

1. Reduce its size in half
2. Go out of business = go broke = go bankrupt
3. The gap between the rich and the poor is widening
4. The widening gap
5. X is distinctively different from Y
6. I took a day off
7. I took leave for a day
8. I am going to take off = leave

9. His business took off =
thrive

10. It took me a year to + V

11. I took a year to + V

12. Take your time = don't
rush

13. Thank you for taking your
time

14. Sorry for taking your time

15. I am behind my time

16. I am ahead of my time

17. Make a huge impact on
sth

18. Come together

19. Bring some people
together

20. Seeming adversaries =
competitors = rivals =
opponents # proponents

21. Bridal suite

22. Presidential suite

23. The environment shapes X

24. Make a move = adopt an
action = take a measure =
take a step = put X into
action = Put X into practice

25. Tenure = term

26. Distill sth = extract sth =
elicit sth = obtain sth = gain
sth = get sth

27. Instill sth = impart sth =
inject sth

28. Grow to sb's potential

29. X is digitally enabled and
transparent

30. Information flow and
dissipation

31. A complex matrix

32. Rely on sth

33. Traditional = conventional
development practices

34. Stunt = slow = reduce sth

35. Stunt-master

36. Outdated performance
criteria

37. X gives you false positives

38. Lull sb into thinking that ...

39. Sing a Lullaby

40. Anticipate the next change

41. X is on the calendar

42. Understand potential
discontinuities

- 43. Make a decision
- 44. Take a decision
- 45. Do a practice
- 46. Course-correct
- 47. Self-correct
- 48. X is head-down
- 49. X is down-to-earth
- 50. Shape the future
- 51. React to sth
- 52. Stakeholder
- 53. Have a stake in sth
- 54. To some extent

55. Develop = build = establish
= create relationships with sb

56. Despite all these
differences

57. Achieve a common /
shared goal

58. Are you courageous
enough to abandon a
practice?

59. Go along to get along
(Mehdi)

60. Follow this advice

61. Take my advice

62. I dare to be different

63. Most impactful
development

64. X comes from Y

65. Build the stamina

66. Withstand sth

67. Your idea is naïve = gullible

68. Naiveté

69. Take a courageous leap

70. A leap year

71. X stands out

72. Outstanding = remarkable
+ N

73. An outstanding = overdue bill

74. Abandon the comfortable predictability of yesterday , prepare for the realities of today and anticipate the unknown possibilities of the future

75. benefits of hard work and dedication

76. be fully aware of..

77. the safety benefits of...

78. I had the benefit of sth

79. the likely benefits of the
new traffic scheme

80. the benefits of regular
exercise.

81. I'm a great believer in the
benefits of...

82. X is full of preservatives
and chemicals.

83. We are entitled to child
benefit.

84. To be entitled to sth

85. under 18 years of age

86. claim unemployment
benefit

87. the main fringe benefits

88. irrespective of X =
regardless of X

89. a system of means-tested
benefits

90. 5. I'm afraid you'll have to
pay the full rent for the flat

91. You're not eligible for
housing benefit

92. pay into a fund for welfare
benefits

93. sickness pay

94. holiday pay

95. take a pill

96. get the full benefit

97. The new reward scheme

98. X is of great benefit to sb

99. get maximum benefit from
a course

100. X has far-reaching
benefits for...

101. The benefit of X to the
local economy will be
incalculable

- 102. give somebody the
benefit of the doubt
- 103. extol the benefits of..
- 104. He's always waxing
lyrical about the benefits of..
- 105. It's to our mutual
benefit
- 106. this plan will make us
thousands
- 107. for my benefit
- 108. catch a cold / the flue /
a chill / pneumonia
- 109. get soaking wet

- 110. contract a disease /
malaria / typhoid
- 111. develop breast cancer /
diabetes / Alzheimer's
disease/ arthritis
- 112. suffer from asthma /
hay fever / backache
- 113. have an attack of hay
fever / asthma / bronchitis /
diarrhea
- 114. He was diagnosed with
pancreatic cancer / autism
- 115. Suffer / sustain an injury

- 116. Suffer a stroke
- 117. Take vigorous regular exercise
- 118. Eat a balanced diet
- 119. Care about healthy eating
- 120. Follow a personal fitness program
- 121. Stick to a program / diet
- 122. Stick to your gun
- 123. Keep fit
- 124. Be terminally ill

- 125. Suffer excruciating / unbearable pain
- 126. An incurable illness
- 127. X runs in the family
- 128. A trivial / minor ailment
- 129. X is not life-threatening
- 130. X is a serious illness
- 131. X is intensely / acutely painful
- 132. It's a dull ache
- 133. Alleviate / relieve / soothe / ease / lessen pain
- 134. Prescribe some tablets

- 135. X was taken ill
- 136. I have a splitting
headache and a heavy cold
- 137. I am in a good mood
- 138. I have a slight headache
- 139. X is damaged
- 140. X is injured
- 141. In-flight catering
- 142. X is in short supply
- 143.
- 144.
- 145.