

Practice

Activity #1: Complete the spaces by writing the correct vocabulary words under each description:



It is something far away from other places, buildings, or people.



When something is dangerous or risky.



To twist and turn with quick wriggling movements.



Someone not easily convinced/ having doubts or reservations.



Not accepting refusal.



To look at something with pleasure.



done with great effort and difficulty.



It is a single thin length of something such as thread, fiber, or wire, especially as twisted together with others.



Having lost confidence or enthusiasm.



It is a transparent precious stone, typically blue.



Showing a cautious distrust of someone or something.



Something extremely beautiful and, typically, delicate.



To leave, especially to start a journey.

Discouraged – wriggle –
hazardous – depart – strand –
exquisite – isolated – sapphire –
insist – suspicious – labored –
skeptical – admire –

Activity #2: Read the following sentences and use the vocabulary words to complete them.

- 1) The crown was made of _____ and other precious jewels.
- 2) The worm _____ back in the ground.
- 3) Our plane will _____ at 9:00 and arrive at 11:30.
- 4) I wanted to go outside, but my mom _____ I do my homework first.
- 5) His house is very _____. He lives 30 kilometers from the nearest town.
- 6) We _____ for days to put up a fence in the backyard.
- 7) Many people _____ that soccer player for his talent.
- 8) When I saw the two people wearing masks go inside the bank, I felt _____.
- 9) The food here is _____. It's always perfectly cooked.
- 10) You can knit _____ of yarn to make a sweater.
- 11) Activities like bungee jumping can be _____. Sometimes people get hurt.
- 12) It is easy to feel _____ if you fail a test, but don't give up!
- 13) The scientists were _____ about the new invention. They doubted it would work.