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4000 Essential English Words 1 Unit 26: Archie and His Donkey

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1. Choose the right word for the given definition.
to keep something going
A) maintain **B)** react
C) standard **D)** prove

2. not this one or that one
A) neither **B)** further
C) along **D)** situated

3. people and how they act
A) otherwise **B)** society
C) advice **D)** climb

4. describing the body
A) final **B)** drop
C) physical **D)** attention

5. to make someone interested
A) imply **B)** suggest **C)** attract **D)** ride

6. Choose the word that is a better fit for each sentence.
Can I give you some _____?
I _____ that you do your homework before you go out.
A) suggest / advice **B)** advice / suggest

7. I got everyone's _____ with my new dress.
Where is your office _____ in the building?
A) situated / attention **B)** attention / situated

8. The _____ of his work is very high.
I accidentally _____ my phone in the snow.
A) dropped / standard **B)** standard / dropped

9. He _____ my attention by waving to me.
She _____ badly to the news.
A) attracted / reacted **B)** reacted / attracted

10. How much _____ is the beach? I'm tired!
We walked _____ the path for two hours.
A) further / along **B)** along / further

11. Choose the one that suits the blank naturally.

She was angry when _____.
A) he implied that she was not smart
B) he proved that she was right

12. If you want to win the race, you need to _____.
A) be in good physical condition
B) drop off all of your extra work

13. He said that I should play sports, so I _____.
A) suggested playing football
B) gave him my advice

14. The sound of the car's horn _____.
A) got everyone's attention
B) is situated next to the bus stop

15. We are nearly at Jack's house. _____.
A) It's much further down the road
B) He lives along this road

(Please note: The following questions are related to a specific reading passage, available solely before the first question. Remember, referring back to the reading text while answering the questions may be helpful to ensure accuracy.)

ARCHIE AND HIS DONKEY

Old Archie needed some money. He decided to sell his donkey. So he and his son Tom went to town. It was **situated** many miles away.

Soon, they met a woman. "Where are you going?" she asked.

"To town," said Archie.

"Any smart person would **ride** the donkey," she said.

"What are you **implying**?" Archie asked. "I'm very smart!" Archie wanted to look smart. So he **climbed** onto the donkey. Then they continued in the direction of the town.

Further along the road, they met a farmer.

"Hello," said Archie. "We want to sell this donkey. Do you want to buy it?"

"I don't need a donkey," said the farmer. "But if you want my **advice**, don't ride it. The donkey needs to be in good **physical** condition."

"Good idea," said Archie. "Tom, I want you to ride it. You're lighter."

"**Neither** you nor your son should ride it. It looks very tired. You should carry the donkey," **suggested** the farmer.

"You're right," said Archie. "Come on, Tom! We'll carry it for the **final** few miles!"

The donkey was very heavy, and they couldn't **maintain** a good speed. They didn't arrive until late in the evening. At last, they walked into the town. But there they **attracted** the **attention** of some teenage boys. They laughed at Tom and Archie. They started to

throw stones at them. The donkey **reacted** by kicking. Tom and Archie **dropped** the donkey. It fell on the ground and then ran away. Archie lost his donkey. He went home with no money.

What does this story teach us? We cannot please everyone in our **society**. Don't take everyone's advice, but set your own **standards**. **Prove** to everyone that you can make decisions by yourself. **Otherwise**, you may end up with nothing at all.

16. What is the main idea of this story?

A) You should always take the advice of older people.
B) Teenage boys are the nicest people in society.
C) You should set your own standards.
D) You should neither ride nor carry a donkey.

17. Why did Archie get on the donkey?

A) The woman implied that he wasn't smart.
B) The town was situated further away than he had thought.
C) He did not want to climb the final hill.
D) His walking speed was too slow.

18. Why did the farmer suggest carrying the donkey?

A) To attract people's attention
B) To keep the donkey in good physical condition
C) To maintain their speed
D) To prove that Archie was strong

19. Why did the donkey start kicking?

A) It didn't want to be carried along the road.
B) It didn't want to go in the direction of the river.
C) It reacted badly to a group of teenage boys' teasing.
D) It became very angry at Archie and Tom.

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