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Use the context to match them with their meanings.

Example

1. Throwing the goalkeeper **off guard**, he kicked the penalty shot right between the goalposts.
2. The ideal place to raise a family is a quiet **residential** neighborhood with parks and schools.
3. The coach blamed the team's weak **defense** for their recent losses.
4. Second-year students can **preregister** for fall courses between May 5 and May 9.
5. Banks and insurance brokers are part of the financial services **sector**.
6. "There will be a penalty if you **turn in** your term paper late," announced the professor.
7. Tourism has replaced farming and fishing as the island's main sources of **revenue**.
8. You can order a copy of your transcript from student **Administrative** Services.
9. Ottawa is the capital city of Canada but Toronto is the country's largest city and the main **commercial** center.
10. The lion's attempt to **rush** the herd of zebras caused them to scatter in all directions.

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Definitions

A. To enroll for classes in advance.

B. Unprepared, surprised.

C. Relating to homes and places where people live.

D. A specific area of economic activity.

E. Players that stop the opposing team from scoring.

F. Income, money earned from selling goods and services.

G. Relating to business and trade.

H. To give a document to a person in authority.

I. To run forward in attack.

J. Relating to the management of an organization.

With a partner, choose one of the following situations to give and challenge excuses.

1. You were supposed to meet your friend at the library to study, but you forgot about it and didn't go.
2. Your professor is asking you why you missed the deadline to turn in your term paper.
3. You go to a dinner party at a friend's house and see that all the other guests have brought a dish of food with them. You show up empty-handed.
4. You work in an electronics store. A customer bought a smartphone from you two days ago. The customer has come back and would like to return the phone because the screen is cracked.

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Find the meaning to each idiomatic expression using the text.

1. Got me through
   a. Helped me understand
   b. Taught me how to move
   c. Helped me survive
2. Dragged me, kicking and screaming
   a. Made me behave badly
   b. Made me do something I didn't want to do
   c. Made a lot of noise
3. Six-foot-four wall- of – a- guy
   a. Very stubborn
   b. Very tall and well built
   c. Very fat
4. Old-school
   a. He had traditional or old-fashioned ides and methods
   b. He was born a lint time ago
   c. He was an old student
5. Scared to death
   a. Afraid to die
   b. Very afraid
   c. Very anxious
6. To their detriment
   a. To their good fortune
   b. In a harmful way for them
   c. By mistake
7. Get the fundamentals down
   a. Master the fundamentals
   b. Put them on the ground
   c. Forget them
8. You owe me
   a. You have to give me money
   b. You promised me something
   c. You will do something for me in the future
9. Messing up
   a. Making something dirty
   b. Doing something incorrectly
   c. Making a mess
10. Stuck with me
    a. Had to go wherever I went
    b. Always remained in my memory
    c. Was in one of my books
11. Worked in a no-coddling zone
    a. Had no rules
    b. Was unfriendly
    c. Didn't protect children too much
12. He just keeps showing up in my head
    a. He visits me often
    b. He is often on TV shows
    c. I keep on remembering him

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Complete the sentences with the appropriate words.

awkward – affectionate – catastrophic – desolate - disposition – ecosystem – ferocious – migratory – pilgrimage – predatory – reserves – retreat - teem

1. Antarctica is a _____area with a cold climate, so not many species of plants, animals, or birds can survive there.
2. Penguins are generous and _____birds; both parents take turns looking after the young chicks, and they even take care of any orphaned chicks in their colony.
3. A landslide or a flood can not only be _____for nesting penguins, but also for the entire _____of Antarctica.
4. Penguins are _____birds that travel great distances every year, even though they cannot fly.
5. Most species of seal in Antarctica feed on krill, squid, and fish. The leopard seal, however, can be a _____ predator, eating penguins and even other seals.
6. Penguins will often approach the edge of a cliff and _____several times before actually jumping into the icy waters below.
7. During their _____to Antarctica each spring, penguins rely on their fat _____for energy as they swim hundreds of miles through freezing water.
8. When the baby penguins finally break out of their shells, the penguin colony begins to _____with life.
9. Penguins generally have a playful and curious _____unless their nests and babies are under attack.
10. Unlike the Arctic, few _____animals live in Antarctica, which makes it a more hospitable area for penguins to breed and raise their young.
11. On land, penguins waddle and look very _____, but in the water, they move swiftly and gracefully.

What do you know about global warming and the gradual melting of the polar icecaps? What can be done to prevent it?

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Read the sentences and use the context to figure out the meaning of the underlined words.

1. IKEA is the largest and fastest-growing furniture **retailer** in the world.
   a. Factory that makes products.
   b. Business that sells products to consumers.
   c. Business that sells products to stores.
2. Swedish businessman Ingvar Kamprad was the founder and former **chairman** of IKEA.
   a. Person in charge of a company.
   b. Manager of a store.
   c. Person who designs chairs.
3. When he could no longer handle the **distribution** of goods himself, he started a mail-order service.
   a. production
   b. storage
   c. Delivery
4. He decided to **diversify** his product line by adding furniture.
   a. Increase the variety of.
   b. Increase advertising for.
   c. Replace company.
5. IKEA stays competitive by meeting **market demands**.
   a. Increases in sales
   b. Business requirements
   c. What consumers want to buy.
6. With so many retail outlets, IKEA orders large volumes from its **manufacturers**.
   a. Company managers.
   b. Places where products are stored.
   c. Factories that make products.
7. In 2018, IKEA Group reported €38.8 billion in total **sales revenues** and, after operating costs and taxes, net profits of €1.47 billion.
   a. Expenses for business operations
   b. Income after taxes and expenses
   c. Income before taxes and expenses
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   a. Income after taxes and expenses.
   b. Income before taxes and expenses.
   c. Expenses for business operations.

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Match the words to their definitions

Words from the article	Answers	Definitions
1. Affordable		a. Practical
2. Bulk		b. Allows
3. Comply with		c. Huge
4. Components		d. Parts of a larger construction
5. Conveniently		e. Wholesale
6. Enables		f. Easily
7. Enormous		g. Meet specific standards
8. Expanded		h. Inexpensive
9. Functional		i. Made bigger
10. Innovative		j. Intelligence
11. Prosperous		k. Secure and lasting
12. Savvy		l. Difficult
13. Stable		m. Quantities
14. Sustain		n. Maintain
15. Tough		o. New and original
16. Volumes		p. Wealthy

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Read the following examples and decide which figurative language is used in each one and explain the reasons why

1. The stars are diamonds in the sky and the moon a golden medallion.
2. The sun smiled down on us as we trekked across the glacier.
3. Life is like a roller coaster – one minute you're up and the next you're down.
4. The ship cradled us in her arms as the angry waves tossed us to and fro.
5. The case was as light as a feather. Its contents were like air.
6. The pleasant news was music to my ears.
7. The structure of an atom is like a solar system. The nucleus is the sun, and the electrons are the planets orbiting the sun.

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Fill in the blanks with suitable words from the list.

habitats	endangered	preserve	natural reserve	species

There are a lot of animal _____ around the world. Each species shares the same characteristics which put them in one group. Some of the species are threatened to be extinct. The Arabian leopard, for example, is an _____ animal. Governments are working hard to _____ this group of big cats. They made _____ and wrote laws to protect them. They are also trying to maintain their natural _____ where they can live safely and raise their babies away from danger.

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Brainstorm Ideas

Think about your childhood dreams. Reflect on your most important dream whether it came true.
Complete the following chart with information about your dream.

Your dream	⋙	Main idea Supporting detail 1 Supporting detail 2
Your efforts to fulfill your dream.	⋙	Your actions Other factors
The result	⋙	Effect/ result Cause / reason

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Match the words with their definitions

Examples	Answer
1. After our heated argument, we decided to calmly discuss the issue in order to **resolve** our difference.	
2. Grandparents have the tendency to **dote on** their grandchildren, often spoiling them.	
3. Teenagers want to feel grown up and **resent** being treated like children.	
4. This is none of your concern, so please don't **interfere** in my business.	
5. Neither of us got completely what we wanted, but we did manage to **compromise**.	

Definitions
a. To give someone a lot of love or attention.
b. To reach an agreement in which both sides give up something.
c. To be upset about something you think is not fair.
d. To get involved in someone else's affairs when it is not wanted.
e. To find a solution; to settle an issue.

Complete the sentences with words and phrases from the box.

dote on – favor – interfere in - quarrel with – resent – take sides

1. Janine thinks her mother used to _____her older brother over her.
2. David says his family used to _____his little sister.
3. David used to _____that his younger sister got most of his parents' attention.
4. Janine didn't often _____her older brother.
5. Janine says her parents would _____when she and her brother argued.
6. David's sister doesn't want him to _____her life.

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Grammar
Past time: past perfect simple

Past perfect tells about an event that happened in the past and was finished before another action took place. This particular tense is used to describe an action that took place and was interrupted by another action.

I **came** home and I **saw** that someone **had left** a note on the table.

Rule:

Affirmative	Subject + had + past participle + object
Negative	Subject + had not + past participle + object
Question	Had + subject + past participle + object

Example

Affirmative	She **had practiced** the piano a year ago.
Negative	She **had** not **practiced** the piano a year ago.
Question	**Had** she **practiced** the piano a year ago?

Activity

Present tense	**Ahmad drives the car fast.**
Affirmative Past perfect	
Negative	
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Present tense	**The boy stole the ball.**
Affirmative Past perfect	
Negative	
Question	

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Past Perfect Simple: the use of "never or never before"

Rule:

Never (before) + had + subject + past participle verb

Sentence without inversion:
- She had never visited Paris before.

Sentence with inversion:
- Never before had she visited Paris.

In this example, the first sentence is in the standard word order with the subject "She" before the auxiliary verb "had."
In the second sentence, the structure is inverted, placing the auxiliary verb "had" before the subject "she."

1. **Statement without inversion:**
   - They had never seen such a beautiful sunset before.
   Statement with inversion:
   - Never before had they seen such a beautiful sunset.

2. **Statement without inversion:**
   - I had never tasted such delicious food before.
   Statement with inversion:
   - Never before had I tasted such delicious food.

3. **Statement without inversion:**
   - We had never experienced such a challenging task before.
   Statement with inversion:
   - Never before had we experienced such a challenging task.

This construction is more commonly found in formal or literary contexts, adding emphasis to the uniqueness or significance of the event being described.

Activity
Use (never or never before) in the sentences

1. I had never before met someone as talented as her.

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2. They had never visited the Grand Canyon in their lives.

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3. He had never before experienced such excitement in his entire life.

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4. We had never seen such a beautiful sunrise at that beach.

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5. Mary had never encountered such a difficult puzzle.

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Read the following poem, then answer the questions

Growing garden

My family is a growing garden filled with
lively trees, and precious-colored tulips.

The sun is always smiling at us, and waves its hand with a bright smile, lightening our day.

Dad is like tree roots, hard to pull, but hold our happiness together.

Mum is the tree trunk, quiet, works hard, protects us, and focuses on what she is doing.

My brother is the leaf that giggles about
And tingles when fear arrives.

And I am the violet tulip that
Rises up and sprays Color over my family's dark feelings.

What is the poem about?

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Underline the lines that include figurative language then write its kind.

Simile	Personification
metaphor	Analogy

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Match the words with their definitions

Examples	Answers
Breadwinner	
Clerical	
Extended family	
Flextime	
Glass ceiling	
Immediate family	
In touch	

Definitions
a. Something that prevents someone, especially a woman from getting a more important position at work.
b. Changing arrival and departure time at work.
c. Concerned with work that is done in an office
d. Able to contact each other regularly.
e. Person who earns money for a family to live on.
f. Children, parents, grandparents, brothers, sisters, and other relatives line aunts , uncle and cousins.
g. Parents, children, brothers, sisters, husband, wife.

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(Proofreading) Find the mistakes in the following text.

Paragraphing - Homophones (week/weak) - Missing words - Punctuation - Irregular verbs - Verb tenses - Spelling

The Beach

Do you no what Ryan did last weakend. He went to the beech with his family. First, Ryan builded a huge sand Kasle. Then, he collect seashells and rocks. After that, he goed to swimming with his brother. Ryan has a wonderful time at the beach.

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Complete the sentences with words from the box.

arrogance- assumption – conflict – entitlement – longevity – miss the mark – perception – self –esteem – spouse- syndrome

1. Although usually very confident, the harsh criticism she received has affected her _____.
2. According to statistics, the _____of women is usually greater than that of men.
3. Two siblings may have a completely different _____of an event and therefore they will not react to it or remember it in the same way.
4. Often, the best way to resolve a family _____is by talking honestly and rationally about the issue.
5. If parents constantly tell their child how handsome and how smart he is, it may lead to _____instead of the quiet confidence they were hoping for
6. Similarly, if parents always give their child everything she wants, it may lead to a sense of _____, and she will expect others to do the same.
7. The "Me, me, me" _____characterizes the younger generation who tend to focus on themselves than anyone else's.
8. When people get married, we typically say they are now husband and wife, not husband and _____.
9. If you make the _____that parents love all of their children equally and do not choose favorites, you might be mistaken.
10. Likewise, people who assume that children love all of their siblings equally and do not choose favorites_____

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Correct the mistakes in the following sentence. 5 MISTAKES

When the presentation was about to begin the teacher annouced that one of the groups werent ready and needed five more minute's to prepare their materiel.

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Complete the sentences with correct adjectives.

selfish, ambitious, smart, straightforward, shy, scared,
arrogant, bad tempered, snobbish, distant

1. I was _____ when I heard strange noises in the middle of the night.
2. His _____ nature drove him to work hard every day to achieve his dreams.
3. Her explanation was _____and easy to understand.
4. She was so _____ that she didn't even offer a piece of her chocolate to her friends.
5. His _____ attitude made it difficult for anyone to work with him.
6. The _____ manager yelled at the employees for no reason.
7. He acted _____ towards people who didn't share his taste in music.
8. The _____ student quickly solved the challenging math problem.
9. Despite being in the same room, she seemed _____, as if she was lost in her thoughts.
10. The _____ boy avoided speaking in front of the class, even though he knew the answer.

Making inferences about a relationship from a dialogue

"The Group Project"

Noura: Ugh, Hana, I can't believe you still haven't finished your part of the presentation. We're supposed to present tomorrow!

Hana: I know, Noura, I'm sorry. I've been really busy with family stuff, and I just haven't had the time.

Noura: *(crosses her arms)* Everyone is busy, Hana, but I still managed to finish my part. Honestly, it feels like I'm doing all the work.

Hana: *(looks down nervously)* I said I was sorry, didn't I? I'll stay up late tonight and get it done, okay?

Noura: *(sighs and rolls her eyes)* Fine, but it better not be rushed or sloppy. This project counts for 40% of our grade, and I'm not about to fail because you didn't take it seriously.

Hana: *(mutters quietly)* You don't have to be so mean about it.

Noura: *(softens slightly)* Look, I'm just stressed, okay? I want us to do well. Let me know if you need help tonight, but don't make me regret it.

Hana: *(smiles faintly)* Thanks, Noura. I'll figure it out. I appreciate your help.

Read the following dialogue, notice the tone, word choice, and body language, then make an inference on the kind of relationship between these two friends.

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Spot and correct the mistakes

Although she was exausted after working a ten-hour shift but she still managed to cooked dinner for her family and cleaned the house before going to bed.

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Write an expository essay about: Work-life balance

Work-life balance is essential for maintaining physical health, mental well-being, and productivity. However, many people face challenges in achieving this balance. Write an expository essay explaining the importance of work-life balance, the challenges people face in maintaining it, and practical tips to achieve a healthy balance between work and personal life.

- ✓ What are the main obstacles people face when trying to balance their work and personal life?
- ✓ How do long working hours, stress, or technology impact work-life balance?
- ✓ How does achieving work-life balance improve physical and mental health?
- ✓ In what ways can work-life balance enhance relationships and productivity?
- ✓ What practical steps can individuals take to create a better work-life balance (e.g., time management, setting boundaries)?
- ✓ How can employers and workplaces support their employees in maintaining work-life balance?

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