

Incomplete Sentences

Directions: You will see a sentence with a missing word. Four possible answers follow the sentence. Choose the best answer to the question.

1. The manager appreciated that the intern was _____ about the mistake rather than hiding it.
(A) up front
(B) intrusive
(C) uncanny
(D) inflated

2. Although the comment seemed _____, it caused unnecessary tension among the team.
(A) elating
(B) trivial
(C) relentless
(D) pervasive

3. His constant lying is a _____ that could ruin his professional reputation.
(A) fudge
(B) recipe for disaster
(C) whopper
(D) bluff

4. She gave such a convincing explanation that she completely managed to _____ the hiring committee.
(A) tattle on
(B) put the pieces together
(C) pull the wool over their eyes
(D) fess up

5. The rumor spread quickly, showing how _____ gossip can be in a small office.
(A) pervasive
(B) uncanny
(C) concealed
(D) elating

6. His performance was full of confidence, but it turned out to be just a clever _____.

- (A) bluff
- (B) erosion
- (C) fudge
- (D) tattle

7. Even though the numbers look good, they've been slightly _____ to impress investors.

- (A) concealed
- (B) reincarnated
- (C) inflated
- (D) elating

8. Their _____ drive to win the bid led them to overlook major legal risks.

- (A) relentless
- (B) trivial
- (C) fess-up
- (D) slippery

9. It took the auditors weeks to _____ the missing invoices and track the fraud.

- (A) conceal
- (B) bluff
- (C) tattle
- (D) put the pieces together

10. Rather than _____ your colleague to the boss, try resolving the issue directly.

- (A) tattling on
- (B) mulling over
- (C) misleading
- (D) bluffing