

**Choose the correct item.**

1. No one knew what the _____ of the board meeting would be.
1. arrangement 2. development 3. outcome 4. product
2. The kidnapper _____ a ransom of £1 million in exchange for the hostages.
1. demanded 2. encouraged 3. insisted 4. commanded
3. Martin's job as a firefighter _____ a lot of risk, but he enjoys it.
1. includes 2. contains 3. involves 4. consists
4. In front of his home crowd, the runner has _____ the world record for the 800 metres.
1. broken 2. cut 3. ripped 4. torn
5. If you have any _____ about the facilities, please speak to a member of staff.
1. troubles 2. cares 3. concerns 4. worries
6. The main evidence will be _____ at the trial tomorrow morning.
1. filed 2. presented 3. offered 4. submitted
7. The company wants to _____ their profits by 30% in the next five years.
1. increase 2. broaden 3. widen 4. enlarge
8. Medicines such as antibiotics are _____ against flu, because they cannot cure it or reduce the symptoms.
1. incompetent 2. inefficient 3. inadequate 4. ineffective
9. We're trying to _____ money for a new children's ward at the hospital by doing a sponsored run.
1. spend 2. raise 3. give 4. donate
10. Hostels are cheap places to stay. They usually _____ about £10 a night.
1. charge 2. pay 3. rent 4. borrow
11. The best way to _____ of your old mobile phone is to take it back to the shop so that it can be recycled.
1. eliminate 2. dispose 3. discard 4. reject
12. The teacher _____ our attention to the fact that our exams were only three weeks away.
1. gave 2. fixed 3. kept 4. drew
13. Even though he was new to the job, the young police officer _____ the situation very well.
1. directed 2. managed 3. dealt 4. coped
14. As _____ as you're staying in this town, you're always welcome to stop by for dinner.
1. well 2. soon 3. far 4. long
15. I'm going to give you some _____ and I think you should follow it.
1. advice 2. notice 3. suggestion 4. opinion

