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# **All Words**

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# **Session 1: Word List**

# insight

 the ability to gain an accurate and deep understanding of people or situations; an accurate and deep understanding of what something is like

synonym: wisdom, discernment, understanding

(1) a profound **insight**, (2) share my **insights**We gained various **insights** by analyzing the vast amount of data owned by the company.

#### awaken

- v. to stop sleeping or to cause someone to stop sleeping synonym: rouse, arouse, revive
- (1) **awaken** at daybreak, (2) **awaken** a child The friend's death **awakens** them.

# conscious

adj. being aware of and able to respond to what is happening around you

synonym: aware, cognizant, deliberate

(1) **conscious** effort, (2) **conscious** of having succeeded He became **conscious** that he was being followed.

#### tradition

 a belief, custom, or way of doing something that has been passed down from generation to generation within a group or society

synonym: custom, practice, ritual

(1) a **tradition** of a culture, (2) against **tradition**It is a **tradition** in many families to have a big Thanksgiving dinner with all their relatives.

### intellect

 the ability to think logically and comprehend information, especially at an advanced level

*synonym*: mind, brightness, cleverness

(1) enrich my **intellect**, (2) human **intellect**Your **intellect** is capable of distinguishing among similar objects.

# engage

- v. to attract and keep someone's attention and interest; to participate in or obtain services of something
- synonym: confront, employ, amuse
- (1) **engage** in environmental protection activities,
- (2) engage a new employee

Many multinational companies are **engaged** in the reconstruction of that country.

#### meditation

- the act of focusing one's mind on a particular object or thought; activity to train attention and achieve a mentally clear and emotionally calm and stable state
- synonym: contemplation, reflection, introspection
- (1) **meditation** training, (2) religious **meditation**The **meditation** instructor guided the group through the relaxation and breathing exercises.

#### labor

- n. productive work, especially physical work done for wages; the people who do manual or physical work in a country or company for wage; (verb) to work hard or to strive and make an effort to reach a goal
- synonym: toil, moil, donkeywork
- (1) seasonal labor,(2) manual laborIn several countries, child labor is a serious social problem.

# underfoot

adv. in a position under one's feet; in the space on the ground beneath one's feet

synonym: beneath one's feet

(1) snow underfoot, (2) leaves underfoot

The muddy terrain made it difficult to walk **underfoot**.

urgent

adj. requiring immediate attention or action; pressing synonym: pressing, critical, immediate

(1) an **urgent** telegram, (2) **urgent** situation

It is **urgent** that we leave for the airport now to catch our flight.

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.

decisive

adj. making a clear and definite decision or choice; settling an issue

synonym: final, conclusive, unambiguous

(1) a **decisive** ballot, (2) **decisive** action

The **decisive** victory in the war ended years of conflict.

planet

 any of the nine large celestial bodies that circle in the solar system; any celestial body that revolves around a star

synonym: earth, world, globe

(1) planet like the Earth, (2) save the planet

Mercury is the closest **planet** to the sun.

alert

v. to warn or arouse to a sense of danger; (adjective) paying close attention or being in a state of readiness for action

synonym: warn, inform, (adjective) vigilant

(1) **alert** consumers to the dangers, (2) **alert** system The company's cybersecurity team **alerted** the CEO to

potential threats.

#### **fearless**

adj. having no fear; brave

synonym: brave, courageous, daring

(1) **fearless** attitude, (2) **fearless** bravery

The **fearless** firefighter rushed into the burning building to save a trapped child.

#### crisis

 a time of great disagreement, confusion, or danger when problems must be resolved or critical decisions must be taken

*synonym*: concern, problem, emergency

(1) financial crisis, (2) crisis management

The Chinese word for **crisis** comprises two characters, one for danger and the other for opportunity.

# mindful

adj. being conscious or aware of something; paying close attention to what is happening; being focused and attentive in the present moment

synonym: aware, attentive, conscious

(1) **mindful** of my responsibilities, (2) **mindful** eating Practicing **mindful** meditation can help reduce stress and improve overall well-being.

# harmony

 n. the combination of simultaneous musical notes to produce a pleasing effect; an attractive combination of related things and their properties

synonym: balance, accord, congruence

(1) a **harmony** of colors, (2) break a **harmony** We worked in perfect **harmony**.

# fascinate

v. to attract and hold the attention of someone deeply and irresistibly

synonym: captivate, intrigue, mesmerize

(1) **fascinate** the public, (2) **fascinate** the young The magic tricks **fascinated** the children.

# physically

- adv. in a way related to a person's body or appearance rather than their mind
- (1) **physically** and mentally, (2) stay **physically** fit Having a **physically** healthy physique is essential for a great life.

#### wheelchair

- a chair fitted with large wheels for use as a means of transport by a person who is unable to walk
- (1) electric-powered **wheelchair**, (2) **wheelchair** accessibility

This library rents out various types of folding **wheelchairs** for visitors.

# humming

adj. producing a continuous, low, vibrating sound like that of the bee

synonym: buzzing, droning, vibrating

(1) humming sound, (2) humming bird

The **humming** of the bees filled the air as she walked through the garden.

# **spark**

v. to start something or make it grow, especially suddenly; to emit a tiny piece of fire or electricity

synonym: start, inspire, provoke

(1) **spark** his interest, (2) **spark** a chain reaction

The bankruptcy of the giant conglomerate **sparked** turmoil in the stock market.

# lineage

n. the ancestry of a person, group, or species

synonym: ancestry, descent, heritage

(1) maternal **lineage**, (2) **lineage** tree

Scientists traced the **lineage** of the species back millions of years by studying fossils.

# grandparent

- n. a parent of one's father or mother
- (1) great- **grandparent**, (2) person of **grandparent** age
  She was close to her paternal **grandparents** and often spent

summers with them.

#### ancestor

- *n.* a person from whom one is descended; a forefather *synonym*: forebear, forefather, progenitor
- (1) **ancestor** language, (2) earliest human **ancestor**My remote **ancestor** immigrated to the United States from Ireland in the 1800s.

# regret

 to feel sad, repentant, or disappointed over something you have done or something you have not been able to do

synonym: apologize, deplore, lament

(1) **regret** a decision, (2) **regret** being so careless I **regret** to say that you did not gain admission to the university.

# ambassador

 a diplomatic representative of a country who is sent to another country or international organization

synonym: envoy, diplomat, representative

(1) **ambassador** for football, (2) send an **ambassador** abroad

The **ambassador** of peace met with government officials to discuss bilateral relations.

# endurance

n. the ability to withstand hardship, stress, or adversity; the ability to persist in the face of difficulty or challenge; the act of sustaining or maintaining something over time

synonym: stamina, perseverance, resilience

(1) **endurance** training, (2) mental **endurance**The marathon runner's **endurance** was impressive as he crossed the finish line.

# compassion

 a strong feeling of sympathy and sadness for another's suffering or bad luck

synonym: pity, empathy, understanding

(1) feel **compassion** for the poor, (2) have **compassion** 

#### toward the accident

His infinite love and **compassion** for everyone never weary.

# generosity

- n. the fact or quality of being willing to do kind things or give somebody money, gifts, or time freelysynonym: goodness, hospitality, unselfishness
- (1) act of generosity,(2) boundless generosityHe is remembered for his generosity and civilization.

# embody

- v. to represent or exemplify something; to give tangible form to an abstract idea
- synonym: represent, exemplify, personify
- (1) **embody** my goal, (2) **embody** a spirit of charity The company's new products **embody** the values of innovation and sustainability.

#### evolution

- n. a gradual process of transformation of living thingssynonym: elaboration, expansion, transition
- (1) human **evolution**, (2) **evolution** theory They study the **evolution** of the universe.

# representative

- n. someone who speaks or acts officially on behalf of another person or group of peoplesynonym: spokesperson, agent, delegate
- (1) an official **representative**, (2) sales **representative**The media **representatives** had special passes.

### savannah

- n. a mixed forest and grassland ecosystem where the trees are far enough apart that the canopy doesn't closesynonym: grassland, plain
- (1) **savannah** region, (2) tropical **savannah**The birds live in tropical forests, **savannahs**, and arid semi-desert environments.

# rainforest

 a forest rich in biodiversity that is generally found in tropical settings with heavy annual rainfall (1) **rainforest** destruction, (2) tropical **rainforest**The destruction of the **rainforest** is a ticking time bomb for the Earth.

# interbeing

 the interconnectedness and interdependence of all things in the universe, often used in spiritual or philosophical contexts

synonym: interconnectedness, interdependence, mutualism

(1) **interbeing** philosophy, (2) **interbeing** relationship Our actions have a ripple effect on the **interbeing** of the world around us.

#### immense

adj. extremely large or great synonym: enormous, giant, huge

(1) **immense** amount, (2) **immense** pressure He left his wife an **immense** fortune.

# strength

 the quality or state of being physically, or sometimes mentally, strong

synonym: resilience, power, muscles

- (1) **strength** of the economy, (2) muscular **strength** Health and **strength** are, above all, gold.
- v. to become or cause someone to become less active or tense and calmer

synonym: soften, comfort, soothe

relax a series of muscles, (2) relax at home
 The rules were relaxed after the new executive arrived.

#### restless

relax

adj. unwilling or unable to stay still or relax because you are worried and uneasy

synonym: agitated, anxious, disturbed

(1) a restless person, (2) restless wavesHe felt restless and constantly changed his postures.

# agitation

 a state of anxiety, excitement, or disturbance that is often associated with restlessness, agitation, or

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nervousness; the act of stirring or moving something in a rapid or erratic manner

synonym: excitement, restlessness, turmoil

(1) **agitation** levels, (2) political **agitation** 

The crowd's **agitation** grew as the politician failed to answer their questions.

#### distracted

adj. having one's attention diverted or divided; being unable to concentrate because of being preoccupied or worriedsynonym: preoccupied, inattentive, absent-minded

(1) get **distracted** by an urgent matter, (2) **distracted** by a conversation

I was so **distracted** by my phone that I nearly walked into a lamppost.

# preoccupied

adj. having one's thoughts or attention absorbed by something; busy

synonym: absorbed, engrossed, occupied

(1) **preoccupied** idea, (2) **preoccupied** with other things He was **preoccupied** with work and didn't notice me.

#### drown

v. to die or cause to die by being unable to breathe underwater

synonym: douse, drench, overwhelm

(1) **drown** in a bath, (2) I was **drowned** in work Floods have the potential to **drown** any subsurface animals easily.

#### consume

v. to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount

synonym: absorb, ingest, use up

(1) **consume** a large of alcohol, (2) **consume** electricity A smaller car will **consume** less fuel.

# numb

adj. unable to feel physical sensation and movement; not showing human feeling or sensitivity

synonym:

dazed, insensitive, emotionless

(1) **numb** with cold, (2) a **numb** mind

My left arm became **numb**.

#### essential

adj. indispensable; fundamental synonym: critical, crucial, basic

(1) **essential** amino acid, (2) **essential** commodities of life Trial and error is an **essential** part of education.

#### survival

 the state of continuing to exist or live, frequently in the face of difficulty or danger

synonym: endurance, continuity

(1) survival ability, (2) survival food

He evaluated his chances for **survival** rather pessimistically.

#### nourish

 to provide a person, an animal, or plant with food to make them grow and stay healthy

synonym: feed, sustain, nurture

(1) **nourish** damaged skin, (2) **nourish** hope

The mother used her breast milk to **nourish** the baby.

#### handle

- v. to deal with a situation, problem, or strong emotion synonym: control, manage, deal with
- (1) **handle** a precious object, (2) **handled** the incident We all should learn how to **handle** stress.

#### suffer

v. to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant

synonym: endure, undergo, tolerate

(1) suffer a setback, (2) suffer bad grades

The older man **suffers** from arthritis and finds it difficult to move around.

#### breath

the air that is taken into and expelled from your lungs;
 the process of taking into and expelling air from your lungs

synonym:

air, puff, whiff

(1) hold your breath, (2) breath of windHe bated his breath when talking about this affair.

#### release

- v. to set free or allow to escape from confinement synonym: free, let go, discharge
- (1) **release** a prisoner, (2) **release** CO2 into the air The animal rights group worked to **release** the dolphins back into the wild.

#### embrace

to accept something willingly and enthusiastically;
 (noun) the act of clasping another person in the arms as in greeting or affection

*synonym*: grasp, hold tightly, accept

(1) **embrace** an opportunity, (2) a warm **embrace** The woods **embrace** the house.

# despair

 the feeling that there is no hope and you cannot do anything to improve a difficult situation

synonym: dismay, anguish, misery

(1) **despair** at the future, (2) untold **despair** His friend's death drove him to **despair**.

# accompany

- v. to go somewhere or travel with someone or something synonym: follow, escort, attend
- (1) **accompany** a chicken dish, (2) **accompany** the book Please let me know if you want to **accompany** me to my hometown.

#### violent

adj. involving or caused by physical force or aggression against someone or something

*synonym*: aggressive, intense, turbulent

(1) victim of a **violent** crime, (2) **violent** incident The protesters became **violent** when the police tried to disperse them.

#### destruction

- n. the act of causing so much damage to somethingsynonym: devastation, annihilation, ruin
- (1) path of **destruction**, (2) cyclonic **destruction**The extinction of several subspecies has been linked to climate change and habitat **destruction**.

# discriminate

v. to treat a person or particular group of people worse or better than another, especially in an unfair way; to recognize or perceive the difference between people or things

synonym: show prejudice, segregate, differentiate

- (1) discriminate against women employees,
- (2) discriminate between different things

You should not discriminate against minorities.

# exploitation

 the process of making some area of land or water more profitable or productive or useful

synonym: victimization, development, using

(1) sexual **exploitation**, (2) the **exploitation** of fossil resources

Strategic **exploitation** of cutting-edge technology would be a sure formula for success.

#### 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.

# tremendous

adj. very great in degree or extent or amount or impact;extremely good

synonym: enormous, giant, immense

(1) **tremendous** amount, (2) **tremendous** popularity We had a **tremendous** time yesterday.

#### 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.

# aspiration

 a strong desire to achieve something; the action or process of drawing breath

*synonym*: ambition, inhalation, intake

(1) no **aspiration** for fame, (2) **aspiration** into the lungs He has an **aspiration** to become a doctor.

#### motivate

- v. to make someone want to do something, especially something that requires tremendous work and effort synonym: boost, encourage, inspire
- (1) **motivate** the students, (2) all ability to **motivate** The ability to **motivate** people is a priceless asset.

# energize

v. to give energy or vitality to someone or something; to invigorate

synonym: invigorate, animate, electrify

(1) **energize** the body, (2) **energize** a team

The motivational speaker **energized** the crowd with their words.

#### desire

- n. a strong feeling of wanting to have or do somethingsynonym: ambition, appetite, greed
- unsatisfied desire, (2) fleshly desire
   Low sexual desire typically correlates with low testosterone levels.

#### contribute

- v. to give something, especially money or goods, to provide or achieve something together with other peoplesynonym: donate, devote, commit
- (1) **contribute** a large sum of money to the fund,
- (2) **contribute** to society

Government workers cannot **contribute** to political campaigns.

#### contribution

n. the act of giving something, especially money, to a particular cause or organization; a voluntary gift as of money or service or ideas made to some worthwhile cause

synonym: donation, gift, offering

(1) make a positive **contribution**, (2) **contribution** to society

His **contribution** to the charity was a generous donation of money.

# spot

- a particular location or place; a small round or roundish area, differing in color or feels from the surface around it
   synonym: dot, mark, place
- (1) beauty **spot**, (2) a **spot** on his honor This remote **spot** is rarely visited.

#### resonate

- v. to be filled with a deep echoing sound synonym: echo, reverberate, resound
- (1) deeply **resonate** with the consumers, (2) **resonate** in the same frequency

The sound **resonates** well in this theater.

# identify

 to recognize someone or something and say or prove who or what they are

synonym: determine, specify, recognize

(1) **identify** handwriting, (2) **identify** gene sequences I will introduce you to how to **identify** the leading causes of the malfunction.

### nurture

v. to take care of, feed, and protect someone or something while they are growing and developing

synonym: boost, cultivate, enable

(1) nurture love, (2) nurture his talents

Schools should **nurture** children's mutual interest spirit.

#### rekindle

v. to revive or renew something that was previously lost or forgotten, often a relationship or feeling

synonym: revitalize, reignite, revive

(1) rekindle love, (2) rekindle hope

The couple tried to **rekindle** their relationship by spending more time together.

#### communal

adj. belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals;for common use

synonym: collaborative, combined, collective

(1) **communal** swimming pool, (2) **communal** combination of funds

**Communal** elections were held in several European countries.

#### vast

*adj.* enormous in size, number, amount, or quantity *synonym*: expansive, extended, boundless

(1) vast majority, (2) vast desert

A vast audience viewed the broadcast.

# destination

 the place to which someone or something is going or being sent; the ultimate purpose or goal of a journey or action

synonym: location, endpoint, target

travel destination, (2) romantic destinations
 am excited to reach my destination and explore the new city finally.

# doubt

 a feeling of being uncertain about something, especially about how good or accurate it is

synonym: distrust, suspect, mistrust

(1) dispel **doubts**, (2) no **doubt** about the news **Doubt** is the start, not the end, of intelligence.

#### heal

- v. to make a wound or injury to become well again synonym: recover, bring around, mend
- (1) **heal** a broken bone, (2) **heal** the hurt mind It will take time for her mental scars to **heal**.

#### overwhelm

- to defeat someone or something by using a great deal of force; to have a strong emotional effect on somebody synonym: conquer, crush, dominate
- (1) he was **overwhelmed** with gratitude, (2) **overwhelm** opponents by numbers

Too much variety may **overwhelm** and confuse viewers.

#### dare

- to have the courage to do something *synonym*: challenge, risk, attempt
- (1) dare not go, (2) dare to take risks I wouldn't dare to speak to him like that.

# precious

- adj. uncommon and extremely valuable synonym: adored, cherished, valued
- (1) price of **precious** metals, (2) **precious** information We cannot afford to squander **precious** time.

# spiritual

- adj. relating to or affecting the human spirit or soul as opposed to material or physical things
- synonym: otherworldly, ethereal, transcendental
- (1) constant **spiritual** striving, (2) **spiritual** leader The meditation class was focused on finding inner peace and cultivating a more **spiritual** connection with the universe.

# stability

- the quality or attribute of being firm and steadfast synonym: resilience, solidity, steadiness
- (1) **stability** pact, (2) fiscal **stability** pact The policy should increase the country's monetary **stability**.
- to raise something to a higher position or level; to pick lift up something or somebody and move them to a different

position

synonym: raise, elevate, move up

(1) **lift** sagging skin, (2) **lift** a ban on alcohol The drought **lifted** the prices of grain globally.

# 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**.

#### descendant

- n. children or offspring of a specific person, plant, or animal synonym: child, offspring, heir
- (1) **descendant** of a pioneer, (2) third-generation **descendant**

Those warriors' **descendants** are still skilled archers.

# clarity

*n.* the quality of being coherent and understandable; the quality of transparency or purity

synonym: clearness, translucence, brightness

(1) lack of clarity, (2) sake of clarity

The publisher will proofread most of this manuscript for **clarity**.

# courage

 the ability to face danger, difficulty, uncertainty, or pain without being overcome by fear or despair; the quality of being brave or courageous

synonym: bravery, valor, fearlessness

- (1) mental **courage**, (2) inspire **courage**It takes a lot of **courage** to stand up for what you believe is
- right.

# urgency

 the quality of being very important and needing to be dealt with immediately

synonym: importance, importunity, urging

(1) **urgency** in the use of force, (2) matter of **urgency**She departed hurriedly because of some significant **urgency**in their affairs.

# eternal

- adj. being without beginning or end; lasting forever synonym: endless, everlasting, undying
- (1) the hope of **eternal** life, (2) **eternal** quarreling In every civilization, rulers have tried everything possible to obtain **eternal** life.

# **Session 2: Spelling**

1.	snow unot	adv.	in a position under one's feet; in the space on the ground beneath one's feet
2.	crs management	n.	a time of great disagreement, confusion, or danger when problems must be resolved or critical decisions must be taken
3.	earliest human anor	n.	a person from whom one is descended; a forefather
4.	idfy handwriting	<i>v</i> .	to recognize someone or something and say or prove who or what they are
5.	romantic desons	n.	the place to which someone or something is going or being sent; the ultimate purpose or goal of a journey or action
6.	I was drned in work	<i>v</i> .	to die or cause to die by being unable to breathe underwater
7.	coe a large of alcohol	<i>v</i> .	to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
8.	preed idea	adj.	having one's thoughts or attention absorbed by something; busy
9.	miI of my responsibilities	adj.	being conscious or aware of something; paying close attention to what is happening; being focused and attentive in the present moment
10.	etI quarreling	adj.	being without beginning or end; lasting forever

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34. v	victim of a vit crime	adj.	involving or caused by physical force or aggression against someone or something
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107. untold der	n.	the feeling that there is no hope and you cannot do anything to improve a difficult situation
108. acny the book	v.	to go somewhere or travel with someone or something
109. coal combination of funds	adj.	belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
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117. inon behind his decision	n.	something you want to do and are going to do
118. enrich my inct	n.	the ability to think logically and comprehend information, especially at an advanced level

ANSWERS: 107. despair, 108. accompany, 109. communal, 110. humming, 111. lineage, 112. heal, 113. tremendous, 114. physically, 115. distracted, 116. urgency, 117. intention, 118. intellect

ANSWERS: 119. contribution, 120. essential, 121. contribute, 122. restless, 123. meditation, 124. awaken, 125. destruction, 126. interbeing, 127. engage, 128. nourish

healthy

with food to make them grow and stay

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129. a raI cure	<ul><li>adj. relating to the essential aspects of anything; far beyond the norm, mainly used of opinions and actions</li></ul>
130. saah region	<ul> <li>n. a mixed forest and grassland ecosystem where the trees are far enough apart that the canopy doesn't close</li> </ul>
131. treus popularity	adj. very great in degree or extent or amount or impact; extremely good
132. mote the students	<ul> <li>v. to make someone want to do something, especially something that requires tremendous work and effort</li> </ul>
133. financial crs	<ul> <li>n. a time of great disagreement, confusion, or danger when problems must be resolved or critical decisions must be taken</li> </ul>
134. a hay of colors	<ul> <li>n. the combination of simultaneous musical notes to produce a pleasing effect; an attractive combination of related things and their properties</li> </ul>
135. alt system	<ul> <li>v. to warn or arouse to a sense of dange (adjective) paying close attention or being in a state of readiness for action</li> </ul>
136. disate against women employees	v. to treat a person or particular group of people worse or better than another, especially in an unfair way; to recognize or perceive the difference between people or things
137. price of prus metals	adj. uncommon and extremely valuable
ANSWERS: 129. radical, 130. savanna 134. harmony, 135. alert, 136. discrimir	h, 131. tremendous, 132. motivate, 133. crisis, ate, 137. precious

138. a warm eme	ν.	to accept something willingly and enthusiastically; (noun) the act of clasping another person in the arms as in greeting or affection
139. a st on his honor	n.	a particular location or place; a small round or roundish area, differing in color or feels from the surface around it
140. he was ovImed with gratitude	ν.	to defeat someone or something by using a great deal of force; to have a strong emotional effect on somebody
141. spk his interest	v.	to start something or make it grow, especially suddenly; to emit a tiny piece of fire or electricity
142. enze a team	ν.	to give energy or vitality to someone or something; to invigorate
143. inspire coe	n.	the ability to face danger, difficulty, uncertainty, or pain without being overcome by fear or despair; the quality of being brave or courageous
144. ret being so careless	v.	to feel sad, repentant, or disappointed over something you have done or something you have not been able to do
145. noh hope	v.	to provide a person, an animal, or plant with food to make them grow and stay healthy
146. beauty st	n.	a particular location or place; a small round or roundish area, differing in color or feels from the surface around it
147. ime amount	adj.	extremely large or great

ANSWERS: 138. embrace, 139. spot, 140. overwhelm, 141. spark, 142. energize, 143. courage, 144. regret, 145. nourish, 146. spot, 147. immense

148. fiscal stty pact	n.	the quality or attribute of being firm and steadfast
149. break a hay	n.	the combination of simultaneous musical notes to produce a pleasing effect; an attractive combination of related things and their properties
150. save the plt	n.	any of the nine large celestial bodies that circle in the solar system; any celestial body that revolves around a star
151. great-grant	n.	a parent of one's father or mother
152. deve action	adj.	making a clear and definite decision or choice; settling an issue
153. rele hope	v.	to revive or renew something that was previously lost or forgotten, often a relationship or feeling
154. sual food	n.	the state of continuing to exist or live, frequently in the face of difficulty or danger
155. brh of wind	n.	the air that is taken into and expelled from your lungs; the process of taking into and expelling air from your lungs
156. medon training	n.	the act of focusing one's mind on a particular object or thought; activity to train attention and achieve a mentally clear and emotionally calm and stable state
157. dispel dots	n.	a feeling of being uncertain about something, especially about how good or accurate it is

ANSWERS: 148. stability, 149. harmony, 150. planet, 151. grandparent, 152. decisive, 153. rekindle, 154. survival, 155. breath, 156. meditation, 157. doubt

158. against tron	n.	a belief, custom, or way of doing something that has been passed down from generation to generation within a group or society
159. no dot about the news	n.	a feeling of being uncertain about something, especially about how good or accurate it is
160. esal amino acid	adj.	indispensable; fundamental
161. the hope of etI life	adj.	being without beginning or end; lasting forever
162. a nb mind	adj.	unable to feel physical sensation and movement; not showing human feeling or sensitivity
163. person of grant age	n.	a parent of one's father or mother
164. awn a child	<i>v</i> .	to stop sleeping or to cause someone to stop sleeping
165. cous of having succeeded	adj.	being aware of and able to respond to what is happening around you
166. fleshly dee	n.	a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something
167. rex a series of muscles	<i>v</i> .	to become or cause someone to become less active or tense and calmer
168. nue love	ν.	to take care of, feed, and protect someone or something while they are growing and developing
169. vit incident	adj.	involving or caused by physical force or aggression against someone or something

ANSWERS: 158. tradition, 159. doubt, 160. essential, 161. eternal, 162. numb, 163. grandparent, 164. awaken, 165. conscious, 166. desire, 167. relax, 168. nurture, 169. violent

ANSWERS: 170. savannah, 171. suffer, 172. contribute, 173. compassion, 174. exploitation, 175. breath, 176. fearless, 177. labor, 178. tradition

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1/9. der at the future	n.	you cannot do anything to improve a difficult situation
180. get dised by an urgent matter	adj.	having one's attention diverted or divided; being unable to concentrate because of being preoccupied or worried
181. clear inon	n.	something you want to do and are going to do
182. ime pressure	adj.	extremely large or great
183. human evon	n.	a gradual process of transformation of living things
184. ree a prisoner	<i>v</i> .	to set free or allow to escape from confinement

ANSWERS: 179. despair, 180. distracted, 181. intention, 182. immense, 183. evolution, 184. release

## **Session 3: Fill in the Blanks**

1.	Your is capable of distinguishing among similar objects.
n.	the ability to think logically and comprehend information, especially at an advanced level
2.	Low sexual typically correlates with low testosterone levels.
n.	a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something
3.	His infinite love and for everyone never weary.
n.	a strong feeling of sympathy and sadness for another's suffering or bad luck
4.	We cannot afford to squander time.
adj	i. uncommon and extremely valuable
5.	Scientists traced the of the species back millions of years by studying fossils.
n.	the ancestry of a person, group, or species
6.	The ability to people is a priceless asset.
<i>v</i> .	to make someone want to do something, especially something that requires tremendous work and effort
7.	The policy should increase the country's monetary
n.	the quality or attribute of being firm and steadfast
8.	The marathon runner's was impressive as he crossed the finish line.
n.	the ability to withstand hardship, stress, or adversity; the ability to persist in the face of difficulty or challenge; the act of sustaining or maintaining something over time
	SWERS: 1. intellect, 2. desire, 3. compassion, 4. precious, 5. lineage, 6. motivate stability, 8. endurance

25. They study the of the universe.
n. a gradual process of transformation of living things
<ul> <li>26. I to say that you did not gain admission to the university.</li> <li>ν. to feel sad, repentant, or disappointed over something you have done or something you have not been able to do</li> </ul>
27. He felt and constantly changed his postures.  adj. unwilling or unable to stay still or relax because you are worried and uneasy
<ul> <li>28. Our actions have a ripple effect on the of the world around us.</li> <li>n. the interconnectedness and interdependence of all things in the universe, often used in spiritual or philosophical contexts</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>29. Schools should children's mutual interest spirit.</li> <li>ν. to take care of, feed, and protect someone or something while they are growing and developing</li> </ul>
<ul><li>30. He bated his when talking about this affair.</li><li>n. the air that is taken into and expelled from your lungs; the process of taking into and expelling air from your lungs</li></ul>
31. The motivational speaker the crowd with their words.  v. to give energy or vitality to someone or something; to invigorate
<ul><li>32. This library rents out various types of folding for visitors.</li><li>n. a chair fitted with large wheels for use as a means of transport by a person who is unable to walk</li></ul>
ANSWERS: 25. evolution, 26. regret, 27. restless, 28. interbeing, 29. nurture, 30. breath, 31. energized, 32. wheelchairs

42. It is that we leave for the airport now to catch our flight.  adj. requiring immediate attention or action; pressing
43. Health and are, above all, gold.  n. the quality or state of being physically, or sometimes mentally, strong
44. In every civilization, rulers have tried everything possible to obtain life. adj. being without beginning or end; lasting forever
45. My left arm became adj. unable to feel physical sensation and movement; not showing human feeling or sensitivity
46. I was so by my phone that I nearly walked into a lamppost.  adj. having one's attention diverted or divided; being unable to concentrate because of being preoccupied or worried
<ul><li>47. The animal rights group worked to the dolphins back into the wild.</li><li>ν. to set free or allow to escape from confinement</li></ul>
48. Trial and error is an part of education.  adj. indispensable; fundamental
<ul> <li>49. The couple tried to their relationship by spending more time together.</li> <li>v. to revive or renew something that was previously lost or forgotten, often a relationship or feeling</li> </ul>
50. We had a time yesterday.  adj. very great in degree or extent or amount or impact; extremely good
ANSWERS: 42. urgent, 43. strength, 44. eternal, 45. numb, 46. distracted, 47. release, 48. essential, 49. rekindle, 50. tremendous

67.	His to the charity was a generous donation of money.		
n.	the act of giving something, especially money, to a particular cause or organization; a voluntary gift as of money or service or ideas made to some worthwhile cause		
68.	Too much variety may and confuse viewers.		
v.	to defeat someone or something by using a great deal of force; to have a strong emotional effect on somebody		
69.	She was close to her paternal and often spent summers with them.		
n.	a parent of one's father or mother		
70.	The of the bees filled the air as she walked through the garden.		
adj	producing a continuous, low, vibrating sound like that of the bee		
71.	He is remembered for his and civilization.  the fact or quality of being willing to do kind things or give somebody money,		
π.	gifts, or time freely		
72.	He was with work and didn't notice me.		
adj	having one's thoughts or attention absorbed by something; busy		
73.	I will introduce you to how to the leading causes of the malfunction.		
ν.	to recognize someone or something and say or prove who or what they are		
74.	This remote is rarely visited.		
n.	a particular location or place; a small round or roundish area, differing in color or feels from the surface around it		
ANSWERS: 67. contribution, 68. overwhelm, 69. grandparents, 70. humming, 71. generosity, 72. preoccupied, 73. identify, 74. spot			

75.	Having a	healthy physique i	s essential for a great life.		
adv	in a way related to a	person's body or a	ppearance rather than their mind		
76.	It takes a lot of	to stand up for v	vhat you believe is right.		
n.	the ability to face dangle by fear or despair; the		ertainty, or pain without being overcome brave or courageous		
77.	My father's death	my life c	ompletely.		
<i>v</i> .	to change in outward	d structure or looks	•		
78.	elections w	ere held in several	European countries.		
adj	belonging to or used	by a group rather	than individuals; for common use		
79.	The media	had speci	al passes.		
n.	someone who speak people	s or acts officially o	on behalf of another person or group of		
80.	The older man	from arthritis and	d finds it difficult to move around.		
<i>v</i> .	to experience pain, o painful or unpleasan		o; to undergo or endure something		
81.	Government workers	cannot	_ to political campaigns.		
ν.	to give something, e together with other p		goods, to provide or achieve something		
82.	The of percentations.	eace met with gove	rnment officials to discuss bilateral		
n.	a diplomatic represe international organiz	•	who is sent to another country or		
ANSWERS: 75. physically, 76. courage, 77. transformed, 78. Communal, 79. representatives, 80. suffers, 81. contribute, 82. ambassador					

83. v.	The mother used her breast milk to the baby.  to provide a person, an animal, or plant with food to make them grow and stay
	healthy
	The government established by the coup was more than before.
аај	relating to the essential aspects of anything; far beyond the norm, mainly used of opinions and actions
85.	You should not against minorities.
<i>v</i> .	to treat a person or particular group of people worse or better than another, especially in an unfair way; to recognize or perceive the difference between people or things
86.	The publisher will proofread most of this manuscript for
n.	the quality of being coherent and understandable; the quality of transparency or purity
87.	The crowd's grew as the politician failed to answer their questions.
n.	a state of anxiety, excitement, or disturbance that is often associated with restlessness, agitation, or nervousness; the act of stirring or moving something in a rapid or erratic manner
88.	The victory in the war ended years of conflict.
adj	. making a clear and definite decision or choice; settling an issue
89.	It will take time for her mental scars to
<i>v</i> .	to make a wound or injury to become well again
90.	The birds live in tropical forests, and arid semi-desert environments.
n.	a mixed forest and grassland ecosystem where the trees are far enough apart that the canopy doesn't close
	SWERS: 83. nourish, 84. radical, 85. discriminate, 86. clarity, 87. agitation, 88. sisive, 89. heal, 90. savannahs,

91. We all should learn how to stress.  v. to deal with a situation, problem, or strong emotion
92. Practicing meditation can help reduce stress and improve overall well-being.
adj. being conscious or aware of something; paying close attention to what is happening; being focused and attentive in the present moment
ANSWERS: 91. handle, 92. mindful