

## HESI A2 2023 GRAMMAR EXAM

1. Which sentence is grammatically correct?

- a) Sarah plays her new saxophone well.
- b) The dog catches the freebee good.
- c) The band did good during the half time show.
- d) The band that played before ours was well.

2. Select the word or phrase that makes the sentence grammatically correct?

She was so mad at her boyfriend, she \_\_\_\_\_ on him when he called.

- a) Yelled
- b) Screamed
- c) Speak
- d) Hung up

3. It was a beautiful performance. We all watched her from a balcony in the theater as she danced gracefully across the \_\_\_\_\_ stage.

- a) Massive
- b) Stunningly
- c) Lonely
- d) Misery

4. John F. Kennedy was a senator before he \_\_\_\_\_ president in 1960.

- a) Elected
- b) Was electing
- c) Was elected
- d) Had elected

5. Identify the dependent clause in this sentence:

The mother dog left her bed as soon as the puppies were asleep.

a) As soon as the puppies were asleep

b) Left her bed as soon as

c) The puppies were asleep

d) The mother dog left her bed

6. You \_\_\_\_\_ on your final exam.

a) Worked

b) Forget

c) Did well

d) Done good

7. Two students \_\_\_\_\_ their professor about possibility of obtaining good grade in class.

a) Asked

b) Is

c) Was

d) Could

8. When a person finds \_\_\_\_\_ in a stressful situation, it helps to breathe deeply.

a) Oneself

b) yourself

c) Themselves

d) Itself

9. Children generally \_\_\_\_\_ with others of the same size and age.

a) Play

b) Plays

c) Played

d) Playing

10. Scissors should never be \_\_\_\_\_ by the handle.

- a) Carry
- b) Carries
- c) Carried
- d) Carrying

11. The child cried, "I want to do it \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Mine
- b) Me
- c) Myself
- d) Me self

12. During the storm, the glass in three of the windows was broken.

- a) Broken
- b) Breaks
- c) Was broken
- d) Were broken

13. He \_\_\_\_\_ football game.

- a) Never almost attends
- b) Almost never attends
- c) Almost attends never
- d) Attends almost never

14. In order to be admitted to the university, he \_\_\_\_\_ to make an application by May 15<sup>th</sup>.

- a) Has
- b) Have
- c) Might
- d) Should

15. \_\_\_\_\_ you taking a cruise to commemorate your wedding anniversary?

- a) Are
- b) Is
- c) Was
- d) Could