

unit 06

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in capitals.

- 1 Even though he's twenty years old, he is rather _____.
- 2 Thomas said that he is _____ to attend the meeting because he's ill. I am a little _____ as to whether this is true or not.
- 3 The student was very _____ and answered the question _____, but the teacher asked him to try again.
- 4 He has become rich in a _____ way.
- 5 I didn't correct your essay because your writing was simply _____.
- 6 The teacher expressed her _____ with Tom because he's so _____ in class.
- 7 It was _____ of you to leave the baby _____.
- 8 Unfortunately, many climbers have been _____ in their attempts to climb Mt Everest.
- 9 I detest people who _____ animals or use them in _____ research.
- 10 Driving at speeds of 150 kilometres per hour is not only _____ but also _____.
- 11 Her _____ to help got her into trouble.
- 12 Why do you always have to _____ with what I say?
- 13 She's a very _____ person. She wants everything done immediately.
- 14 Don't sit in that _____ armchair, sit here.
- 15 Are you sure you didn't _____ him? He can't have said that.

MATURE
ABLE
DOUBT
NERVE, CORRECT
HONEST
LEGIBLE
SATISFACTION
OBEDIENT
RESPONSIBLE, ATTENDED
SUCCESS
TREAT, SCIENCE
LEGAL
SAFE
WILLINGNESS
AGREE
PATIENT
COMFORTABLE
UNDERSTAND

Examination Practice

A Read the text below and decide which answer A, B, C or D best fits each space.

PLASTIC MONEY

In the past, people bought goods using (1) _____. They rarely (2) _____ money from financial institutions and only when they had (3) _____ the money, did they buy what they wanted.

Recently, however, there have been great changes in the way people purchase goods. To begin with, some people pay for things by cheque, while others prefer monthly (4) _____, rather than paying the whole (5) _____ at once. Most consumers, though, prefer to buy things using their credit cards. (6) _____, it is thought that there are benefits to having a credit card. Apart from the fact that credit cards are handy, some stores offer bonus points to people making purchases, while others give (7) _____ on certain products.

On the other hand, credit cards must be used wisely because they can prove disastrous. In the long run, consumers find that they can't (8) _____ without their credit cards and constantly rely (9) _____ them, as they are "easy money". As a result, some people lose control of their finances spending more than they should and wind up not being able to (10) _____. So, they end up in (11) _____ and have difficulty (12) _____ it back.