteem      d. none of the above
62. .... should be avoided in conversations especially by foreigners.  
 a. straightforward expressions      b. clear-cut questions      c. strong expressions
63. In conversation, one's likes or dislikes, preferences, approval or disapproval are all matters of .....  
 a. judgement      b. opinion      c. truth      d. reality
64. "I hate" and "I can't stand" are ..... expressions  
 a. convincing      b. faint      c. unprofessional      d. strong
65. "I hate" and "I can't stand" are expressions that should better be ..... by foreigners.  
 a. prevented      b. banned      c. avoided      d. encouraged
66. As with dislikes, a .....expression is often preferred to express disapproval.  
 a. positive      b. constructive      c. confident      d. negative
67. "Well, the show wasn't too bad, I suppose" is an expression of .....  
 a. argument      b. dislike      c. enjoyment      d. all the above
68. "Would you mind opening the window, please?" is a .....  
 a. polite question      b. polite request      c. polite command      d. polite charge
69. "Please come in" is a  
 a. polite imperative      b. polite request      c. polite appeal      d. polite wish
70. "Do you mind if I smoke?" is an expression used to ask for .....  
 a. permission      b. prohibition      c. denying      d. acknowledging
71. "Will", "would", "would you like to", "would you care to" are all expressions used to start .....  
 a. warnings      b. oppositions      c. inspirations      d. invitations
72. It is difficult to ..... an invitation with grace and courtesy.  
 a. perform      b. present      c. refuse      d. pass
73. Some explanation for your refusal is often .....  
 a. desirable      b. annoying      c. unpleasant      d. difficult

74. "What are you doing next Monday?" is a .....  
a. remark leading up to an invitation      b. quest for information      c. request      d. follow up
75. Some....., like "How about a drink", are indirect invitations  
a. directives      b. pleas      c. statements      d. suggestions
76. "Think" "suppose" and "expect" are verbs usually used to make .....  
a. directives      b. pleas      c. statements      d. suggestions
77. "What do you say to our staying another day?" is a .....  
a. directive      b. plea      c. quest for information      d. suggestion
78. " Well, I'm afraid I haven't got time just now" is used to .....  
a. permission      b. advice      c. suggestion      d. assistance
79. "Sorry to have bothered you with all these questions" is best answered.....  
a. That's quite all right.      b. OK      c. Thank you      d. Good bye then
80. "Don't bother" and "there's no need" are usually used to .....  
a. refuse an opinion      b. refuse an offer      c. refuse an introduction

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1. a
2. b
3. a
4. b
5. a
6. c
7. c
8. b
9. c
10. a
11. c
12. b
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14. a
15. a
16. b
17. d
18. a
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22. c
23. d
24. b
25. a
26. b
27. c
28. d
29. a
30. b
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42. c
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46. c
47. d
48. a
49. b
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52. b
53. b
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57. c

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- 59. c
- 60. b
- 61. a
- 62. c
- 63. b
- 64. d
- 65. c
- 66. d
- 67. b
- 68. b
- 69. a
- 70. a
- 71. d
- 72. c
- 73. a
- 74. a
- 75. d
- 76. d
- 77. d
- 78. d
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- 80. b

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