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**1.) Nile crocodiles, with their rough brown skin, look just like floating parts of a tree ----**

- A. though the river was moving fast
- B. if they have found something to eat
- C. since there were trees by the river
- D. until they open their mouths
- E. that they are looking for food

**2.) It is difficult to be precise about how big the Internet is ----**

- A. until research had shown the spread of its use
- B. because it isn't managed by one person or organization
- C. if there were any doubts at all about its impact
- D. so that millions of people throughout the world had used it
- E. though a survey was to be carried out last year

**3.) Many of his novels are concerned with controversial subjects ----.**

- A. until the problems resulting from the war were finally solved
- B. that smoking is only one of them
- C. as he was awarded the top prize
- D. which will have surprised no one
- E. which makes them extremely popular

**4.) Successful tragedies, ----, do not leave the spectator depressed.**

- A. in case the chief characters were famous and noble
- B. though they involve suffering and sadness
- C. because drama is an ancient literary form
- D. since it must be recognized
- E. even if we adopted these terms

**5.) ----, it is at first indistinguishable from a minor planet**

- A. As comets are among the largest members of the solar system
- B. Since comets appear in the sky without any warning
- C. Before Halley's comet appeared again in 1986
- D. Because, in Roman times, a comet was blamed for the loss of a battle
- E. When a comet coming from deep space approaches the Sun ?

**6.) Although orchids may seem to be mostly appreciated for the way they look and smell, ----.**

- A) the richness and variety of Asian orchids is astounding
- B) they are common in every part of the globe except for the extreme South and North poles
- C) under favourable climatic conditions, they will flower every year
- D) they have always been among the most popular flowers in Asian countries
- E) in certain regions of Central America and the Indian Ocean, they have generally been used for food

**7.) ---- that the stage production of a play, no matter how realistic, always involves some degree of artificiality.**

- A) Most actors and actresses wonder
- B) Many people are urged
- C) The students have questioned
- D) Various questions have been asked
- E) It must be recognized

**8.) ----, but he always avoided Italy on principle.**

- A) Eugene Delacroix, the famous French painter, was born in 1798
- B) In his early life, the French painter Delacroix seemed to be interested in diplomacy
- C) Delacroix, the nineteenth-century French
- D) The work of the French painter Delacroix strongly influenced the Impressionist painters
- E) Delacroix was one of the most prolific of painters

**9.) Because the action of a play is presented through acting, ----.**

- A) each of these circumstances has important consequences for the nature of drama
- B) description is another important element of drama
- C) a work of fiction may tell us what a character looks like in one paragraph
- D) its impact is direct, immediate, and heightened by the actors' skills
- E) this experience has usually been interpreted by actors who are highly skilled in communicating strong emotions

**10.) Despite the admittedly mysterious circumstances, ---- how the galaxies were formed.**

- A) it so happens
- B) we know quite well in broad outline
- C) the results are surprising
- D) a number of new experiments have been carried out
- E) it has been recently suggested

**11.) In view of scientific evidence, it has been suggested ----.**

- A) while the size and shape of storms change quickly and often
- B) whether life began under certain environmental conditions
- C) since the upper half of the atmosphere has unusual weather conditions
- D) so far as the atmosphere guards us from rays which could be harmful
- E) that Earth is approximately 4.6 billion years old

**12.) Some 200 tribal languages were in use in Australia ----.**

- A) when British settlers arrived there in the eighteenth century
- B) although immigrant languages spoken are Italian, Turkish, Greek, Chinese, Arabic and German
- C) but multilingualism has been encouraged since the 1970s
- D) even if they live in remote parts of the World
- E) that communication between tribes had been impossible

**13.) Towards the end of the seventeenth century, ---- progress came to an end in the Ottoman Empire.**

- A) which were built by masters such as the architect Sinan
- B) which had a steady arrival of skilled craftsmen from the new territories of the empire
- C) even though there will be few other changes
- D) as the Ottomans began to lose their technological advantage over Europe
- E) since the Istanbul state had continued spreading Westwards

**14.) Italy has climbed into the top ten world economies since World War II, ----.**

- A) although Italian had become a literary language as early as the fourteenth century
- B) since it did not become a unified nation-state until 1861
- C) unless it has a single cultural identity
- D) yet at its heart it keeps many of the customs and traditions of its agricultural heritage
- E) if the arts have enjoyed a long and glorious history

**15.) Travelling around Germany by train is not the cheapest form of transport, ----.**

- A) so that many interesting places throughout the country may be within easy reach
- B) which means that a journey from Hamburg to Munich takes just under six hours
- C) even though journeys are generally no cheaper than travelling by train
- D) if the fastest and most comfortable way to travel around the country is by bus
- E) but it is undoubtedly one of the most efficient

**16.) Although it has been nearly a century since the Titanic sank in the Atlantic Ocean, ----.**

- A) a number of stories still continue to be told about the disaster
- B) one of the most interesting aspects about the tragic history of the luxurious ship is the mixed passengers on board
- C) volumes of books and a number of films had already been produced
- D) she was labelled "unsinkable" before her disastrous voyage in April of 1912
- E) the ship initially earned fame as the largest luxury ship on the open seas

**17.) Since all countries need to trade, ----.**

- A) isolation from other societies may bring some advantages
- B) France and Germany have highly interdependent economies
- C) too much economic dependence causes a country to be affected by events in other countries
- D) today, Bhutan is one example of economic near-independence
- E) no country has complete economic independence from other countries

**18.) If it were easy to slow down the rate of carbon dioxide build-up in the atmosphere, ----.**

- A) we should have developed several strategies
- B) carbon capture would have been just half the job
- C) the problem of global warming would never have become serious
- D) 380 molecules per million in our lungs are carbon dioxide
- E) there is no reason why carbon dioxide should be released into the air

**19.) Whenever I hear him speak, ----.**

- A) I am impressed by his ability to convince
- B) it reminded me of my father
- C) there was a great deal of truth in what he said
- D) we remember similar experiences
- E) his opponent objected to the interruption

**20.) ----, but can this prohibition be enforced?**

- A) It would have been easy to prohibit nuclear weapons
- B) Nuclear weapons have been prohibited
- C) With the prohibition of nuclear weapons, the problem was finally solved
- D) The prohibition of nuclear weapons is no solution
- E) Nuclear weapons should have been prohibited

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**21.) Women tend to choose fields of study like education, English, psychology, biology and art history ----.**

- A) if women had lower salaries, less laboratory space and fewer resources
- B) although women comprise 43 per cent of the workforce, but only 23 per cent of scientists and engineers
- C) since many experts who study male/female differences provide strong support for this idea
- D) while men are much more interested in physics, mathematics, computer science and engineering
- E) because there are so few women in the fields of mathematics and physical sciences

**22.) Pluto was classified as a planet until 2006, -- --.**

- A) because it was named for the Roman god of the underworld
- B) although the "New Horizons" spacecraft made a voyage there and beyond in 2006
- C) when the International Astronomical Union (IAU) changed its status to that of dwarf planet
- D) as it is very difficult for astronomers to collect reliable information about it
- E) while Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune are "classical" planets

**23.) My sister has a tendency to buy things she sees on television commercials, ----.**

- A) even though she does not need them and often can't pay for them
- B) since there was not anything wrong with her old car
- C) in case she has been over-influenced by them
- D) as many things had already been sold out
- E) because she was rarely really interested in them

**24.) English is important in Hong Kong for written and printed communication, ----.**

- A) whereas it was an English colony in East Asia until 1997
- B) but it is not widely used as a spoken medium
- C) which became one of Asia's major commercial, financial and industrial centres
- D) just as, of 40 daily newspapers, only two are in English
- E) so Hong Kong English includes words and phrases from Chinese

**25.) The atmosphere partially blocks or absorbs certain wavelengths of radiation coming from the Sun ----.**

- A) although scientists have made a thorough study of them
- B) because there is no way to see these wavelengths
- C) before they can reach Earth
- D) since astronomers have conflicting views about solar radiation
- E) so long as these wavelengths have been specified by scientists

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- 16. A
- 17. E
- 18. C
- 19. A
- 20. B
- 21. D
- 22. C
- 23. A
- 24. B
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