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LEARN A WORD A DAY – AUGUST

Choose the correct word from the box to complete each sentence. Use each word only once.

Word Bank: apathy, egregious, aggrandize, detrimental, align, mitigate, grouse, daunting, atrocious, conundrum, curfew, enormous, precarious, unchecked

1. The report contained a number of _____ errors in the statistics that led to panic and alarm among residents.
2. If the development around areas popular for ecotourism goes _____, before long there will be little natural beauty left to see.
3. Many people find their finances are in a _____ position as a result of their unchecked spending.
4. It is vital that everyday practices in school _____ with laws regarding the safeguarding and protection of children.
5. The surge in the use of screens among children has been linked to the _____ spelling and grammar used by young people in written communication.
6. There is _____ interest in media content based on pop culture.
7. Efforts in widening the river aim to _____ the issue of flooding during heavy storms.
8. Most students find the prospect of facing exams _____ especially when they are ill-prepared for them.
9. Due to her fragile condition, moving her to another hospital might prove _____ to her health and may even be fatal.
10. He highlighted the need for politicians to combat public _____ and political indifference.
11. A dusk-to-dawn _____ is in place throughout the area because of the violent gang fights.
12. The biggest _____ among KTEPJ students was about the noise from construction work beside the college.
13. He is faced with the unwelcome _____ of appeasing his irate wife without infuriating his demanding mother.