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EXERCISES

A VOCABULARY

Choose the correct expression from the table to complete each sentence.

EXERCISE 1

WORD BANK:

biased	query	dubious	reckon	ring a bell
illegible	deduce	puzzle out	prejudiced	baffle
swot up	illiterate	hunch	ingenious	hit upon

1. After reading the witness statement twice, the detective managed to who the real culprit was.
2. I have a that the meeting will be postponed, even though nothing has been announced yet.
3. The old professor was so against new teaching methods that he refused to even discuss them.
4. We finally a strategy that satisfied both parties after weeks of fruitless negotiations.
5. The candidate's vague and contradictory answers made the entire panel feel rather about her competence.
6. His handwriting was so that the bank refused to accept the signed form.
7. No matter how many times I've read these instructions, I still can't how this device is supposed to work.
8. Although the speaker's name didn't initially, I realised halfway through that I had read one of her books.
9. The journalist was accused of being in favour of the ruling party during the televised debate.
10. I need to on Renaissance art before I give the lecture next week.
11. It's hard to believe that in the twenty-first century there are still communities where most people are
12. The complexity of the legal system continues to even experienced lawyers.
13. I'd like to raise a regarding the figures in your latest financial report.

14.I the organisers underestimated how many people would attend the event.

15.The engineer came up with such an solution that the entire project was completed ahead of schedule.

EXERCISE 2

WORD BANK:

revolt	refine	deteriorate	persist	distort
substitute	refine	sustain	complex	amend
broadband	breakthrough	decay	evolve	endure

1.Despite criticism, the artist chose to in his unconventional style, refusing to make any changes.

2.Authorities attempted to prevent the plannedby introducing a strict curfew.

3.If we don't repair the roof, the wooden beams will quickly begin to

4.To maintain good physical condition, you need to healthy habits over a long period.

5.The company had to its production process to meet the new quality standards.

6.Over the course of several months, the climate in the region began to noticeably, making life harder for the residents.

7.The development of artificial intelligence is a true technological of the 21st century.

8.Access to fast internet has become essential for remote work.

9.The evolution of language shows how words can and change their meanings over centuries.

10.Historians often warn that sources can facts if written from a certain perspective.

11.For centuries, the city has had to wars, natural disasters, and economic crises.

12.After a heated debate, parliament decided to the bill so that it would better serve citizens' needs.

13.If you don't have a certain ingredient, you can it with a similar one to avoid wasting the whole dish.

14.The architect created an exceptionally design that required the collaboration of many specialists.

15.Despite obstacles, the researchers continued to their method until they achieved reliable results.

EXERCISE 3

WORD BANK:

contemporary	interim	expire	provisional	elapse
span	simultaneous	stint	subsequent	overdue
prior	redundant	instantaneous	abrupt	lapse

1.The president appointed an committee to manage the organisation until new elections could be held.

2.My passport will in two months, so I need to arrange a renewal soon.

3.The rescue teams acted with almost precision once the alarm was raised.

4.After his as a volunteer in Africa, he decided to pursue a career in humanitarian work.

5.Several hours had to before the road was cleared and traffic could resume.

6.The meeting came to an end when the fire alarm sounded.

7.Her critics often failed to recognise the significance of her work, which is now celebrated worldwide.

8.The committee's decision will be until the full board votes on the matter.

9.The two events were, causing confusion among reporters covering the story.

10.In the weeks, the company's stock value doubled.

11.He had been warned to the trip about the potential dangers, but he ignored the advice.

12.The report is already , so please submit it by the end of the day.

13.Many of the factory workers were made when the plant closed.

14.The bridge's design allows it to the entire width of the river without additional supports.

15.The pilot's momentary in concentration nearly caused a serious accident.

EXERCISE 4

WORD BANK:

ascend	clamber	dash	drift	bounce
float	velocity	leap	skid	stride
descend	fumble	roam	clutch	accelerate

- 1.On the icy road, the car began to dangerously towards the barrier.
- 2.The mountaineers began to the steep icy slope just before sunrise.
- 3.In his youth, he would often the countryside for hours without a fixed destination.
- 4.The ball hit the wall and began to uncontrollably across the court.
- 5.Realising he was late, he made a desperate for the bus stop.
- 6.She had to over the fallen tree to reach the narrow path on the other side.
- 7.The spacecraft re-entered the atmosphere at a dangerously high
- 8.As darkness fell, they began to carefully into the canyon.
- 9.Terrified, she tried to her handbag tightly as the crowd pushed past her.
- 10.Without a clear plan, the conversation began to from one unrelated topic to another.
- 11.The train began to as it left the station, quickly picking up speed.
- 12.She began to for her keys in the bottom of her bag while the rain poured down.
- 13.We watched the paper lantern gently into the night sky.
- 14.Morgan entered the hall with a confident, drawing everyone's attention.
- 15.With one final push, the athlete managed to over the finish-line obstacle.

EXERCISE 5

WORD BANK:

comprehend	exaggerate	slip away	hint	blunt
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quibble	mumble	vague	denounce	flatter
assert	allege	placard	gist	ambiguous

1. Isla began to her response, making it hard for anyone to hear clearly.
2. The witness continued to his innocence despite the mounting evidence against him.
3. After quietly saying goodbye, he managed to before anyone could ask questions.
4. The activist stood in the square holding a large demanding immediate action.
5. His account of the event tended to the danger, making it sound far more dramatic than it was.
6. The teacher asked if the student could the deeper meaning of the poem.
7. I don't want to you, but your presentation was truly exceptional.
8. The report remained frustratingly, leaving out key details the public wanted to know.
9. During the heated meeting, she chose to the policy as unethical and dangerous.
10. The final paragraph gave the of the argument, but left out the supporting evidence.
11. His instructions were so that no one was sure what to do next.
12. The lawyer refused to over minor details, focusing instead on the main legal issue.
13. The journalist was quick to corruption in the mayor's office, though no proof was yet available.
14. Hoping not to cause alarm, he tried to at the problem rather than stating it outright.
15. Her criticism was so that some people found it offensive, even if it was honest.

EXERCISE 6

WORD BANK:

deliberate	manifesto	startle	wobble	utter
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