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Follow The Flow

Directions: Read each paragraph carefully. Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the **Word Bank** so that the sentences follow natural colligation patterns. Each word may be used once, more than once, or not at all.

on	for	make
in	to	give
about	keep	pay
of	take	

Paragraph 1: The Student's Challenge

Maria had to prepare _____ her final exams. She decided to focus _____ her weak subjects, especially science. Her teacher advised her to pay close attention _____ the instructions and not complain _____ the workload. Maria promised to keep _____ her goals and make progress every day.

Paragraph 2: The Apology

James arrived late to the meeting and had to apologize _____ his manager. He explained that he had depended _____ the train schedule, but there was a delay. The manager told him to take responsibility _____ his time management and to make an effort to improve. James promised to give _____ his best in the future.

Paragraph 3: The Team Victory

The soccer team succeeded _____ winning the championship last weekend. Their coach insisted _____ daily practice before the big match. During the final, the players concentrated _____ their strategy and did not break _____ their promise to work together. In the end, the crowd decided to give _____ the team a standing ovation.