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OLYMPIAD PRACTICE WORKSHEET

**Choose the right word/phrase from the options to complete these sentences:**

1. When Girija arrived at the theatre, Usha \_\_\_\_\_.

1.  already left
2.  has been left
3.  had already left
4.  had been leave

2. By the time you get this letter I \_\_\_\_\_.

1.  'll have left
2.  'm going to leave
3.  would leave
4.  'll be left

3. Shekhar forgot \_\_\_\_\_ the lights before he left.

1.  turn off
2.  to turning off
3.  to turn off
4.  turned off

4. It's no use \_\_\_\_\_ to him. He doesn't listen.

1.  to speak
2.  spoke
3.  speaking
4.  spoken

5. Rupa was offered the role \_\_\_\_\_ having no talent for acting.

1.  despite
2.  although
3.  even though

4.  apart from

**Choose the closest definition of the underlined words**

6. A dishevelled appearance is \_\_\_\_\_.

- 1.  untidy
- 2.  fierce
- 3.  foolish
- 4.  peculiar

7. An ominous report is \_\_\_\_\_.

- 1.  loud
- 2.  threatening
- 3.  untrue
- 4.  serious

8. A prevalent disease is one which is \_\_\_\_\_.

- 1.  dangerous
- 2.  identified
- 3.  known
- 4.  widespread

9. A baffling problem is \_\_\_\_\_.

- 1.  funny
- 2.  simple
- 3.  puzzling
- 4.  long

10. In retrospect means \_\_\_\_\_.

- 1.  hindsight
- 2.  by accident
- 3.  anticipation
- 4.  second thoughts

Match the first part with the correct collocation from the choices given.

11. Come to \_\_\_\_\_.

1.  a profit
2.  a decision
3.  a drink
4.  a justice

12. Take \_\_\_\_\_.

1.  a break
2.  a play
3.  a pause
4.  a try

13. Make \_\_\_\_\_.

1.  a fit
2.  exercise
3.  an impression
4.  a cartwheel

14. Do \_\_\_\_\_.

1.  a gesture
2.  a mistake
3.  business
4.  shopping

15. Go \_\_\_\_\_.

1.  run
2.  swim
3.  hiking
4.  eating

**Choose the situation where you would most expect to hear each phrase**

16. Isn't this spectacular?

1.  at school
2.  at the TajMahal
3.  at home
4.  in a taxi

17. Don't mind if I do thanks.

1.  at a party
2.  on the street
3.  in a shop
4.  at the cinema

18. This is really scrumptious!

1.  at dinner
2.  after work
3.  in a taxi
4.  at a football match

19. I am feeling a bit queasy!

1.  at a meeting
2.  in a supermarket
3.  at the mechanic's
4.  on a boat

20. That was truly gripping!

1.  in a meeting
2.  at the cinema
3.  on a train
4.  in a shop