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Advanced Level Synonym Questions (Wordpower) MCQ Test + PDF 23

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1. The first wallpaper was used as a **substitute for** tapestries, which had been used for centuries.
A) precursor of **B)** accomplice of
C) associate of **D)** alternative to
E) contribution to

2. When the General Director resigned, a younger person **succeeded** him in the company.
A) fulfilled **B)** rotated
C) replaced **D)** attained
E) reached

3. It was only after her third attempt that she **succeeded** in selling one of her paintings at a reasonable price.
A) assisted **B)** quoted
C) accomplished **D)** expected
E) renounced

4. A thousand dollars today will **suffice** to buy a personal computer with amazing power.
A) be insufficient **B)** induce
C) seduce **D)** be enough
E) necessitate

5. I do not want to **suggest** by this criticism that there is something fundamentally wrong with your argument.
A) conceal **B)** claim **C)** assert **D)** assume
E) imply

6. She cleaned the house **superficially** but a close look at the furniture showed she had done very little.
A) on the surface **B)** in the corners
C) inside **D)** from a distance
E) successively

7. **Superstition** may easily lead a great many people astray.
A) irrational belief **B)** succession
C) logic **D)** misdirection
E) stipulation

8. The ancient Scandinavians venerated the mistletoe because it **supposedly** brought good luck and fertility.
A) doubtfully **B)** presumably
C) actually **D)** hopefully
E) fortunately

9. The attendance at the music festival **surpassed** all expectations.
A) overwhelmed **B)** overestimated
C) increased **D)** overcame
E) excelled

10. There is a large area of **swamp** that will have to be cleared before construction can begin.
A) forest **B)** soft, wet land
C) dry, sandy soil **D)** prairie
E) huge forest

11. Digital watches that display time electronically are **swiftly** replacing analogue watches.
A) gradually **B)** eventually
C) previously **D)** rapidly
E) steadily

12. The **symptoms** of “senility” include serious forgetfulness, confusion, and certain other changes in personality and behaviour.
A) diagnosis **B)** signs
C) anomalies **D)** retorts
E) claims

13. The manager is always **tactful** when he deals with angry customers.
A) firm **B)** sensitive
C) outspoken **D)** rude
E) cunning

14. As a professional sport, women’s basketball has **taken off** in recent years.
A) distributed **B)** removed
C) grown **D)** leveled
E) been introduced

15. Some wild animals are easy to **tame**.
A) domesticate **B)** catch
C) identify **D)** feed
E) take care of

16. A report is usually **tangible** proof that the research has been completed.
A) evasive **B)** concrete
C) vague **D)** inevitable
E) ambiguous

17. Her friends tried to **tempt** her to go to the movies although they knew she had to study.
A) trace **B)** enervate
C) implore **D)** entice
E) long for

18. All the **tenants** in our apartment building are complaining about the lack of hot water.
A) old people **B)** landlords
C) superintendents **D)** settlers
E) occupants

19. Professor Fox has a **thorough** knowledge of Turkish history.

A) complete
B) hazy
C) wonderful
D) scientific
E) trite

20. Tina **thwarted** her brother's every effort to sell the old house which they grew up in.

A) assisted
B) blocked
C) reported
D) hoped
E) supplicated

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