

WORD FORMATION

Use the words in capitals to form a new word that fits into each blank!

1. Governments have taken a lot of measures to stop water _____. (POLLUTE)
2. Hundreds of _____ fish were swimming around the coral reef. (COLOUR)
3. She has been doing research work as a _____. (SCIENCE)
4. Most bird species are under _____ by law. (PROTECT)
5. He is the most famous _____ who has ever had an exhibition in this gallery. (ART)
6. Before sinking this old ship, we will have to make sure that the materials are stable and _____ safe. (ENVIRONMENT)
7. Water is _____ for life. (ESSENCE)
8. After his mother's _____ he moved to South America. (DIE)
9. Cleaning up rivers or oil spills can be _____ difficult. (EXTREME)
10. After the hurricane thousands of people were left _____. (HOME)
11. I didn't tell him the whole _____. (TRUE)
12. Can you tell me the _____ of the new restaurant? (LOCATE)
13. How is a _____ reef formed? (NATURE)
14. Have you ever watched a _____ about underwater life? (DOCUMENT)
15. _____, we didn't get caught cheating. (LUCK)
16. They chose to join the company as market _____. (RESEARCH)
17. Even the FBI could not solve the _____ crime. (MYSTERY)
18. Scientists say that some rivers are already so polluted that they are _____ dead. (BIOLOGY)
19. At the gym my _____ showed me how to use the machines. (INSTRUCT)
20. She runs a _____ business in Los Angeles. (SUCCEED)
21. Mum didn't go up to the top because she is afraid of _____. (HIGH)
22. What kind of _____ problems do big cities have? (ENVIRONMENT)
23. We still don't know the _____ of the victims. (NATION)
24. John works for an _____ which helps to protect marine life. (ORGANISE)
25. Last night 28 flood warnings were in place, mostly for _____ areas in the South West and Wales. (COAST)



prefix	root	word	suffix
un	comfort	able	
ir	regular	ly	
dis	organis	ed	
un	confident	ly	
dis	respect	fully	