

**GOOD LUCK!**



Task 1 Fill in the gaps with the words from the box:

clucking	descending	flapped	drag	despising	imply
overcome	gliding	came out	vividly	disheartened	
self-esteem	indecisive	audition			

1. The bird ..... its broken wing, but couldn't fly away.
2. I don't think keeping chickens on a balcony is a good idea. The smell and ..... might disturb your neighbours.
3. I remember ..... the first time we met.
4. Luckily, I noticed the snake ..... across the road and didn't step on it.
5. She doesn't believe in herself and gets ..... easily.
6. His low ..... makes it difficult for him to achieve professional success.
7. She remained silent during the police interrogation. It might ..... she has something to hide.
8. She is too ..... to be in charge of the whole department.
9. I heard his footsteps ..... the stairs.
10. My best friend always helps me to ..... my problems.
11. Money is all that matters to her. She hasn't won many friends by ..... the people who are worse-off than herself.
12. The actor took part in the ....., hoping to get the main part in the film.
13. My favourite singer's album ..... last month.
14. I wasn't able to lift the table on my own. I had to ..... it across the room.

Task 2 Complete the gaps with the correct compound adjectives:

1. It's difficult to get Charles to spend money – he's rather tight-**f**\_\_\_\_\_.
2. It's not worth talking to such a **n**\_\_\_\_\_ -minded person. He won't listen to your point of view!
3. She's forgotten her PIN number again – she's getting quite **a**\_\_\_\_\_ -minded these days.
4. Why did you say that to Jane when you told me the opposite? You're so two-**f**\_\_\_\_\_.
5. If Ann wants something, she fights until she gets it – she's extremely strong-**w**\_\_\_\_\_.
6. You should think about other people more – you're too **s**\_\_\_\_\_ -centred.

Task 3 Choose the correct option:

1. He greeted me ..... a very friendly manner.  
a. at                      b. in                      c. by
2. Make sure you include in your CV professional experience relevant ..... the position you are applying for.  
a. to                      b. with                      c. at
3. I'm afraid your handwriting is completely ..... . You need to type your essay.  
a. inappropriate      b. informal              c. illegible
4. There were some coffee ..... left at the bottom of the cup.  
a. grounds              b. beans                  c. seeds
5. She ..... in her enormous bag, trying to find the car keys.  
a. indicated              b. commenced      c. rummaged

Task 4 Complete the sentences with an auxiliary verb:

1. A: I simply love the English grammar. B: ..... you really? I think it might be frustrating at times.
2. A: I haven't bought any Christmas presents yet. B: Neither ..... I.
3. I really enjoy going out, but unfortunately my girlfriend .....
4. She lied to him, ..... she?
5. A: My wife hates cooking. B: So ..... mine.
6. A: It's freezing today. B: ..... it? I thought it was quite warm.
7. A: Will you speak to me or not? B: I'm afraid I ..... . You've hurt my feelings too much.
8. A: Why didn't you say hello to my mother? B: I ..... greet her. She just didn't hear!
9. A: I'd love to be a celebrity. B: ..... you? Why?
10. We aren't late, ..... we?
11. A: You didn't remember to buy the milk. B: I ..... remember. It's in the fridge.
12. A: Are you interested in basketball? B: Yes, I am, and so ..... my brother.

Task 5 Rewrite the sentences using the ..., the ...:

1. If I speak English fast, I make a lot of mistakes.  
The ....., the .....
2. If you are fit, you feel good.  
The ....., the .....
3. If you wait long, you become very impatient.  
The ....., the .....

Task 6 Ask indirect questions:

1. What's the time?/ Could you tell me .....
2. Does she work in your company?/ Do you know .....
3. Did you enjoy the party?/ I wonder .....
4. Is there a chemist's near here?/ Do you know .....