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B1 Vocabulary Development Series — Part 2

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Vocabulary Development -- B1 (Series 2)

Technology, Architecture and Society -- choose the best word.

Instructions: Circle the correct letter A, B, C or D for each question.

- 1 The new office tower has more than 40 _____, making it one of the tallest buildings in the city.
A stores B storages C stories D storeys
- 2 Every house on the new estate looks exactly the same; it is a very _____ design.
A ornate B innovative C traditional D uniform
- 3 I wish someone would invent a simple _____ for opening stubborn jars.
A devise B device C trigger D pulley
- 4 Even though the cottage is over a century old, it has been beautifully _____.
A maintained B condemned C occupied D demolished
- 5 The newest _____ for commuters is an app that reroutes your journey using live traffic data.
A innovate B inventor C innovator D innovation
- 6 The city council _____ two new footbridges last year to ease congestion.
A build B building C built D built up
- 7 This app performs almost the same _____ as a personal assistant, only online.
A function B frame C feature D form
- 8 Cloud storage lets us _____ our files from any device, anywhere in the world.
A access B accept C scroll D supply
- 9 The car's dashboard _____ your current speed and remaining fuel.
A devises B designs C displays D discovers
- 10 The factory's production line has been fully _____, so very few workers are needed now.
A automatic B automated C computerise D digital
- 11 I found the exact statistics _____ a government report published online.
A by B in C for D on
- 12 The entire building was designed _____ a firm known for sustainable architecture.
A by B in C on D with
- 13 The neighbourhood has become increasingly _____, with residents from more than thirty countries.
A culture B cultural C multiculture D multicultural
- 14 The new app _____ users to track their daily water intake.
A enables B ensures C ensures D encloses
- 15 We need to _____ the old wiring before moving into the house.



- A** replace **B** replay **C** relocate **D** retype
- 16** The architect presented a _____ that combined modern and traditional styles.
- A** proposal **B** proposition **C** proportion **D** prediction
- 17** Smart home technology has become increasingly _____ in recent years.
- A** popularity **B** popularise **C** popular **D** populated
- 18** The museum _____ artefacts from the ancient civilization.
- A** houses **B** households **C** housekeeper **D** housing
- 19** The city plans to _____ its public transport system by 2025.
- A** modernize **B** modularize **C** moralize **D** monetize
- 20** Renewable energy sources are becoming more _____ each year.
- A** afford **B** affordable **C** affordability **D** afforded

ANSWER KEY

- 1** D) storeys 2. D) uniform 3. B) device 4. A) maintained 5. D) innovation
6 C) built 7. A) function 8. A) access 9. C) displays 10. B) automated
11 B) in 12. A) by 13. D) multicultural 14. A) enables 15. A) replace
16 A) proposal 17. C) popular 18. A) houses 19. A) modernize 20. B) affordable