Fill the gaps in the text using the words in the list below.

(1) ________ a language
is like (2) ________ a jigsaw puzzle
of a million pieces
with a picture that keeps (3) ________.
It's like (4) ________ lost in a foreign city
without a map.
It's like (5) ________ tennis without a ball,
like being an ant in a field of grasshoppers.
It's like (6) ________ an acrobat with a broken leg,
an actor without a script,
a carpenter without a saw,
a storyteller without a middle or an end.

But then gradually
it's like (7) ________ out in the early morning
with the mists (8) ________.
It's like a chink of light under a door,
like (9) ________ the glove you were (10) ________ for,
(11) ________ the train you thought you were (12) ________ to miss,
(13) ________ an unlooked-for present,
(14) ________ a smile.

And then one day it's like (15) ________ a bicycle
very fast downhill.

(a) learning  (b) riding  (c) being  (d) finding  (e) exchanging
(f) going  (g) catching  (h) playing  (i) being  (j) changing
(k) lifting  (l) looking  (m) doing  (n) getting  (o) getting