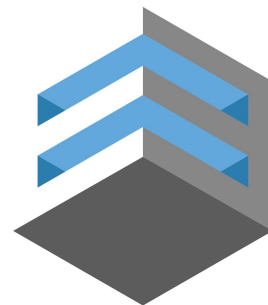


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Session 1: Word List

inquisition

n. a judicial or official inquiry, especially one aimed at suppressing dissent or heresy

synonym: investigation, examination, probe

(1) propose an **inquisition**, (2) submit him to an **inquisition**

The **inquisition** was a period of religious persecution in Europe.

Conquistador

n. a Spanish conqueror of the Americas in the 16th and 17th centuries

synonym: explorer, adventurer, colonizer

(1) **Conquistador** invasion, (2) **Conquistador** conquest

The Spanish **conquistadors** were explorers and conquerors who claimed much of the Americas for their country.

expel

v. to officially force someone to leave a school, organization, or country

synonym: deport, oust, dislodge

(1) **expel** him from his native country, (2) **expel** air from the lungs

He took a big drag of his cigarette and slowly **expelled** the smoke.

pious

adj. deeply religious, having or showing a strong devotion to God or religious beliefs and practices

synonym : religious, devout, godly

(1) **pious** belief, (2) **pious** follower

The **pious** woman spent her days volunteering at the local church.

Christ

n. the man that Christians believe is the prophet and the son of God, and whose life and sermons form the basis for Christianity

synonym : Savior, Jesus Christ, Jesus

(1) teaching of **Christ**, (2) before **Christ**

Christmas is the day to celebrate the birth of Christ.

churchman

n. a member of the clergy or a person connected with the Christian Church

synonym : clergy, priest, minister

(1) respected **churchman**, (2) a religious **churchman**

The prominent **churchman** was known for his compassionate and humble demeanor.

heresy

n. an opinion or belief that goes against the traditional or generally accepted view, especially in religion

synonym : dissent, apostasy, unorthodoxy

(1) the suppression of **heresy**, (2) persecution for **heresy**

The doctrine was considered **heresy** by the mainstream church.

grisly

adj. causing horror or disgust because of being connected with death or injury or having a raw or savage quality

synonym : gruesome, horrific, ghastly

(1) **grisly** death, (2) **grisly** details

The **grisly** scene of the crime horrified the witnesses.

Catholic

adj. universal and including many different types of things; related to or associated with the part of the Christian Church that has the Pope as its leader

(1) **catholic** in his tastes, (2) the **Catholic** Church
Sociologists are now interested in **catholic** world peace.

synonymous

adj. having the same or a similar meaning as another word or phrase

synonym : equivalent, interchangeable, similar

(1) **synonymous** terms, (2) non- **synonymous** mutation
The phrase "big shot" and "important person" are **synonymous**.

overzealous

adj. excessive or overly enthusiastic in one's zeal or devotion to a cause or belief

synonym : enthusiastic, passionate, eager

(1) **overzealous** treatment, (2) **overzealous** promoter
The **overzealous** security guard caused a scene by searching every attendee's bags.

bigotry

n. intolerance toward those who hold different opinions from oneself

synonym : intolerance, prejudice, bias

(1) ethnic **bigotry**, (2) self-righteous **bigotry**
Bigotry and discrimination have no place in our society.

Semitic

adj. relating to the group of languages that includes Hebrew, Arabic, and Aramaic, spoken by the peoples of the middle east and north Africa

(1) anti- **Semitic** movement, (2) **Semitic** culture
The **Semitic** languages include Hebrew, Arabic, and Aramaic.

enlightenment

n. education that results in understanding and the spread of knowledge

synonym : civilization, awareness, sophistication

(1) spiritual **enlightenment**, (2) **enlightenment** activity
He finally brought his **enlightenment** to perfection.

imprison

v. to confine a person to a prison, a detention facility, or a place of involuntary confinement

synonym: incarcerate, detain, confine

(1) **imprison** illegal immigrant, (2) **imprison** myself within the room

He was **imprisoned** for embezzlement.

contradict

v. to deny the truth of a statement by stating the opposite; to be in conflict with

synonym: conflict, oppose, belie

(1) **contradict** each other, (2) **contradict** the principle

The book contains numerous statements that **contradict** previous reports.

Session 2: Spelling

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| 1. ca____ic in his tastes | <i>adj.</i> universal and including many different types of things; related to or associated with the part of the Christian Church that has the Pope as its leader |
| 2. spiritual enl____ent | <i>n.</i> education that results in understanding and the spread of knowledge |
| 3. ove____us treatment | <i>adj.</i> excessive or overly enthusiastic in one's zeal or devotion to a cause or belief |
| 4. propose an inq____on | <i>n.</i> a judicial or official inquiry, especially one aimed at suppressing dissent or heresy |
| 5. pi__s follower | <i>adj.</i> deeply religious, having or showing a strong devotion to God or religious beliefs and practices |
| 6. Con____dor invasion | <i>n.</i> a Spanish conqueror of the Americas in the 16th and 17th centuries |
| 7. ethnic bi____y | <i>n.</i> intolerance toward those who hold different opinions from oneself |
| 8. con____ct the principle | <i>v.</i> to deny the truth of a statement by stating the opposite; to be in conflict with |
| 9. respected ch____an | <i>n.</i> a member of the clergy or a person connected with the Christian Church |
| 10. non-syn____us mutation | <i>adj.</i> having the same or a similar meaning as another word or phrase |
| 11. submit him to an inq____on | <i>n.</i> a judicial or official inquiry, especially one aimed at suppressing dissent or heresy |

ANSWERS: 1. Catholic, 2. enlightenment, 3. overzealous, 4. inquisition, 5. pious, 6. Conquistador, 7. bigotry, 8. contradict, 9. churchman, 10. synonymous, 11. inquisition

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| 12. gr___y death | <i>adj.</i> causing horror or disgust because of being connected with death or injury or having a raw or savage quality |
| 13. before Ch___t | <i>n.</i> the man that Christians believe is the prophet and the son of God, and whose life and sermons form the basis for Christianity |
| 14. pi___s belief | <i>adj.</i> deeply religious, having or showing a strong devotion to God or religious beliefs and practices |
| 15. gr___y details | <i>adj.</i> causing horror or disgust because of being connected with death or injury or having a raw or savage quality |
| 16. enl_____ent activity | <i>n.</i> education that results in understanding and the spread of knowledge |
| 17. a religious ch_____an | <i>n.</i> a member of the clergy or a person connected with the Christian Church |
| 18. syn_____us terms | <i>adj.</i> having the same or a similar meaning as another word or phrase |
| 19. the Ca_____ic Church | <i>adj.</i> universal and including many different types of things; related to or associated with the part of the Christian Church that has the Pope as its leader |
| 20. persecution for he___y | <i>n.</i> an opinion or belief that goes against the traditional or generally accepted view, especially in religion |
| 21. teaching of Ch___t | <i>n.</i> the man that Christians believe is the prophet and the son of God, and whose life and sermons form the basis for Christianity |

ANSWERS: 12. grisly, 13. Christ, 14. pious, 15. grisly, 16. enlightenment, 17. churchman, 18. synonymous, 19. Catholic, 20. heresy, 21. Christ

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| 22. self-righteous bi____y | <i>n.</i> intolerance toward those who hold different opinions from oneself |
| 23. im____on illegal immigrant | <i>v.</i> to confine a person to a prison, a detention facility, or a place of involuntary confinement |
| 24. Se____c culture | <i>adj.</i> relating to the group of languages that includes Hebrew, Arabic, and Aramaic, spoken by the peoples of the middle east and north Africa |
| 25. im____on myself within the room | <i>v.</i> to confine a person to a prison, a detention facility, or a place of involuntary confinement |
| 26. ex__l air from the lungs | <i>v.</i> to officially force someone to leave a school, organization, or country |
| 27. Con____dor conquest | <i>n.</i> a Spanish conqueror of the Americas in the 16th and 17th centuries |
| 28. ex__l him from his native country | <i>v.</i> to officially force someone to leave a school, organization, or country |
| 29. the suppression of he____y | <i>n.</i> an opinion or belief that goes against the traditional or generally accepted view, especially in religion |
| 30. anti-Se____c movement | <i>adj.</i> relating to the group of languages that includes Hebrew, Arabic, and Aramaic, spoken by the peoples of the middle east and north Africa |
| 31. con____ct each other | <i>v.</i> to deny the truth of a statement by stating the opposite; to be in conflict with |
| 32. ove____us promoter | <i>adj.</i> excessive or overly enthusiastic in one's zeal or devotion to a cause or belief |

ANSWERS: 22. bigotry, 23. imprison, 24. Semitic, 25. imprison, 26. expel, 27. Conquistador, 28. expel, 29. heresy, 30. Semitic, 31. contradict, 32. overzealous

ANSWERS:

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. He took a big drag of his cigarette and slowly _____ the smoke.
v. to officially force someone to leave a school, organization, or country
2. The _____ was a period of religious persecution in Europe.
n. a judicial or official inquiry, especially one aimed at suppressing dissent or heresy
3. _____ is the day to celebrate the birth of Christ.
n. the man that Christians believe is the prophet and the son of God, and whose life and sermons form the basis for Christianity
4. The _____ scene of the crime horrified the witnesses.
adj. causing horror or disgust because of being connected with death or injury or having a raw or savage quality
5. Sociologists are now interested in _____ world peace.
adj. universal and including many different types of things; related to or associated with the part of the Christian Church that has the Pope as its leader
6. The _____ woman spent her days volunteering at the local church.
adj. deeply religious, having or showing a strong devotion to God or religious beliefs and practices
7. The prominent _____ was known for his compassionate and humble demeanor.
n. a member of the clergy or a person connected with the Christian Church

ANSWERS: 1. expelled, 2. inquisition, 3. Christmas, 4. grisly, 5. catholic, 6. pious, 7. churchman

8. The book contains numerous statements that _____ previous reports.
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9. The Spanish _____ were explorers and conquerors who claimed much of the Americas for their country.
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10. The doctrine was considered _____ by the mainstream church.
n. an opinion or belief that goes against the traditional or generally accepted view, especially in religion
11. The _____ languages include Hebrew, Arabic, and Aramaic.
adj. relating to the group of languages that includes Hebrew, Arabic, and Aramaic, spoken by the peoples of the middle east and north Africa
12. The phrase "big shot" and "important person" are _____.
adj. having the same or a similar meaning as another word or phrase
13. He was _____ for embezzlement.
v. to confine a person to a prison, a detention facility, or a place of involuntary confinement
14. The _____ security guard caused a scene by searching every attendee's bags.
adj. excessive or overly enthusiastic in one's zeal or devotion to a cause or belief
15. He finally brought his _____ to perfection.
n. education that results in understanding and the spread of knowledge

ANSWERS: 8. contradict, 9. conquistadors, 10. heresy, 11. Semitic, 12. synonymous, 13. imprisoned, 14. overzealous, 15. enlightenment

16. _____ and discrimination have no place in our society.

n. intolerance toward those who hold different opinions from oneself

ANSWERS: 16. Bigotry