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| afford | agree | arrange | ask | attempt |
| beg | care | choose | claim | decide |
| determine | demand | desire | expect | fail |
| hesitate | hope | learn | long | manage |
| neglect | offer | omit | plan | pretend |
| prepare | promise | refuse | swear | seem |
| strive | tend | threaten | wish |   |
| advise | allow | ask | beg | believe |
| cause | challenge | command | compel | consider |
| enable | encourage | expect | find | forbid |
| love | get | hate | help | imagine |
| instruct | intend | invite | know | lead |
| like | leave | mean | order | permit |
| prefer | persuade | remind | request | teach |

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| admit | avoid | appreciate | deny | detest |
| dislike | enjoy | excuse | fancy | finish |
| keep | mention | mind | miss | postpone |
| recall | resent | resist | recollect | risk |
| save | practise | involve | escape | delay |
| catch | discover | dislike | feel | find |
| hear | imagine | involve | keep | mind |
| notice | prevent | remember | risk | see |
| spend | stop | watch |  |  |

**EXERCISE**

***I.        Give correct form of verbs***

1. Does this work involve much (travel)                    ?
2. He begged (not/tell)                      his mother.
3. He does not permit anybody (smoke)                    in his house.
4. He does not resent (be)                 laughed at!
5. He has attempted (pass)                  his exam, but unfortunately he fail it.
6. He should instruct you (do)                 this work. It is his responsibility.
7. He strives (be)                    one of the best!
8. Here you will find all necessary information that will enable you (do)                  this kind of work. If you still have any questions, don’t hesitate (ask)                 me.
9. I adore (stay)                  on my own.
10. I am longing (see)                  you.
11. I appreciate your (stay)                    with me.
12. I cannot admit (do)                   this as it is not my fault.
13. I cannot delay (sign)                   the contract.
14. I cannot postpone (do)                    this work as it does not depend on me.
15. I cannot resist (eat)                 cakes.
16. I cannot urge them (work)                   more quickly as I cannot persuade them (do)              what they do not need (do)                      .
17. I claim (enable)                me (do)                     this according to our agreement.
18. I consider it (be)                   the most foolish thing you have ever done.
19. I detest (quarrel)                   with people.
20. I do not feel like (do)                   it at once.
21. I do not understand how you could (dare)                (tell)                    him everything.
22. I have come here to convince you (not/do)                  it.
23. I will definitely refuse (take part)                   in this competition.
24. I will report (see)                  him!
25. I will (try)                 (convince)                  them (join)                 us.
26. If I enable you (write)                   this work, I expect you (do)                  it well!
27. If you fail (do)                 this assignment then it means that you have not listened to me, as I have instructed you (enable)                you (do)               it without (have)                  any difficulties.
28. Just imagine (live)                   on the island.
29. She desires (travel)             around the world, but she has to postpone (do)          this as she is short of money.
30. The sign warned (not/go)                    there.
31. They begged (persuade)                him (help)                  them.
32. They cannot (dare)                  (object)                 him and that is why they are hesitating (tell)              him the truth.
33. They claim (have)                 enough money and time (finish)                 the work on time.
34. They deserve (be)               awarded as we appreciate their (help)                  us.
35. They failed (pass)                  the test as they had not studied enough.
36. They should not hesitate (tell)                    the truth as it is essential.
37. They suggest (arrange)                  (do)                 it as soon as possible.
38. We are longing (see)               you because we cannot (postpone)                   (do)                 this work any longer.
39. We do not intend (argue)                  with them.
40. We should (urge)              them (finish)                   all of the work on time.
41. Why are you hesitating (sign)                       the contract?
42. Why are you pretending (be)                     ill?
43. Why are you suggesting (delay)                 this meeting.
44. You cannot persuade me (go)                    to hospital.
45. You deserve (stay)                     at home.
46. You forgot (remind)                  me (go)                  to the dentist!
47. You should arrange (meet)                     them at 4 o’clock.
48. You should not deny (take)                   part in this event.
49. I like                  (leave) home before 8.15 in the morning.
50. I don't like                  (sit) in traffic.
51. When I know I could be                    (do) something useful at work.
52. The secretary also objected                     (change) the date of the hearing.
53. Fortunately I remembered                 (bolt) the door, but               (be) honest, I don't remember               (do) so.
54. Nobody owned up                   (take) the bag.
55. Have you ever considered                   (move) to York?
56. It is considered                (be) one of the nicest cities in England.
57. Would you mind (open)                  the window?
58. Hello. I'd like (speak)                  to Mr. Jones, please.
59. We intend (move)                to the new offices in June.
60. I don't remember (tell)                  him to cancel the appointment.
61. I want (learn)                   to speak Spanish.
62. Are you looking forward to (go)                   to London?
63. The boy admitted (steal)                  the computer from the shop.
64. Peter hopes (become)                a vet after his studies.
65. Don't forget (put)                  the cat out before you go to bed.
66. Do you regret (tell)                Edward about the contract?
67. I didn’t have enough time(finish)                   my work yesterday.
68. As she drove past his house she noticed him (run)              away from home.
69. I was relieve (find out)                     that I had passed the exam.
70. She made her son(wash)                  the window before he could go outside (play)           with his friends.
71. She lets her children(stay)              up very late.
72. We had nothing(do)                  except look at the cinema posters.
73. We both heard him (say)                  that he was leaving.
74. It made him angry(wait)                  for people who were late.
75. I couldn’t understand what the passage said, so I had my friend( translate)                    it for me.
76. It’s important (start)                  the meeting on time.
77. There are too many people here for me (talk)                      to all of them.
78. It took ages(download)                    the pictures from the Internet.
79. Whenever I have free time, I like(watch)                   the basketball team(practice)
80. She sent me an e-mail(inform)                     me that the meeting had been canceled.
81. It was a thrill (see)                    my brother(win)                      the chess tournament last year.
82. If you attempt (do)                      it one more time, you must think about the consequences!
83. I didn’t have enough time(finish)                   my work yesterday.
84. As she drove past his house she noticed him (run)              away from home.
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 **Multiple Choice**

1. In stead of buying a new pair of shoes, I had my old ones             .

a. repaired                   b. to repaired               c. repairing                  d. repaired

2. It’s possible                  a train across Canada.

a. take                         b. to take                     c. taking                      d. taken

3. Now that we have finished painting the house, there is nothing left            .

a. to do                        b. for doing                  c. to be done               d. for being done

4. Before we leave, let’s have Shally                a map for us so we won’t get lost.

a. draw                        b. to draw                    c. drawing                   d. drawn

5. I can hear a cat                      at the window.

a. scratches                b. to scratch                c. scratching               d. was scratching

6. I think your mother should  let you                 your own mind.

a. make up                  b. to make up              c. making up               d. made up

7. The police never found the money                     in the robbery.

a. stealing                    b. be stolen                  c. steal                         d. stolen

8. Do you know what made so many people                    their home?

a. evacuate                 b. to evacuate             c. evacuated               d. be evacuated

9.                     bread, you usually need flour, salt, and yeast.

a. Make                       b To make                   c. Making                    d. For make

10. He was never heard                    “ thank you” in his life.

a. say                          b. to say                      c. saying                      d. said

11. I was delighted                       my old friends again.

a. to see                      b. seeing                      c. seen                        d. to be seen

 12.                         to friends is nice but                       alone is also enjoyable.

a. Talk/ to be               b. To talk/ be               c. Talk/ be                   d. Talking/ being

13. I’d rather                   to Elvis than the Beatles.

a. listen                        b. to listen                    c. listening                   d. listened

14.The aim of the culture festival is                      friendship between the two countries.

a. promote                   b. promoting                c. to promote               d. being promoted

15.How can you let such a silly incident                      your friendship?

a. wreck                      b. to wreck                  c. wrecking                 d. that wrecks

16. It has become necessary                          water in the metropolitan area because of the severe drought.

a. rationing                  b. ration                       c. to ration                   d. to have rationed

17.All the passengers were made                    their seat belts during the turbulence.

a. buckle                     b. to buckle                 c. buckling                   d. for buckling

18.                   good ice cream, you need to use a lot of cream.

a. Make                       b. Making                    c. To make                  d. For make

19. I got my good friend                       her car for the weekend.

a. to let me to borrow  b. to let me borrow                  c. let me borrow          d. let me to borrow

20. ‘ How about going to the theater?’ ‘ OK, but I would rather                  a concert.’

a. attend                      b. to attend                  c. attending                 d. have attended

21. Last night we saw a meteor                        through the sky.

a. streaked                  b. to streak                  c. streak                      d.to have streak

22. The skiers would rather                          through the mountains than go by bus.

a. to travel on train      b. traveled by train      c. travel by train          d. traveling by train

23. If we leave now for our trip, we can drive half the distance before we stop                      lunch.

a. having                     b. to have                    c. having had              d. for having

24. I always hear you \_\_\_\_\_\_ with your sister. What’s wrong between you?

a. argue                       b. to argue                   c. argued                     d. argues

25. Try \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ so many mistakes.

a. not to make b. not make                 c. to make not d. make not

26.You had better \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ home and have a rest.

a. going                       b. goes                        c. to go                        d. go

27. I hope\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to university next year.

a. to go                        b. go                            c. going                       d. went

28. I expected \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to the party, but I was not.

a. to invite                    b. inviting                     c. to be invited             d. being invited

29. The manager insisted …………….me a position in the company.

A. for offering              B. on offering               C. in offer                   D. on offer

30. The flight attendant reminded the man that smoking…there.

A. was not allowed      B. is not allowed        C. not to allow               D. not allow

31. The little boy begged the lady …………..some soup.

A. give                         B. gives                       C. giving                       D. to give

32. They invited me ........... the weekend with them.

A. spends                    B. spend                      C. to spend                   D. spending

33.  He reminded me .......... the letter.

A. post                          B. to post                     C. posting                     D. to posting

34. I warned Jim .............. playing with the snakes.

A. for                           B. in                               C. of                             D. against

35. Mary apologized for ................. him earlier.

A. not phoning           B. not phone                  C. not to phone            D. not to phoning

36. She advised him..................harder.

A. to study                   B. to studying                C. study                       D. studying

37. My mother asked me ..............the window.

A. open                        B. opening                     C. to opening               D. to open

38. Susan insisted on ............ Mary to the beach.

A. drive                         B. driving                         C. to drive                   D. to driving

39. Huong congratulated me on .............. the entrance exam.

A. to pass                    B. to passing                 C. passing                     D. passed

40. Mr Smith thanked Linda............. inviting him to the party.

A. for                            B. of                                C. on                          D. to

41. Mary refused ........... me any more money.

A. to lend                     B. to lending                     C. lend                      D. lending

42. The teacher told his students………all the homework before they ……….to class.

A. do/ come                 B. to do/ come              C. to do/ came              D. do/ came

43. The supervisor apologized…………………

A. for be late                B. for being late           C. on being late              D. on be late.

44. The father told his son………..his time ……………games all day.

A. not to waste/ play    B. not to waste/playing   C. not waste/play   D.not waste/ playing

45.It was Mrs Kent who suggested Mary………….abroad.

A.study                        B.studying                               C.to study                    D.studied

46.  You don’t expect me……….that you actually met John, do you?

A.believe                     B.believed                               C.to believe                 D.believing

47.The board of dircector discuss the project, then went on…………another topic.

A.to discuss                 B.discuss                                 C.discussing                D.discussed

48. Why do you continue …………..there if you don’t like your job?

A.to work                     B.working                                C.worked                    D.both A and B

49. He regrets not………..to see his grandparents in Paris.

A.to go                         B.went                                     C.gone                      D.going

50. Mary agreed ........................ to the circus with Ann.

A) went                        B) to go                                   C) going                      D) goes

51. My doctor doesn’t permit me………..red meat.

A.to eat                        B.eating                                   C.ate                           D.eat

52. It’s no use ................... his opinion.

A) asking                     B) to ask                                  C) ask                         D) asks

53. Anyone can……….used to………a life of luxury.

A.get/ live                    B.to get/ living                         C.to get/ to live            D.get/ living

54. If you decide…………your car, let me…………..

A.sell/ know                 B.selling/ to know                    C.to sell/ to know        D.to sell/ know

55. I would like you………the plants for me at the weekend.

A.to water                    B.water                                    C.watering                   D.watered

56 .I clearly……………..my alarm clock before……………to bed last night.

A.setting/ went            B.setting/ going                       C. set/ going                 D.to set/ to go

57. I promised………….John go out but I don’t feel like……….now.

A.take/ going               B.to take/ to go                        C. to take/ going          D.take/ go

58. It would be good for children……….outdoors more often.

A.play                          B.playing                                 C.played                      D.to play

59. She should avoid ..................... other people’s feeling.

A) hurting                    B) to hurt                                 C) hurt                         D) hurts

60.He is expecting .......................... a trip to Ha Long Bay.

A. make                      B. to make                              C. making                   D. made

61.Students stopped ........................... noise when the teacher came in.

A.make                       B. to make                              C. making                     D.made

62. She couldn’t bear ................... tears when she saw the film “ Romeo and Juliet”.

A. shed                         B. to shed                               C. shedding                  D. sheds

63. Ann likes .................... but she hates ..................... up.

A.cook/ washing                                                             B.to cook/ wash

C. cooking/ washed                                                       D. cooking/ washing

64. I enjoy ................... to classical music.

A. listening                    B. to listen                              C. listens                          D. listen

65. I really regret ...................... your feeling when I asked you such a silly question.

A. hurt                         B. to hurt                                 C. hurting                        D. hurts

66. He’ll try ..................................... the same mistake again.

A. not make                 B. to not make                       C. not making               D. not to make

67. My parents decided .................... a taxi because it was late.

   A) take                          B) to take                            C) taking                             D) took

68. We enjoy ................. here and ....................... all your news.

   A) be/ hear                    B) to be/ to hear                  C) being/ hear                     D) is/ hearing

69. Ask your friends about your homework. He would be able .................. you.

   A) help                          B) helped                            C) helping                           D) to help

70. Please try ................. quiet when you come home.

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

71. I don’t like anybody ...................... at me.

   A) shout                        B) to shout                          C) shouting                          D) B & C are right

72. Do you agree ........................... me a hand?

   A) give                          B) to give                            C) giving                             D) given

73. Would you like ...................... to the cinema with us tomorrow evening?

   A) to come                    B) come                              C) coming                           D) came

74.When you see Tom, remember ............................. him my regards.

A. give                                 B. to give                            C. giving                                D. given

75.I hope .................... that tiring work again.

A. not do                               B. not to do                       C. not doing                          D. to not do

76.They postpone ............................. an Element School for the lack of finance.

A. built                                     B. to build                        C. building                                D. builds

77.It’s no use ...................... him. He never  allows anybody ...................... advice.

A. advise/ give                    B. to advise/ to give            C. advising/ giving                D. advising/ to give

78.Are his ideas worth ......................... to?

A. listen                               B. to listen                           C. listening                          D. listened

79.He always avoids ........................ me in the streets.

A. meet                                 B. to meet                         C. met                                  D. meeting

80.My parents decided .......................... a taxi because it was late.

A. take                                     B. to take                       C. taking                              D. took

81.Do you agree ................................ me some money?

A. lend                                   B. to lend                          C. lending                                  D. lent

82. Tom refuses ........................ his address.

A. give                                   B. giving                            C. to give                                 D. gave

83. The passengers asked her how ...................to the police station?

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

84.My friends arranged ............................. to the airport in time.

A. meet                                   B. to meet                       C. meeting                            D. met

85.Do you plan .............. out or ............... at home at this weekend?

A. go/ stay                             B. to go/ stay                    C. going/ stay                         D. to go/ staying

86. I dislike ..................... in line.- So do I. That’s why I prefer .................... at night when there are fewer people.

A. wait/ shop                          B. wait/ shopping

C. waiting/ shopping              D. waiting/ to shop

87.He continued ..................................... after his illness.

A. worked                           B. to work                           C. to working                      D. working

88. My watch’s hands keeps ......................................

A. stopping             B. to stop                                         C. stopped                          D.stop

89. My father usually helps me\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ English.

A. to learn              B. lean                   C. learning             D. both A and B

90 My grandfather is used to ........................... up early in the morning.

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

91. Don’t forget ............................... her message when you see her.

A. give                    B. to give              C. giving                      D. gave

92.I can’t help ................................... his opinions.

A. consider              B. to consider                                 C. considering                     D. considered

93.You should try ............................... any shirts you want to buy.

A. wear                    B. to wear                                      C. wearing                          D. wears

94.He used to fall asleep without ................................ his shoes off.

A. take                     B. to take                                       C. taking                             D. taken

95.I stopped .......... about her illness and went on ....... you about all her other problems.

A. to talk/ telling     B.to talk/ to tell                                 C. talking/ telling                 D. talk/ tell

96.I’d love ..................... coat like that.

A. have                     B. to have                                     C. having                            D. has

97.I intend ................... her what I think.

A. tell   B. to tell                  C.telling                               D. told

98.Every hour I stop ....................    .................  a little rest.

A.working/ to have                                                          B. to work/ to have

C. working/ having                                                          D. to work/ having

99.You should give up .....................right now if you want ..................... longer.

A. smoke/ lived                   B. to smoke/ living              C.smoking/ to live               D. smoked/ live

100.Students stopped ....................... noise when the teacher came in.

A. make                              B. to make                          C. making                           D. made

101.When you see her, don’t forget ..................... her my postcards.

A. give                                  B. to give                          C. giving                              D. given

102.Don’t forget ...................... her the message when you see him.

A. give                                  B. to give                          C. giving                              D. gave

103.He spends hours ................... to repair his car.

A. try                              B. to try                                    C. trying                              D. tries

104. I remember ..................... you somewhere last month.

A. met                                 B. to meet                           C. meet                               D. meeting

105.Can you ........................ Chinese?

A) speak                             B) to speak                         C) speaking                        D) spoke

106.Pupils started ....................... the lesson yesterday.

   A) write                         B) to write                           C) writing                            D) written

107.I  like ...................to school by bus, but I hate ............... in the rain and wait for it.

   A) go/ to stand              B) to go/ stand                    C) going/ standing               D) went/ stood

108.Does your sister like ...................?

   A) cooks                       B) cooking                          C) to be cooked     D) being cooked

109.This girl can’t bear .................... alone.

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

110.My uncle has given up .......................

   A) to smoke                  B) smoke                            C) smokes                          D) smoking

111.Do you mind .................... to John ask him ............................ us?

   A) speaking/ to help     B) to speak/ help                 C) speak/ help                    D) speaks/ to help

112.I’ll begin ........................... this novel later.

   A) read                          B) to reading                       C) reading                           D) to read

113.Please stop ................................... me in the middle of the sentence.

   A) interrupt                    B) to interrupt                      C) interrupting                     D) interrupts

114.My brother gave up ................................. two years ago.

   A) smokes                    B) smoke                            C) to smoke                        D) smoking

115.We arranged ..................... the scientists here.

   A) met                           B) to meet                           C) meeting                          D) meet

116.I wish .................. the principal at my school.

   A) see                           B) to see                             C) seeing                            D) saw

117.My girl friend is afraid of  ................. out alone when it gets dark.

   A) goes                         B) to go                               C) going                              D) go

118.He continues ....................... after his illness. But now, he is having stomachache.

   A) working                    B) to work                           C) worked                           D) works

119.I’d like ......................... there .......................... my girlfriend’s parents.

   A) go/ see                     B) to go/ to see                   C) going/ seeing                  D) goes/ seen

120.Would you like ........................ to the party with us?

   A) come                        B) to come                          C) coming                           D) came

121.I was very tired. I tried .......................... my eyes open, but I couldn’t.

   A) keep                         B) kept                                C) keeping                          D) to keep

122.I want ............. a pair of shoes in this shop, but I need to try ....................... them.

   A) buy/ to wear                                                         B) to buy/ to wear

   C) buying/ wearing                                                   D) to buy/ wearing

123.We have to go ................ this morning.

   A) shopping                  B) shopped                         C) being shopped               D) to be shopped

124.He spent hours trying ..................... the clock.

   A) repair                        B) to repair                          C) repairing                         D) repairs

125.It’s no use ............................. for her arrival.

   A) wait                          B) to wait                            C) waiting                            D) waits

126.Is there anything worth ................... here?

   A) buy                           B) to buy                             C) buys                               D) buying

127.The biologist doesn’t allow us ..................... in the laboratory.

   A) smoke                      B) to smoke                        C) smoking                         D) smoked

128.Would you mind ....................... your address on the back of this check?

   A) write                         B) to write                           C) writing                            D) written

129.I don’t enjoy .................... to the dentist’s.

   A) go                             B) to go                               C) going                              D) goes

130.I don’t regret .......................... her what I thought even if it upset her.

   A) to tell                        B) told                                 C) tell                                  D) telling

131.Remember ........................ Katie my greeting card when you see him.

   A) give                          B) to give                            C) giving                             D) gave

132.My friends has given up ...................... and prefers ..................... pork.

   A) drink/ eat                  B) to drink/ eating               C) drinking/ eating              D) drank/ eat

134.I had to ask the boys ..........................     ................................. billiards all the day.

   A) to stop/ playing     B) to stop/ to play                   C) stopping/ playing            D) stops/ to play

135.My teacher promised ................... me .......................... for my next examination.

   A) help/ prepare                                                        B) to help/ prepare

  C) helping/  to prepare                                               D) helped/ preparing

136.I would like him .........................     ............................ more English lessons.

   A) to start/ take             B) to start/ taking                C) starting/ take                  D) starting/ taking

137.I hate ..........................    ................. aloud without ....................... the new words.

   A) practise/ reading/ learn                                        B) to practise/ to read/ to learn

  C)  to practise/ reading/ learning                               D) practises/ reading/ to learn

138.She doesn’t want you .......................... to her arriving.

   A) mention                    B) to mention                      C) mentioning                     D) mentions

139.Did you manage ..........................      ..................... these parcels alone?

   A) finishing/ to pack            B) finishing/ packing

  C) to finish/ to pack                    D) to finish/ packing

140.Can someone .................... me how ............. into film from the camera’s pictures?

   A) show/ change                                                B) to show/ to change

   C) showing/ change      D) show/ to change

141.I’ll try ........................................... such a foolish thing again.

   A) not to cause             B) to not cause                   C) not causing                    D) to cause not

142.Susan has decided ......................... her friends ...................... as  she pleases.

   A) allow/ do                   B) to allow/ to do

   C) deciding/ do             D) deciding/ doing

143.Everybody would like ................................ to a higher position.

   A) promote                   B) promotes                        C) promoting                       D) to promote

144.He climbed over the wall without ............................ by anybody.

   A) seeing                      B) to see                             C) being seen                     D) to be seen

145.I remember ................................ a toy car on my fifth birthday.

   A) to be given               B) being given                    C) to give                            D) giving

146.They always try ..................     ................ the bridge as they  promised before.

   A) to postpone/ to build       B) postpone/ build         C) to postpone/ building            D) postponing/ built

147.I can’t help .......................... for her acceptance.

   A) to wait                      B) waiting                            C) wait                                D) waited

148.Don’t be afraid of .......................... that animal.

   A) touch                        B) touches                          C) touching                         D) to touch

149.I am accustomed to ......................... on my own.

   A) living                         B) to live                             C) live                                 D) lives

150.They are looking forward to ...................... your news.

   A) hear                          B) to hear                            C) hearing                           D) heard

151.American women have got used to .................independently recently.

   A) live                           B) to live                             C) living                               D) lives

152.We won’t let you............... what we are going to do with him.

   A) know                        B) to know                          C) knowing                         D) known

153.Mary agreed ........................ to the circus with Ann.

      A) went                         B) to go                               C) going                              D) goes

154.Mike is considering ................. a new car.

      A) bought                      B) to buy                             C) buying                            D) buys

155.It’s no use ................... his opinion.

      A) asking                      B) to ask                             C) ask                                 D) asks

156.Mrs. Green prefers ................... TV to ................ to the cinema.

      A) watching/ go            B) to watch/ going              C) watching/ going              D) watches/ go

157.She expects .................. him tomorrow, but I look forward to ................... him right away.

      A) see/ see                   B) to see/ see        C) see/ seeing          D) to see/ seeing

158.She should avoid ..................... other people’s feeling.

      A) hurting                      B) to hurt                             C) hurt                                 D) hurts

159.The soil needs ................................. immediately.

      A) fertilize                     B) to fertilize                       C) fertilizing                         D) fertilized

160.They advised me .......................... a raincoat.

      A) wear                         B) to wear                           C) wearing                          D) wore

161.You need ...................... these plants as soon as possible.

      A) fertilize                     B) to fertilize                       C) fertilizing                         D) fertilizes

162.You’d better .................... what you think in front of the conference.

      A) say                           B) to say                             C) saying                            D) said

163.He always tries .............................     ...................... there .......................... her.

      A) delaying/ coming/ meet      B) to delay/ to come/ to meet      C) delaying/ come/ meeting    D) to  delay/ coming/ to meet

164.There is nothing ............................ this situation to her.

      A) hide                          B) to hide                            C) hiding                             D) hidden

165.I regret ............................... able to attend your birthday party yesterday.

      A) not to be                   B) to not be                         C) not be                             D) not being

166.Thank you for ........................ me such a warm message.

      A) send                         B) to send                           C) sending                          D) sent

167.She detests ......................... all day with strangers.

        A) chatting                       B) to chat                    C) to chatting                          D) chat