

**Directions:** Choose the correct word from the drop-down box to complete the sentence. When you finish, scroll down to the bottom of the page and click **'Finish'**, then click **'Check my Answers'**. You can do the Vocabulary Exercise a total of 3 times. After the 3rd time, take a screenshot of each page of your results and paste them in the homework file.

1. They are economic \_\_\_\_\_, escaping terrible poverty in their home country.
2. The local council has just set up a \_\_\_\_\_ to study recycling.
3. The police officer said she had seen no evidence that the abandoned house was used by drug \_\_\_\_\_.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ can happen to anyone, regardless of their background or education.
5. It might be possible \_\_\_\_\_ the problem in a different way.
6. In the film, the con artist calls on several of his friends to help him \_\_\_\_\_ his plan for the ultimate scam.
7. The team will have to play more \_\_\_\_\_ to win the tournament.
8. The principal held a meeting \_\_\_\_\_ the parents' concerns.

9. The \_\_\_\_\_ has risen sharply in my city in the last year.
10. Historically, California has welcomed \_\_\_\_\_ from other states and nations with open arms.
11. There aren't enough places in short-stay hostels, so \_\_\_\_\_ have to sleep in cardboard boxes.
12. There is some \_\_\_\_\_ between the witnesses' evidence and their earlier statements.
13. My aunt has always been \_\_\_\_\_ and dreamed of becoming a successful entrepreneur.
14. Millions of people around the world are \_\_\_\_\_ video games.
15. \_\_\_\_\_ they were using no longer seemed to work.
16. Scandinavian interior design is largely based on the \_\_\_\_\_ that less is more.
17. The events were \_\_\_\_\_ reported in the different newspapers.
18. When the actor couldn't find work in his home state, he eventually \_\_\_\_\_ to Chicago, where he acted in independent films and theater.

19. Many homeless people suffer from alcoholism, drug \_\_\_\_\_, and depression.
20. I had to \_\_\_\_\_ numerous setbacks and failures before finally achieving my dream of starting my own business.
21. After his heart attack, he abandoned his \_\_\_\_\_ to become CEO.
22. Accommodation needs to be found for thousands of \_\_\_\_\_ families.
23. The keys to the successful \_\_\_\_\_ of the project have been simplicity and communication.
24. The team's performance was \_\_\_\_\_, with some games resulting in a win and others in a loss.
25. One of my cousins works as a volunteer at an animal \_\_\_\_\_.
26. There was a mass \_\_\_\_\_ of poverty-stricken farmers into the cities.
27. Try not to rely on Valium for your anxiety- it's highly \_\_\_\_\_ and will cause more problems in the long run.
28. Spectators at yesterday's football game \_\_\_\_\_ under umbrellas as the rain got heavier.