

ELTE Workhorse Binomials quiz 151

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Workhorse: person or thing that is extremely dependable, performs a large amount of work, and is built for durability rather than beauty or status

By and _____, the project was successful, even though there were a few minor problems along the way.

1 POINT

- (A) large
- (B) big
- (C) whole
- (D) general

2. At the park, the children were running here and _____, playing different games and laughing.

1 POINT

- (A) there
- (B) where
- (C) away
- (D) around

3. We looked everywhere—in drawers, under the sofa, and in the car—searching high and _____ for the missing phone.

1 POINT

- (A) down
- (B) low
- (C) under
- (D) below

4. Please explain the instructions clearly and briefly—keep it short and _____ so everyone understands.

1 POINT

- (A) direct
- (B) simple
- (C) straight
- (D) sweet

5. After months of testing, the new system is finally up and _____, and customers can start using it today.

1 POINT

- (A) ready
- (B) moving
- (C) running
- (D) going

6. The abandoned house hasn't been repaired in years and has fallen into rack and _____, with broken windows and a damaged roof.

1 POINT

- (A) ruin
- (B) damage
- (C) fall
- (D) break

7. He kept checking his answers repeatedly, reading them over and _____ to make sure there were no mistakes.

1 POINT

- (A) over
- (B) again
- (C) back
- (D) more

8. During the debate, the two politicians argued back and _____, each responding to the other's points.

1 POINT

- (A) forth
- (B) over
- (C) along
- (D) around

9. After the accident, the passengers were relieved to be safe and _____, with no injuries at all.

1 POINT

- (A) fine
- (B) sound
- (C) good
- (D) well

10. Once both sides signed the contract, the agreement became legally final and _____.

1 POINT

- (A) binding
- (B) fixed
- (C) closed
- (D) done

11. When he started his new job with no training, it was a real sink or _____ situation—he had to succeed on his own.

1 POINT

- (A) fall
- (B) swim
- (C) dive
- (D) float

12. I heard your instructions loud and _____, so I won't make any mistakes.

1 POINT

- (A) clear
- (B) strong
- (C) bright
- (D) sharp

13. She learned how to fix the computer by trial and _____, making mistakes and improving each time.

1 POINT

- (A) mistake
- (B) error
- (C) testing
- (D) practice

14. The teacher explained the do's and _____ of using the lab equipment safely.

1 POINT

- (A) notes
- (B) rules
- (C) don'ts
- (D) warnings

15. The journey takes about two hours, give or _____ a few minutes depending on traffic.

1 POINT

- (A) take
- (B) lose
- (C) spend
- (D) add

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i by and large: in general; overall

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i here and there: in various places; scattered

3. We looked everywhere—in drawers, under the sofa, and in the car—searching high and _____ for the missing phone.

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- D below

i high and low: in every possible place

4. Please explain the instructions clearly and briefly—keep it short and _____ so everyone understands.

1 POINT

- A direct
- B simple
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- D sweet

i short and sweet: brief but effective

5. After months of testing, the new system is finally up and _____, and customers can start using it today.

1 POINT

- A ready
- B moving
- C running
- D going

i up and running: fully operational and functioning

6. The abandoned house hasn't been repaired in years and has fallen into rack and _____, with broken windows and a damaged roof.

1 POINT

- A ruin
- B damage
- C fall
- D break

i rack and ruin: in a state of severe decay or destruction

7. He kept checking his answers repeatedly, reading them over and _____ to make sure there were no mistakes.

1 POINT

- A over
- B again
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- D more

i over and over: repeated many times

8. During the debate, the two politicians argued back and _____, each responding to the other's points.

1 POINT

- A forth
- B over
- C along
- D around

i back and forth: moving in opposite directions repeatedly

9. After the accident, the passengers were relieved to be safe and _____, with no injuries at all.

1 POINT

- A fine
- B sound
- C good
- D well

i safe and sound: without harm or injury

10. Once both sides signed the contract, the agreement became legally final and _____.

1 POINT

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- C closed
- D done

i final and binding: legally fixed and cannot be changed (legal, formal language)

11. When he started his new job with no training, it was a real sink or _____ situation—he had to succeed on his own.

1 POINT

- A fall
- B swim
- C dive
- D float

i sink or swim: your success depends entirely on your own efforts, without support

12. I heard your instructions loud and _____, so I won't make any mistakes.

1 POINT

- A clear
- B strong
- C bright
- D sharp

i loud and clear: very easy to hear and understand (often used metaphorically for a message).

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- B error
- C testing
- D practice

i trial and error: trying various methods and noting the mistakes until the best way is found.

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- D warnings

i do's and don'ts: what you should and should not do in a specific situation.

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- A take
- B lose
- C spend
- D add

i give or take: approximately

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