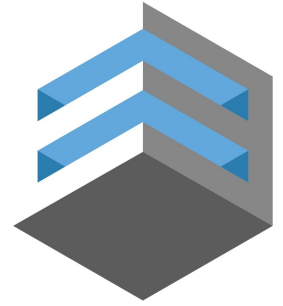


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All Words

Session 1: Word List

cramped

adj. not having enough space for the people in it;
uncomfortably small or restricted

synonym: congested, overcrowded, narrow

(1) feel **cramped**, (2) a **cramped** house

She writes a **cramped** hand.

delicious

adj. exceptionally pleasing to taste or smell

synonym: appetizing, mouthwatering, delectable

(1) **delicious** breeze, (2) variety of **delicious** foods

We could grill the meat in a **delicious** way.

technological

adj. based on scientific and industrial progress

synonym: specialized, technical

(1) **technological** advancement, (2) **technological** policy

Technological advances have disrupted many industries.

chaotic

adj. without any order or organization; extremely
disorganized, unpredictable, and confusing

synonym: disorderly, cluttered, topsy-turvy

(1) the **chaotic** economic situation, (2) **chaotic** theory

Change is also occurring in Turkey as a result of **chaotic**
reform.

culmination

n. the peak highest point or climax of something, especially
happening after a long time

synonym: climax, completion, ending

(1) the **culmination** of her ambition, (2) **culmination**
altitude

Their achievements stand as a **culmination** of centuries of development.

conversation

n. an informal talk between two or more people to exchange their views, ideas, information, etc.

synonym: chat, discussion, dialogue

(1) **conversation** in English, (2) a friendly **conversation**

Your **conversation** reflects your thoughts.

grassroots

adj. of or relating to the ordinary people in a society or an organization as constituting a fundamental political and economic group

synonym: fundamental, major, elemental

(1) a **grassroots** movement for nuclear disarmament,

(2) the **grassroots** factor in making the decision

The feeling among the company's **grassroots** is that the CEO is not radical enough.

nonprofit

adj. not established for commercial profit

synonym: charitable

(1) a **nonprofit** organization, (2) **nonprofit** agency

Our law firm also focuses on **nonprofit** activities.

amazing

adj. extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire

synonym: exceptional, extraordinary, wonderful

(1) **amazing** advances, (2) the most **amazing** feeling

The golfer recorded an **amazing** distance.

peninsula

n. a long piece of land that is almost surrounded by water but is linked to a larger part of the land

synonym: cape, foreland

(1) the tip of the **peninsula**, (2) the Arab **peninsula**

That **peninsula** was an essential base for the country's defense.

philanthropy

n. the practice of voluntarily helping the poor, especially by giving money

synonym : altruism, benevolence, generosity

(1) **philanthropy** organization, (2) private **philanthropy**

Tech billionaires often spend the majority of their time on **philanthropy**.

transform

v. to change in outward structure or looks;

synonym : alter, convert, change

(1) **transform** an education system, (2) **transform** heat into power

My father's death **transformed** my life completely.

collaborate

v. to work with someone else to produce or achieve something

synonym : cooperate, unite, get together

(1) **collaborate** with the police, (2) **collaborate** on a press release

She agreed to **collaborate** with him in creating new artwork.

intentional

adj. done, made or performed with purpose and intent

synonym : deliberate, intended, preplanned

(1) **intentional** destruction of evidence, (2) an **intentional** walk

The law distinguishes between accidental and **intentional** killing.

possibility

n. a chance that something may happen or be true

synonym : chance, prospect, likelihood

(1) **possibility** for growth, (2) **possibility** of a major earthquake

The **possibility** of getting the disease will drastically increase.

wealth

n. a large amount of money, property, or other things that someone or an organization owns

synonym :

affluence, assets, fortunate

(1) majority of his **wealth**, (2) material **wealth**

The **wealth** inequality was unavoidable.

origin

n. the first existence or beginning of something

synonym: root, source, ancestor

(1) **origin** of all humankind, (2) a manuscript of uncertain **origin**

There are various hypotheses concerning the **origin** of life.

concept

n. an idea or principle associated with something abstract

synonym: idea, notion, vision

(1) learn new **concepts**, (2) **concept** car

One such rapidly growing **concept** is quantum cryptography.

collective

adj. done or shared by every member of a group of people

synonym: composite, concerted, cumulative

(1) right to **collective** bargaining, (2) **collective** ownership

Product development is a **collective** effort.

democracy

n. a form of government in which the people have the authority to deliberate and decide legislation, or to choose governing officials to do so

synonym: self-government, republic, commonwealth

(1) **democracy** advocate, (2) principles of **democracy**

Democracy often entails inclusive capitalism as well.

diversify

v. to make something include more different types or things; to spread out activities or investments

synonym: branch out, expand, broaden

(1) **diversify** my portfolio, (2) **diversify** energy sources

This inclusive environment has allowed the plant species to **diversify**.

identity

n. the fact of being who or what somebody or something is; the features, emotions, or ideas that distinguish persons

from one another

synonym: character, personality, individuality

(1) mistaken **identity**, (2) **identity** as an individual

The terrorist's **identity** remains unknown.

geography

n. a field of science devoted to the study of the lands, features, inhabitants, and phenomena of the Earth

synonym: landscape, terrain, topography

(1) **geography** class, (2) economic **geography**

She did well on her **geography** exam.

interfaith

adj. relating to or involving people of different religious faiths

(1) an **interfaith** marriage, (2) **interfaith** good will

The tolerance of the leaders of each religion made **interfaith** dialogue possible.

climate

n. the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period

synonym: atmosphere, weather, environment

(1) a cold **climate**, (2) effects of **climate** change

Climate and weather have an impact on every part of our lifestyles.

civic

adj. of or relating to a town, city, or the people who live in it

synonym: community, civic, communal

(1) **civic** activity, (2) **civic** center

The city promotes **civic** collaboration in community development

engagement

n. a mutual promise to marry someone; an agreement to do something, especially at a particular time

synonym: betrothal, promise, commitment

(1) a prior **engagement**, (2) break off an **engagement**

They selected a gorgeous diamond **engagement** ring.

racial

adj. of or related to the race (= classification of humans into groups based on physical traits or social relations)

synonym : ethnic, tribal, ethnical

(1) **racial** prejudice, (2) **racial** and ethnic backgrounds

A minor **racial** conflict later led to a civil war.

virtual

adj. being actually such in almost every respect; existing in essence or effect though not in actual fact

synonym : practical

(1) a **virtual** image, (2) trading of **virtual** currencies

She is the **virtual** president of the company.

thrive

v. to grow vigorously; to make steady progress

synonym : bloom, flourish, prosper

(1) **thrive** in a society, (2) **thrive** on pressure

Without investment, a business cannot **thrive**.

commitment

n. a promise or firm decision to do something or to behave in a certain way

synonym : burden, obligation, promise

(1) a **commitment** to an alliance, (2) meet his

commitments

His business **commitments** took him to the United States.

colleague

n. one of a group of a coworker, especially in a profession or a business

synonym : coworker, associate, fellow

(1) collaborate with **colleagues**, (2) former **colleague**

I decided to seek counseling on the advice of my **colleague**.

relation

n. the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another

synonym : association, linkage, connection

(1) **relation** between cause and effect, (2) **relation** of inclusion

The industrial **relations** laws were passed with little to no

alteration.

folk *n.* people in general, especially those of a particular group or type
synonym: community, family, person
(1) **folk** art, (2) the **folk** songs of a particular district
Some seaweed was used as **folk** medicine in ancient times.

discourse *n.* any form of communication in speech or writing
synonym: discussion, dialogue, communication
(1) hold **discourse** with him, (2) a **discourse** about art
Sweet **discourse** makes short days and nights.

overwhelming *adj.* very great or intense; so powerful that you cannot fight or react against it
synonym: overpowering, astounding, amazing
(1) **overwhelming** majority, (2) an **overwhelming** victory
He has shown signs of uneasiness and **overwhelming** worry.

engaging *adj.* attracting, pleasant, or charming
synonym: alluring, interesting, engrossing
(1) **engaging** story, (2) an **engaging** smile
She was disbarred for her **engaging** in fraud.

perspective *n.* a confident attitude toward something; a particular style of thinking about something
synonym: viewpoint, standpoint, outlook
(1) a **perspective** view, (2) the **perspective** of the battle
His father's death changed his whole **perspective** on life.

ideology *n.* a set of beliefs or philosophies that an economic or political system is based on
synonym: credo, doctrine, principles
(1) the **ideology** of the left, (2) political **ideology**
Racial equality is an integral part of democratic **ideology**.

viewpoint

n. a way of thinking about a specific subject; a place from which something can be viewed, especially in an area of natural beauty

synonym : outlook, stance, perspective

(1) a scientific **viewpoint**, (2) aesthetic **viewpoint**

We looked at this issue from a different **viewpoint**.

tackle

v. to try to deal with a complex problem or situation

synonym : deal with, dive into, work on

(1) **tackle** the issue, (2) help **tackle** climate change

The government is determined to **tackle** sharp inflation.

extend

v. to broaden in scope, range, or area

synonym : prolong, lengthen, advance

(1) **extend** the warranty, (2) **extend** a line

Her visit will **extend** from Monday to Friday.

shock

n. a strong feeling or physical reaction to a sudden and unexpected event or experience, especially something unpleasant

synonym : amazement, surprise, stunner

(1) death from **shock**, (2) **shock-resistant**

He got an electric **shock** at work.

string

n. long, thin material used for tying things together, composed of several twisted threads

synonym : line, wire, rope

(1) retie the **string** and make it strong, (2) tense piano **strings**

She wore a **string** of pearls around her neck.

attach

v. to fasten, join, or connect one thing to another

synonym : fix, fasten, bind

(1) **attach** firmly, (2) **attach** a file to an e-mail

He does not **attach** importance to these rumors.

shifting

adj. constantly changing or moving

synonym: unfirm, shifty, fluctuating

(1) **shifting** balance, (2) continuously **shifting** landscape

Trends in the fashion industry are so **shifting** that it is challenging to keep up with them.

parachute

n. a device used to slow the motion of people or objects through an atmosphere consisting of a large piece of thin cloth that is attached to them and opens out in the air

(1) **parachute** troops, (2) golden **parachute**

This training includes emergency escape drills with **parachutes**.

partnership

n. the state of a cooperative relationship between people or groups, especially in business

synonym: alliance, participation, cooperation

(1) **partnership** across the Atlantic, (2) establish a **partnership**

The military **partnership** between the two countries created tension in the international community.

abundance

n. a significant amount of something; the situation in which there is too much of something

synonym: plenty, affluence, plentitude

(1) an age of **abundance**, (2) an **abundance** of examples

A healthy farm provides an **abundance** of food.

multiply

v. to add a number to itself a specified number of times; to increase or cause to increase very much in number or quantity

synonym: boost, amplify, reproduce

(1) **multiply** 5 and 6, (2) **multiply** about hundredfold

Multiply a number by itself twice.

spirit

n. the part of a person which is the seat of their mind, feelings, and character rather than their physical body;

the general atmosphere of a place or situation and the effect that it has on people

synonym : soul, attitude, enthusiasm

(1) **spirit** and the letter of the law, (2) an indomitable **spirit**

Despite their tragic loss, the family is showing great **spirit**.

radical

adj. relating to the essential aspects of anything; far beyond the norm, mainly used of opinions and actions

synonym : extreme, revolutionary

(1) a **radical** flaw in the plan, (2) a **radical** cure

The government established by the coup was more **radical** than before.

generous

adj. willing to give and share something such as money, help, kindness, etc., especially more than is necessary or expected

synonym : charitable, benevolent, giving

(1) a **generous** reward, (2) a **generous** and thoughtful person

This teacher is **generous** in his grading.

volunteer

n. a person who performs or offers to perform a job or service without being paid for or forced to do

synonym : unpaid worker, draftee, enlistee

(1) seek **volunteers**, (2) my **volunteer** work

The teachers make full use of **volunteer** assistance.

advocate

n. a person who supports or suggests an idea, development, or way of doing something

synonym : proponent, exponent, promoter

(1) an **advocate** of disarmament, (2) public education **advocates**

Advocates of abolishing the death penalty often argue that the alternative heaviest sentence should be life in prison.

talent

n. a natural ability to be good at something; someone who has a natural ability to be good at something

synonym: endowment, aptitude, capability

(1) a person of diverse **talents**, (2) raw **talent**

Numerous great professional sports **talents** have come from this city.

testimony

n. a formal written or spoken statement that something is true, especially one given in court; something that serves as evidence

synonym: affirmant, evidence, proof

(1) **testimony** before Congress, (2) give his **testimony**

Witness **testimony** backed up the defendant's claims.

migrant

n. a traveler who moves from one region or country to another, especially to find work or better living conditions; a bird or an animal that moves from one place to another

synonym: immigrant, itinerant, transient

(1) **migrant** worker, (2) the movement of **migrant** birds

The government revoked his license to employ **migrant** labor crews.

coder

n. a person who designs, writes, and tests computer programs; encoder (= the device or software that converts some physical quantity, information, or data into a specific format based on certain rules)

synonym: computer programmer, software engineer, programmer

(1) **coder** competition, (2) speech **coder**

Nowadays, companies in all industries need **coders** in product development.

incredibly

adv. in a way that is very difficult to believe; exceedingly or extremely

synonym: enormously, exceptionally, extraordinarily

(1) **incredibly** cheerful character, (2) get **incredibly** insecure

Several cities are experiencing **incredibly** high unemployment rates.

fuel *n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
synonym: energy, power, gas
(1) biomass **fuel**, (2) smokeless **fuel**
The **fuel** scarcity most severely impacted the manufacturing sector

high-profile *adj.* attracting much attention and interest from the public and media
synonym: notable, prominent, distinguished
(1) **high-profile** lawyer, (2) become **high-profile**
Within six months, the research thesis became a **high-profile** scientific paper.

intern *v.* to put someone in prison, especially for political or military reasons; (noun) a student or trainee who works, sometimes for free, to get work experience or to fulfill qualification criteria
synonym: apprentice, trainee, student
(1) **intern** civilians, (2) medical **intern**
The navy **interned** ships of defeated nations.

silicon *n.* a chemical element with the symbol Si that is a hard, brittle crystalline solid with a blue-grey metallic luster and used for the transistors and integrated circuit chips in computers
(1) **silicon** wafer, (2) crystalline **silicon**
Silicon is the second most abundant element on earth after oxygen.

valley *n.* a long depression on the surface of the land, which typically contains a river
synonym: canyon, gorge, dale
(1) **valley** bottom, (2) basin-shaped **valley**

The **valley** had received a mild snowfall the previous week.

bonus

n. an extra amount of money that is added to payment as a present or reward for good work

synonym: extra, perk, compensation

(1) **bonus** appraisal, (2) annual **bonus**

The committee abolished the controversial **bonus** system.

stem

n. the central part of something from which other parts can develop or grow; the part of a word common to all its inflected variants; (verb) to grow out of, have roots in, or originate in

synonym: branch, limb, (verb) come from

(1) **stem** from a belief, (2) the **stem** of a matchstick

A rose has thorns on its **stem**.

beloved

adj. loved very much

synonym: adored, cherished, dear

(1) **beloved** author, (2) **beloved** by many people

I am here to save my **beloved**.

shift

n. a slight transition in position, direction, or trend

synonym: transition, change, modification

(1) Doppler **shift**, (2) major paradigm **shift**

Could you help me **shift** some furniture?

ultimate

adj. furthest or highest in degree or order

synonym: highest, maximum, foremost

(1) the **ultimate** goal in life, (2) the **ultimate** luxury

Management must take **ultimate** responsibility for the accident.

represent

v. to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute

synonym: depict, express, describe

(1) **represent** by a diagram, (2) the characters that

represent numbers

We elected him to **represent** us at the international conference.

hundredfold

adj. a hundred times as great or as much

(1) rise nearly **hundredfold**, (2) improve **hundredfold**

The development team reported two **hundredfold** increases in performance.

invest

v. to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result

synonym: fund, sponsor, support

(1) **invest** in stocks, (2) **invest** capital

The government should view children as national assets and actively **invest** in them.

invitation

n. a spoken or written request to participate or be present or take part in something

synonym: request, asking, proposal

(1) a letter of **invitation**, (2) **invitation** of foreign investment

I will be very happy to accept your **invitation**.

span

n. the entire length of something, such as time or space from beginning to end; the amount of space that something covers

synonym: interval, period, length

(1) the **span** of a bird's wings, (2) the average life **span**

He slightly modified the **span** of training because it was just before a match.

Session 2: Spelling

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| 2. an age of ab_____ce | <i>n.</i> a significant amount of something; the situation in which there is too much of something |
| 3. a letter of inv_____on | <i>n.</i> a spoken or written request to participate or be present or take part in something |
| 4. a cr_____d house | <i>adj.</i> not having enough space for the people in it; uncomfortably small or restricted |
| 5. public education ad_____tes | <i>n.</i> a person who supports or suggests an idea, development, or way of doing something |
| 6. col_____ve ownership | <i>adj.</i> done or shared by every member of a group of people |
| 7. a ge_____us and thoughtful person | <i>adj.</i> willing to give and share something such as money, help, kindness, etc., especially more than is necessary or expected |
| 8. become hig_____ile | <i>adj.</i> attracting much attention and interest from the public and media |
| 9. pos_____ty for growth | <i>n.</i> a chance that something may happen or be true |
| 10. th___e in a society | <i>v.</i> to grow vigorously; to make steady progress |

ANSWERS: 1. racial, 2. abundance, 3. invitation, 4. cramped, 5. advocate, 6. collective, 7. generous, 8. high-profile, 9. possibility, 10. thrive

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| 17. co_____t car | <i>n.</i> an idea or principle associated with something abstract |
| 18. former co_____ue | <i>n.</i> one of a group of a coworker, especially in a profession or a business |
| 19. seek vo_____ers | <i>n.</i> a person who performs or offers to perform a job or service without being paid for or forced to do |
| 20. co__r competition | <i>n.</i> a person who designs, writes, and tests computer programs; encoder (= the device or software that converts some physical quantity, information, or data into a specific format based on certain rules) |

ANSWERS: 11. partnership, 12. identity, 13. multiply, 14. attach, 15. engaging, 16. origin, 17. concept, 18. colleague, 19. volunteer, 20. coder

21. the cul_____on of her ambition *n.* the peak highest point or climax of something, especially happening after a long time
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26. tec_____cal advancement *adj.* based on scientific and industrial progress
27. a no_____it organization *adj.* not established for commercial profit
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29. re_____nt by a diagram *v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
30. the ul_____te goal in life *adj.* furthest or highest in degree or order
31. a ra_____l flaw in the plan *adj.* relating to the essential aspects of anything; far beyond the norm, mainly used of opinions and actions
32. improve hun_____ld *adj.* a hundred times as great or as much

ANSWERS: 21. culmination, 22. cramped, 23. string, 24. virtual, 25. volunteer, 26. technological, 27. nonprofit, 28. peninsula, 29. represent, 30. ultimate, 31. radical, 32. hundredfold

33. f__k art *n.* people in general, especially those of a particular group or type
34. a gra_____ts movement for nuclear disarmament *adj.* of or relating to the ordinary people in a society or an organization as constituting a fundamental political and economic group
35. Doppler sh__t *n.* a slight transition in position, direction, or trend
36. ta___e the issue *v.* to try to deal with a complex problem or situation
37. phi_____opy organization *n.* the practice of voluntarily helping the poor, especially by giving money
38. the f__k songs of a particular district *n.* people in general, especially those of a particular group or type
39. the Arab pe_____la *n.* a long piece of land that is almost surrounded by water but is linked to a larger part of the land
40. right to col_____ve bargaining *adj.* done or shared by every member of a group of people
41. a scientific vi_____nt *n.* a way of thinking about a specific subject; a place from which something can be viewed, especially in an area of natural beauty
42. in___n civilians *v.* to put someone in prison, especially for political or military reasons; (noun) a student or trainee who works, sometimes for free, to get work experience or to fulfill qualification criteria

ANSWERS: 33. folk, 34. grassroots, 35. shift, 36. tackle, 37. philanthropy, 38. folk, 39. peninsula, 40. collective, 41. viewpoint, 42. intern

43. re_____on of inclusion *n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
44. the gra_____ts factor in making the decision *adj.* of or relating to the ordinary people in a society or an organization as constituting a fundamental political and economic group
45. sh__k-resistant *n.* a strong feeling or physical reaction to a sudden and unexpected event or experience, especially something unpleasant
46. th___e on pressure *v.* to grow vigorously; to make steady progress
47. the ch_____c economic situation *adj.* without any order or organization; extremely disorganized, unpredictable, and confusing
48. ex___d a line *v.* to broaden in scope, range, or area
49. principles of de_____cy *n.* a form of government in which the people have the authority to deliberate and decide legislation, or to choose governing officials to do so
50. the movement of mi_____t birds *n.* a traveler who moves from one region or country to another, especially to find work or better living conditions; a bird or an animal that moves from one place to another
51. ex___d the warranty *v.* to broaden in scope, range, or area
52. int_____al destruction of evidence *adj.* done, made or performed with purpose and intent

ANSWERS: 43. relation, 44. grassroots, 45. shock, 46. thrive, 47. chaotic, 48. extend, 49. democracy, 50. migrant, 51. extend, 52. intentional

53. di_____fy energy sources *v.* to make something include more different types or things; to spread out activities or investments
54. medical in____n *v.* to put someone in prison, especially for political or military reasons; (noun) a student or trainee who works, sometimes for free, to get work experience or to fulfill qualification criteria
55. at____h firmly *v.* to fasten, join, or connect one thing to another
56. a friendly con_____ion *n.* an informal talk between two or more people to exchange their views, ideas, information, etc.
57. material we____h *n.* a large amount of money, property, or other things that someone or an organization owns
58. a ge_____us reward *adj.* willing to give and share something such as money, help, kindness, etc., especially more than is necessary or expected
59. the s__m of a matchstick *n.* the central part of something from which other parts can develop or grow; the part of a word common to all its inflected variants; (verb) to grow out of, have roots in, or originate in
60. ge_____hy class *n.* a field of science devoted to the study of the lands, features, inhabitants, and phenomena of the Earth
61. get inc_____ly insecure *adv.* in a way that is very difficult to believe; exceedingly or extremely

ANSWERS: 53. diversify, 54. intern, 55. attach, 56. conversation, 57. wealth, 58. generous, 59. stem, 60. geography, 61. incredibly

62. mi_____t worker *n.* a traveler who moves from one region or country to another, especially to find work or better living conditions; a bird or an animal that moves from one place to another
63. mu_____ly about hundredfold *v.* to add a number to itself a specified number of times; to increase or cause to increase very much in number or quantity
64. continuously sh_____ng landscape *adj.* constantly changing or moving
65. am_____g advances *adj.* extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire
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67. sh_____ng balance *adj.* constantly changing or moving
68. con_____ion in English *n.* an informal talk between two or more people to exchange their views, ideas, information, etc.
69. tr_____rm heat into power *v.* to change in outward structure or looks;
70. tr_____rm an education system *v.* to change in outward structure or looks;
71. the characters that re_____nt numbers *v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
72. a per_____ve view *n.* a confident attitude toward something; a particular style of thinking about something

ANSWERS: 62. migrant, 63. multiply, 64. shifting, 65. amazing, 66. ideology, 67. shifting, 68. conversation, 69. transform, 70. transform, 71. represent, 72. perspective

73. help ta___e climate change *v.* to try to deal with a complex problem or situation
74. te_____ny before Congress *n.* a formal written or spoken statement that something is true, especially one given in court; something that serves as evidence
75. ra___l prejudice *adj.* of or related to the race (= classification of humans into groups based on physical traits or social relations)
76. in___t capital *v.* to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result
77. private phi_____opy *n.* the practice of voluntarily helping the poor, especially by giving money
78. variety of de_____us foods *adj.* exceptionally pleasing to taste or smell
79. be_____d by many people *adj.* loved very much
80. cul_____on altitude *n.* the peak highest point or climax of something, especially happening after a long time
81. break off an eng_____nt *n.* a mutual promise to marry someone; an agreement to do something, especially at a particular time
82. an ove_____ing victory *adj.* very great or intense; so powerful that you cannot fight or react against it
83. de_____cy advocate *n.* a form of government in which the people have the authority to deliberate and decide legislation, or to choose governing officials to do so

ANSWERS: 73. tackle, 74. testimony, 75. racial, 76. invest, 77. philanthropy, 78. delicious, 79. beloved, 80. culmination, 81. engagement, 82. overwhelming, 83. democracy

84. smokeless f__l *n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
85. an indomitable sp___t *n.* the part of a person which is the seat of their mind, feelings, and character rather than their physical body; the general atmosphere of a place or situation and the effect that it has on people
86. ove_____ing majority *adj.* very great or intense; so powerful that you cannot fight or react against it
87. int_____th good will *adj.* relating to or involving people of different religious faiths
88. in___t in stocks *v.* to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result
89. inv_____on of foreign investment *n.* a spoken or written request to participate or be present or take part in something
90. the average life s__n *n.* the entire length of something, such as time or space from beginning to end; the amount of space that something covers
91. re_____on between cause and effect *n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
92. economic ge_____hy *n.* a field of science devoted to the study of the lands, features, inhabitants, and phenomena of the Earth
93. a prior eng_____nt *n.* a mutual promise to marry someone; an agreement to do something, especially at a particular time

ANSWERS: 84. fuel, 85. spirit, 86. overwhelming, 87. interfaith, 88. invest, 89. invitation, 90. span, 91. relation, 92. geography, 93. engagement

94. political id____gy *n.* a set of beliefs or philosophies that an economic or political system is based on
95. rise nearly hun_____ld *adj.* a hundred times as great or as much
96. sp____t and the letter of the law *n.* the part of a person which is the seat of their mind, feelings, and character rather than their physical body; the general atmosphere of a place or situation and the effect that it has on people
97. the most am____g feeling *adj.* extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire
98. id____ty as an individual *n.* the fact of being who or what somebody or something is; the features, emotions, or ideas that distinguish persons from one another
99. meet his com_____nts *n.* a promise or firm decision to do something or to behave in a certain way
100. an int_____al walk *adj.* done, made or performed with purpose and intent
101. a cold cl_____e *n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
102. hig_____ile lawyer *adj.* attracting much attention and interest from the public and media
103. s__m from a belief *n.* the central part of something from which other parts can develop or grow; the part of a word common to all its inflected variants; (verb) to grow out of, have roots in, or originate in

ANSWERS: 94. ideology, 95. hundredfold, 96. spirit, 97. amazing, 98. identity, 99. commitment, 100. intentional, 101. climate, 102. high-profile, 103. stem

104. death from sh__k *n.* a strong feeling or physical reaction to a sudden and unexpected event or experience, especially something unpleasant
105. si____n wafer *n.* a chemical element with the symbol Si that is a hard, brittle crystalline solid with a blue-grey metallic luster and used for the transistors and integrated circuit chips in computers
106. the s__n of a bird's wings *n.* the entire length of something, such as time or space from beginning to end; the amount of space that something covers
107. an en____ng smile *adj.* attracting, pleasant, or charming
108. di____fy my portfolio *v.* to make something include more different types or things; to spread out activities or investments
109. annual bo__s *n.* an extra amount of money that is added to payment as a present or reward for good work
110. majority of his we____h *n.* a large amount of money, property, or other things that someone or an organization owns
111. pos____ty of a major earthquake *n.* a chance that something may happen or be true
112. effects of cl____e change *n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
113. hold di____se with him *n.* any form of communication in speech or writing

ANSWERS: 104. shock, 105. silicon, 106. span, 107. engaging, 108. diversify, 109. bonus, 110. wealth, 111. possibility, 112. climate, 113. discourse

114. inc_____ly cheerful character *adv.* in a way that is very difficult to believe; exceedingly or extremely
115. a vi_____l image *adj.* being actually such in almost every respect; existing in essence or effect though not in actual fact
116. crystalline si_____n *n.* a chemical element with the symbol Si that is a hard, brittle crystalline solid with a blue-grey metallic luster and used for the transistors and integrated circuit chips in computers
117. an int_____th marriage *adj.* relating to or involving people of different religious faiths
118. de_____us breeze *adj.* exceptionally pleasing to taste or smell
119. raw ta____t *n.* a natural ability to be good at something; someone who has a natural ability to be good at something
120. va____y bottom *n.* a long depression on the surface of the land, which typically contains a river
121. the ul_____te luxury *adj.* furthest or highest in degree or order
122. be_____d author *adj.* loved very much
123. major paradigm sh__t *n.* a slight transition in position, direction, or trend
124. ci__c center *adj.* of or relating to a town, city, or the people who live in it
125. col_____te with the police *v.* to work with someone else to produce or achieve something
126. biomass f__l *n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy

ANSWERS: 114. incredibly, 115. virtual, 116. silicon, 117. interfaith, 118. delicious, 119. talent, 120. valley, 121. ultimate, 122. beloved, 123. shift, 124. civic, 125. collaborate, 126. fuel

127. establish a par_____ip *n.* the state of a cooperative relationship between people or groups, especially in business
128. basin-shaped va____y *n.* a long depression on the surface of the land, which typically contains a river
129. a di_____se about art *n.* any form of communication in speech or writing
130. no_____it agency *adj.* not established for commercial profit
131. aesthetic vi_____nt *n.* a way of thinking about a specific subject; a place from which something can be viewed, especially in an area of natural beauty
132. bo__s appraisal *n.* an extra amount of money that is added to payment as a present or reward for good work
133. ch_____c theory *adj.* without any order or organization; extremely disorganized, unpredictable, and confusing
134. speech co__r *n.* a person who designs, writes, and tests computer programs; encoder (= the device or software that converts some physical quantity, information, or data into a specific format based on certain rules)
135. golden pa_____te *n.* a device used to slow the motion of people or objects through an atmosphere consisting of a large piece of thin cloth that is attached to them and opens out in the air

ANSWERS: 127. partnership, 128. valley, 129. discourse, 130. nonprofit, 131. viewpoint, 132. bonus, 133. chaotic, 134. coder, 135. parachute

136. tec_____cal policy *adj.* based on scientific and industrial progress
137. tense piano st___gs *n.* long, thin material used for tying things together, composed of several twisted threads
138. a person of diverse ta___ts *n.* a natural ability to be good at something; someone who has a natural ability to be good at something
139. a com_____nt to an alliance *n.* a promise or firm decision to do something or to behave in a certain way
140. give his te_____ny *n.* a formal written or spoken statement that something is true, especially one given in court; something that serves as evidence
141. the per_____ve of the battle *n.* a confident attitude toward something; a particular style of thinking about something
142. ci__c activity *adj.* of or relating to a town, city, or the people who live in it
143. an ad_____te of disarmament *n.* a person who supports or suggests an idea, development, or way of doing something
144. a ra_____l cure *adj.* relating to the essential aspects of anything; far beyond the norm, mainly used of opinions and actions
145. pa_____te troops *n.* a device used to slow the motion of people or objects through an atmosphere consisting of a large piece of thin cloth that is attached to them and opens out in the air

ANSWERS: 136. technological, 137. string, 138. talent, 139. commitment, 140. testimony, 141. perspective, 142. civic, 143. advocate, 144. radical, 145. parachute

146. collaborate with co_____ues *n.* one of a group of a coworker, especially in a profession or a business
147. learn new co_____ts *n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract
148. or____n of all humankind *n.* the first existence or beginning of something
149. an ab_____ce of examples *n.* a significant amount of something; the situation in which there is too much of something
150. col_____te on a press release *v.* to work with someone else to produce or achieve something

ANSWERS: 146. colleague, 147. concept, 148. origin, 149. abundance, 150. collaborate

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. Could you help me _____ some furniture?
n. a slight transition in position, direction, or trend
2. We could grill the meat in a _____ way.
adj. exceptionally pleasing to taste or smell
3. This teacher is _____ in his grading.
adj. willing to give and share something such as money, help, kindness, etc., especially more than is necessary or expected
4. Without investment, a business cannot _____.
v. to grow vigorously; to make steady progress
5. _____ often entails inclusive capitalism as well.
n. a form of government in which the people have the authority to deliberate and decide legislation, or to choose governing officials to do so
6. There are various hypotheses concerning the _____ of life.
n. the first existence or beginning of something
7. The committee abolished the controversial _____ system.
n. an extra amount of money that is added to payment as a present or reward for good work
8. A healthy farm provides an _____ of food.
n. a significant amount of something; the situation in which there is too much of something

ANSWERS: 1. shift, 2. delicious, 3. generous, 4. thrive, 5. Democracy, 6. origin, 7. bonus, 8. abundance

9. Sweet _____ makes short days and nights.
n. any form of communication in speech or writing
10. She agreed to _____ with him in creating new artwork.
v. to work with someone else to produce or achieve something
11. We elected him to _____ us at the international conference.
v. to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
12. The government established by the coup was more _____ than before.
adj. relating to the essential aspects of anything; far beyond the norm, mainly used of opinions and actions
13. The government revoked his license to employ _____ labor crews.
n. a traveler who moves from one region or country to another, especially to find work or better living conditions; a bird or an animal that moves from one place to another
14. This training includes emergency escape drills with _____.
n. a device used to slow the motion of people or objects through an atmosphere consisting of a large piece of thin cloth that is attached to them and opens out in the air
15. The _____ had received a mild snowfall the previous week.
n. a long depression on the surface of the land, which typically contains a river
16. A rose has thorns on its _____.
n. the central part of something from which other parts can develop or grow; the part of a word common to all its inflected variants; (verb) to grow out of, have roots in, or originate in

ANSWERS: 9. discourse, 10. collaborate, 11. represent, 12. radical, 13. migrant, 14. parachutes, 15. valley, 16. stem

17. The law distinguishes between accidental and _____ killing.
adj. done, made or performed with purpose and intent
18. _____ advances have disrupted many industries.
adj. based on scientific and industrial progress
19. She did well on her _____ exam.
n. a field of science devoted to the study of the lands, features, inhabitants, and phenomena of the Earth
20. One such rapidly growing _____ is quantum cryptography.
n. an idea or principle associated with something abstract
21. We looked at this issue from a different _____.
n. a way of thinking about a specific subject; a place from which something can be viewed, especially in an area of natural beauty
22. He slightly modified the _____ of training because it was just before a match.
n. the entire length of something, such as time or space from beginning to end; the amount of space that something covers
23. The _____ scarcity most severely impacted the manufacturing sector
n. a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
24. Product development is a _____ effort.
adj. done or shared by every member of a group of people
25. Their achievements stand as a _____ of centuries of development.
n. the peak highest point or climax of something, especially happening after a long time

ANSWERS: 17. intentional, 18. Technological, 19. geography, 20. concept, 21. viewpoint, 22. span, 23. fuel, 24. collective, 25. culmination

26. Nowadays, companies in all industries need _____ in product development.
- n.* a person who designs, writes, and tests computer programs; encoder (= the device or software that converts some physical quantity, information, or data into a specific format based on certain rules)
27. The tolerance of the leaders of each religion made _____ dialogue possible.
- adj.* relating to or involving people of different religious faiths
28. That _____ was an essential base for the country's defense.
- n.* a long piece of land that is almost surrounded by water but is linked to a larger part of the land
29. Tech billionaires often spend the majority of their time on _____.
- n.* the practice of voluntarily helping the poor, especially by giving money
30. _____ of abolishing the death penalty often argue that the alternative heaviest sentence should be life in prison.
- n.* a person who supports or suggests an idea, development, or way of doing something
31. The feeling among the company's _____ is that the CEO is not radical enough.
- adj.* of or relating to the ordinary people in a society or an organization as constituting a fundamental political and economic group
32. He does not _____ importance to these rumors.
- v.* to fasten, join, or connect one thing to another
33. My father's death _____ my life completely.
- v.* to change in outward structure or looks;

ANSWERS: 26. coders, 27. interfaith, 28. peninsula, 29. philanthropy, 30. Advocates, 31. grassroots, 32. attach, 33. transformed

34. _____ is the second most abundant element on earth after oxygen.
- n.* a chemical element with the symbol Si that is a hard, brittle crystalline solid with a blue-grey metallic luster and used for the transistors and integrated circuit chips in computers
35. The _____ inequality was unavoidable.
- n.* a large amount of money, property, or other things that someone or an organization owns
36. Your _____ reflects your thoughts.
- n.* an informal talk between two or more people to exchange their views, ideas, information, etc.
37. She wore a _____ of pearls around her neck.
- n.* long, thin material used for tying things together, composed of several twisted threads
38. He got an electric _____ at work.
- n.* a strong feeling or physical reaction to a sudden and unexpected event or experience, especially something unpleasant
39. She is the _____ president of the company.
- adj.* being actually such in almost every respect; existing in essence or effect though not in actual fact
40. The navy _____ ships of defeated nations.
- v.* to put someone in prison, especially for political or military reasons; (noun) a student or trainee who works, sometimes for free, to get work experience or to fulfill qualification criteria

ANSWERS: 34. Silicon, 35. wealth, 36. conversation, 37. string, 38. shock, 39. virtual, 40. interned

41. Trends in the fashion industry are so _____ that it is challenging to keep up with them.
adj. constantly changing or moving
42. I decided to seek counseling on the advice of my _____.
n. one of a group of a coworker, especially in a profession or a business
43. Change is also occurring in Turkey as a result of _____ reform.
adj. without any order or organization; extremely disorganized, unpredictable, and confusing
44. Within six months, the research thesis became a _____ scientific paper.
adj. attracting much attention and interest from the public and media
45. The terrorist's _____ remains unknown.
n. the fact of being who or what somebody or something is; the features, emotions, or ideas that distinguish persons from one another
46. Witness _____ backed up the defendant's claims.
n. a formal written or spoken statement that something is true, especially one given in court; something that serves as evidence
47. The military _____ between the two countries created tension in the international community.
n. the state of a cooperative relationship between people or groups, especially in business
48. His father's death changed his whole _____ on life.
n. a confident attitude toward something; a particular style of thinking about something

ANSWERS: 41. shifting, 42. colleague, 43. chaotic, 44. high-profile, 45. identity, 46. testimony, 47. partnership, 48. perspective

49. I am here to save my _____.

adj. loved very much

50. The golfer recorded an _____ distance.

adj. extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire

51. Numerous great professional sports _____ have come from this city.

n. a natural ability to be good at something; someone who has a natural ability to be good at something

52. The city promotes _____ collaboration in community development

adj. of or relating to a town, city, or the people who live in it

53. A minor _____ conflict later led to a civil war.

adj. of or related to the race (= classification of humans into groups based on physical traits or social relations)

54. They selected a gorgeous diamond _____ ring.

n. a mutual promise to marry someone; an agreement to do something, especially at a particular time

55. He has shown signs of uneasiness and _____ worry.

adj. very great or intense; so powerful that you cannot fight or react against it

56. Racial equality is an integral part of democratic _____.

n. a set of beliefs or philosophies that an economic or political system is based on

57. Several cities are experiencing _____ high unemployment rates.

adv. in a way that is very difficult to believe; exceedingly or extremely

ANSWERS: 49. beloved, 50. amazing, 51. talents, 52. civic, 53. racial, 54. engagement, 55. overwhelming, 56. ideology, 57. incredibly

58. The _____ of getting the disease will drastically increase.

n. a chance that something may happen or be true

59. She writes a _____ hand.

adj. not having enough space for the people in it; uncomfortably small or restricted

60. Management must take _____ responsibility for the accident.

adj. furthest or highest in degree or order

61. The development team reported two _____ increases in performance.

adj. a hundred times as great or as much

62. The government should view children as national assets and actively _____ in them.

v. to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result

63. She was disbarred for her _____ in fraud.

adj. attracting, pleasant, or charming

64. I will be very happy to accept your _____.

n. a spoken or written request to participate or be present or take part in something

65. Her visit will _____ from Monday to Friday.

v. to broaden in scope, range, or area

66. The industrial _____ laws were passed with little to no alteration.

n. the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another

ANSWERS: 58. possibility, 59. cramped, 60. ultimate, 61. hundredfold, 62. invest, 63. engaging, 64. invitation, 65. extend, 66. relations

67. The teachers make full use of _____ assistance.

- n.* a person who performs or offers to perform a job or service without being paid for or forced to do

68. _____ a number by itself twice.

- v.* to add a number to itself a specified number of times; to increase or cause to increase very much in number or quantity

69. Some seaweed was used as _____ medicine in ancient times.

- n.* people in general, especially those of a particular group or type

70. His business _____ took him to the United States.

- n.* a promise or firm decision to do something or to behave in a certain way

71. The government is determined to _____ sharp inflation.

- v.* to try to deal with a complex problem or situation

72. This inclusive environment has allowed the plant species to _____.

- v.* to make something include more different types or things; to spread out activities or investments

73. Despite their tragic loss, the family is showing great _____.

- n.* the part of a person which is the seat of their mind, feelings, and character rather than their physical body; the general atmosphere of a place or situation and the effect that it has on people

74. Our law firm also focuses on _____ activities.

- adj.* not established for commercial profit

ANSWERS: 67. volunteer, 68. Multiply, 69. folk, 70. commitments, 71. tackle, 72. diversify, 73. spirit, 74. nonprofit

75. _____ and weather have an impact on every part of our lifestyles.

n. the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period

ANSWERS: 75. Climate