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✏ELTE Adjectives quiz 256□□

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1. The little boy was _____ after getting lost in the shopping centre and being unable to find his parents. (Hint: unable to help himself)

(A) helpless
(B) fearless
(C) painless
(D) endless

2. The necklace was so rare and valuable that the family considered it _____. (Hint: extremely valuable; impossible to put a price on)

(A) worthless
(B) priceless
(C) careless
(D) harmless

3. The teacher became frustrated because the students were _____ and kept moving around instead of concentrating. (Hint: unable to stay still)

(A) restless
(B) harmless
(C) fearless
(D) useless

4. The chemical was completely _____ to humans, according to the laboratory report. (Hint: not causing any damage or injury)

(A) poisonous
(B) harmless
(C) dangerous
(D) harmful

5. The instructions were so _____ that everyone understood exactly what they had to do. (Hint: easy to understand)

(A) understandable

(B) careless

(C) hopeless

(D) useless

6. Although the instructions were clear, his explanation was completely _____ because it did not provide any additional information. (Hint: having no practical value)

(A) helpful

(B) useless

(C) careless

(D) hopeful

7. He made a _____ mistake when he sent the confidential document to the wrong person. (Hint: not paying enough attention)

(A) careless

(B) fearless

(C) endless

(D) painless

8. After walking for hours without finding the village, the travellers felt completely _____. (Hint: having no hope of success)

(A) hopeful

(B) homeless

(C) hopeless

(D) harmless

9. The child was _____ when he crossed the busy road without looking at the traffic. (Hint: behaving without enough attention)

(A) fearless

(B) careless

(C) harmless

(D) restless

10. Despite the difficult circumstances, she remained _____ and believed that everything would eventually improve. (Hint: full of hope)

(A) hopeless

(B) hopeful

(C) worthless

(D) helpless

11. The journey seemed _____ because the train stopped at every small station along the way. (Hint: seeming to have no end)

(A) painless

(B) endless

(C) fearless

(D) finite

12. Although he had little experience, he remained _____ when facing dangerous situations. (Hint: showing no fear)

(A) fearful

(B) fearless

(C) restless

(D) worthless

13. It was _____ spending the entire night preparing for an exam that was eventually cancelled. (Hint: having no purpose or meaning)

(A) restless

(B) pointless

(C) hopeless

(D) useless

14. The teenager's _____ behaviour behind the wheel resulted in a serious accident, leaving several people injured. (Hint: acting without caring about the risks.)

(A) reckless

(B) harmless

(C) hopeful

(D) useful

15. I was completely _____ about how to solve the complicated maths problem, so I asked my teacher for help. (Hint: not having the slightest idea.)

(A) careless

(B) clueless

(C) fearless

(D) powerful

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Answer Key
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1. The little boy was _____ after getting lost in the shopping centre and being unable to find his parents. (Hint: unable to help himself)

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C painless

D endless

i Helpless describes someone who cannot manage a difficult situation without assistance.

2. The necklace was so rare and valuable that the family considered it _____. (Hint: extremely valuable; impossible to put a price on)

A worthless

✓ **B** priceless

C careless

D harmless

i Priceless means extremely valuable. Interestingly, -less does not always give an adjective a negative meaning.

3. The teacher became frustrated because the students were _____ and kept moving around instead of concentrating. (Hint: unable to stay still)

✓ **A** restless

B harmless

C fearless

D useless

i Restless describes someone who cannot relax or remain still.

4. The chemical was completely _____ to humans, according to the laboratory report. (Hint: not causing any damage or injury)

A poisonous

✓ B harmless

C dangerous

D harmful

i Harmless means not dangerous or not causing injury.

5. The instructions were so _____ that everyone understood exactly what they had to do. (Hint: easy to understand)

✓ A understandable

B careless

C hopeless

D useless

i Understandable means easy to understand. It uses the suffix -able, meaning capable of being understood.

6. Although the instructions were clear, his explanation was completely _____ because it did not provide any additional information. (Hint: having no practical value)

A helpful

✓ B useless

C careless

D hopeful

i Useless. The suffix -less means "without". Useless means having no value or purpose.

7. He made a _____ mistake when he sent the confidential document to the wrong person. (Hint: not paying enough attention)

✓ A careless

B fearless

C endless

D painless

i Careless. Careless means not being sufficiently careful or attentive.

8. After walking for hours without finding the village, the travellers felt completely _____. (Hint: having no hope of success)

A hopeful

B homeless

✓ C hopeless

D harmless

i Hopeless. Hopeless describes a situation in which there seems to be no chance of success.

9. The child was _____ when he crossed the busy road without looking at the traffic. (Hint: behaving without enough attention)

A fearless

✓ B careless

C harmless

D restless

i Careless. Careless describes someone who does not consider possible risks or consequences.

10. Despite the difficult circumstances, she remained _____ and believed that everything would eventually improve. (Hint: full of hope)

A hopeless

✓ B hopeful

C worthless

D helpless

i Hopeful. Hopeful means optimistic and expecting something positive. Notice the suffix -ful, which means "full of".

11. The journey seemed _____ because the train stopped at every small station along the way. (Hint: seeming to have no end)

A painless

✓ B endless

C fearless

D finite

i Endless. Endless means continuing for a very long time or seemingly having no end.

12. Although he had little experience, he remained _____ when facing dangerous situations. (Hint: showing no fear)

A fearful

✓ B fearless

C restless

D worthless

i Fearless. Fearless means brave and not afraid of danger.

13. It was _____ spending the entire night preparing for an exam that was eventually cancelled. (Hint: having no purpose or meaning)

A restless

✓ B pointless

C hopeless

D useless

i Pointless. Pointless means having no purpose or being a waste of time.

14. The teenager's _____ behaviour behind the wheel resulted in a serious accident, leaving several people injured. (Hint: acting without caring about the risks.)

✓ A reckless

B harmless

C hopeful

D useful

i Reckless behaviour involves taking dangerous risks and ignoring the safety of others.

15. I was completely _____ about how to solve the complicated maths problem, so I asked my teacher for help. (Hint: not having the slightest idea.)

A careless

✓ B clueless

C fearless

D powerful

i Clueless describes someone who does not know or understand what to do in a particular situation.