

CORRECT WORD

Put the correct form of the word in brackets into the blank.

1. The results were very strange! In fact, they were _____ ! (BELIEVE)
2. He has an unfortunate _____ to understand people's feelings (ABLE)
3. Due to the clerk's _____ we missed the train (STUBBORN)
4. What we saw was beyond all _____ (EXPECT)
5. She is a student of the _____ (HUMAN)
6. The book contains some great _____ (ILLUSTRATE)
7. Please give us details of your present _____ (OCCUPY)
8. What is the _____ of the Danube River (LONG)
9. The _____ of our agriculture is important if we want to produce more food (MECHANIC)
10. Drug _____ is a problem causing great concern (ADDICT)
11. The _____ of the awards is scheduled for next Friday (PRESENT)
12. I have been sworn to _____ so I can't say a word (SECRET)
13. After losing her job she was _____ for a month (EMPLOY)

14. Pushing into a queue is considered to be extremely _____ (POLITE)
15. The audience gave the violinist a round of _____ (APPLAUD)
16. He isn't happy with his job because he feels he is _____ (PAY)
17. We have just been shown another example of _____ killing (SENSE)
18. My sister's _____ makes her social life difficult (SHY)
19. I'm not sure at all I really can't say with _____ (CERTAIN)
20. My _____ is the history of Elizabethan England (SPECIAL)
21. The police were told by their _____ where to find the criminal
(INFORM)
22. He received many medals for his acts of _____ during the war (HERO)
23. The _____ of the company is said to be dangerous to small firms
(EXPAND)
24. For all of us, Marilyn Monroe was the _____ of beauty (PERSON)
25. I can guarantee the _____ of our new product (RELY)
26. The government is encouraging heavy _____ (INVEST)
27. People who suffer from _____ should buy themselves a pet (LONELY)

28. George and I have been friends since _____ (CHILD)
29. Everybody is worried about the _____ of the rain forest (DESTROY)
30. Some MPs are calling for _____ without trial (DETAIN)
31. My grandfather was given a medal for _____ (BRAVE)
32. My father takes great _____ in his work (PROUD)
33. This bag contains all my photographic _____ (EQUIP)
34. _____ is probably the most useful form of energy (ELECTRIC)
35. John turned up on the wrong day because of a _____ (UNDERSTAND)
36. Jake had another _____ with his boss (AGREE)
37. The bank robbers were sentenced to twelve years of _____ (PRISON)
38. Mary suddenly felt sick, so we needed a _____ for her part in the play
(REPLACE)
39. Failure to apply in time may result in a _____ of benefits (LOSE)
40. Pat was accused of stealing some _____ documents (CONFIDENT)

ANSWERS

1. The results were very strange! In fact, they were **unbelievable!** (BELIEVE)
2. He has an unfortunate **inability** to understand people's feelings (ABLE)
3. Due to the clerk's **stubbornness** we missed the train (STUBBORN)
4. What we saw was beyond all **expectation** (EXPECT)
5. She is a student of the **humanities** (HUMAN)
6. The book contains some great **illustrations** (ILLUSTRATE)
7. Please give us details of your present **occupation** (OCCUPY)
8. What is the **length** of the Danube River (LONG)
9. The **mechanization** of our agriculture is important if we want to produce more food (MECHANIC)
10. Drug **addiction** is a problem causing great concern (ADDICT)
11. The **presentation** of the awards is scheduled for next Friday (PRESENT)
12. I have been sworn to **secrecy** so I can't say a word (SECRET)
13. After losing her job she was **unemployed** for a month (EMPLOY)
14. Pushing into a queue is considered to be extremely **impolite** (POLITE)
15. The audience gave the violinist a round of **applause** (APPLAUD)
16. He isn't happy with his job because he feels he is **underpaid** (PAY)
17. We have just been shown another example of **senseless** killing (SENSE)
18. My sister's **shyness** makes her social life difficult (SHY)
19. I'm not sure at all I really can't say with **certainty** (CERTAIN)
20. My **specialty** is the history of Elizabethan England (SPECIAL)
21. The police were told by their **informant** where to find the criminal (INFORM)
22. He received many medals for his acts of **heroism** during the war (HERO)
23. The **expansion** of the company is said to be dangerous to small firms (EXPAND)
24. For all of us, Marilyn Monroe was the **personification** of beauty (PERSON)
25. I can guarantee the **reliability** of our new product (RELY)

26. The government is encouraging heavy **investment** (INVEST)
27. People who suffer from **loneliness** should buy themselves a pet (LONELY)
28. George and I have been friends since **childhood** (CHILD)
29. Everybody is worried about the **destruction** of the rain forest (DESTROY)
30. Some MPs are calling for **detainment** without trial (DETAIN)
31. My grandfather was given a medal for **bravery** (BRAVE)
32. My father takes great **pride** in his work (PROUD)
33. This bag contains all my photographic **equipment** (EQUIP)
34. **Electricity** is probably the most useful form of energy (ELECTRIC)
35. John turned up on the wrong day because of a **misunderstanding** (UNDERSTAND)
36. Jake had another **disagreement** with his boss (AGREE)
37. The bank robbers were sentenced to twelve years of **imprisonment** (PRISON)
38. Mary suddenly felt sick, so we needed a **replacement** for her part in the play (REPLACE)
39. Failure to apply in time may result in a **loss** of benefits (LOSE)
40. Pat was accused of stealing some **confidential** documents (CONFIDENT)