

INTERNATIONAL EXAMS – SENIOR V

COLLOCATIONS

A. Complete the sentences with the correct form of a verb from the left box and a corresponding noun from the right box.

**BREAK - BURST - CATCH - GET -
GIVE - KEEP - LOSE - MAKE - MEET
- RAISE - RUN - TAKE**

**BREAK - DIVORCE - EFFORT -
EXPECTATIONS - GLIMPSE - LIFT -
PROMISE - RECORD - RISK -
TAXES - TEARS - TEMPER**

1. When our daughter found out that our cat was missing, she _____ into _____ and couldn't be stopped.
2. Our boss is often angry and _____ his _____ when things go wrong.
3. If she never posts anything on her personal website, she _____ the _____ of alienating her fans.
4. Not everything happens on its own. Sometimes you have to _____ an _____ to get things done.
5. Why don't you _____ a _____? You've been working so hard recently.
6. He has been preparing for the race for months. He wants to _____ his own _____ and be the best in the world.
7. His car broke down, so I _____ him a _____ to the nearest garage.
8. Politicians often think we should _____ _____ in order to get more money to spend.
9. The new teacher didn't _____ the headmaster's _____ and was fired after only two months on the job.
10. The couple _____ a _____ only a few months after their wedding.
11. Dad _____ his _____ and took me to Disneyland in the summer holidays.
12. We _____ a _____ of the famous football player as we came down the stairs.