

Worksheet 4

Key Word Transformations

Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between three and six words, including the word given. Here is an example (0).

Example

It's true that the company might go into liquidation if it's not careful.

DANGER

It's true that the company might go into liquidation if it's not careful.

We have maintained the level of visitors to the museum this year.

STABLE

The number of visitors to the museum _____ this year.

The shares index fell slightly before recovering to its previous level.

BRIEF

There _____ the shares index before it recovered to its previous level.

Although many travel companies had financial difficulties last year, they seem to have recovered now.

TREND

Although many travel companies had financial difficulties last year, it seems as though _____ now.

Some people have been saying what a good move emigrating would be.

ARGUED

It _____ emigrating would be a good move.

The size of the population is unlikely to change much in the near future.

STABLE

The size of the population _____ in the near future.

"I think Joe should seriously reconsider his plans", said the careers advisor.

RECOMMENDED

The careers advisor _____ his plans.

It doesn't matter if you think you know the subject well, you must revise for the exam.

HOWEVER

You must revise for the exam, _____ you know the subject.

It was only after telling everyone that it was his birthday that John got lots of cards.

HAVING

John only got lots of cards _____ it was his birthday.

However hard she tries, she still manages to offend people.

MATTER

It _____ she tries, she still manages to offend people.

Whatever film you want to see will be good for us.

MIND

We _____ film you want.