

22. Most female amphibians lay eggs in the water and babies live in the water, using gills to breathe and finding food _____ fish do.

- 1. for
- 2. as
- 3. such
- 4. since

23. Nearly all trees contain a mixture of polymers which can burn like petroleum _____ certainly extracted.

- 1. after
- 2. when it
- 3. if
- 4. is

24. Acute hearing helps most animals sense the upcoming thunderstorms long before human-being _____.

- 1. does
- 2. will do
- 3. can do
- 4. has

25. Settlers of the Eastern United States had a sense of urgency in the face of hardship _____ economic practices.

- 1. they had led
- 2. led to
- 3. leading to
- 4. which led to

28. If the effective managers are brought into a new department, they take time in the beginning to _____ themselves with their people's everyday work and challenges.

- 1. propel
- 2. mingle
- 3. persuade
- 4. confide

29. After completing the plan or strategy, you must lead a change process to _____ in execution.

- 1. demolish
- 2. abandon
- 3. solve
- 4. excel

30. With a global movement to _____ the human impact on the environment and preserve our precious resources, the development of electric vehicles is a key theme for us.

- 1. accumulate
- 2. devise
- 3. deteriorate
- 4. soothe

31. Japan's economy is _____ significant structural change, which in turn is creating numerous attractive investment opportunities in the healthcare, technology and the services sectors.

- 1. undergoing
- 2. manipulating
- 3. evaluating
- 4. retrieving

32. As the business grows, its strategy needs to _____ to suit the changed circumstances.

- 1. sustain
- 2. evolve
- 3. vanish
- 4. provoke

33. For many successful entrepreneurs, learning to listen to - and take - advice is one of the hardest challenges they face; however, it may also be _____ if they are going to make the most of opportunities.

- 1. prevalent
- 2. apparent
- 3. essential
- 4. dynamic

34. Even billion-dollar enterprises can easily _____ a competitive landscape unless they keep innovating, attracting new markets, and staying on top of the latest innovations.

- 1. impose
- 2. mitigate
- 3. cease
- 4. rebuke

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Choose the best alternative to fill in the following sentences.

26. The research results show that parents with small children tend to _____ more organic produce.

- 1. purchase
- 2. protest
- 3. tolerate
- 4. convince

27. Sunpool Appliance has _____ a new sewing machine featuring a programmable control system with a touch screen interface.

- 1. achieved
- 2. discontinued
- 3. attacked
- 4. released