

## Unit 13

1. Once rare in Israel, kiwi fruits can now be found \_\_\_\_ the country.  
(1) inside                      (2) against                      (3) beneath                      (4) throughout

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2. In 1970, a \_\_\_\_ earthquake in Peru killed more than 60,000 people.  
(1) tormented                      (2) devastating                      (3) repressive                      (4) meticulous

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3. The philanthropic activities of John D. Rockefeller, who gave away approximately 500\$ million during his life time, made him on of the greatest \_\_\_\_ of the 20<sup>th</sup> century.  
(1) spectators                      (2) illustrators                      (3) benefactors                      (4) fabricators

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4. That people have a capacity for unconditional obedience was \_\_\_\_ by the American psychologist Milgram in a series of experiments.  
(1) substituted                      (2) demonstrated                      (3) marketed                      (4) guarded

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5. Taiwan was the first recipient of American foreign aid to become economically self-sufficient, thereby rendering this aid \_\_\_\_.  
(1) uncountable                      (2) unfortunate                      (3) unorganized                      (4) unnecessary

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6. The United Nation is trying to establish an international \_\_\_\_ network that will monitor the proliferation of nuclear weapons.  
(1) irrigation                      (2) conspiracy                      (3) surveillance                      (4) prosperity

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7. \_\_\_\_ what they claimed a decade ago, researchers no longer believe that the use of electric rather than gasoline-powered vehicles will significantly reduce air pollution.  
(1) For the sake of                      (2) Owing to                      (3) In favor of                      (4) Contrary to

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8. When people are worried or afraid, they often turn to their family for \_\_\_\_.  
(1) rehearsal                      (2) revision                      (3) retirement                      (4) reassurance



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Answer	4	2	3	2	4	3	4	4

## Unit 14

1. Western Europe is the preferred \_\_\_ of many emigrants from Eastern Europe.  
(1) destination      (2) engagement      (3) displacement      (4) consideration

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2. Windsor Castle, located 34 kilometers west of London, is the chief \_\_\_ of the Queen of England.  
(1) landscape      (2) residence      (3) assumption      (4) opponent

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3. Since prehistoric times, fishing has been one of the ways in which people \_\_\_ food.  
(1) adore      (2) decline      (3) obtain      (4) sponsor

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4. Bringing basic sanitation services to the millions who lack them is a \_\_\_ for the South African government.  
(1) resource      (2) possession      (3) priority      (4) restriction

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5. In the early 1900s, Oxford University was an almost \_\_\_ male institution, with men outnumbering women ten to one.  
(1) efficiently      (2) conveniently      (3) exclusively      (4) persuasively

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6. Many proposals for the safe disposal of nuclear waste have been rejected as too \_\_\_, even for wealthy nations.  
(1) polite      (2) distant      (3) costly      (4) hasty

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7. The *eisteddfu*, a festival \_\_\_ poets, musicians and singers, is a popular Welsh tradition.  
(1) illustrating      (2) enclosing      (3) distracting      (4) featuring

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8. Craig Calhoun, an American sociologist, has written a balanced account of the 1989 student uprising in China; he is sympathetic, but not \_\_\_\_.  
(1) uncritical      (2) probable      (3) unattractive      (4) particular



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## Unit 15

1. For many years tomatoes were believed to be poisonous and tomato plants were only \_\_\_ for decorative purposes.  
(1) convened      (2) cultivated      (3) modified      (4) monitored
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2. The Renaissance is the name of \_\_\_ in Europe history that was characterized by cultural and scientific development.  
(1) a purpose      (2) a period      (3) an entrance      (4) an apology
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3. The economy of Bahrain, a small island state in the Persian Gulf, is based almost \_\_\_ on the petroleum trade.  
(1) entirely      (2) previously      (3) variously      (4) relatively
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4. \_\_\_ its name, the finely woven straw hat known as a Panama is actually made in Ecuador.  
(1) Through      (2) Despite      (3) Without      (4) Besides
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5. The \_\_\_ of handguns in the United States has been blamed for the country's high crime rate.  
(1) correspondence      (2) availability      (3) desperation      (4) recruitment
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6. Some airlines \_\_\_ in their advertisements that their planes are safer than those of their competitors, but no airline state this explicitly.  
(1) hint      (2) drag      (3) peek      (4) lean
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7. Engineers were disappointed to discover that porous silicon chips are too \_\_\_ to withstand the pressures exerted on them in standard manufacturing processes.  
(1) stubborn      (2) fluent      (3) fragile      (4) sober
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8. Geologists warn that there is no way to predict when a volcano will \_\_\_\_\_.  
(1) exaggerate      (2) enchant      (3) embrace      (4) erupt
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## Unit 16

1. Despite numerous \_\_\_\_ from workers' unions, Canadian companies are continuing to move their factories to countries where the cost of labor is lower.  
(1) omissions      (2) occasions      (3) organizations      (4) objections
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2. Tourists who are \_\_\_\_ of local customs may unintentionally do or say things that are considered offensive.  
(1) eloquent      (2) ignorant      (3) reluctant      (4) affluent
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3. Over the past five decades, computers have become much faster while their \_\_\_\_ have become much smaller.  
(1) revisions      (2) illusions      (3) components      (4) accounts
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4. Poorly written essays tend to \_\_\_\_, using broad statement rather than specific examples.  
(1) generalize      (2) memorize      (3) recognize      (4) authorize
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5. Bulgaria's wine is produced \_\_\_\_ from grapes grown in the eastern part of the country.  
(1) evenly      (2) mainly      (3) finally      (4) deeply
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6. When cut and polished, titania is more brilliant than diamond, \_\_\_\_ not quite as hard.  
(1) though      (2) since      (3) until      (4) unless
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7. It is believed that the earliest human \_\_\_\_ of Indonesia came from India and Myanmar.  
(1) purchases      (2) inhabitants      (3) agencies      (4) considerations
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8. The best way to fully \_\_\_\_ Utah's breathtaking scenery is to visit the national parks there.  
(1) appreciate      (2) enforce      (3) certify      (4) provoke
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1. The Prime Minister has given every \_\_\_ that he plans to seek re-election in two years.

- (1) significance      (2) occurrence      (3) indication      (4) persuasion
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2. In a famous speech given in 1946, Stalin declared that capitalism and communism were opposing principles that could not \_\_\_.

- (1) insert      (2) detach      (3) coexist      (4) exhale
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3. In the last thirty years, we have discovered more about how children learn than we did in the \_\_\_ two thousand.

- (1) exhausting      (2) impressive      (3) preceding      (4) progressive
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4. Many patients find acupuncture \_\_\_ to other methods of treatment because it rarely causes unpleasant side effects.

- (1) essential      (2) preferable      (3) variable      (4) controversial
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5. A person's \_\_\_ to learn foreign languages decreases significantly with age.

- (1) intention      (2) convenience      (3) assignment      (4) capacity
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6. The poet Rainer Maria Rilke so \_\_\_ the city of Prague, where he was born, that he left it as soon as he could.

- (1) stunned      (2) carved      (3) loathed      (4) mourned
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7. Environmentalists \_\_\_ the construction of a major new highway but were unable to bring the project to a halt.

- (1) deleted      (2) maintained      (3) condemned      (4) promoted
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8. The game of table tennis is sometimes \_\_\_ ping pong.

- (1) called      (2) asked      (3) made      (4) opened
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## Unit 18

1. Several organizations exist which teach people \_\_\_ how to recycle their garbage, but also how to reduce the amount of garbage they produce.  
(1) just                      (2) by now                      (3) rather                      (4) not only
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2. The name "Big Ben," which originally referred to the bell in the clock tower of the British Houses of Parliament, \_\_\_ came to be used for the clock itself.  
(1) impartially                      (2) profoundly                      (3) graciously                      (4) eventually
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3. The heavily forested country of Gabon is noted for the quantity and quality of its \_\_\_\_\_.  
(1) wine                      (2) wind                      (3) work                      (4) wood
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4. In the 1920<sup>th</sup> and 1930<sup>th</sup>, the \_\_\_ of inexpensive electric power in Canada made the growth of many industries possible.  
(1) sensitivity                      (2) memorization                      (3) exaggeration                      (4) availability
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5. Despite mounting public pressure, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration has \_\_\_ to approve several new anti-cancer drugs.  
(1) even                      (2) yet                      (3) also                      (4) so
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6. Quasars are the most \_\_\_ objects in the universe: they are hundreds of times brighter than the Milky Way, which is itself as radiant as 10 billion suns.  
(1) eccentric                      (2) genial                      (3) luminous                      (4) fragile
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7. The Medes reached the peak of their power under King Cyaxares, who \_\_\_ from 625 to 585 B.C.E.  
(1) growled                      (2) confided                      (3) pledged                      (4) reigned
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8. Members of the Bibiena family achieved great \_\_\_ in the 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> centuries as the leading designers of theatrical scenery in Europe.  
(1) oppression                      (2) negligence                      (3) insulation                      (4) prominence
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