

NEGATIVE PREFIXES 2

Complete the sentences using negative prefixes of the words in brackets.

- 1.- There is no doubt that cannabis will remain an _____ (legal) drug for the foreseeable future.
- 2.- It was quite _____ (possible) for us to drive all the way from Santander to Seville in one day.
- 3.- He made an _____ (successful) attempt to climb the highest mountain in the range.
- 4.- To take the boat out with four children under the age of ten and with no life jackets on board was quite _____ (responsible) of him.
- 5.- The dress she was wearing was quite _____ (appropriate) for the occasion.
- 6.- It was very _____ (polite) of him to insult his mother in front of his aunt.
- 7.- They were a completely _____ (religious) family and I never thought that one day I would marry one of the daughters.
- 8.- It was _____ (sensitive) of them to say that.
- 9.- The goods were _____ (perfect) and had to be returned to the store we bought them from.
- 10.- She was _____ (contented) with her life and decided that things had to change.
- 11.- We were really _____ (happy) with the way the party was going
- 12.- Don't worry about the volcano. It has been _____ (active) for years.
- 13.- She gets very angry if you _____ (agree) with her ideas.
- 14.- I've been _____ (employed) since June. I must find work soon.
- 15.- It was very _____ (honest) of him to steal that money.
- 16.- What they said is _____ (true). We didn't hit her at all.
- 17.- We were _____ (lucky) to lose the match.
- 18.- There's a lot of _____ (happiness) in the world.
- 19.- You need to _____ (connect) the DVD player from the TV before you connect the PlayStation
- 20.- After three hours on the plane we were beginning to feel _____ (comfortable)
- 21.- Don't feel too bad about what you did. We're all _____ (perfect).
- 22.- The test was _____ (fair) because some people had seen it before.
- 23.- Don't condemn her: there was nothing _____ (moral) about what she did.
- 24.- He scribbled his name _____ (legible) on the back of the envelope.
- 25.- The student was very _____ (respectful) to the teacher.
- 26.- Little sports cars are _____ (practical) for large families.
- 27.- He was _____ (tolerant) of other people's weakness
- 28.- It is _____ (logical) to think that things will change on their own.





ANSWER KEY

- 1 An **illegal** drug
2. **Impossible** to drive such a distance in one day
3. An **unsuccessful** attempt
4. **Irresponsible** behaviour
5. A dress which was **inappropriate** for the occasion
6. **Impolite** behaviour
7. An **irreligious** family
8. **Insensitive**
9. **Imperfect** goods
10. **Discontented** with her life
- 11 **Unhappy**
- 12 **Inactive**
- 13 **Disagree**
- 14 **Unemployed**
- 15 **Dishonest**
- 16 **Untrue**
- 17 **Unlucky**
18. **Unhappines**
- 19 **Disconnect**
- 20 **Uncomfortable**
- 21 **Imperfect**
- 22 **Unfair**
- 23 **Immoral**
- 24 **Illegible**
- 25 **Disrespectful**
- 26 **Impractical**
- 27 **Intolerant**
28. **Illogical**