REWRITING 1. His new hobby is swimming (taken) 2. Exercise improves our health and enhances our appearance (only) 3. There were no volunteers for the school concert (take) 4. The global interest in physical exercise has been a great boon to the leisure industry (from) 5. We can avoid serious injuries by wearing seat-belts in cars (prevented) 6. a. When I saw Jim it suddenly dawned on me how much he must have suffered (home) b. I could tell by the tone of his voice how serious the situation was (home) 7. Great powers of concentration are needed to play tennis professionally (demands) 8. An automatic gear box is a feature of the two different models of this car (which) 9. I think cycling is preferable to walking (rather) 10. Most people regard him as being the best man for the job (widely) 11. You aren't allowed to smoke on the tube (ban) 12. They share a lot of hobbies and interests (common) 13. Don't eat so many sweets and you won't have to visit the dentist so often (save) 14. A sudden downpour resulted in the postponement of the football match (put) 15. The fact that he will never race again is something he cannot accept (terms) 16. From the educational point of view his childhood years had been well spent (terms) 17. I never thought of going to Iceland for my holidays (occurred/ head) 18. His holiday insurance scheme failed through lack of support (back/ backing)

19. The last day of the holiday was disastrous (in/ catastrophically)

20. It poured down all day (dogs /torrents)

21. It seems likely that the company will fold (probability/ odds)

22. Nobody plays football in front of my house! (have/ forbidden)

23. Physical exercise is not a modern pastime (new/ hills)
24. a. The disagreement is a lot of fuss about nothing (teacup)
b. A lot of fuss has been made about nothing (teacup)
25. I hope my remarks haven't upset you (offence/ amiss)
26. There are some people who didn't agree with the decision (everybody/ unanimous)
27. The regiment's reputation was greatly damaged by his outrageous conduct (harm)
28. The ships were hardly visible through the thick fog (make)
29. A government official leaked the story to the world press (wind)
30. It was with great reluctance that they came to our aid (loath)
31. Organic vegetables are said to be very healthy (wonders)
32. He stood no chance of passing his exams (bound/ inevitable)
33. I'm annoyed with you for not phoning me to say you'd be late (earth)
34. I hardly think she will agree to giving you a pay rise (doubt/likelihood)
35. It seems to be a foregone conclusion that Davis will win the gold medal (certain/ doubt)
36. The house has got everything except a large garden (lacks/from)
37. I am afraid to say that we haven't got any oil left (up/run)
38. The film is similar to Shakespeare's Hamlet in a number of ways (bears)
39. He returned from the treacherous Antarctic expedition in good health and completely unharmed (hale/sound/kicking)
40. The police arrived as the thieves were committing the crime (red-handed)
41. Bad weather delayed the flight (due)
42. Travellers consider themselves superior to those who lead a more sedentary life (down)
43. Why does life have to be so difficult! (only)
44. My jewellery has been stolen! (off)

45.	What you do with the money is of no interest to me (care)
46.	They have narrowed the many applicants down to three (short)
47.	They disapprove of smoking in this restaurant (frowned)
48.	When she sold the jewellery at such a low price she was cheated (ride)
 49.	You'll just have to take a chance! (pot)
50.	He made an unsuccessful attempt to buy the company (without)
51.	Under no circumstances would I have missed the concert (world)
52.	Many species of wild life are threatened with extinction (verge/ danger)
53.	Pandas need a special diet, without which they perish (provided/unless)
54.	He liked the new job straight away (duck/ ease)
55.	She felt uncomfortable in the huge hotel (fish/place)
56.	It is roughly estimated that some turtles lay 28,000 eggs a year (guess/average)
57.	Nowadays goods are often acquired but not paid for immediately (credit)
58.	We never purchase small quantities as we would make less profit (bulk)
59.	"Please don't take my money, it's all I've got," said the old woman to the intruder (pleaded)
60.	The new manager blames me for everything that goes wrong (picking)
61.	We shall have an in-depth discussion about these recommendations at the next meeting (full)
62.	We wouldn't want to restrict the freedom of the students in any way (impose)
63.	I suddenly realized the meaning of that word (dawn)
64.	When I noticed it was formal dress, it was too late (until)
65.	Don't panic about something so trivial (mountain)
66.	What you have done is inexcusable (amends)
67.	The fact that they are always in trouble doesn't surprise me (wonder)

68. The pressures of being in the public eye have proved too much for him (cope)
69. Mass tourism has been one of the causes of the problem (contributed/blame)
70. He was not given details of the company's new plan (dark/withheld)
71. Changes in the water table have adversely affected the monuments (good/damage)
72. The "environmentally friendly" label on this product is misleading (contrary/despite)
73. You must accept the fact that she has left you (resign/terms)
74. They arrived at the station with only a minute to spare (nick)
75. He was beginning to change his mind about moving house (second)
76. I am fed up with all this violence on TV (sick)
77. I enjoy being the boss of a small company (fish)
78. I think you should try and be as optimistic as you can (side)
79. Participation in sports is compulsory for all the students (part)
80. He admits he's not one of the important members of the organization (cog)
81. In my opinion, classical music is far superior to jazz (rather)
82. The final date of the games is still undecided, according to the committee (on)
83. The increasing popularity of opera has been a great boon to the music industry (from)
84. You will have to share an office as a temporary measure (being)
85. Your attitude annoys me (find)
86. Most people took no notice of the stranger at the bar (attention)
87. Very few people can understand these new theories (incomprehensible)
88. I saw him disappear round the corner of the building (glimpse)
89. He always makes everything look so difficult! (weather)
90. Thunder terrifies me! (death)

91. You needn't feel so superior- you are no better than they are! (nose)
92. It didn't take us long to finish doing the accounts (short)
93. Interest rates have fallen sharply recently (decline)
94. Just pretend to agree with his suggestion (along)
95. There is a risk that the black rhino will become extinct (threatened)
96. The protection of the animal world is pointless unless we take steps to protect our planet as well (worth)
97. They have discovered some interesting new information (light)
98. Were you at all worried about moving to London? (misgivings)
99. He received a five-year sentence for his part in the robbery (sentenced)
100. I think you ought to have your coat dry-cleaned (needs)
101. The houses that were very close to the blast were badly damaged (immediate)
102. With hindsight, we should have been more careful (retrospect)
103. Soon the whole town had heard the news about the bank robbery (wildfire)
104. His reputation as a Shakespearian actor has been established (name)
105. I am not a solitary person, I'm sociable (rather)
106. Ill health resulted in his inability to do the job (cope)
107. Not a word came out of her mouth (lost)
108. You can't compare tabloids with quality newspapers (fish)
109. You attitude will have to change if you want to succeed (leaf)
110. He gets very annoyed when you criticize him! (bull)