

Collocations

Collocations are partly or fully fixed expressions that become established through repeated context-dependent use.

For ex: Healthy Diet, Regular Exercise, Strong Tea, Readily available, Matter of choice , Personal Preferences are all collocations.

Choose the right words to form collocations from the given list of words

Awareness, barriers, audience, bank, attitude, aversion, ban, authority, bargain, ball, award, basics, balance, authenticity, background, ballot, authorities

1. He electrified the packed _____ with his presentation.
2. He is the boss. He exerts absolute _____
3. If there is a risk of pollution, I think we need to inform the proper _____
4. I think we need to adopt a firm _____ in these negotiations..
5. I'm afraid I've developed a deep _____ to this topic.
6. He was presented with a Freddy, the highest _____ you can receive in our profession.
7. What we need to do is to raise consumer _____ of our product.
8. She has done well to get to her present job. She comes from a deprived _____ .
9. I only have a rough idea of the problem. Perhaps you could sketch in the _____ ?
10. You probably don't know very much about him. He's the sort of person that prefers to keep to the _____
11. We need to maintain the delicate _____ between the need for quality and the need for quantity.
12. I thought he would do well as my successor but he fumbled the _____
13. I think that this new development casts doubt on the _____ of this document. It may be a forgery.
14. He was elected in a secret _____ .
15. They have announced an immediate _____ on the import of British beef.
16. He is a recognized expert, a renowned _____ on this subject.
17. My son would like to get a job with a merchant _____ in the City of London.
18. You certainly drive a hard _____ . You're a very tough negotiator.
19. We have to try to break down the cultural _____ and get people to try Japanese sushi.
20. We've got too far away from our key goals. We need to get back to _____ .

Answers

1. Audience
2. Authority
3. Authorities
4. Attitude
5. Aversion
6. Award
7. Awareness
8. Background
9. Background
10. Background
11. Balance
12. Ball
13. Authenticity
14. Ballet
15. Ban
16. Authority
17. Bank
18. Bargain
19. Barriers
20. Basics