Use the word in brackets to form a new word that fits into each blank.

1. Make sure you have something ______________________ to say before you stand up and speak (CONSTRUCT).
2. A new ______________________ centre is being built outside the town. (INDUSTRY)
3. Trees are being cut down to provide ______________________ parking space. (ADD)
4. The school is located in a quiet ______________________ area (RESIDENT)
5. I don't think your demands are very ______________________. (REASON)
6. She was a very ______________________ woman (AMBITION).
7. She became the ______________________ owner of a gigantic estate. (WEALTH)
8. An ______________________ thing happened to me yesterday (AMUSE)
9. Exercise can be ______________________ provided you do not overdo it (BENEFIT).
10. We had an ______________________ time at the party (ENJOY)
11. Swimming is an ______________________ way of keeping fit (EFFECT)
12. Our town library is facing serious ______________________ problems (FINANCE).
13. Some people remain ______________________ well into their eighties (ACT).
14. She was very ______________________ about her bad behaviour (APOLOGY)
15. The police became ______________________ when he started telling lies (SUSPECT)
16. Writing a book can be a very ______________________ experience (SATISFY)
17. He had lost so much weight it was hardly ______________________ (RECOGNISE)
18. My cousin is very ______________________ and loves doing sports (COMPETE)
19. ______________________ people are often said an uncommunicative (CREATE)
20. The management think they will succeed, but I am rather ______________________ (DOUBT)
21. It was a very ______________________ film (DISAPPOINT)
22. British weather can be very ______________________ (CHANGE)
23. He must have ______________________ me and brought me the wrong book (UNDERSTAND).
24. The troops’ ______________________ were monitored closely in the command room. (MOVE)
25. Details of the examination have not been ______________________ to the public. (CLOSE)
KEY

1. Make sure you have something **constructive** to say before you stand up and speak (CONSTRUCT).
2. A new **industrial** centre is being built outside the town. (INDUSTRY)
3. Trees are being cut down to provide **additional** parking space. (ADD)
4. The school is located in a quiet **residential** area (RESIDENT)
5. I don't think your demands are very **reasonable**. (REASON)
6. She was a very **ambitious** woman (AMBITION).
7. She became the **wealthy** owner of a gigantic estate. (WEALTH)
8. An **amusing** thing happened to me yesterday (AMUSE)
9. Exercise can be **beneficial** provided you do not overdo it (BENEFIT).
10. We had an **enjoyable** time at the party (ENJOY)
11. Swimming is an **effective** way of keeping fit (EFFECT)
12. Our town library is facing serious **financial** problems (FINANCE).
13. Some people remain **active** well into their eighties (ACT).
14. She was very **apologetic** about her bad behaviour (APOLOGY)
15. The police became **suspicious** when he started telling lies (SUSPECT)
16. Writing a book can be a very **satisfying / satisfactory** experience (SATISFY)
17. He had lost so much weight it was hardly **recognisable** (RECOGNISE)
18. My cousin is very **competitive** and loves doing sports (COMPETE)
19. **Creative** people are often said an uncommunicative (CREATE)
20. The management think they will succeed, but I am rather **doubtful** (DOUBT)
21. It was a very **disappointing** film (DISAPPOINT)
22. British weather can be very **changeable** (CHANGE)
23. He must have **misunderstood** me and brought me the wrong book (UNDERSTAND).
24. The troops’ **movements** were monitored closely in the command room. (MOVE)
25. Details of the examination have not been **disclosed** to the public. (CLOSE)