

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate conjunction or preposition.

1. I finished early I worked fast.
 - a. because
 - b. because of
2. We were late the storm.
 - a. because
 - b. because of
3. trying hard, she could not finish the job on time.
 - a. In spite of
 - b. However
 - c. Although
4. she tried hard, she could not finish the job on time.
 - a. However
 - b. In spite of
 - c. Although
5. waking up early, I was late for work.
 - a. In spite of
 - b. Despite
 - c. Either could be used here
6. the fact that the government refuses to admit it, it has lost the support of the masses.
 - a. Although
 - b. In spite of
 - c. However
7. the government refuses to admit it, its economic policy has failed time and again.
 - a. Though
 - b. However
 - c. In spite of
8. I always take an umbrella it rains.
 - a. in case
 - b. if
 - c. because
9. I wrote down his phone number I should forget it.
 - a. if
 - b. because
 - c. in case
10. I wrote down his phone number I might forget it.
 - a. in case
 - b. if
 - c. because
11. We will buy a chicken we have guests.
 - a. unless
 - b. if

- c. in case of
12. If she is late, we will go her.
a. unless
b. without
13. My best friend, John, is named _____ his great-grandfather.
a. After
b. To
c. About
14. He usually travels to Alexandria _____ train.
a. By
b. At
c. With
15. You frequently see this kind of violence _____ television.
a. With
b. In
c. On
16. I told Mom we would be home _____ about an hour or so.
a. To
b. In
c. At
17. I was visiting my best friend _____ the hospital.
a. Of
b. At
c. In
18. The professor _____ America was a great English teacher.
a. From
b. Of
c. In
19. I'll see you _____ home when I get there.
a. In
b. By
c. At
20. It has been raining _____ summer was over.
a. For
b. Until
c. Since
21. What are the main ingredients _____ this dish.
a. About
b. Of
c. To