

EXERCISE 2; Choose the correct word in parentheses.

1. He (*bound/bounded*) the package with string so that it wouldn't come undone in the post.
2. Fewer difficulties than expected (*arose/aroused*) during the meeting.
3. Siddhartha Gautama, who came to be known as Buddha, (*found/founded*) Buddhism, one of the major religions of Asia.
4. Obviously not many of the students understood the teacher's question, because only a few (*raised/rose*) their hands to answer.
5. The nurses (*laid/lay*) the patient gently on the bed so the doctor could examine him.
6. After the ship (*ground/grounded*) itself on the rocks, the crew had to abandon it.
7. Because of her conscientious attitude, she has (*raised/risen*) rapidly to a senior managerial position.
8. You've (*seen/sawn*) more off one leg than the others, so now the table won't stand up properly.
9. The silly girl (*wound/wounded*) her scarf round her neck so tightly that she nearly strangled herself.
10. The townspeople were so outraged that they (*hung/hanged*) the accused man before he had even had a proper trial.
11. Look, your daughter's crying! I think she's just (*fallen/felled*) off her bicycle.
12. After cutting and polishing the sapphire, the jeweller (*set/sat*) it in a gold necklace.
13. He accidentally (*wound/wounded*) his leg while chopping wood.
14. The doorman took Robert's coat and (*hanged/hung*) it on the coat stand by the reception desk.
15. At yesterday's race, one rider was thrown from his horse when it bolted at the second jump, and the animal (*bound/bounded*) around the rest of the track without a jockey.
16. Marie (*grounded/ground*) some almonds, then added sugar and eggs to prepare the marzipan paste for the wedding cake.
17. In February 1998, they ceremoniously (*laid/lay*) the foundations of the new airport in Istanbul.
18. On our last summer holiday, we (*laid/lay*) in the sun most of the time and only (*saw/sawed*) a few of the tourist attractions.
19. The butcher (*rose/raised*) his eyebrows in surprise when he heard the news.
20. Sir Isaac Newton came up with his ideas about gravity after an apple (*fell/felled*) from a tree onto his head.
21. As he had not written the directions clearly, Mark only (*found/founded*) the craft shop after almost an hour of walking around.
22. The genuine 16th-century Ottoman tiles (*arose/aroused*) the interest of several buyers in the auction room.
23. As the chairman (*rose/raised*) to speak, the room immediately became silent.
24. The drummer (*sat/set*) at the back of the stage behind the rest of the group.
25. Doubts (*aroused/arose*) about the man's real identity because of his strange accent and his nervous behaviour.