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1. An eerie shadow followed her _____.
2. The cloud shaped like a pig floated _____.
3. Max found bones _____.
4. She danced _____, thinking no one was watching.
5. A slice of toast flew _____, prompting a food fight.
6. _____, he handed me an invitation.
7. The lost letter arrived _____.
8. The door unlocked itself _____.
9. _____, the hikers fell off the cliff.
10. The train _____ departs tomorrow.
11. The hidden message was written _____.
12. _____, the view was breathtaking.
13. She wore a crocodile necklace _____.
14. _____, the movie stopped playing.
15. Their suitcases disappeared _____.

Answer sheet

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Answers may vary

1. An eerie shadow followed her around the house.
2. The cloud shaped like a pig floated in the sky.
3. Max found bones underneath the log.
4. She danced in front of the bar, thinking no one was watching.
5. A slice of toast flew across the table, prompting a food fight.
6. With gratitude, he handed me an invitation.
7. The lost letter arrived in a week.
8. The door unlocked itself from the wind.
9. Before dawn, the hikers fell off the cliff.
10. The train to Texas departs tomorrow.
11. The hidden message was written with invisible ink.
12. At the top, the view was breathtaking.
13. She wore a crocodile necklace from her grandmother.
14. Without a warning, the movie stopped playing.
15. Their suitcases disappeared during the check-in.