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Directions (1-15): In each of the following questions, a sentence is given with a blank. There are five words given below each sentence. Choose the phrases among the five options that suitably fits the given blank.

- Q1. I have to ---- my notes once again to make sure I have learned all important details before the exam.
- (a) stand for
- (b) put up with
- (c) take after
- (d) pull down
- (e) go over
- Q2. My check-up results indicate that I have to ---- all my bad habits at once.
- (a) keep on
- (b) let down
- (c) give up
- (d) put across
- (e) bring up

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- Q3. We haven't been able to decide on who is going to ---- our baby while we are on the business trip next week.
- (a)fall out
- (b)come to
- (c)get by
- (d)look after
- (e)go on

- Q4. Today, there is a tendency in our culture to ---- the people who haven't been to a university.
- (a)take off
- (b)show off
- (c)turn over
- (d) look down on
- (e)run out
- Q5. The soldier will be brought to trial because he is thought to have ---- state secrets to the enemy.
- (a)backed up
- (b)given away
- (c)broken out
- (d)turned off
- (e)run over

- Q6. In order not to lose its market share, our company must ---- the latest technological developments.
- (a)hold up
- (b)drop in
- (c)fall apart
- (d)wear out
- (e)keep up with
- Q7. It is obvious that the new law has ---- some revolutionary changes in the current tax system but there are still some points to be revised.
- (a)brought about
- (b)broken away
- (c)taken in
- (d)pulled out
- (e)come at



- Q8. If it weren't for the loan I got from the bank, it would have been impossible for me to --- my own business.
- (a)set up
- (b)cross out
- (c)drop off
- (d)take down
- (e)throw up
- Q9. Though he loved his fiancée very much, the boy acted in accordance with his parent's wishes and ---- with her.
- (a) set out

- (b)turned out (c)made up (d)broke up (e)looked in Q10. The fact that the inflation rate has ---- in recent months indicates that the government isn't following a reliable economic policy (a)put forward (b)come down with (c) given off (d)gone up (e)put out Q11. I will buy this bag since it is exactly what I have been ----. (a)calling off (b)giving away (c)taking after (d)making out (e) looking for Q12. As we have been informed that the weather will get worse soon, we have decided to ---- the tennis match. (a)take out (b)put off (c)make up (d)Go by (e) hand out Q13. Before ---- for Los Angeles, it is urgent that I get my car serviced today. (a)holding on (b)letting down (c)giving out (d)finding out (e)setting off Q14. I am trying to ---- from my roommate since I don't want him to be infected as I am. (a)take on
- (b)keep away
- (c)clear up
- (d)turn down
- (e)give back
- Q15. A lot of plant and animal species are in danger of --- at the moment.
- (a)dying out
- (b)paying off

(c)turning on

(d)setting out (e)running over



## **Solutions**

S1. Ans. (e)

Sol. Go over: consider, examine, or check (something).

S2. Ans. (c)

Sol. Give up: to stop doing or having something

S3. Ans. (d)

Sol. Look after: to be responsible for or to take care of somebody/something/yourself

S4. Ans. (d)

Sol. Look down on: to think that you are better than somebody

S5. Ans. (b)

Sol. Give away: to make known something that somebody wants to keep secret

S6. Ans. (e)

Sol. Keep up with: to learn about or be aware of the news, current events, etc.

S7. Ans. (a)

Sol. Bring about: to make something happen

S8. Ans. (a)

Sol. Set up: to create something or start it

S9. Ans. (d)

Sol. Break up: to come to an end

S10. Ans. (d)

Sol. Gone up: if the price of something, the temperature, etc. **goes up**, it becomes higher

S11. Ans. (e)

Sol. Look for: to hope for something; to expect something; Search something

S12. Ans. (b)

Sol. Put off: to cancel a meeting or an arrangement that you have made with somebody

S13. Ans. (e)

Sol. Set off: to begin a journey

S14. Ans. (b)

Sol. Keep away: to avoid going near somebody/something

S15. Ans. (a)

Sol. Die out: to stop existing

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