

## Verbs with Prepositions

Which verb and preposition combinations can you remember?

1. The school provided me \_\_\_\_\_ all the materials I needed for the course.
2. The car slid on the icy road and crashed \_\_\_\_\_ the parked car.
3. He was so engrossed \_\_\_\_\_ his book that he missed his metro stop.
4. He succeeded \_\_\_\_\_ playing the symphony without making any errors.
5. I think you would benefit \_\_\_\_\_ spending a few weeks in an English speaking country.
6. The cute guy kept glancing \_\_\_\_\_ me during the lecture.
7. He's so big-headed, he's always boasting \_\_\_\_\_ something he has done. (boast=jactarse)
8. I don't know where she is I'm a little concerned \_\_\_\_\_ her.
9. I'm sorry but this theme park doesn't cater \_\_\_\_\_ little babies. (Cater = atender)
10. We bought a big dog to deter people \_\_\_\_\_ robbing our house. (deter = disuadir/impedir)
11. I'm not sure but I think the problem stems \_\_\_\_\_ a lack of car parking spaces in the city centre.  
(stem = originate/come)
12. I suspect him \_\_\_\_\_ having cheated in the exam, but I have no proof.
13. Scientists attribute the melting ice caps \_\_\_\_\_ global warming. (attribute = atribuir)
14. Messi prides himself \_\_\_\_\_ his ability to run past any player. (pride yourself = enorgullercerse de)
15. He's a surgeon, he specialises \_\_\_\_\_ feet and ankles.
16. Please refrain \_\_\_\_\_ using mobiles in the library.  
(refrain=abstenerse)
17. They charged me €15 \_\_\_\_\_ a sandwich and a bag of crisps!