USE OF ENGLISH VOCABULARY TESTS

Use of English Vocabulary Test N

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1. (Please note: Questions 1-15 are part of a cloze test. They are interrelated, meaning that the information provided in each question is connected to the others.)

The Mystery Of The Marie Celeste

We spotted the Marie Celeste drifting in the mid-Atlantic on December 5, 1872. Since the ship looked damaged, the captain said the three of us _____ board her at once _____ investigate and _____ him back any information we could get hold of.

A) have **B)** had to **C)** needed **D)** ought

2. Since the ship looked damaged, the captain said the three of us _____ board her at once _____ investigate and _____ him back any information we could get hold of.

A) in order that **B)** so that
C) in order to **D)** for to

3. Since the ship looked damaged, the captain said the three of us _____ board her at once _____ investigate and _____ him back any information we could get hold of.

A) take **B)** get **C)** carry **D)** bring

4. We _____ climb on board without too much difficulty but we couldn't see any sign of life anywhere.

A) couldn't **B)** managed
C) unable **D)** were able to

5. The crew of the Marie Celeste _____ have abandoned ship _____ the ship's small lifeboat was missing.

A) can't **B)** must **C)** hadn't **D)** can

6. The crew of the Marie Celeste _____ have abandoned ship _____ the ship's small lifeboat was missing.

A) since **B)** on account of
C) as a result of **D)** owing to

7. Some navigational equipment which a ship of that kind _____ had on board was also missing.

A) shouldn't **B)** should have
C) shouldn't have **D)** should be

8. The crew _____ had much time to abandon ship because they had not _____ with them many of their personal possessions.

A) ought not have **B)** must not
C) couldn't have **D)** would have

9. The crew _____ had much time to abandon ship because they had not _____ with them many of their personal possessions.

A) taken **B)** fetched **C)** got **D)** had

10. Luckily, we _____ to find the ship's log which helped us a great deal in our _____.

A) could **B)** able
C) knew **D)** managed

11. Luckily, we _____ to find the ship's log which helped us a great deal in our _____.

A) information **B)** solution
C) suggestion **D)** investigation

12. The last time the captain of the Marie Celeste had _____ an entry in the ship's log was November 25.

A) took **B)** passed **C)** wrote **D)** made

13. Something extraordinary must have taken _____ between this date and December 5.

A) part **B)** care **C)** place **D)** control

14. The captain of the ship, Benjamin Briggs, had extensive _____ of the high seas so what had made him _____ the decision to abandon ship in the middle of nowhere?

A) qualification **B)** education
C) experience **D)** travel

15. The captain of the ship, Benjamin Briggs, had extensive _____ of the high seas so what had made him _____ the decision to abandon ship in the middle of nowhere?

A) bring **B)** choose **C)** have **D)** take

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