

Advanced Expert: Vocabulary 1A – 1B

Instructions:

1. Drag the word in the box below according to the correct meaning.

Against the odds 	Heavy workload 	To take a risk
Foresee 	Rely on 	Hold back
Vouch 	Scrape through 	Cut back
Snap up 		

1. enormous amount of work	6. to count on someone
2. contrary to all expectations	7. to buy or take something quickly
3. live dangerously	8. keep
4. expect	9. testify
5. to reduce an amount or frequency	10. get by

2. Complete the gap of each sentence using the words of the chart.

heavy workloads - scrape through - cut back - to take risks – foresee - snap up - hold back - vouch - against all odds - rely on

1. In the last minute..... the Ecuadorian football team won by a goal difference.
2. Despite the fact that some parents have they will always look for time to enjoy with their children.
3. I asked my boss to on my work because I need time to take care of my father in the hospital.
4. At the company, we..... the manager's decisions as these have always been beneficial for everyone.
5. It is necessary.....in life to achieve your goals and dreams.
6. I don'tany difficulties as long as we study hard to pass the semester.
7. Shoppers will come to the store to..... good bargains on clothes before Christmas.
8. They tried to their anger, so they decided to take no notice of him all night.
9. As a teacher, I can..... that education is the key to success.
10. Last semester I managed to.....my final English exams.