EIKEN Pre-2: Phrasal Expressions (2 Answers)

Choose the correct phrasal expression for the sentences below:

1. **A:** I have big news! Can you *keep a* _____?
   B: Sure. I promise I won't tell anyone.
   a. *secret* b. *change*
2. Amy has too much schoolwork and *has no* _____ *to* do it all.
   a. *time* b. *money*
3. **A:** *In the* _____, playing outside was popular with young people.
   B: I know. But now it's different. They just stay home and play games.
   a. *ago* b. *past*
4. Our school sports festival was _____ due to rain.
   a. *called off* b. *chosen under*
5. **A:** As the manager's assistant, you will *be* _____ *for* all office business and scheduling.
   B: OK. Thank you. I look forward to working here with you all.
   a. *trouble* b. *responsible*
6. Going overseas, you have many _____ to use English.
   a. *stories* b. *opportunities*
7. **A:** Tom, could you *do me a* _____ and help me move this table?
   B: Sure. I can give you a hand moving it.
   a. *favor* b. *chance*
8. Jenny is trying to *lose* _____, so she is on a diet. No sweets!
   a. *weight* b. *money*
9. **A:** I won my tennis match and can participate in the state championship!
   B: Great! I'm very _____ *of you*, son.
   a. *proud* b. *angry*
10. I told Kim to turn left at the corner, but she *went the wrong* _____.
    a. *time* b. *direction*
11. **A:** We always do the same thing every Friday. Let's try something new!
    B: Good idea. It'll be nice to do something different *for a* _____.
    a. *change* b. *position*
12. Tina got a part-time _____ at a fast-food restaurant.
    a. *friend* b. *job*
13. Bob *fell in* _____ *with* a woman he met in Hawaii and will get married next June.
    a. *friends* b. *love*
14. My dad wants me to play the violin, but I _____ *to* play guitar.
    a. *prefer* b. *will*