

Gap Fills Exercise

Fill in the blanks.

1. Follow the directions or this medicine may be harmful.

care

careful

carefully

2. One has to be to work as a lumberjack.

hard

hardy

hardly

3. After that experience I shook for a week.

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harrowing

harrowed

4. The harsh light my eyes.

hurt

hurted

5. There wasn't much time so I dressed
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haste

hastily

hastely

6. A search turned up the

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missing earring.

haste

hasty

hastily

7. She isn't to be a good dancer.

enough graceful

graceful enough

8. The queen received her subjects in a manner.

grand

grant

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9. He knew well what I was trying to say.

full

fully

Either could be used here

10. The expedition was with danger.

fought

fraught

wrought

11. He speaks too to be heard.

soft

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softly

Either could be used here

12. It was a case of mistaken identity.

sole

solely

Either could be used here

Answers

1. Follow the directions carefully or this medicine may be harmful.
2. One has to be hardy to work as a lumberjack.
3. After that harrowing experience I shook for a week.
4. The harsh light hurt my eyes.
5. There wasn't much time so I dressed hastily.

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6. A hasty search turned up the missing earring.
7. She isn't graceful enough to be a good dancer.
8. The queen received her subjects in a grand manner.
9. He knew full / fully well what I was trying to say.
10. The expedition was fraught with danger.
11. He speaks too soft to be heard.
12. It was solely a case of mistaken identity.