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**Part 1**

**Vocabulary**

**Circle the best answer to complete each sentence.**

1. The sales director must \_\_\_\_ with the marketing director to sell the product.

A) coordinate

B) regulate

C) evolve

D) cease

2. The company made a(n) \_\_\_\_ decision to cease oil exploration and invest in alternative energy sources.

A) regional

B) stylish

C) authority

D) strategic

3. Richard is using his extensive \_\_\_\_ of professional contacts to find a new job.

A) region

B) authority

C) network

D) strategy

4. Most of the people who live in the \_\_\_\_ work for the energy company.

A) region

B) authority

C) network

D) regulation

5. The only individual who has the \_\_\_\_ to sign checks is the finance director.

A) strategy

B) authority

C) style

D) network

6. Dan and Erik have a \_\_\_\_ interest in Japanese cinema.

A) preliminary

B) mutual

C) regional

D) strategic

**Circle the correct word form to complete each sentence.**

7. Youth unemployment isn’t just a \_\_\_\_ issue, it hurts the entire country.

A) region

B) regions

C) regional

D) regionally

8. The Business Administration Office is the \_\_\_\_ group that issues and renews licenses.

A) regulate

B) regulator

C) regulatory

D) regulation

9. The company’s head office is \_\_\_\_ located in the heart of the financial district.

A) strategy

B) strategies

C) strategic

D) strategically

10. Mr. Tanaka’s business has \_\_\_\_ from being a small family-run company to a giant multinational corporation.

A) evolved

B) evolves

C) evolving

D) evolution

**Use five of the words in the box to complete the sentences.**

authority ceased converse coordinate

evolve mutual network preliminary

region regulated strategy stylish

11. To save on costs, the company \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ providing free meals to its employees.

12. Belinda belongs to a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of young entrepreneurs who meet every month.

13. We discovered a problem in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ stage of the project that delayed it for several weeks.

14. The new smartphone has some additional features and comes in five \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ colors.

15. Fareed and Estelle live in different countries, but they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ almost every day.

**Part 2**

**Listening**

**Listen to the interview. Circle the best answer to complete each sentence.**

16. Jeremy’s company GSRS Inc. stands for \_\_\_\_.

A) Green and Solar Roof Solutions

B) Garden and Sun Roof Solutions

C) Green Roof and Solar Solutions

D) Garden and Solar Roof Solutions

17. The idea of green roofs has been around since the \_\_\_\_.

A) 1970s

B) 1980s

C) 1990s

D) 2000s

18. Jeremy’s clients are \_\_\_\_.

A) all commercial businesses

B) mostly private customers

C) half commercial businesses and half private customers

D) mostly government buildings

19. The preliminary stage involves \_\_\_\_.

A) planting a roof garden

B) installing solar panels

C) analyzing the roof’s structure

D) coordinating with the landscape architect

**Listen to the interview again. As you listen, choose the correct abbreviation or symbol below. Write the letter on the line.**

A. +

B. etc.

C. e.g.

D. 

E. 

F. b/c

**Benefits of Green/Solar Roofs**

1. Environment

* improves air quality – plants  O2 and  CO2
* captures rain water – important (20.) \_\_\_\_ rain flows in river +sea   
  w/ pollutants (21.) \_\_\_\_ oil from cars, (22.) \_\_\_\_.

2. Saves $$$  energy costs

* e.g. Outside 65**°**F temp w/ normal roof can (23.) \_\_\_\_to 90**°**F
* Temp w/ green roof  to 62**°**F

3. Health

* (24.) \_\_\_\_stress + high blood pressure
*  feelings of happiness (25.) \_\_\_\_well being

**Read each opinion. Circle the answer that supports the opinion with a fact or statistic.**

26. Green roofs are great for the environment.

A) Green roofs have become more popular over the past decade.

B) Plants produce oxygen and reduce carbon dioxide in the atmosphere.

27. Green roofs capture the water from rain.

A) Green roofs capture up to 80% of rainwater compared to 24% for normal roofs.

B) Rainwater flows off a normal roof and into an underground storm-water system.

28. Green roofs reduce energy costs.

A) It depends on the climate of the region you live in.

B) Chicago could save $100 million in air-conditioning costs each year.

29. The initial cost of installing a roof garden with solar panels is higher.

A) A green roof’s lifespan is about 40 years.

B) People will save about $200,000 over time.

30. Studies have shown the positive health effects of green space.

A) Green space decreases stress, helps lower high blood pressure, and increases feelings of happiness and well-being.

B) Green space provides a habitat for animals such as birds and insects.

**Part 3**

**Speaking**

**Write notes for a one-minute speech about a business you would like to start. Then present your speech to the class.**

* Describe your business. What is the product or service?
* Who are your clients or customers?
* What benefit does your business provide to the community or environment?