

1. Complete the following sentences with a word or expression from the box.

portrait	audience (2)	choreographed	performer
studio	composer	lyricist	watercolour
amateur	conductor	plot	easel
			creation

- The school drama society will give a _____ of Hamlet.
- He is an immensely talented singer, amazing _____ and impressive composer.
- Normally the _____ had to see a completed film before writing the music.
- He toured America that year and _____ and danced in Till Eulenspiegel, another of his best known works.
- Furthermore, YouTube has a global _____ of 780 million people, which blows away the _____ for American television.
- Each participant will be provided with real _____ and paints.
- They stood together almost as if posing for a family _____.
- It was still a convenient and cost-effective solution for light combining living and working space, apartment and art _____.
- Orders for _____ illustrations do not come often, especially for such close themes.
- She's a wonderfully creative dancer but she doesn't have the technique of a truly great _____.
- This 25-foot-high sculpture is her latest _____.
- He's the _____ of the Toronto Symphony.
- This was a thoughtful rather than _____ performance.
- The _____ of the game is somewhat different than the film version.

2. Choose the best word which completes each of these sentences.

- These are just some of the exciting works of art _____ show in Britain today.
a. on b. at c. by d. from
- Beethoven liked to be alone when he _____ music.
a. composed b. created c. made d. did

3. An _____ person uses his or her talents to create beauty.
a. actor b. artist c. artificial d. artistic
4. The first _____ of the play took place in a schoolyard.
a. area b. scene c. scenery d. place
5. The floor was covered with a _____ made of mosaic tiles.
a. design b. painting c. art d. drawing
6. The other children _____ fun of her because she was always so serious.
a. made b. had c. formed d. tried
7. What is the worst thing you could imagine happening to a _____?
a. artistic b. musical c. piano d. musician
8. He's a great _____ of country music.
a. fan b. dramatist c. conductor d. playwright
9. I can't paint this _____ on that canvas – everyone will laugh at me.
a. landscape b. palette c. engravings d. portraits
10. It's a performance that's sure to make an _____ on the judges.
a. excitement b. tragedy c. impression d. drama
11. It was Chinese women who _____ the show on the first day of competition.
a. promised b. acted c. followed d. stole
12. There has been a mixed _____ to the new play.
a. fame b. reviews c. reaction d. mass media
13. She's _____ on playing piano.
a. expert b. keen c. good d. bad
14. Both my sons are _____ about music.
a. crazy b. fantastic c. fond d. busy

3. Choose the correct word.

1. The scenery and costumes created a dramatic **effect** / **affect**.
2. We tried to visit the concert but were put **off** / **for** by the queues.
3. I'm as fit as a **guitar** / **fiddle** – with energy to spare.
4. Some exceptional **paints** / **paintings** are said to be “great” rather than “good.”
5. The next time you go to a museum or look in an art book, **take** / **give** a closer look at a great painting.
6. William Shakespeare may be the greatest play **right** / **playwright** the world has known.
7. He is certainly the finest **actor** / **artist** in Hollywood today.
8. As the **conductor** / **composer** you could control the whole orchestra and the interpretation of the music would be in your hands.
9. He makes a **spectacular** / **spectacle** entrance in act two draped in a gold sheet.

10. Every March, the induction ceremonies are shown **live** / **lively** on cable television.
11. Artists are eligible for the Hall of Fame 25 years after their first record is **released** / **realised**.
12. Now I'm expecting a fantastic performance from you tonight, so don't **disappoint** / **disapprove** me!
13. I know you don't like Jack's idea, but just **play** / **act** along with him for a while.
14. If you have done something wrong, you have to face the **music** / **audience**. There's no escaping out of it.