English Vocabulary Exercise

Fill in the blanks.

1. He did not ................................ to my letter.
   respond
   response
   responsive

2. I don’t think there is any .............................. for you to come again.
   necessity
   necessary
   necessitate

3. Though his early attempts were not ............................, he did not lose heart.
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success

successful

succeed

4. What a ................................... performance!

fascination

fascinating

5. The master’s ........................................... had great effect on his disciple.

exhort

exhortion

exhortation
6. The government should take the ......................... to help poor people displaced by natural calamities.

initiate

initiation

initiative

7. The lawyer was not able to .............................. his arguments.

substance

substantiate

substantiative

8. He completed the work to the ......................... of his boss.
9. What I like the most about you is your ________________

simple

simplicity

simplified

10. I have no ________________ towards anyone.

hostile

hostilities
11. He has ................................. expertise in building low cost homes.

consider
considerate
considerable

12. I pay them an ................................. visit.

occasion
occasional

Answers
He did not respond to my letter.
I don’t think there is any necessity for you to come again.
Though his early attempts were not successful he did not lose heart.
What a fascinating performance!
The master’s exhortation had great effect on his disciple.
The government should take the initiative to help poor people displaced by natural
calamities.
The lawyer was not able to substantiate his arguments.
He completed the work to the satisfaction of his boss.
What I like the most about you is your simplicity.
I have no hostilities towards anyone.
He has considerable expertise in building low cost homes.
I pay them an occasional visit.