ENGLISH GRAMMAR TESTS

Phrasal Verbs and Idioms MCQ Exercise 3

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1. He is a most annoying person; he spends his time trying to find fault with everyone.
A) criticize **B)** help
C) anger **D)** examine
E) value

2. During the fire in the hospital, I had to take charge of the patients in the intensive care ward.
A) hide **B)** be responsible for
C) care for **D)** order
E) inform

3. I know that I have been rather difficult lately but I've had a problem on my mind.
A) headache **B)** seeing problems
C) image **D)** worry about
E) unable to sleep

4. Trust me! You can take my word for it.
A) refuse **B)** help **C)** decide **D)** listen
E) believe

5. If you get it off your chest, you'll feel better.
A) talk about it
B) throw it out
C) hope for it
D) forget it
E) carry it somewhere else

6. The newspapers often try to bring crimes into the open.
A) teach **B)** reveal
C) help with **D)** want
E) examine

7. It's about time we laid this feud to rest.
A) killed **B)** slept on it
C) straightened it **D)** examined
E) ended

8. When evaluating the new workers we should take into account their previous experience.
A) consider **B)** record
C) question **D)** complete
E) remember

9. It's a good idea to set aside some money for a rainy day.
A) hide **B)** put
C) save for **D)** remove
E) prepare

10. Stop trying to get out of doing the dishes; it's your turn.
A) opening **B)** leaving
C) finishing **D)** escape
E) removing

11. I'm not sure what I want to eat. I'll leave the ordering up to you.
A) give the choice **B)** refuse
C) disagree **D)** go without
E) wait

12. I've put my heart and soul into this book.
A) decision **B)** nasty
C) all my effort **D)** love
E) energy

13. Of course he looks like me! He's my flesh and blood.
A) enemy **B)** child
C) friend **D)** parent
E) blood relative

14. I felt as though I was sitting on pins and needles all night, while I waited for the phone call.
A) nervous **B)** uncomfortable
C) relaxed **D)** sleeping
E) angry

15. That's the last straw! I quit!
A) confirmation **B)** finalist
C) beginning **D)** end
E) strangest

16. He's full of hot air! He is so impressed with himself.
A) always exaggerating **B)** fun and happiness
C) energy **D)** entertainment
E) anger

17. That was a close call. The car almost hit me.
A) telephone **B)** warning
C) narrow escape **D)** answer
E) appointment

18. I'm having second thoughts about getting married.
A) decision **B)** advice
C) change of mind **D)** investigation
E) brainstorming

19. Tom is an old hand at working with poultry.
A) elder **B)** retired
C) farmer **D)** friendly
E) experienced

20. The directions for the use of this equipment are clear-cut.
A) easily understood **B)** helpfully simple
C) well done **D)** easily controlled
E) unacceptable

21. My new roommate is an easy-going person.
A) not careful **B)** relaxed
C) friendly **D)** helpful
E) uninteresting

22. She is an extremely narrow-minded person.
A) thoughtful **B)** investigating
C) interesting **D)** closed to new ideas
E) silly

23. I've talked to you about your behaviour time and again but you have made no effort to change.
A) today **B)** recently
C) repeatedly **D)** yesterday
E) without effort

24. I meet with Jane now and again.
A) occasionally **B)** today
C) recently **D)** often
E) frequently

25. I'll agree to this plan for now but I think we should revise some of the matters.
A) continuously **B)** completely
C) hopefully **D)** temporarily
E) aspiring

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