

## ANSWERS

### Task 1

1. He gave her a check \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of money.

**for**

in

of

to

with

2. The reason \_\_\_\_\_ this meeting is to discuss the merger.

**for**

in

of

to

with

3. The decrease \_\_\_\_\_ profits is due to the bad market.

for

**in**

of

to

with

4. There is a real demand \_\_\_\_\_ new products.

**for**

in

of

to

with

5. We have seen a fall \_\_\_\_\_ prices recently.

for

**in**

of

to

with

6. The cause \_\_\_\_\_ his problems is his family.

for

in

**of**

to

with

7. Did you do any damage \_\_\_\_\_ the house?

for

in

of

**to**

with

8. I think your attitude \_\_\_\_\_ your sister is very bad indeed.

for

in

of

to

**towards**

9. The difference \_\_\_\_\_ the two is very slight.

for

in

**between**

to

with

10. He took a photograph \_\_\_\_\_ his girlfriend.

for

in

**of**

to

with

11. Do you have a good relationship \_\_\_\_\_ most of your relatives?

for

in

of

to

**with**

12. She wasn't aware \_\_\_\_\_ his reaction to the problem.

for

in

**of**

to

with

13. Did you send Alice an invitation \_\_\_\_\_ the party?

for

in

of

**to**

with

14. The connection \_\_\_\_\_ the two victims was minimal.

for

in

of

to

**between**

15. The advantage \_\_\_\_\_ having free time is that you can do anything you want with it.

for

in

**of**

to

with

16. He made a mistake \_\_\_\_\_ thinking that Alice was someone he could easily fool.

for

**in**

of

to

with

### Task 2

1. We had little hope **of** success; nonetheless, we decided to perform the operation.
2. The cash-for-vote scandal did a lot of harm **to** his reputation as a conscientious politician.
3. We have to find a substitute **for** it.
4. We should deem it as an attack **on** our right to privacy.
5. In many cities the cost **of** living is pretty high.
6. We would like to see a big increase **in** productivity.
7. I have no interest **in** politics.
8. I have no faith **in** her capabilities.
9. I have heard that the government is planning to raise the tax **on** automobiles.
10. I admire their way **of** doing things.

### Task 3

1. I really need a BREAK \_\_\_ drinking alcohol!

of

**from**

at

2. Her skin has a really bad REACTION \_\_\_ the sun.

with

**to**

at

3. There has been a huge RISE \_\_\_ food prices recently.

at

with

**in**

4. I think I have an ADDICTION \_\_\_ chocolate.

with

**to**

about

5. I have huge RESPECT \_\_\_ my teachers at school, now I know how hard it can be!

with

in

**for**

6. I went on a date on Tuesday and I felt a real CONNECTION \_\_\_ him.

**with**

at

about

7. I had no CONTROL \_\_\_ the England team losing that game!

**over**

for

about

8. There was a huge SEARCH \_\_\_ my missing camera, but nobody found it.

with

**for**

at

9. She caused huge DAMAGE \_\_\_ his car when she crashed into it.

about

for

**to**

10. I didn't think there was any REASON \_\_\_ him to shout at me.

**for**

to

between

Task 4

- 2 to
- 3 in
- 4 for
- 5 of
- 6 in or to
- 7 for
- 8 to or towards
- 9 with
- 10 in
- 11 to
- 12 of
- 13 for a rise in pay
- 14 to
- 15 with