

Choose the correct preposition to form collocations.

1. We need to be _____ time or our professor will get angry. He is very punctual.
2. It feels like owning a house is _____ reach. I'll never be able to do it.
3. The Wilsons thought about it a lot and _____ last they decided to buy a new flat.
4. The Bornyakovs usually read books in the evenings, but yesterday they watched a film _____ a change.
5. Sue was really _____ danger for a few minutes in the rough sea, but luckily a lifeguard saw her.
6. I paid for lunch _____ advance, so we don't need to pay now.
7. Unfortunately, I brought the wrong flash card _____ mistake.
8. I went to the bookshop and _____ chance I found a really interesting book by T.Larina.
9. He walked into the kitchen and _____ his surprise there was food all over the floor.
10. She drinks a litre of water every day _____ fail.
11. It's best to arrive _____ foot because there is nowhere to park.
12. What do a whale and a dolphin have _____ common?
13. What a misfortune! He added salt instead of sugar _____ mistake.
14. What's your favourite thing to do? _____ instance, do you like sport?
15. Please come _____ once. We have a big problem here.
16. She worked very hard and _____ last she managed to pass the exam.
17. Please let me know _____ advance if you can't come to the meeting.
18. The little girl broke the toy _____ purpose because she was so angry.

