

Fill in the blanks with the word or collocation from the box (use correct form!)

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| • to disassemble | • sailor | • insulator |
| • scattered | • famine | • to refine |
| • estate agent | • perplexing | • snowdrift |
| • paving stone | • alien | • to evaluate |
| • numb | • modest | • mind-blowing |
| • clumsy | • brothel | • moody |
| • essential | • strong-built man | • grief |
| • audibility | • investigation | • dried tomatoes |
| • pine | • textbook | • home-made food |
| • tight | • second-hand book | |

1. Survivors of the disaster were found _____ across the valley.
2. After standing in the cold for an hour, my fingers went completely _____.
3. The old radio had to be _____ to find the source of the problem.
4. A huge _____ blocked the entrance to the house after the storm.
5. The recipe uses only simple, _____ ingredients like salt and water.
6. He bought a rare _____ at the flea market for almost nothing.
7. The teacher asked the students to _____ the quality of their group project.
8. The report explained that the country faced a terrible _____ in the 19th century.
9. His reaction was so strange that it felt almost _____ to everyone.
10. The crime is still under _____, and several witnesses will be questioned.
11. The athlete was a _____ who could lift enormous weights effortlessly.
12. Her mood changes quickly, she can be very _____ sometimes.
13. They served delicious _____ with basil and garlic.
14. The room smelled of fresh _____ wood after renovation.
15. Losing a loved one leaves deep emotional _____ for years.
16. The walls were covered with a special _____ to keep the room warm.
17. The cheap plastic toy had to be _____ to improve its shape and balance.
18. He worked as an _____ and helped clients buy and sell apartments.
19. The child tripped over a loose _____ on the sidewalk.
20. Despite being a _____ woman, she donated most of her savings to charity.
21. A _____ was found hidden behind the main street, operating illegally.
22. She prefers _____ instead of restaurant meals.

23. The creature looked completely _____, unlike anything on the Earth.
24. The old _____ told us stories about life at sea.
25. The audio was unclear, so we improved the microphone's _____.

Match the words/phrases with their correct definitions

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| • to detest/to loathe | • plain | • tight |
| • to despise | • behavior | • low-key |
| • enthralling | • presence | • old-fashioned |
| • scarecrow | • tablet | • competition |
| • tombstone | • contents | • counter |
| • cauldron | • vulgar | • shoplifting |

- a) extremely unpleasant and offensive
- b) to hate intensely
- c) very exciting or captivating
- d) display board for information or a surface in a shop
- e) stealing from a store
- f) very simple or obvious
- g) someone's existence in a place
- h) a pot used for boiling liquids, often in legends
- i) sign marking a grave
- j) an electronic device used for reading or watching videos
- k) everyday actions a person is used to doing
- l) to feel a strong dislike for someone because you think that a person is bad or has no value
- m) a relaxed, quiet style
- n) not modern; outdated
- o) extremely close-fitting
- p) the articles or parts contained in a magazine or book
- q) event in which people compete
- r) figure placed in fields to frighten birds

Complete the collocations

1. short _____ (короткая стрижка)
2. fair _____ (светлые волосы)
3. spider _____ (паутина)
4. jack-o-_____ (фонарь из тыквы)
5. sailor _____ (морской флот)
6. _____ alley (каштановая аллея)
7. generation _____ (разрыв поколений)
8. _____ man (крепкий мужчина)
9. training _____ (тренажёр / спортивный аппарат)
10. power _____ (отключение света)
11. _____ / _____ of books (стопка книг)
12. to make up _____ (компенсировать)
13. _____ / _____ phone number (восстановить номер)
14. _____ clothes (узкая одежда)
15. to stay _____ (переночевать)

Watch the video and use all words from the box to describe its plot

- to deceive / mislead
- to do harm
- to damage
- emergency service
- police investigator
- to break / violate rules
- trial
- detention chamber / cell
- court
- to persuade / convince
- to count on
- attitude
- foe
- rival
- specific traits of character