ADVANCED VOCABULARY TESTS

SYNONYMOUS WORDS MCQ Test With Answers – Advanced Level Vocabulary Exercise 3

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1. I can't quite pin down your general attitude on this issue. It's so ***ambivalent***.
A) ambitious and aspiring
B) ambiguous, vague and equivocal
C) emphatic but not empathic or empathetic
D) amphibian
E) amorous

2. He wasn't alone in this. He had two ***accomplices***.
A) armed robberies
B) partners-in-crime
C) men of law
D) high-ranking officials
E) bands of outlaws

3. Send for the doctor at once! It's an ***urgent*** case!
A) emergence
B) superfluous
C) anomaly
D) unusually sporadic
E) emergency

4. The word "February" is often ***abbreviated to*** "Feb".
A) shortened to
B) substituted for
C) transferred to
D) preferred to
E) translated into

5. He was ***considerate*** enough to stand by her when she found herself in that terrible fix.
A) passionate
B) callous
C) consistent
D) thoughtful
E) cowardly

6. Due to unforeseen circumstances, we have to ***put off*** the meeting to some future date.
A) reflect upon
B) cancel
C) get rid of
D) convene
E) postpone

7. Thus the mystery was solved and he was ***found not guilty***.
A) arrested for the crime
B) acquitted
C) taken into custody
D) condemned without evidence
E) held responsible for the deed

8. If you could do a little ***repairing*** around the house, we wouldn't have needed to call in a plumber in the first place.
A) mending
B) replacing
C) constructing
D) furnishing
E) unfixing

9. They ran round the corner and then simply ***vanished*** out of sight.
A) decayed
B) disappeared
C) blurred
D) deteriorated
E) reappeared

10. He was ***acclaimed*** by all as the new world champion.
A) refused and dismissed
B) accepted and recorded
C) cheered and applauded
D) envied and antagonized
E) deceived and agonized

11. This is only a ***tentative*** arrangement. We'll decide on a permanent course of action later on.
A) inexperienced
B) temporary
C) consecutive
D) elaborate
E) disappointing

12. You'll have to ***accustom yourself to*** their strange ways of life.
A) pay the penalty for
B) look forward to
C) get used to
D) ask yourself about
E) make yourself absent from

13. Why should anyone have any respect for him? He's so unbelievably ***rude*** to everyone else himself, isn't he?
A) impolite
B) inconsiderate
C) wicked
D) insincere
E) courteous

14. You're not going to ***release*** him, are you? He is a dangerous criminal.
A) idolize
B) execute
C) approve of
D) condemn
E) set free

15. A ***pretentious*** person is neither liked nor respected -- nor, indeed, tolerated.
A) miserly
B) reticent
C) talkative
D) showy
E) hideous

16. He was much disliked for his ***belligerent*** ways even as a child.
A) hostile and aggressive
B) weird and frightening
C) repulsive, but still pushy
D) self-confident, but also self-centred
E) smug and affected

17. After two hours of intensive search, the police began to suspect that it all had been a ***hoax***.

A) divine intervention
B) chance happening
C) sporadic behaviour
D) deceitfully false alarm
E) surprise development

18. I must say she's quite ***odd*** in her ways.

A) disgusting
B) punctual
C) eccentric
D) pitiful
E) incredible

19. His younger sister is married to a ***well-known*** architect.

A) notorious
B) renowned
C) infamous
D) noble
E) atrocious

20. She may be ***naive***, but you'd be wrong to think that she's stupid in any sense of the word.

A) sophisticated and cosmopolitan
B) willing and enthusiastic
C) young and juvenile
D) inexperienced and quite credulous
E) kind and compassionate

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