Sentence Completion Exercise

Complete the following sentences.

1. Don’t they teach any ……………………… at that school?
   - manner
   - manners
   - mannerism

2. Many are called but ……………………… are chosen.
   - few
   - fewer
   - less
   - little
3. The old mariner had sailed the seas ................................ 40 years.

   for

   since

   from

4. ........................................ are the true makers of history.

   Masses

   The masses

   The mass

5. He showed a ................................ grasp of the problem.

   masterful
masterly

Either could be used here

6. Tie the package with a strong
............................
cord
chord

7. If you play a few ......................... on the
guitar, I will sing along.
cords
chords

8. With the ......................... of all the
employees the work was done on time.
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cooperation

corporation

9. I don’t believe in ........................................ punishment but I would love to give that boy a spanking.

corporal

corporeal

10. The coroner was called to examine the ........................................

corpse

corps

11. The general’s decision to invade was a
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…………………………. mistake.

costy

costly

cost

12. Is the witness’s story …………………………?

credible

creditable

Answers

1. Don’t they teach any manners at that school?

2. Many are called but few are chosen.

3. The old mariner had sailed the seas for 40 years.

4. The masses are the true makers of history.
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5. He showed a masterful / masterly grasp of the problem.

6. Tie the package with a strong cord.

7. If you play a few chords on the guitar, I will sing along.

8. With the cooperation of all the employees the work was done on time.

9. I don’t believe in corporal punishment but I would love to give that boy a spanking.

10. The coroner was called to examine the corpse.

11. The general’s decision to invade was a costly mistake.

12. Is the witness’s story credible?