## Listen to the recording and find the correct answers

- 1. Ian Fleming had a very ... life.
- A) boring
- **B)** picturesque
- **C)** interesting
- **D)** troublesome
- 2. Ian Fleming's family was ....
- A) poor B) miserable
- C) well-to-do D) ill-famed
- 3. The members of Fleming's family contributed to ... of the country.
- A) culture B) agriculture C) economics D) politics
- 4. Ian Fleming became a journalist because he ....
- A) worked in Moscow
- B) wanted to become a writer
- C) got good education
- D) failed to get a job at the Foreign Office
- 5. During World War II Ian Fleming ....
- A) was a hero
- B) worked in the office
- C) was in Moscow
- **D)** took part in many battles
- 6. Ian Fleming decided to write the novel because ....
- A) he was a journalist B) he was an intelligence officer
- **C)** his father died a hero **D)** he wanted to deal with brave men
- 7. The idea to write about James Bond came to Fleming ....
- A) during WWI
- B) after his father's death
- C) during WWII
- **D)** when he worked in Moscow
- 8. 007 was James Bond's ... name.
- A) nick
- B) pen
- C) code
- D) favourite
- 9. James Bond was first mentioned ....
- **A)** in 1908
- B) during WWII
- **C)** in 1953
  - **D)** in the news agency in Moscow
- 10. Ian Fleming wrote fourteen Bond books ....
- A) all in all B) in particular C) above all D) finally

## **Read the following texts and select** the correct variants

### **Bargain Books**

#### **Our Planet** by Arthur Little

This excellent guide to our planet will give you answers to questions like: 'How old is planet Earth?', 'How many years did the Ice Age last?', 'What's the difference between a sea and an ocean?' Over five hundred pages of fascinating facts about the world we live in – from the highest mountain to the deepest ocean – with colour illustrations on every page.

For ages 10 and over.

Price: £ 19.99

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Cruella Cadaver's world famous story of a haunted high school continues to entertain older children. Three teenagers fight the powers of darkness in this ghostly tale. If you want a good night's sleep, don't read this book! 'The spookiest book you will ever read' says The Times. Millions of copies have already been sold and translated into fifteen languages.

For ages 12 and over.

Price: £ 9.99: also on CD. Price: £ 10.99

### Football Crazy by Shane Clooney

This is the perfect present for football fans. Read Shane Clooney's true story of how he became one of the UK's most famous sportsmen. You'll learn how a knee injury prevented him from playing in the World Cup. There are many photographs that show all his best moments in the game, as well as family photographs of his childhood in the north of England.

For ages 9 and over.

Price: £ 5.99

- 11. Arthur Little is a ....
- A) reporter B) sportsman C) writer D) football fan
- 12. Our Planet has lots of ....
- A) CDs B) pictures C) fans D) children
- 13. High School Horror is a ....
- B) bestseller **D)** photograph A) present C) copy
- 14. Cruella Cadaver writes for ....
- B) teenagers C) kids **D)** football fans A) adults
- 15. High School Horror is ... than the same book on CD.
- A) more cheaper
- B) more expensive
- C) cheaper D) as cheap as
- 16. There was an article about this book in a newspaper.
- A) Our Planet
- B) High School Horror
- C) Football Crazy D) All books
- 17. The hero of this book grew up in England. A) Our Planet
- C) Football Crazy
- B) High School Horror
- **D)** All books

- 18. Shane Clooney ... in the World Cup.
- A) plays B) didn't play
- **C)** will play **D)** played
- 19. If you are afraid of having a sleepless night, avoid reading it.
- B) High School Horror A) Our Planet
- **D)** The Times C) Football Crazy 20.... of these books is/are fiction.
- A) One B) Two C) Three D) None

# **Complete the sentences**

- 21. It's about time we ... a serious talk.
- A) had B) should have C) must have D) have to have
- 22. Five people ... died in the fire.
- A) reported B) are reported
- **D)** are reported to have **C)** report they
- 23. If you were in trouble, I would give you all the help you ....
- A) will need B) need **D)** needed **C)** would need
- 24. Do you remember ... her last Christmas? She looked fantastic!
- A) meet **B)** meeting C) to meet **D)** met
- 25. I was singing when the telephone ....
- B) rang **C)** has rung **D)** had rung A) ring
- 26. He asked me where ....
- B) I had been C) was I A) I were D) had I been
- 27. He had left the office by the time I arrived so I couldn't ... to him.
- C) talk D) spoke A) say B) tell
- 28. He suggested ... there immediately. A) going
- C) should go D) we went B) to go
- 29.1... much better after I had had a cup of tea. A) fell B) felt C) fall D) feel
- 30. Students are accepted at this college ... of race, sex and creed.
- A) deprived **B)** depending C) considering **D)** regardless

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## **Complete each sentence with one** of the derivatives

- 31. She closed the door ... so that not to wake up her parents.
- C) quietly A) quiet B) quite
- 32. He was ... with the results of his exam. B) please **C)** pleasant D) displeased A) pleasure
- 33. The river is long, but what's its ...?
- A) wide
  - B) widen C) width **D)** wideth
- 34. Many students have to seek ... after college.
- A) employer

- **B)** employee
- C) unemployed
- **D)** employment

**D)** quitely

- 35. The actors in the film are completely ....
- **B)** unknown **C)** knowing **D)** disknown A) knew
- 36. Some sea creatures live in the most ... places.
- **C)** disliking **D)** unlikely A) likeable **B)** likely
- 37. Many old people think life was a lot ... than it is today.
- B) gooder C) better D) well A) best
- 38. In the picture you can see the women ....
- B) to do the shopping A) shopping
- **C)** to go to the shop **D)** to shop 39. The child was punished for his ....
- A) misbehaviour B) disbehaviour D) disbehaved **C)** misbehaved
- 40. He has the ... habit of interrupting other people.
- A) annoy **B)** annoying **C)** annoyed **D)** annoyance

## Choose the correct words from the box to suit the moods of the four faces



41. Irritated 46. Snarled 42. Groaned 47. Laughed 48. Cheerful 43. Wailed 44. Joked 49. Sighed 50. Sobbed 45. Yawned

#### **Choose the correct answers**

- 51. Name the title which is given to the heir to the British throne. Prince of ....
- B) Wales A) Edinburgh D) Wessex C) York
- 52. Name the year when Elizabeth II became the Queen of the United Kingdom.
- **B)** 1952 **A)** 1926 **C)** 1983 **D)** 1990
- 53. Name the British explorer who reached the Antarctic.
- A) Roald Amundsen
- B) Robert Falcon Scott
- C) James Cook
- D) Francis Drake
- 54. Name the city where Greenwich is situated.
- A) Plymouth C) Glasgow
- B) Edinburgh **D)** London
- 55. Name the place where Christopher Wren is buried.
- A) The Tower
- B) Westminster Abbey
- C) St. Paul's Cathedral
- **D)** Hyde Park
- 56. Name the fastest ship that brought tea to Britain.
- A) Discovery

B) Cutty Sark

**C)** Victory

- D) Titanic
- 57. Name the author who wrote about the Forsyte family.
- A) Charles Dickens
- **B)** John Galsworthy
- C) Walter Scott
- D) Agatha Christie
- 58. Name the scientist who discovered the Law of Gravitation.
- A) Michael Faraday
- B) Alexander Bell
- C) Isaac Newton
- **D)** Alexander Fleming
- 59. Name the country where you can see Stonehenge.
- A) England
- B) Ireland
- C) Iceland
- **D)** Greenland
- 60. Name the woman who was the founder of professional nursina.
- A) Florence Nightingale
- B) Charlotte Bronte
- C) Jane Austen
- **D)** Iris Murdock

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