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Exercise A · Choose the correct collocating verb (Q1–5)

Use *make, do, take, have, or give*.

1. She ___ a decision after thinking it over carefully.
→ _____
2. They ___ a break every two hours.
→ _____
3. He ___ a speech at the conference.
→ _____
4. We ___ a lot of progress last month.
→ _____
5. She ___ the washing up after dinner.
→ _____

Exercise B · Complete the collocation (Q6–10)

Fill in the blank with the correct word.

6. fast ___ (sleeping deeply)
→ _____
7. heavy ___ (a lot of rain)
→ _____
8. make a ___ (an error)
→ _____
9. pay ___ (careful notice)
→ _____
10. take ___ of (look after)
→ _____

Collocations Worksheet — Side B

Intermediate B1–B2

Exercise C · Replace the wrong word (Q11–14)

Each sentence has an incorrect collocation. Rewrite with the correct verb or adjective.

11. She did a decision to leave the company.

→ _____

12. He made his homework before dinner.

→ _____

13. They took a great impact on the community.

→ _____

14. She gave a mistake and had to apologise.

→ _____

Exercise D · Multiple choice (Q15–17)

Choose the best collocation.

15. She ___ a shower every morning.

(a) takes (b) makes (c) does

16. He ___ a lot of effort into his work.

(a) puts (b) does (c) makes

17. They ___ a party for her birthday.

(a) did (b) threw (c) made

Exercise E · Write your own sentences (Q18–20)

Use these collocations in sentences.

18. 'make progress' → ___

→ _____

19. 'do research' → ___

→ _____

20. 'take advantage of' → ___

→ _____

Answer Sheet — Collocations Worksheet

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Exercise A — Choose the correct collocating verb

Q1–5

1. made
2. take
3. gave
4. made
5. did

Exercise B — Complete the collocation

Q6–10

6. fast asleep
7. heavy rain
8. mistake
9. attention
10. care

Exercise C — Replace the wrong word

Q11–14

11. She made a decision to leave the company.
12. He did his homework before dinner.
13. They had a great impact on the community.
14. She made a mistake and had to apologise.

Exercise D — Multiple choice

Q15–17

15. takes
16. puts
17. threw

Exercise E — Write your own sentences

Q18–20

18. (own answer)
19. (own answer)
20. (own answer)

Total: 20 points · Side A: Q1–10 · Side B: Q11–20