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Session 1: Word List

- Don** *n.* a Spanish gentleman; a university lecturer, especially a senior member of a college at Oxford or Cambridge
(1) the **don** of the university, (2) **Don** Giovanni
He could never go against what **Don** Carlos said.
- arguably** *adv.* used when expressing an opinion or idea that you believe can be proven true
synonym : probably, possibly
(1) she is **arguably** the best singer, (2) **arguably** the greatest discovery
He is **arguably** regarded as the finest actor of his generation.
- prominent** *adj.* important, well-known, or noticeable
synonym : notable, distinguished, prominent
(1) **prominent** figure, (2) play a **prominent** role
The media frequently interviewed **prominent** scientists.
- landmark** *n.* a notable or important event, place, or achievement; a significant object or feature that serves as a reference point
synonym : marker, reference point, guidepost
(1) a **landmark** discovery, (2) historical **landmark**

The Empire State Building is a **landmark** in New York City.

celebrated

adj. renowned for possessing admirable attributes

synonym : acclaimed, notable, prominent

(1) **celebrated** artist, (2) **celebrated** paper

Three **celebrated** tenors performed during the president's inauguration.

preeminent

adj. superior, excellent, and surpassing others in a specific field

synonym : outstanding, supreme, exceptional

(1) **preeminent** firm, (2) **preeminent** in technical skill

She was considered the **preeminent** expert in her field.

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.

consider

v. to think about carefully; to weigh the pros and cons of an issue; to take into account

synonym : contemplate, think about, ponder

(1) **consider** giving up smoking, (2) **consider** proposal

She is **considering** applying for a job at a marketing firm.

modern

adj. of or belonging to the present time or recent times

synonym : contemporary, stylish, current

(1) **modern** poetry, (2) pre- **modern** agricultural society

Their headquarters are in a **modern** skyscraper.

novel

n. an extended fictional work in prose; usually in the form of a story; (adjective) original and of a kind not seen before

synonym : fiction, story, (adjective) innovative

(1) historical **novel**, (2) **novel** effect

The **novel** has largely gotten positive feedback.

chivalry

n. a code of behavior for knights in the Middle Ages, characterized by honor, bravery, and courtesy, especially toward women

synonym: gallantry, heroism, bravery

(1) age of **chivalry**, (2) romance of **chivalry**

The code of **chivalry** requires knights to be brave and honor women.

announce

v. to make something known or officially inform people about something

synonym: disclose, declare, broadcast

(1) **announce** candidacy, (2) **announce** the award winners

The third season of the anime show has been **announced**.

bemused

adj. having a feeling of being amused and puzzled at the same time, often because of something unexpected

synonym: amused, bewildered, perplexed

(1) **bemused** expression, (2) **bemused** audience

He was **bemused** by the strange turn of events.

noble

adj. having or showing excellent personal qualities or high moral principles that people admire

synonym: dignified, aristocratic, benevolent

(1) a **noble** family, (2) **noble** gas

He is a **noble-minded** man

barn

n. a large agricultural building used for the storage of crops, equipment, or livestock

synonym: animal shelter, shed, granary

(1) a **barn** for cows, (2) **barn** door

The farmer stored his hay in the red wooden **barn**.

deed

n. something that people do or cause to happen; a legal document signed and sealed and delivered to effect a

transfer of property and to show the legal right to possess it

synonym : act, stunt, doing

(1) **deed** of assignment, (2) do good **deeds**

There was a significant difference between word and **deed**.

enlist

v. to sign up to serve in the military or a particular organization

synonym : join, sign up, appoint

(1) **enlist** in a cause, (2) **enlist** for a soldier

He decided to **enlist** in the military after graduating from high school.

squire

n. a young man of noble birth who acted as an attendant or shield bearer to a knight in the Middle Ages; a man of high social status, especially a landed property owner

synonym : assistant, attendant, aide

(1) **squire** responsibility, (2) the king's faithful **squire**

The country **squire** assisted the knight in battles and was his trusted aide.

illiterate

adj. unable to read or write; lacking knowledge in a particular field

synonym : uneducated, unlearned, unschooled

(1) **illiterate** population, (2) **illiterate** adult

He was **illiterate** and could not read the instructions.

peasant

n. a farmer or agricultural worker who owns or rents a small piece of land and grows crops, especially in a traditional or undeveloped society

synonym : farmer, laborer, rustic

(1) **peasant** class, (2) exploited **peasant**

Many people today romanticize the idea of the simple life of a **peasant**, but in reality, it was a difficult and often harsh existence.

crazy

adj. stupid or not sensible; very angry

synonym: insane, absurd, bizarre

(1) **crazy** about cars and racing, (2) a **crazy** scheme

The rain and thunder are **crazy** today.

govern

v. to legally control and direct a country, city, group of people, etc. and be responsible for introducing new laws, organizing and maintaining public services

synonym: control, rule, preside

(1) a nation's right to **govern**, (2) **govern** a public enterprise

The regulations **governing** medical malpractice claims are rigorous.

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.

misadventure

n. an unfortunate or unlucky event or experience, especially one caused by one's actions

synonym: mishap, misfortune, accident

(1) **misadventure** in business, (2) **misadventure** travel

The mountaineer's summit attempt turned into a **misadventure** when he got lost in a snowstorm.

continually

adv. in a way that happens without interruption or repeatedly

synonym: repeatedly, frequently, constantly

(1) **continually** access information, (2) **continually** changing world

Her tongue runs on **continually**.

misinterpret

v. to understand or explain something in the wrong way

synonym: misunderstand, falsify, misconstrue

(1) **misinterpret** the purpose, (2) **misinterpret** the data

He **misinterpreted** her statement and got the wrong idea.

innkeeper

n. a person who operates a place of lodging, such as a hotel or an inn

synonym: hotelier, host, landlord

(1) **innkeeper** duties, (2) **innkeeper** hospitality

The kind **innkeeper** showed the travelers to their room and offered them a warm meal.

knight

n. a mounted soldier in the past, typically one of noble birth trained to fight in armor; (today in Great Britain) a person honored by the sovereign for personal merit

synonym: noble, cavalier, chevalier

(1) the black **knight**, (2) white **knight**

In medieval Europe, a monarch or feudal lord granted the title of the **knight** to a warrior who had demonstrated skill and bravery in battle.

prostitute

n. a person, typically a woman, who engages in sexual activity in exchange for payment

synonym: hooker, harlot, whore

(1) **prostitute** street, (2) a male **prostitute**

She turned to **prostitute** to make ends meet.

maid

n. a girl or young woman employed to do domestic work

synonym: servant, housekeeper, domestic

(1) **maid** service, (2) a waiting **maid**

The live-in **maid** came in to clean the room every day.

monk

n. a member of a religious community of men living under vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience

synonym: friar, cleric, brother

(1) **monk** lifestyle, (2) cloistered **monk**

The ascetic **monk** spent his days in prayer and contemplation in the monastery.

enchant

v. to cast a spell or charm over someone or something, to captivate or fascinate

synonym : beguile, captivate, spellbind

(1) **enchant** audience, (2) **enchant** him with a charm

The storybook prince **enchanted** the young girl.

windmill

n. a machine that converts wind power into rotational energy, often used for generating electricity

synonym : wind turbine, wind generator, wind pump

(1) **windmill** farm, (2) **windmill** blade

The solar **windmill** was used to generate electricity for the small village.

giant

adj. enormous; much bigger or more important than similar items usually are

synonym : big, gigantic, huge

(1) **giant** trees, (2) **giant** tech company

The **giant** jets gradually dominate the world's airlines.

exploit

v. to make full use of and gain an advantage from resources, opportunities, etc.

synonym : use, abuse, control

(1) **exploit** a security hole, (2) **exploit** a valuable opportunity

We **exploit** our mining resources to strengthen our national power.

intention

n. something you want to do and are going to do

synonym : purpose, connotation, will

(1) **intention** behind his decision, (2) clear **intention**

Our CEO's **intentions** are always transparent and straightforward.

beneficiary

n. a person or entity designated to receive benefits or advantages, especially under a will or insurance policy

synonym : recipient, heir, grantee

(1) a joint **beneficiary**, (2) **beneficiary** trust

The **beneficiary** of the will inherits the late grandfather's house.

dedicate

v. to give all of your energy, time, etc., entirely to a specific person, activity, or cause; to set apart for a particular purpose or use

synonym: consecrate, devote, commit

(1) **dedicate** a few hours, (2) **dedicate** a chapter to the subject

He **dedicated** his life to helping others.

princess

n. the daughter of a monarch; the wife or widow of a prince; woman or girl considered to be particularly good or admirable

synonym: royal, noble, queen

(1) crown **princess**, (2) a Royal **Princess**

The prince fell in love with the **princess** and asked her to marry him.

indifferent

adj. having no strong feeling or preference; neutral

synonym: uninterested, apathetic, neutral

(1) **indifferent** attitude, (2) an **indifferent** glance

The doctor remained **indifferent** to the patient's pleas for a second opinion.

parody

n. a comedic or satirical imitation of serious work intended to ridicule or criticize

synonym: spoof, satire, mockery

(1) political **parody**, (2) **parody** song

The play was a **parody** of a famous Shakespearean tragedy.

homage

n. a show of respect or honor, often by performing an act of reverence or by paying tribute

synonym: respect, deference, reverence

(1) paying **homage** to tradition, (2) vassal **homage**

The crowd gave a standing ovation as a sign of **homage** to the retiring athlete.

genre

n. a particular type or style of literature, art, music, or film that involves a particular set of characteristics

synonym: type, category, style

(1) **genre** of music, (2) a literary **genre**

He is known for creating **genre-busting** paintings.

staple

adj. important, basic, or essential to something or someone; forming an integral part of a particular diet or industry

synonym: basic, essential, fundamental

(1) **staple** commodities, (2) **staple** ingredient

Rice is a **staple** food in many Asian countries.

secular

adj. not connected with religious or spiritual matters; worldly

synonym: nonreligious, materialistic, temporal

(1) **secular** trends, (2) normal **secular** life

The school was founded as a **secular** institution with no religious affiliations.

epic

n. a long and eventful or heroic history, story, poem, or film; (adjective) very imposing or impressive

synonym: legendary, mythical, classical

(1) heroic **epic**, (2) **epic** battle

The military **epic** between the two armies was one for the history books.

poem

n. a piece of writing that emphasizes the expression of feelings and ideas by paying particular attention to diction (sometimes rhyme), rhythm, and imagery

synonym: ballad, lyric, verse

(1) a narrative **poem**, (2) **poem** to the dead

A great **poem** is a fountain forever overflowing with the waters of wisdom and delight.

loose

adj. not securely fixed or fastened in place or able to be detached or separated from something

synonym : relaxed, unconsolidated, open

(1) a **loose** tongue, (2) remove **loose** hair

The inspector discovered **loose** bolts under the fuel rods.

tale

n. a story made up in someone's imagination, especially one full of action and adventure

synonym : canard, fiction, fable

(1) a fairy **tale**, (2) **tale** of horror

Ghosts in folk **tales** are almost always malicious.

heroic

adj. courageous and daring; having or displaying qualities appropriate for legendary figures that is courage and daring

synonym : brave, courageous, daring

(1) a **heroic** poem, (2) **heroic** explorers

The **heroic** actions of individuals are now easily spread worldwide by SNS.

typical

adj. having the usual characteristics or traits of a specific group of things

synonym : characteristic, usual, distinctive

(1) **typical** leader, (2) fairly **typical** symptoms

This artwork is **typical** of her work.

feat

n. a notable or impressive achievement, especially one that requires great skill or bravery

synonym : achievement, accomplishment, exploit

(1) intellectual **feat**, (2) **feat** accomplishment

It is an incredible **feat** to climb Mount Everest, the highest mountain in the world.

purity

n. the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature

synonym : sinlessness, innocence, cleanliness

(1) the degree of **purity**, (2) high **purity**

Higher **purity** requires additional equipment and energy.

legend

n. an old story that may or may not be accurate regarding some persons and events; a well-known person who is admired by others for a long time, particularly in a particular field

synonym : fable, fiction, myth

(1) basketball **legend**, (2) **legend** of King Arthur

Many of the **legends** of the famous general came about hundreds of years after his death.

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.

cohesive

adj. causing cohesion; bringing people or things together

synonym : sticky, close-knit, well-integrated

(1) **cohesive** ability, (2) highly **cohesive** group

He skillfully combines these fragments into a **cohesive** whole.

narrative

n. a story or a description of a series of events or process of telling a story

synonym : the tale, chronology, annals

(1) **narrative** poetry, (2) personal **narrative**

The **narrative** handles multiple plot lines and has unpredictable ends.

unprecedented

adj. never having been seen, done, or known before

synonym : novel, outstanding, unparalleled

(1) **unprecedented** boom, (2) **unprecedented** business opportunity

Unprecedented amounts of heckling and slogan-shouting took place throughout the event.

psychology

n. the scientific study of mind and behavior

(1) **psychology** experiment, (2) **psychology** of crowd

She had a master's degree in **psychology**.

depth

n. the distance between the top and bottom of something;
between the top surface and a distance below it

synonym: deepness, profoundness, extent

(1) **depth** camera, (2) the **depth** of the water

The pond's **depth** was around five feet.

ironic

adj. a situation or event that is opposite of what is expected;
the use of words to mean the opposite of their literal or
original meaning

synonym: paradoxical, sarcastic, absurd

(1) **ironic** twist, (2) **ironic** consequence

It's **ironic** that the rain started just as they finished building
the new picnic shelter.

awareness

n. the fact or state of knowing something exists and is
important

synonym: understanding, cognition, knowledge

(1) **awareness** of my ignorance, (2) raise public **awareness**

There has been a gradual but steady rise in environmental
awareness.

surprisingly

adv. in a way that causes amazement or wonder

synonym: exceptionally, notably, unusually

(1) **surprisingly** advanced culture, (2) have **surprisingly**
little effect

The exam was **surprisingly** tricky for everyone.

postmodern

adj. relating to a style or movement in art, architecture, and
criticism that reacts against earlier modernist principles
and seeks to break down boundaries between high and
low culture

synonym: contemporary, modern, present-day

(1) **postmodern** art, (2) **postmodern** society

The **postmodern** building was designed with unconventional shapes and colors.

twist

v. to bend or turn something into a certain shape

synonym: wrench, turn, twirl

(1) **twist** around to the left, (2) **twist** a wet towel

He **twisted** pieces of rope out of straw.

fake

adj. not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit

synonym: affected, bogus, counterfeit

(1) **fake** police officer, (2) spread of **fake** news

The prime minister was not well prepared for the debate and **faked** it

sequel

n. a book, film, or other work that continues the story of an earlier one

synonym: follow-up, continuation, extension

(1) **sequel** to the movie, (2) film **sequel**

Fans eagerly anticipated the **sequel** to the popular book.

decide

v. to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options

synonym: choose, determine, settle

(1) **decide** a question, (2) **decide** on a course of action

She couldn't **decide** whether to order the pizza or the pasta for dinner.

derision

n. contemptuous ridicule or mockery

synonym: ridicule, contempt, mocking

(1) laugh in **derision**, (2) bitter **derision**

The audience greeted the comedian's jokes with **derision**.

characteristic

n. a typical feature or quality that can identify, tell apart, or describe something or somebody

synonym: feature, quality, attribute

(1) stripes **characteristic** of the zebra, (2) my friend's

characteristic laugh

Bananas have their **characteristic** taste and odor.

grant

v. to agree to give or allow somebody

synonym: allocate, authorize, give

(1) **grant** a new license, (2) **grant** a land

The chairperson **granted** him the right to speak.

enormous

adj. extremely large or great

synonym: huge, giant, gigantic

(1) **enormous** amount, (2) **enormous** potential

Shakespeare's output of poetry was **enormous**.

innovation

n. the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation

synonym: invention, initiation, creation

(1) **innovation** leader, (2) cutting-edge **innovation**

The vegetarian burger was an **innovation** that quickly spread to the United Kingdom.

achievement

n. a thing that someone has accomplished, primarily through their effort and ability

synonym: accomplishment, attainment, triumph

(1) student **achievement**, (2) a remarkable **achievement**

This **achievement** has never been formally accepted.

era

n. a period that is distinct from others, typically in history

synonym: epoch, age, period

(1) dawn of a new **era**, (2) the **era** of the Renaissance

Political corruption was common throughout the postwar **era**.

interpret

v. to explain or assign the meaning of information, actions, etc.

synonym: decode, decipher, analyze

(1) **interpret** a graph, (2) **interpret** the question

Different people might **interpret** this news differently.

buffoon

n. a foolish or comical person, especially one who is the butt of ridicule; someone who acts in a silly or exaggerated manner

synonym : clown, fool, jester

(1) play the **buffoon**, (2) **buffoon** character

The CEO's foolish decisions turned him into a **buffoon** of the business world.

tragic

adj. causing great sadness or suffering; very unfortunate

synonym : calamitous, disastrous, catastrophic

(1) **tragic** love stories, (2) **tragic** death

The **tragic** events of the war left many families torn apart.

courageous

adj. able to face and deal with danger or fear without flinching

synonym : brave, valiant, fearless

(1) make a **courageous** decision, (2) **courageous** rescue attempt

He was a **courageous** soldier who had served his country with honor.

refuse

v. to show that one is not willing to do or accept something

synonym : turn down, deny, decline

(1) **refuse** a request, (2) **refuse** the company

My initial reaction was to **refuse**.

conform

v. to comply with standards, rules, or expectations set by others; to agree with or match something

synonym : comply, adjust, agree

(1) **conform** to the ISO standard, (2) **conform** with popular opinion

The company's new policy requires all employees to **conform** to the dress code.

embodiment

n. someone or something that precisely expresses a characteristic or an idea

synonym : image, avatar, incarnation

(1) **embodiment** of evil, (2) illustrative **embodiment**
The devil is the **embodiment** of wicked ideas.

precis

v. to make a summary of something, such as a text or speech; (noun) a short form of the main points of an argument or theory

synonym: summarize, abstract, digest

(1) **precis** the contents of a book, (2) a **precis** of recent advances in AI

He **precis** this lengthy report in two pages.

protagonist

n. the main character in a literary work, film, or other stories

synonym: hero, central figure, leading character

(1) **protagonist** of drama, (2) play a **protagonist**

The **protagonist's** triumph over adversity was the theme of this play.

timeless

adj. not seeming to be altered by the passage of time or changes in fashion

synonym: dateless, everlasting, imperishable

(1) **timeless** masterpiece, (2) **timeless** topic

There is a **timeless** aspect to his most remarkable work.

fiction

n. the type of book or story, especially novels, that describes imaginary events and people; anything made up or imagined that is not true

synonym: fantasy, fable, invention

(1) stuff of science **fiction**, (2) non- **fiction** bestseller

Truth is stranger than **fiction**.

bible

n. the sacred writings of the Christian religions, consisting of the Old and New Testaments; a book regarded as authoritative in its field

synonym: authoritative book, holy book, doctrine

(1) a passage from the **Bible**, (2) believe **Bible** prophecy

Students have loved this textbook for many years as a

biology **bible**.

Session 2: Spelling

1. en____t audience
v. to cast a spell or charm over someone or something, to captivate or fascinate
2. pos_____rn art
adj. relating to a style or movement in art, architecture, and criticism that reacts against earlier modernist principles and seeks to break down boundaries between high and low culture
3. ty_____l leader
adj. having the usual characteristics or traits of a specific group of things
4. the black kn____t
n. a mounted soldier in the past, typically one of noble birth trained to fight in armor; (today in Great Britain) a person honored by the sovereign for personal merit
5. political pa____y
n. a comedic or satirical imitation of serious work intended to ridicule or criticize
6. spread of f__e news
adj. not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit
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adj. a situation or event that is opposite of what is expected; the use of words to mean the opposite of their literal or original meaning
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adj. enormous; much bigger or more important than similar items usually are
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n. contemptuous ridicule or mockery
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adj. able to face and deal with danger or fear without flinching

ANSWERS: 1. enchant, 2. postmodern, 3. typical, 4. knight, 5. parody, 6. fake, 7. ironic, 8. giant, 9. derision, 10. courageous

11. believe Bi__e prophecy *n.* the sacred writings of the Christian religions, consisting of the Old and New Testaments; a book regarded as authoritative in its field
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ANSWERS: 22. tragic, 23. legend, 24. knight, 25. celebrated, 26. exploit, 27. windmill, 28. precis, 29. bemused, 30. peasant

31. emb_____nt of evil *n.* someone or something that precisely expresses a characteristic or an idea
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ANSWERS: 31. embodiment, 32. feat, 33. princess, 34. giant, 35. misinterpret, 36. homage, 37. psychology, 38. epic, 39. characteristic, 40. string, 41. postmodern

42. en____us amount *adj.* extremely large or great
43. play a pro____st *n.* the main character in a literary work, film, or other stories
44. have sur____gly little effect *adv.* in a way that causes amazement or wonder
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46. co____er giving up smoking *v.* to think about carefully; to weigh the pros and cons of an issue; to take into account
47. st____e ingredient *adj.* important, basic, or essential to something or someone; forming an integral part of a particular diet or industry
48. in____er duties *n.* a person who operates a place of lodging, such as a hotel or an inn
49. do good d__ds *n.* something that people do or cause to happen; a legal document signed and sealed and delivered to effect a transfer of property and to show the legal right to possess it
50. sur____gly advanced culture *adv.* in a way that causes amazement or wonder
51. play the bu____n *n.* a foolish or comical person, especially one who is the butt of ridicule; someone who acts in a silly or exaggerated manner
52. no__e gas *adj.* having or showing excellent personal qualities or high moral principles that people admire

ANSWERS: 42. enormous, 43. protagonist, 44. surprisingly, 45. announce, 46. consider, 47. staple, 48. innkeeper, 49. deed, 50. surprisingly, 51. buffoon, 52. noble

53. ex_____t a security hole *v.* to make full use of and gain an advantage from resources, opportunities, etc.
54. unp_____ted business opportunity *adj.* never having been seen, done, or known before
55. in_____et the question *v.* to explain or assign the meaning of information, actions, etc.
56. ti_____ss masterpiece *adj.* not seeming to be altered by the passage of time or changes in fashion
57. 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
58. help ta___e climate change *v.* to try to deal with a complex problem or situation
59. a he___c poem *adj.* courageous and daring; having or displaying qualities appropriate for legendary figures that is courage and daring
60. de_____te a few hours *v.* to give all of your energy, time, etc., entirely to a specific person, activity, or cause; to set apart for a particular purpose or use
61. historical la____rk *n.* a notable or important event, place, or achievement; a significant object or feature that serves as a reference point
62. clear in_____on *n.* something you want to do and are going to do
63. cr__y about cars and racing *adj.* stupid or not sensible; very angry

ANSWERS: 53. exploit, 54. unprecedented, 55. interpret, 56. timeless, 57. span, 58. tackle, 59. heroic, 60. dedicate, 61. landmark, 62. intention, 63. crazy

64. pr_____nt figure *adj.* important, well-known, or noticeable
65. tw__t a wet towel *v.* to bend or turn something into a certain shape
66. ar_____ly the greatest discovery *adv.* used when expressing an opinion or idea that you believe can be proven true
67. f__e police officer *adj.* not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit
68. ta___e the issue *v.* to try to deal with a complex problem or situation
69. m__k lifestyle *n.* a member of a religious community of men living under vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience
70. co_____ve ability *adj.* causing cohesion; bringing people or things together
71. the de__h of the water *n.* the distance between the top and bottom of something; between the top surface and a distance below it
72. a male pro_____te *n.* a person, typically a woman, who engages in sexual activity in exchange for payment
73. a passage from the Bi__e *n.* the sacred writings of the Christian religions, consisting of the Old and New Testaments; a book regarded as authoritative in its field
74. aw_____ss of my ignorance *n.* the fact or state of knowing something exists and is important
75. co_____m to the ISO standard *v.* to comply with standards, rules, or expectations set by others; to agree with or match something

ANSWERS: 64. prominent, 65. twist, 66. arguably, 67. fake, 68. tackle, 69. monk, 70. cohesive, 71. depth, 72. prostitute, 73. bible, 74. awareness, 75. conform

76. co____er proposal *v.* to think about carefully; to weigh the pros and cons of an issue; to take into account
77. en____t him with a charm *v.* to cast a spell or charm over someone or something, to captivate or fascinate
78. p__m to the dead *n.* a piece of writing that emphasizes the expression of feelings and ideas by paying particular attention to diction (sometimes rhyme), rhythm, and imagery
79. a literary ge__e *n.* a particular type or style of literature, art, music, or film that involves a particular set of characteristics
80. en____t in a cause *v.* to sign up to serve in the military or a particular organization
81. a cr__y scheme *adj.* stupid or not sensible; very angry
82. en____t for a soldier *v.* to sign up to serve in the military or a particular organization
83. ge__e of music *n.* a particular type or style of literature, art, music, or film that involves a particular set of characteristics
84. a remarkable ach____nt *n.* a thing that someone has accomplished, primarily through their effort and ability
85. a b__n for cows *n.* a large agricultural building used for the storage of crops, equipment, or livestock
86. ir____c twist *adj.* a situation or event that is opposite of what is expected; the use of words to mean the opposite of their literal or original meaning

ANSWERS: 76. consider, 77. enchant, 78. poem, 79. genre, 80. enlist, 81. crazy, 82. enlist, 83. genre, 84. achievement, 85. barn, 86. ironic

87. f__t accomplishment *n.* a notable or impressive achievement, especially one that requires great skill or bravery
88. cutting-edge inn_____on *n.* the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation
89. in_____on behind his decision *n.* something you want to do and are going to do
90. a pr___s of recent advances in AI *v.* to make a summary of something, such as a text or speech; (noun) a short form of the main points of an argument or theory
91. in_____et a graph *v.* to explain or assign the meaning of information, actions, etc.
92. se_____r trends *adj.* not connected with religious or spiritual matters; worldly
93. tr___c love stories *adj.* causing great sadness or suffering; very unfortunate
94. the degree of pu____y *n.* the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature
95. vassal ho____e *n.* a show of respect or honor, often by performing an act of reverence or by paying tribute
96. mis_____ure travel *n.* an unfortunate or unlucky event or experience, especially one caused by one's actions
97. age of ch_____ry *n.* a code of behavior for knights in the Middle Ages, characterized by honor, bravery, and courtesy, especially toward women

ANSWERS: 87. feat, 88. innovation, 89. intention, 90. precis, 91. interpret, 92. secular, 93. tragic, 94. purity, 95. homage, 96. misadventure, 97. chivalry

98. a lo__e tongue *adj.* not securely fixed or fastened in place or able to be detached or separated from something
99. ill____te adult *adj.* unable to read or write; lacking knowledge in a particular field
100. he___c explorers *adj.* courageous and daring; having or displaying qualities appropriate for legendary figures that is courage and daring
101. high pu___y *n.* the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature
102. fairly ty____l symptoms *adj.* having the usual characteristics or traits of a specific group of things
103. a narrative p__m *n.* a piece of writing that emphasizes the expression of feelings and ideas by paying particular attention to diction (sometimes rhyme), rhythm, and imagery
104. go___n a public enterprise *v.* to legally control and direct a country, city, group of people, etc. and be responsible for introducing new laws, organizing and maintaining public services
105. gr__t a land *v.* to agree to give or allow somebody
106. m__d service *n.* a girl or young woman employed to do domestic work
107. ind____nt attitude *adj.* having no strong feeling or preference; neutral

ANSWERS: 98. loose, 99. illiterate, 100. heroic, 101. purity, 102. typical, 103. poem, 104. govern, 105. grant, 106. maid, 107. indifferent

108. 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
109. co_____m with popular opinion *v.* to comply with standards, rules, or expectations set by others; to agree with or match something
110. illustrative emb_____nt *n.* someone or something that precisely expresses a characteristic or an idea
111. sq___e responsibility *n.* a young man of noble birth who acted as an attendant or shield bearer to a knight in the Middle Ages; a man of high social status, especially a landed property owner
112. non-fi_____n bestseller *n.* the type of book or story, especially novels, that describes imaginary events and people; anything made up or imagined that is not true
113. she is ar_____ly the best singer *adv.* used when expressing an opinion or idea that you believe can be proven true
114. D_n Giovanni *n.* a Spanish gentleman; a university lecturer, especially a senior member of a college at Oxford or Cambridge
115. dawn of a new e_a *n.* a period that is distinct from others, typically in history
116. gr__t a new license *v.* to agree to give or allow somebody
117. historical no__l *n.* an extended fictional work in prose; usually in the form of a story; (adjective) original and of a kind not seen before

ANSWERS: 108. span, 109. conform, 110. embodiment, 111. squire, 112. fiction, 113. arguably, 114. Don, 115. era, 116. grant, 117. novel

118. the king's faithful sq___e *n.* a young man of noble birth who acted as an attendant or shield bearer to a knight in the Middle Ages; a man of high social status, especially a landed property owner
119. e__c battle *n.* a long and eventful or heroic history, story, poem, or film; (adjective) very imposing or impressive
120. en____us potential *adj.* extremely large or great
121. le___d of King Arthur *n.* an old story that may or may not be accurate regarding some persons and events; a well-known person who is admired by others for a long time, particularly in a particular field
122. laugh in de____on *n.* contemptuous ridicule or mockery
123. unpre_____ted boom *adj.* never having been seen, done, or known before
124. in_____er hospitality *n.* a person who operates a place of lodging, such as a hotel or an inn
125. student ach_____nt *n.* a thing that someone has accomplished, primarily through their effort and ability
126. bu_____n character *n.* a foolish or comical person, especially one who is the butt of ridicule; someone who acts in a silly or exaggerated manner
127. stuff of science fi_____n *n.* the type of book or story, especially novels, that describes imaginary events and people; anything made up or imagined that is not true

ANSWERS: 118. squire, 119. epic, 120. enormous, 121. legend, 122. derision, 123. unprecedented, 124. innkeeper, 125. achievement, 126. buffoon, 127. fiction

128. con_____ly access information *adv.* in a way that happens without interruption or repeatedly
129. ti_____ss topic *adj.* not seeming to be altered by the passage of time or changes in fashion
130. an_____ce candidacy *v.* to make something known or officially inform people about something
131. romance of ch_____ry *n.* a code of behavior for knights in the Middle Ages, characterized by honor, bravery, and courtesy, especially toward women
132. psy_____gy of crowd *n.* the scientific study of mind and behavior
133. ben_____ry trust *n.* a person or entity designated to receive benefits or advantages, especially under a will or insurance policy
134. crown pr_____ss *n.* the daughter of a monarch; the wife or widow of a prince; woman or girl considered to be particularly good or admirable
135. inn_____on leader *n.* the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation
136. a no___e family *adj.* having or showing excellent personal qualities or high moral principles that people admire
137. film se____l *n.* a book, film, or other work that continues the story of an earlier one
138. mis_____ret the data *v.* to understand or explain something in the wrong way

ANSWERS: 128. continually, 129. timeless, 130. announce, 131. chivalry, 132. psychology, 133. beneficiary, 134. princess, 135. innovation, 136. noble, 137. sequel, 138. misinterpret

139. the d_n of the university *n.* a Spanish gentleman; a university lecturer, especially a senior member of a college at Oxford or Cambridge
140. raise public aw_____ss *n.* the fact or state of knowing something exists and is important
141. re___e a request *v.* to show that one is not willing to do or accept something
142. t___e of horror *n.* a story made up in someone's imagination, especially one full of action and adventure
143. highly co_____ve group *adj.* causing cohesion; bringing people or things together
144. a waiting m__d *n.* a girl or young woman employed to do domestic work
145. normal se_____r life *adj.* not connected with religious or spiritual matters; worldly
146. an ind_____nt glance *adj.* having no strong feeling or preference; neutral
147. de___e a question *v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options
148. cloistered m__k *n.* a member of a religious community of men living under vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience
149. na_____ve poetry *n.* a story or a description of a series of events or process of telling a story
150. de_____te a chapter to the subject *v.* to give all of your energy, time, etc., entirely to a specific person, activity, or cause; to set apart for a particular purpose or use

ANSWERS: 139. Don, 140. awareness, 141. refuse, 142. tale, 143. cohesive, 144. maid, 145. secular, 146. indifferent, 147. decide, 148. monk, 149. narrative, 150. dedicate

151. pro_____te street *n.* a person, typically a woman, who engages in sexual activity in exchange for payment
152. retie the st____g and make it strong *n.* long, thin material used for tying things together, composed of several twisted threads
153. wi_____ll farm *n.* a machine that converts wind power into rotational energy, often used for generating electricity
154. mis_____ure in business *n.* an unfortunate or unlucky event or experience, especially one caused by one's actions
155. a joint ben_____ry *n.* a person or entity designated to receive benefits or advantages, especially under a will or insurance policy
156. pre_____nt firm *adj.* superior, excellent, and surpassing others in a specific field
157. pre-mo____n agricultural society *adj.* of or belonging to the present time or recent times
158. con_____ly changing world *adv.* in a way that happens without interruption or repeatedly
159. a fairy t__e *n.* a story made up in someone's imagination, especially one full of action and adventure
160. pe_____t class *n.* a farmer or agricultural worker who owns or rents a small piece of land and grows crops, especially in a traditional or undeveloped society
161. de___e on a course of action *v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options

ANSWERS: 151. prostitute, 152. string, 153. windmill, 154. misadventure, 155. beneficiary, 156. preeminent, 157. modern, 158. continually, 159. tale, 160. peasant, 161. decide

162. d__d of assignment *n.* something that people do or cause to happen; a legal document signed and sealed and delivered to effect a transfer of property and to show the legal right to possess it
163. stripes cha_____tic of the zebra *n.* a typical feature or quality that can identify, tell apart, or describe something or somebody
164. a la____rk discovery *n.* a notable or important event, place, or achievement; a significant object or feature that serves as a reference point
165. re___e the company *v.* to show that one is not willing to do or accept something
166. pro_____st of drama *n.* the main character in a literary work, film, or other stories
167. be____d audience *adj.* having a feeling of being amused and puzzled at the same time, often because of something unexpected
168. se___l to the movie *n.* a book, film, or other work that continues the story of an earlier one
169. pa___y song *n.* a comedic or satirical imitation of serious work intended to ridicule or criticize
170. mo___n poetry *adj.* of or belonging to the present time or recent times
171. tw__t around to the left *v.* to bend or turn something into a certain shape
172. cel_____ed paper *adj.* renowned for possessing admirable attributes

ANSWERS: 162. deed, 163. characteristic, 164. landmark, 165. refuse, 166. protagonist, 167. bemused, 168. sequel, 169. parody, 170. modern, 171. twist, 172. celebrated

173. b__n door

n. a large agricultural building used for the storage of crops, equipment, or livestock

174. st___e commodities

adj. important, basic, or essential to something or someone; forming an integral part of a particular diet or industry

ANSWERS: 173. barn, 174. staple

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The kind _____ showed the travelers to their room and offered them a warm meal.
n. a person who operates a place of lodging, such as a hotel or an inn
2. He decided to _____ in the military after graduating from high school.
v. to sign up to serve in the military or a particular organization
3. She is _____ applying for a job at a marketing firm.
v. to think about carefully; to weigh the pros and cons of an issue; to take into account
4. The prince fell in love with the _____ and asked her to marry him.
n. the daughter of a monarch; the wife or widow of a prince; woman or girl considered to be particularly good or admirable
5. The live-in _____ came in to clean the room every day.
n. a girl or young woman employed to do domestic work
6. Political corruption was common throughout the postwar _____.
n. a period that is distinct from others, typically in history
7. Our CEO's _____ are always transparent and straightforward.
n. something you want to do and are going to do
8. A great _____ is a fountain forever overflowing with the waters of wisdom and delight.
n. a piece of writing that emphasizes the expression of feelings and ideas by paying particular attention to diction (sometimes rhyme), rhythm, and imagery

ANSWERS: 1. innkeeper, 2. enlist, 3. considering, 4. princess, 5. maid, 6. era, 7. intentions, 8. poem

9. Their headquarters are in a _____ skyscraper.

adj. of or belonging to the present time or recent times

10. The regulations _____ medical malpractice claims are rigorous.

v. to legally control and direct a country, city, group of people, etc. and be responsible for introducing new laws, organizing and maintaining public services

11. The Empire State Building is a _____ in New York City.

n. a notable or important event, place, or achievement; a significant object or feature that serves as a reference point

12. She couldn't _____ whether to order the pizza or the pasta for dinner.

v. to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options

13. The _____ has largely gotten positive feedback.

n. an extended fictional work in prose; usually in the form of a story; (adjective) original and of a kind not seen before

14. The _____ triumph over adversity was the theme of this play.

n. the main character in a literary work, film, or other stories

15. He is a _____ man

adj. having or showing excellent personal qualities or high moral principles that people admire

16. The _____ handles multiple plot lines and has unpredictable ends.

n. a story or a description of a series of events or process of telling a story

ANSWERS: 9. modern, 10. governing, 11. landmark, 12. decide, 13. novel, 14. protagonist's, 15. noble-minded, 16. narrative

17. He was _____ by the strange turn of events.

adj. having a feeling of being amused and puzzled at the same time, often because of something unexpected

18. The chairperson _____ him the right to speak.

v. to agree to give or allow somebody

19. The _____ events of the war left many families torn apart.

adj. causing great sadness or suffering; very unfortunate

20. He _____ her statement and got the wrong idea.

v. to understand or explain something in the wrong way

21. The media frequently interviewed _____ scientists.

adj. important, well-known, or noticeable

22. In medieval Europe, a monarch or feudal lord granted the title of the _____ to a warrior who had demonstrated skill and bravery in battle.

n. a mounted soldier in the past, typically one of noble birth trained to fight in armor; (today in Great Britain) a person honored by the sovereign for personal merit

23. The CEO's foolish decisions turned him into a _____ of the business world.

n. a foolish or comical person, especially one who is the butt of ridicule; someone who acts in a silly or exaggerated manner

24. The play was a _____ of a famous Shakespearean tragedy.

n. a comedic or satirical imitation of serious work intended to ridicule or criticize

ANSWERS: 17. bemused, 18. granted, 19. tragic, 20. misinterpreted, 21. prominent, 22. knight, 23. buffoon, 24. parody

25. The farmer stored his hay in the red wooden _____.
- n.* a large agricultural building used for the storage of crops, equipment, or livestock
26. The _____ of the will inherits the late grandfather's house.
- n.* a person or entity designated to receive benefits or advantages, especially under a will or insurance policy
27. It's _____ that the rain started just as they finished building the new picnic shelter.
- adj.* a situation or event that is opposite of what is expected; the use of words to mean the opposite of their literal or original meaning
28. Fans eagerly anticipated the _____ to the popular book.
- n.* a book, film, or other work that continues the story of an earlier one
29. He skillfully combines these fragments into a _____ whole.
- adj.* causing cohesion; bringing people or things together
30. The rain and thunder are _____ today.
- adj.* stupid or not sensible; very angry
31. There was a significant difference between word and _____.
- n.* something that people do or cause to happen; a legal document signed and sealed and delivered to effect a transfer of property and to show the legal right to possess it
32. There has been a gradual but steady rise in environmental _____.
- n.* the fact or state of knowing something exists and is important

ANSWERS: 25. barn, 26. beneficiary, 27. ironic, 28. sequel, 29. cohesive, 30. crazy, 31. deed, 32. awareness

33. The company's new policy requires all employees to _____ to the dress code.
v. to comply with standards, rules, or expectations set by others; to agree with or match something
34. He _____ pieces of rope out of straw.
v. to bend or turn something into a certain shape
35. The vegetarian burger was an _____ that quickly spread to the United Kingdom.
n. the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation
36. Bananas have their _____ taste and odor.
n. a typical feature or quality that can identify, tell apart, or describe something or somebody
37. The prime minister was not well prepared for the debate and _____ it
adj. not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit
38. The government is determined to _____ sharp inflation.
v. to try to deal with a complex problem or situation
39. She had a master's degree in _____.
n. the scientific study of mind and behavior
40. He could never go against what _____ Carlos said.
n. a Spanish gentleman; a university lecturer, especially a senior member of a college at Oxford or Cambridge

ANSWERS: 33. conform, 34. twisted, 35. innovation, 36. characteristic, 37. faked, 38. tackle, 39. psychology, 40. Don

41. The solar _____ was used to generate electricity for the small village.
n. a machine that converts wind power into rotational energy, often used for generating electricity
42. This _____ has never been formally accepted.
n. a thing that someone has accomplished, primarily through their effort and ability
43. He _____ his life to helping others.
v. to give all of your energy, time, etc., entirely to a specific person, activity, or cause; to set apart for a particular purpose or use
44. The doctor remained _____ to the patient's pleas for a second opinion.
adj. having no strong feeling or preference; neutral
45. Students have loved this textbook for many years as a biology _____.
n. the sacred writings of the Christian religions, consisting of the Old and New Testaments; a book regarded as authoritative in its field
46. There is a _____ aspect to his most remarkable work.
adj. not seeming to be altered by the passage of time or changes in fashion
47. She turned to _____ to make ends meet.
n. a person, typically a woman, who engages in sexual activity in exchange for payment
48. The _____ jets gradually dominate the world's airlines.
adj. enormous; much bigger or more important than similar items usually are
49. The crowd gave a standing ovation as a sign of _____ to the retiring athlete.
n. a show of respect or honor, often by performing an act of reverence or by paying tribute

ANSWERS: 41. windmill, 42. achievement, 43. dedicated, 44. indifferent, 45. bible, 46. timeless, 47. prostitute, 48. giant, 49. homage

50. He _____ this lengthy report in two pages.

- v.* to make a summary of something, such as a text or speech; (noun) a short form of the main points of an argument or theory

51. This artwork is _____ of her work.

- adj.* having the usual characteristics or traits of a specific group of things

52. The storybook prince _____ the young girl.

- v.* to cast a spell or charm over someone or something, to captivate or fascinate

53. The ascetic _____ spent his days in prayer and contemplation in the monastery.

- n.* a member of a religious community of men living under vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience

54. He was a _____ soldier who had served his country with honor.

- adj.* able to face and deal with danger or fear without flinching

55. Ghosts in folk _____ are almost always malicious.

- n.* a story made up in someone's imagination, especially one full of action and adventure

56. 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

57. The exam was _____ tricky for everyone.

- adv.* in a way that causes amazement or wonder

58. He was _____ and could not read the instructions.

- adj.* unable to read or write; lacking knowledge in a particular field

ANSWERS: 50. precis, 51. typical, 52. enchanted, 53. monk, 54. courageous, 55. tales, 56. span, 57. surprisingly, 58. illiterate

59. The military _____ between the two armies was one for the history books.

n. a long and eventful or heroic history, story, poem, or film; (adjective) very imposing or impressive

60. She wore a _____ of pearls around her neck.

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

61. It is an incredible _____ to climb Mount Everest, the highest mountain in the world.

n. a notable or impressive achievement, especially one that requires great skill or bravery

62. My initial reaction was to _____.

v. to show that one is not willing to do or accept something

63. Many people today romanticize the idea of the simple life of a _____ but in reality, it was a difficult and often harsh existence.

n. a farmer or agricultural worker who owns or rents a small piece of land and grows crops, especially in a traditional or undeveloped society

64. The inspector discovered _____ bolts under the fuel rods.

adj. not securely fixed or fastened in place or able to be detached or separated from something

65. She was considered the _____ expert in her field.

adj. superior, excellent, and surpassing others in a specific field

66. The devil is the _____ of wicked ideas.

n. someone or something that precisely expresses a characteristic or an idea

ANSWERS: 59. epic, 60. string, 61. feat, 62. refuse, 63. peasant, 64. loose, 65. preeminent, 66. embodiment

67. The _____ building was designed with unconventional shapes and colors.

adj. relating to a style or movement in art, architecture, and criticism that reacts against earlier modernist principles and seeks to break down boundaries between high and low culture

68. Different people might _____ this news differently.

v. to explain or assign the meaning of information, actions, etc.

69. Shakespeare's output of poetry was _____.

adj. extremely large or great

70. The country _____ assisted the knight in battles and was his trusted aide.

n. a young man of noble birth who acted as an attendant or shield bearer to a knight in the Middle Ages; a man of high social status, especially a landed property owner

71. The code of _____ requires knights to be brave and honor women.

n. a code of behavior for knights in the Middle Ages, characterized by honor, bravery, and courtesy, especially toward women

72. The school was founded as a _____ institution with no religious affiliations.

adj. not connected with religious or spiritual matters; worldly

73. We _____ our mining resources to strengthen our national power.

v. to make full use of and gain an advantage from resources, opportunities, etc.

74. Higher _____ requires additional equipment and energy.

n. the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature

ANSWERS: 67. postmodern, 68. interpret, 69. enormous, 70. squire, 71. chivalry, 72. secular, 73. exploit, 74. purity

75. The _____ actions of individuals are now easily spread worldwide by SNS.

adj. courageous and daring; having or displaying qualities appropriate for legendary figures that is courage and daring

76. He is known for creating _____ paintings.

n. a particular type or style of literature, art, music, or film that involves a particular set of characteristics

77. _____ amounts of heckling and slogan-shouting took place throughout the event.

adj. never having been seen, done, or known before

78. Her tongue runs on _____.

adv. in a way that happens without interruption or repeatedly

79. Many of the _____ of the famous general came about hundreds of years after his death.

n. an old story that may or may not be accurate regarding some persons and events; a well-known person who is admired by others for a long time, particularly in a particular field

80. He is _____ regarded as the finest actor of his generation.

adv. used when expressing an opinion or idea that you believe can be proven true

81. The mountaineer's summit attempt turned into a _____ when he got lost in a snowstorm.

n. an unfortunate or unlucky event or experience, especially one caused by one's actions

82. Truth is stranger than _____.

n. the type of book or story, especially novels, that describes imaginary events and people; anything made up or imagined that is not true

ANSWERS: 75. heroic, 76. genre-busting, 77. Unprecedented, 78. continually, 79. legends, 80. arguably, 81. misadventure, 82. fiction

83. The pond's _____ was around five feet.

n. the distance between the top and bottom of something; between the top surface and a distance below it

84. Rice is a _____ food in many Asian countries.

adj. important, basic, or essential to something or someone; forming an integral part of a particular diet or industry

85. The audience greeted the comedian's jokes with _____.

n. contemptuous ridicule or mockery

86. Three _____ tenors performed during the president's inauguration.

adj. renowned for possessing admirable attributes

87. The third season of the anime show has been _____.

v. to make something known or officially inform people about something

ANSWERS: 83. depth, 84. staple, 85. derision, 86. celebrated, 87. announced