

Worksheet 9

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.

11. We are highly likely to win the tournament.

PROBABILITY

There _____ we will win the tournament.

It was discovered that she had been stealing money, and she was fired.

EMERGED

She was fired because _____ stolen money.

"The fired me because of Sam", said Anna.

CAUSE

Anna said that _____ of her being fired.

He is a black belt in Brazilian jiujitsu; therefore, he knows how to defend himself.

BEING

_____ black belt, he knows how to defend himself.

Mr Smith said that he is strict with his employees.

ADMITTED

Mr Smith _____ strict with his employees.

Instead of the £2 million of last year, this year we have a budget of £8million

OPPOSED

This year's budget is £8 million, _____, which was only £2.

Kent didn't pass the exam because he ran out of time.

RUNNING

Kent _____ why he didn't pass the exam.

Most of my English colleagues prefer to drink tea rather than coffee.

PREFERENCE

Most of my English colleagues _____ coffee.

The pickpocket was caught while attempting to steal a man's wallet.

ACT

The pickpocket was caught _____ to steal a man's wallet.

She still hasn't recovered from her husband's death last year.

OVER

Her husband died last year, but _____ yet.