## TEST 12

1- Susie exchanged all her marbles $\qquad$ Charlie $\qquad$ three pieces of chewing gum.
A) for/against
B) to/with
C) from/into
D) with/for
E) by/about

2- Arthur suffers ......... colour blindness and can't distinguish blue $\qquad$ green.
A) from/from
B) in/between
C) during/with
D) through/for
E) about/to

3- The sun was shining $\qquad$ . Cecily's eyes, so she wished she'd brought her sunglasses $\qquad$ her.
A) against/for
B) at/towards
C) into/with
D) from/at
E) about/by

4- They both got ......... her car and she drove straight $\qquad$ the hospital.
A) to/towards
B) in/against
C) by/about
D) out/at
E)into/to

He was dissuaded $\qquad$ his plan to open a flower shop $\qquad$ his wife.
A) to/from
B) from/by
C) about/for
D) out of/with
E) against/about
$\qquad$ . my surprise, the new cleaner had already done the windows and was ........ her knees scrubbing the kitchen floor.
A) $\mathrm{To} / \mathrm{on}$
B) During/with
C) With/upon
D) Against/for
E) By/by

7- She always wears the locket her fiancé gave her $\qquad$ . her neck and never removes his ring $\qquad$ her finger.
A) above/to
B) at/out of
C) to/through
D) around/from
E) against/off

8- He tore the letter $\qquad$ a hundred pieces and threw them
$\qquad$ the fire.
A) out of/away
B) $b y / f o r$
C) with/upon
D) into/onto
E) about/to

9- Although $I$ didn't understand the tribesman's language, $I$ could tell ........ the gestures he was making that I was some danger.
A) for/into
B) in/at
C) from/in
D) about/with
E) out of/among

10- The train had already passed ........ the tunnel before it came
$\qquad$ the rails.
A) by/from
C) across/down
B) through/off
E) in to/with
E) in to/with

11- I'm infuriated people who try to push in front of others
$\qquad$ . queues.
A) with/above
B) about/between
C) $b y / \mathrm{in}$
D) to/over
E) for/across

12- The herd of wild buffalo charged $\qquad$ the plain, heading ......... the river.
A) through/at
B) over/through
C) into/out of
D) across/for
E) by/into

13- David finds it difficult to keep ........ a schedule and deal....... his everyday affairs.
A) at/for
B) into/out of
C) against/about
D) from/by
E) to/with

14- Bob went out $\qquad$ saying anything to Marie, leaving her ......... h her own in the apartment.
A) against/to
B) without/on
C) by/with
D) for/by
E) except/in

15- The Karakalpak people, whose name means 'black hat' in reference $\qquad$ their typical headgear, have a separate autonomous republic $\qquad$ Uzbekistan.
A) at/across
B) to/within
C) of/between
D) with/along
E) for/behind

16- She was terribly upset ........ the death of her sister and turned. $\qquad$ religion for comfort.
A) at/into
B) for/with
C) by/to
D) around/for
E) from/around

17- Glenda applied ....... her local supermarket $\qquad$ a job as a cashier.
A) to/for
B) about/about
C) into/towards
D) at/between
E) towards/with

18- Her father made a deep impression ........ her and she couldn't help comparing every man she met.. $\qquad$
A) into/against
B) on/with
C) besides/to
D) upon/from
E) for/about

19- The kids teased Roger $\qquad$ . his weight and made up nicknames $\qquad$ him.
A) for/from
B) with/to
C) over/against
D) about/for
E) on/of

20- He put his foot down .. $\qquad$ . the accelerator, and soon his car was travelling $\qquad$ a hundred miles an hour.
A) to/with
B) against/along
C) on/at
D) towards/on
E) under/to

21- He folded the letter $\qquad$ half and carefully placed it $\qquad$ the envelope.
A) over/for
B) with/out of
C) by/down
D) to/inside
E) in/into

22- The car park attendant. $\qquad$ the supermarket guided them ....... a space.
A) at/into
B) about/in
C) on/towards
D) of/behind
E) over/outside

23- She was a photographic model ......... the sixties and posed
$\qquad$ many top photographers.
A) in/for
B) during/at
C) at/from
D) on/with
E) through/about

24- ........ a distance the twins look identical, but up close, you can see the differences $\qquad$ them.
A) $\mathrm{At} /$ from
B) With/against
C) Out of/among
D) From/between
E) Over/in
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Jenny is good..
acrobatics - she can walk $\qquad$ her hands and do cartwheels.
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A) about/of
B) for/by
C) at/on
D) with/under
E) over/with
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26- The optician told me to focus $\qquad$ .. the picture the computer screen while he assessed my eyesight.
E
A) for/in
B) on/on
C) against/with
27-
D) towards/over
E) to/about
There has always been erosion due to the natural actions .......... wind and water, but the problem has been aggravated today .......... agricultural practices.
A) to/with
B) for/into
C) from/for
D) by/about
E) of/by

28- It had been a mild winter, but $\qquad$ the end of March, the temperature fell to 10 $\qquad$ zero and the lake froze.
A) by/over
B) in/behind
C) on/down
D) at/above
E) towards/below

29- War and Peace is a book $\qquad$ the Russian author Tolstoy ........... Napoleon.
A) among/on
B) by/about
C) of/with
D) for/against
E) from/to

30- On hearing a shrill cry, we climbed $\qquad$ the fence and saw a poor fox caught. $\qquad$ a trap.
A) over/in
B) with/upon
C) onto/among
D) with/into
E) from/by

31- Hilary's boss thanked her ........ alerting him $\qquad$ . the problems in the sales office.
A) over/about
B) in/about
C) after/along
D) for/to
E) about/at

32- Dave paid ......... his new car $\qquad$ borrowing some money from his mother.
A) on/from
B) for/by
C) down/with
D) in/out of
E) off/with

33- Janine pushed her way $\qquad$ the crowd and managed to climb $\qquad$ the stage, where the pop stars were performing
A) in/below
B) into/from
C) through/onto
D) against/over
E) towards/along

34- Marcus never knows what he's talking $\qquad$ and therefore often makes a fool $\qquad$ himself.
A) to/by
B) for/to
C) with/at
D) about/of
E) over/beside

35- These houses are $\qquad$ threat of demolition because the M7 is going to pass $\qquad$ this valley.
A) from/into
B) against/under
C) near/between
D) at/across
E) under/through

36- Tanya needs to devote more time $\qquad$ her studies if she wants to keep her place $\qquad$ the top of the class.
A) on/on
B) with/above
C) onto/for
D) $t o / a t$
E) for/over

37- This injection will protect your cat ........ rabies, although he may not feel too well. $\qquad$ a day or two.
A) against/on
B) to/through
C) with/in
D) from/for
E) out of/within

38- The farmer accused the children ......... stealing his apples and threatened to set his dogs ......... them.
A) by/at
B) of/on
C) for/towards
D) with/after
E) about/to
this building $\qquad$
39- Do you know how to find your way $\qquad$ case of fire?
A) into/about
B) through/for
C) among/from
D) onto/around
E) out of/in

40- The distinctive flavour of rye flour makes it a common inclusion $\qquad$ such items $\qquad$ snack foods and prepackaged toast.
A) about/for
B) of/with
C) in/as
D) to/like
E) for/at

41- Humphrey Bogart starred ......... the film 'The Big Sleep' ......... his wife Lauren Bacall.
A) for/of
B) in/with
C) about/at
D) with/by
E) by/through

42- Medgar Evers fought hard ... $\qquad$ the rights of black citizens of Mississippi, but his life came $\qquad$ an abrupt end when he was shot by a sniper.
A) with/at
B) for/to
C) against/into
D) on/for
E) over/in

43- The mother was frightened ......... the rapid rise $\qquad$ her child's temperature.
A) by/in
B) about/of
C) of/for
D) with/to
E) from/with

44- He gave her a brooch $\qquad$ the actual day $\qquad$ a birthday present, and took her out for dinner the following Saturday.
A) with/at
B) for/to
C) in/like
D) at/for
E) on/as

45- Mike has more money than me because he lives $\qquad$ his parents' home, so he doesn't need to pay any rent - he just gives his mother some money $\qquad$ the bills.
A) into/for
B) with/about
C) in/towards
D) at/with
E) over/as

46- The children gathered $\qquad$ the clown and laughed $\qquad$ his jokes.
A) to/with
B) within/for
C) towards/over
D) about/to
E) around/at

47- Pupils are not allowed $\qquad$ the staff room, unless they are accompanied $\qquad$ a member of staff.
$>$ A) to/into
B) near/with
D) towards/from
E) through/for
C) into/by
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........ the end of the twentieth century, scientists will probably have discovered a cure $\qquad$ cancer.
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A) In/about
B) $\mathrm{At} / \mathrm{to}$
C) By/for
49-~ Maxgpt was shocked ......... the young girl's language and
E) Until/of her disrespectful attitude $\qquad$ her elders.
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A) by/towards
B) about/of
D) at/against
E) for/about

50- Teenagers often rebelauthority and take out their feelings of frustration $\qquad$ their parents.
A) with/after
B) towards/to
C) at/onto
D) against/on
E) for/about

51- It took us a while to get into town because we were $\qquad$ by a political parade.
A) turned on
B) blown off
C) held up
D) set out
E) handed in

52- The company has $\qquad$ a new small car which reportedly can travel 2 O kilometres on one litre of petrol.
A) run out of
B) tried on
C) gone In for
D) picked up
E) brought out

53- After sitting down in the lawyers office, Mary $\qquad$ her hat and placed it on her lap.
A) ran after
B) pulled over
C) turned up
D) took off
E) put on

54- No matter how many times Jenny asked him, John refused to .. $\qquad$ his music and allow her to study.
A) turn down
B) switch on
C) cut off
D) call out
E) put up

55- Those who are fighting for democracy in Sierra Leone have always $\qquad$ strong opposition, particularly from military groups.
A) grown out of
B) come up against
C) come up with
D) got out of
E) cut down on

56- According to legend, Robin Hood lived in Sherwood Forest,
$\qquad$ of the city of Nottingham.
A) out of place
B) for the time being
C) by the
way
D) on the outskirts
E) on his way

57- Not wanting to lose his temper on the phone, Roger told his daughter to come home $\qquad$ and give some explanation for her behaviour.
A) for a change
B) without warning $C$ ) from time to time
D) at once
E) in return

58- I bought a lovely dress, which was $\qquad$ at a local boutique.
A) on sale
B) out of season
C) in fashion
D) under guarantee
E) out of practice

59- The kitchens are in an awful state this morning. I want to speak to whoever was $\qquad$ last night's restaurant staff immediately.
A) under control
B) for the sake of C) in charge of
D) in touch with
E) on good terms with

60- .......... my whole family, I would like to wish you many happy years together.
A) In favour of
B) In love with
C) For the sake of
D) On behalf of

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