

(1 VARIANT)

Fill in : joke, moody, catch, trusting, prescription, selfish, patient, pain, earn, tooth decay, agency, screen, ancient

1. She's a \_\_\_\_\_ woman. She can be happy one minute and angry the next.
2. A \_\_\_\_\_ child believes everything you tell him and follows where you lead.
3. The doctor wrote him a \_\_\_\_\_ for two tablets.
4. Yesterday I fell off the bike and now I have a \_\_\_\_\_ in the knee.
5. Did you book the tickets on the Internet or at a travel \_\_\_\_\_?
6. It's boiling hot today – don't forget to put some sun \_\_\_\_\_ on!
7. Be \_\_\_\_\_, your time will come.
8. If a ship is sinking and you refuse to let anyone else into your 4-person lifeboat, you're extremely \_\_\_\_\_.
9. How much does Kate \_\_\_\_\_ from her job?
10. She's always playing a \_\_\_\_\_ on Sam.
11. You can \_\_\_\_\_ the local bus to get to the city centre.
12. Tom is interested in studying the history of \_\_\_\_\_ civilizations.
13. Cleaning your teeth twice a day helps to prevent \_\_\_\_\_.

Put the verbs in the correct form

14. They (**think**) of going to France for a week.
15. We (**wander**) around the town when we went into Mary yesterday.
16. Bread (**eat**) every day.
17. Judy is a really caring person. I (**know**) her since we met at primary school.
18. If it rained, you would (**stay**) at home.
19. Our plane (**arrive**) early in the morning.
20. I (**answer**) five e-mails so far.
21. She (**work**) since seven o'clock.
22. If we heat water it (**boil**).
23. Two reports on Hemingway's stories (**make**) in our group last month. Both of them were very interesting.

Change the following sentences into reported speech

24. "Have you ever been married, Captain Weadows?" I asked him.
25. He said in an apologetic manner, "I've been looking for you, Nancy."
26. He said: "Hurry up! Find your hockey stick. I'll be waiting for you outside."

Fill in the correct prepositions of the phrasal verbs

27. I look \_\_\_\_\_ hearing from you.
28. Turn \_\_\_\_\_ the volume on the radio! It's too loud!
29. Kerry gave \_\_\_\_\_ all her old clothes.
30. I ran \_\_\_\_\_ Moira on the way home.
31. What are your neighbours like? Do you get \_\_\_\_\_ them?
32. Few people these days are in favour of bringing \_\_\_\_\_ the old punishment by death.
33. I looked \_\_\_\_\_ my younger brother and sister while my parents were working.

Fill in the correct preposition

34. Not exercising enough can result \_\_\_\_\_ problems later in life.
35. I'm thinking \_\_\_\_\_ giving up coffee.
36. Paul is finding it hard to cope \_\_\_\_\_ his schoolwork.

Fill in the correct word derived from the word in bold

37. My best friend Carmel is the most helpful person I know. She's an \_\_\_\_\_ to me. **INSPIRE**
38. Owing up to breaking the window was the \_\_\_\_\_ thing to do. **HONOUR**
39. Adventurous people get a lot of \_\_\_\_\_ going skydiving or rafting. **ENJOY**
40. In the USA \_\_\_\_\_ Day is celebrated on July 4 **INDEPEND**
41. We wish you the fastest \_\_\_\_\_. **RECOVER**
42. Please, express your \_\_\_\_\_ with new rules directly. **DISAGREE**
43. Jack stared at Helen in \_\_\_\_\_. **AMAZE**
44. Stay in our comfortable \_\_\_\_\_ and relax in style! **ACCOMMODATE**
45. It's \_\_\_\_\_ to buy cigarettes in Britain if you're under 16. **LEGAL**
46. They admitted that it had been \_\_\_\_\_ for him to comment on the matter. **APPROPRIATE**
47. He was \_\_\_\_\_ single-minded about his career. **POSSIBLE**

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Before Kathy got a part in "MAMMA MIA!", she trained as a musical performer. At the age of 14 she started singing lessons. She took part in amateur dramatics, sang with school bands and danced on stage. "The fascinating thing about musicals is that they are a combination of singing, dancing and acting", she explains. The training she did was tough, but she covered all "stage disciplines". To conclude her studies, Kathy had to take a one-hour exam.

The way this musical came about is rather unusual. Normally, here is a story first and then the music is composed and songs written to accompany the plot. In the case of "MAMMA MIA!" it is the other way round. The songs were already successes before it dawned on anyone to make a musical. Even Bjorn Ulvaeus, composer of almost all ABBA's hits, was thrilled to discover he had written the music for a musical he "didn't know existed".

48. Together with around 40 other singers she ...
- sings popular ABBA's songs.
  - dances and sings.
  - goes on stage eight times a week.
49. ... has the audience singing along.
- The positive feel to the music...
  - The interesting plot of the musical...
  - The perfect play of singers...
50. The way this musical came about is ...
- rather normal.
  - rather unusual.
  - rather interesting.

(2 VARIANT)

Fill in : annual, stored, delayed, stage, reused, sick, spicy food, repellent, vendors, package, low carbohydrate diet, dryer, hire

1. When we arrived at the main street of the town, we saw different \_\_\_\_\_ selling their unusual souvenirs.
2. Bisket Jatra festival is an \_\_\_\_\_ event which takes place every year in spring.
3. Jenny is on a \_\_\_\_\_ so don't offer her any bread!
4. Jennifer has you always wanted to perform on \_\_\_\_\_ but she has been too scared to do it.
5. The passengers had to wait for several hours in the airport because their flight had been \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Nuclear waste is \_\_\_\_\_ close to the town.
7. I believe all things should be \_\_\_\_\_ as much as possible.
8. Put some of this insect \_\_\_\_\_ on – there are mosquitoes around here!
9. I hate travelling by boat because I get sea \_\_\_\_\_.
10. I need to buy a new hair \_\_\_\_\_; the old one is broken.
11. I love \_\_\_\_\_ but it gives me terrible indigestion.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ holidays are organized by a.
13. They are planning to visit Spain and are going to \_\_\_\_\_ a car.

Put the verbs in the correct form

14. Who (**talk**) to on the phone when I came in?
15. If I had been free yesterday, I would (**join**) you.
16. Let's ask Tom. He (**probably / know**) the answer.
17. The letter (**receive**) yesterday.
18. She is well-informed about politics because she (**read**) the newspaper every day.
19. Ms Smith (**work**) as a sales representative for three years.
20. In her job, she (**drive**) around a lot to meet her customers all over the country.
21. At the moment, Ms Smith (**stand**) in her hotel room.
22. If you finish your homework, we (**go**) to the cinema.
23. I'm sure I (**ask**) at the lesson tomorrow.

Change the following sentences into reported speech

24. "Is it true that in England the grass remains green all the year round?" asked the boy.
25. "Anne will be leaving school next year", she said.
26. Helen said: "Don't even ring me up! I'll be working at my translation."

Fill in the correct prepositions of the phrasal verbs

27. He has decided to **give** \_\_\_\_\_ smoking.
28. I think that you have much free time. **Take** \_\_\_\_\_ some hobby!
29. I told her to **look** \_\_\_\_\_ the word in the dictionary.
30. The rubbish bins **gave** \_\_\_\_\_ a nasty smell in the hot weather.
31. You should **take** this dress \_\_\_\_\_ the waist. It's too big.
32. Try to eat your dinner, Jane, you've just been **picking** \_\_\_\_\_ it.
33. Slow down, you might **run** someone \_\_\_\_\_.

Fill in the correct preposition

34. Lana keeps house well, she is good \_\_\_\_\_ housekeeping.
35. Extreme sports are my passion. I am keen \_\_\_\_\_ rock climbing and paragliding.
36. Mum often suffers \_\_\_\_\_ terrible back pain.

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37. My family is always very \_\_\_\_\_ of my decisions.
38. She's a very \_\_\_\_\_ person; no wonder she's a babysitter.

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| 39. He's a well _____ man in the community.                           | <b>RESPECT</b>     |
| 40. This actor is very _____ in England.                              | <b>FAME</b>        |
| 41. My car is very _____ I don't spend much money on petrol.          | <b>ECONOMY</b>     |
| 42. School uniforms don't help young people develop a sense of _____. | <b>INDIVIDUAL</b>  |
| 43. I really love this shop as the prices are quite _____.            | <b>AFFORD</b>      |
| 44. Valentin Yudashkin is probably Russia's most famous fashion _____ | <b>DESIGN</b>      |
| 45. We had to go out because the smell in the room was very _____.    | <b>PLEASANT</b>    |
| 46. The instructions are _____ as the task is quite simple.           | <b>NECESSARY</b>   |
| 47. It was _____ of him to allow this to happen.                      | <b>RESPONSIBLE</b> |

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- to sing popular songs.
  - to be a musical star.
  - to go out on the stage.
49. Before Kathy got a part in "MAMMA MIA!", she ...
- worked as a nurse.
  - trained as a musical performer.
  - studied at school.
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  - they are a combination of singing and playing.
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