

B1 Exam: Volunteering in Your Community

B1 Level • Volunteering • 30 Questions • 45 Minutes

Name: _____ Date: _____

Choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D) for each question. Circle your answer or write the letter in the space provided.

1. Volunteering can help you ___ new skills that are useful for your future career.

A) develop B) invent C) produce D) raise

2. She ___ at the local animal shelter every Saturday since September.

A) volunteers B) has volunteered C) volunteered D) is volunteering

3. If more young people ___ in community projects, our neighbourhoods would be much cleaner.

A) participate B) participated C) will participate D) had participated

4. The charity asked us ___ old clothes and books for the donation drive.

A) collecting B) to collect C) collect D) collected

5. We need more volunteers ___ we can finish painting the community centre before Monday.

A) although B) unless C) so that D) even though

6. Tom used to think volunteering was boring, ___ now he really enjoys it.

A) so B) because C) but D) therefore

7. The food bank ___ by a group of retired teachers in 2018.

A) was set up B) has set up C) is setting up D) sets up

8. I don't mind ___ up early on Sundays to help at the breakfast club.

A) get B) to get C) getting D) got

9. The number of young volunteers has ___ significantly over the past five years.

A) raised B) grown C) lifted D) built

10. You ___ be over 16 to volunteer at the hospital — it's a strict rule.

A) should B) might C) could D) must

11. She suggested ___ a fundraiser to buy new equipment for the youth club.

A) organise B) to organise C) organising D) organised

12. The park clean-up event was so successful ___ they decided to do it every month.

A) as B) that C) which D) what

13. If I ___ more free time, I would volunteer at the library every week.

A) have B) had C) will have D) am having

14. Many teenagers choose to volunteer because it looks good on their university ___.

A) contract B) receipt C) application D) salary

15. The volunteers were asked to ___ into teams of four before starting the project.

A) break B) split C) cut D) tear

16. He has been ___ meals to elderly neighbours since the beginning of lockdown.

A) fetching B) delivering C) posting D) sending

17. Our teacher told us that volunteering ___ a great way to meet new people.

A) is B) was C) has been D) will be

18. I wish I ___ about this charity event earlier — I would have signed up.

A) know B) knew C) had known D) have known

19. The community garden project has made the neighbourhood much ___ than before.

A) nicer B) nicest C) more nice D) most nice

20. Volunteers are ___ to attend a short training session before they start.

A) allowed B) expected C) prevented D) avoided

21. ___ she was only 14, she organised a beach clean-up with over 50 participants.

A) Despite B) Although C) However D) Because

22. The homeless shelter is always looking for people who can ___ a hand.

A) lend B) borrow C) take D) hold

23. We ___ over 500 tins of food by the end of the donation week.

A) collect B) collected C) had collected D) are collecting

24. It's worth ___ some time each week to help others in your community.

A) spend B) to spend C) spending D) spent

25. The mayor thanked the volunteers ___ their hard work during the flood.

A) about B) for C) with D) to

26. If you ___ interested in volunteering, you can sign up on our website.

A) will be B) are C) were D) would be

27. The students raised enough money to ___ a new playground for the local school.

A) afford B) build C) earn D) win

28. She was praised by her teacher for ___ such a positive role model.

A) be B) been C) being D) to be

29. My neighbour, ___ is 82 years old, says the volunteers have changed her life.

A) which B) she C) that D) who

30. Volunteering not only helps the community ___ also builds your confidence.

A) and B) or C) but D) so

ANSWER KEY

No	Ans	Correct Option	No	Ans	Correct Option	No	Ans	Correct Option
1	A	develop	11	C	organising	21	B	Although
2	B	has volunteered	12	B	that	22	A	lend
3	B	participated	13	B	had	23	C	had collected
4	B	to collect	14	C	application	24	C	spending
5	C	so that	15	B	split	25	B	for
6	C	but	16	B	delivering	26	B	are
7	A	was set up	17	B	was	27	B	build
8	C	getting	18	C	had known	28	C	being
9	B	grown	19	A	nicer	29	D	who
10	D	must	20	B	expected	30	C	but