

Gap Filling Vocabulary Exercise

Fill in the blanks.

1. Actors and singers enjoy great

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popular

popularity

2. Her led to her downfall.

extravagant

extravagance

extravagantly

3. Owing to bad weather, the of the plane was delayed by two hours.

depart

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departure

departing

4. felling of trees must be stopped.

Indiscriminate

Indiscriminant

indiscriminately

5. The mother at the death of her only child.

grief

grieved

grievance

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6. We apologize for the

inconvenient

inconvenience

inconveniently

7. You have to undergo training before you can get inducted into the Army.

rigor

rigorous

rigorously

8. We should be careful to preserve the of religious places.

sanity

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sanctity

sanctify

9. Scientists are engaged in the of the Antarctic.

explore

extrapolation

exploration

10. We go to the beach

occasion

occasionally

occasional

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11. There was no in his words.

sincere

sincerity

12. She is an woman.

industry

industrial

industrious

Answers

Actors and singers enjoy great popularity.

Her extravagance led to her downfall.

Owing to bad weather, the departure of the plane was delayed by two hours.

Indiscriminate felling of trees must be stopped.

The mother grieved at the death of her only child.

We apologize for the inconvenience.

You have to undergo rigorous training before you can get inducted into the Army.

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We should be careful to preserve the sanctity of religious places.

Scientists are engaged in the exploration of the Antarctic.

We go to the beach occasionally.

There was no sincerity in his words.

She is an industrious woman.