



LESSON 5B - NOUN FORMATION

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Exercise I: Use the word in brackets to form a new word that fits into each blank.

1. _____ are warning about the effects global warming will have on us. (SCIENCE)
2. Matt quickly came to the _____ that Jane was not telling the truth. (CONCLUDE)
3. The _____ of our flight was delayed due to fog. (ARRIVE)
4. Both teams gave a wonderful _____ in the match. (PERFORM)
5. The woman was hit so hard that she lost _____. (CONSCIOUS)
6. For their own _____ the visitors of zoos are kept at a distance. (SAFE)
7. Divers went down to a _____ of over 50 metres. (DEEP)
8. The book contains a _____ of anecdotes from the past decades. (COLLECT)
9. We had _____ in deciding who would be the best for the job. (DIFFICULT)
10. European _____ arrived in Asia in the 15th century. (SAIL)
11. You should always take special care with your _____ when you go for an interview (APPEAR).
12. The children's _____ at the party was dreadful (BEHAVE).
13. There's a great _____ of houses in most major cities. (SHORT)
14. It is my _____ that we will fly to Mars some day. (BELIEVE)
15. There is no _____ between his latest and his earlier books (COMPARE).
16. Is there any _____ in the rumour that the Prime Minister is planning to resign? (TRUE)
17. We nearly died of _____ when we went to see the new opera. It was so dreadful (BORING)
18. Einstein sometimes came to the _____ that he was wrong about a few things. (CONCLUDE)
19. She was extremely intelligent and passed all her exams with _____. (EASY)

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20. They say that _____ between companies helps to keep prices down. (COMPETE)

21. Their _____ was delayed because of bad weather. (DEPART)

22. Holiday camps usually provide free _____. (ENTERTAIN)

23. We had to get special _____ to leave early (PERMIT).

24. Although she was poor, her _____ wouldn't allow her to accept any form of charity (PROUD)

25. Goodbye. It's been a _____ meeting you. (PLEASE)

26. He was filled with _____ when he saw the neighbour's new car (ENVIOUS).

27. The _____ at the hotel was excellent (SERVE).

28. The president made his _____ on prime -time television. (STATE)

29. His _____ to comment on the allegations made him look guilty. (REFUSE)

30. If you want to lose _____ you'd better eat less. (WEIGH)

31. The prisoner escaped to _____ by hiding in the boot of the car. (FREE)

32. What started out as _____ soon turned into real love (FRIENDLY).

33. People watched in _____ as the helicopter crashed into the nearby TV mast. (HORRIBLE)

34. He received _____ from his father after the tragic accident. (ASSIST)

35. Freedom from _____ should be a human right. (POOR)

36. The _____ that banks charge for borrowing money has gone up. (PERCENT)

37. Unfortunately, travelling by plane also has some _____. (ADVANTAGE)

38. He works for a company that imports diving _____. (EQUIP)

39. He wrote _____, in which he describes how he had gone through his troubling days as an adolescent. (BIOGRAPHY)

40. A limited _____ of the author's works will be published next year. (EDIT)