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Verb Formation

Verbs are formed by adding certain prefixes and suffixes.

Prefixes- en, de

Suffixes- en, ise, ize, ify

Fill in the correct form of the words in brackets.

- 1) The witness had to _____ against the killer in court. (test)
- 2) Don't _____ this bird or it will fly away. (fright)
- 3) This photograph is so small. We have to _____ it. (large)
- 4) If you _____ the drain, the water will flow quickly. (wide)
- 5) Laquan always tries to _____ all the problems. (simple)
- 6) Always _____ your teacher if you are going to be late or absent for class. (note)
- 7) The air stewardess advised the passengers to _____ their seatbelts. (fast)
- 8) _____ your footsteps if you want to be on time. (haste)
- 9) A wire fence _____ our property. (closed)
- 10) Understanding the rules will _____ you to complete the exercise. (able)
- 11) If you are truly sorry, you should _____. (apology)
- 12) _____ the butter before adding it to the mixture. (soft)

- 13) We must _____ our surroundings. (beauty)
- 14) You _____ my day with your cheerful smile. (bright)
- 15) Brushing with baking soda can help to _____ your
teeth. (white)