



▪ **B2 Key Word Transformation**

Complete the second sentence with TWO to FIVE words using the word given, so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence.

1. She wasn't the least bit surprised to find out that her husband had an affair. **(SURPRISE)**

It wasn't _____ to find out that her husband had an affair.

2. People don't play any board games today. **(POPULAR)**

Board games _____.

3. It isn't my fault that the bus is late. **(BLAME)**

I'm _____ the bus being so late.

4. It is said that Beethoven wrote that symphony. **(CREDITED)**

Beethoven has been _____ that symphony.

5. My uncle was driving the lorry when it crashed. **(DRIVEN)**

The lorry _____ when it crashed.

6. Ecologists around the world are worried about the problem. **(CONCERNED)**

Ecologists around the world _____ about the problem.

7. You can try to open the safe with that key, but it won't work. **(POINT)**

There's _____ the safe with that key.

8. The accused refused to answer questions without his lawyer. **(INSISTED)**

The accused _____ present before answering any questions.

9. The letter has nothing to do with you **(CONCERN)**.

The letter is _____ to you.

10. The company would benefit from hiring new workers. **(INTERESTS)**

It would be _____ to hire new workers.

11. John and his wife seem to have no similarities. **(COMMON)**

John and his wife seem _____ with each other.

12. He doesn't appreciate anything. **(GRANTED)**

He takes _____.

13. When I studied at university, I never had enough money. **(SHORT)**

When I studied at university, I _____.

14. Everyone came to the party apart from Cathy. **(EXCEPTION)**

Everyone came to the party _____ Cathy.

15. They are building some new apartments in the suburbs. **(CONSTRUCTION)**

New apartments _____ in the suburbs.