ENGLISH VOCABULARY TESTS

Phrasal Verb Nouns and Adjectives Quiz: Break-in, Run-down

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1. Police are investigating a ___ at the jeweller's on Friday night.
A) breakdown **B)** break-in
C) outbreak **D)** take-off

2. Acting on an anonymous ___, journalists found the hidden documents.
A) tip-off **B)** telling-off
C) write-off **D)** giveaway

3. Nurses ___ a walkout over staff shortages.
A) made **B)** did **C)** staged **D)** took

4. The new director has promised a major ___ of the company.
A) build-up **B)** shake-up
C) go-ahead **D)** onlooker

5. We can't start building until the council gives us the ___.
A) tip-off **B)** build-up
C) shake-up **D)** go-ahead

6. In the ___ to the election, both parties spent millions on adverts.
A) build-up **B)** shake-up
C) walkout **D)** knockout

7. Nobody was hurt, but after the crash the car was a ___.
A) break-in **B)** write-off
C) knockout **D)** telling-off

8. Have you seen Ravi's brother in his new suit? He looks an absolute ___!
A) giveaway **B)** onlooker
C) knockout **D)** outburst

9. She said she had walked all the way, but the bus ticket in her coat was a dead ___.
A) giveaway **B)** write-off
C) tip-off **D)** outburst

10. In which noun is the main stress on the LAST part?
A) a walkout **B)** a tip-off
C) a break-in **D)** a telling-off

11. The judge warned him that another ___ would get him sent out of the courtroom.
A) onlooker **B)** outburst
C) build-up **D)** giveaway

12. A crowd of ___ watched the firefighters bring the cat down from the roof.
A) onlookers **B)** outbursts
C) walkouts **D)** break-ins

13. The flat is ___, but the kitchen has new ___ cupboards.
A) laid-back ... stuck-up
B) built-in ... run-down
C) stuck-up ... drawn-out
D) run-down ... built-in

14. My sister is so ___ about exams that she sleeps well the night before, but her ___ classmates never say hello to her.
A) stuck-up ... laid-back
B) run-down ... built-in
C) laid-back ... stuck-up
D) drawn-out ... run-down

15. After a long ___ court case, the company finally agreed to pay.
A) built-in **B)** laid-back
C) drawn-out **D)** run-down

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