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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### crucial

*adj.* extremely vital or necessary

*synonym*: essential, pivotal, vital

(1) **crucial** information, (2) a **crucial** issue for women

The revitalization of technology companies is **crucial** to the country's growth.

### climate

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

*synonym*: atmosphere, weather, environment

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

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

### accord

*n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.; (verb) allow to have

*synonym*: alliance, pact, agreement

(1) **accord** with public opinion, (2) binational **accord**

The organization finally signed a peace **accord**.

### timetable

*n.* a schedule or plan that shows the times at which particular events or activities are intended to occur; a list of train, bus, or airplane departures and arrivals

*synonym*: schedule, itinerary, agenda

(1) exam **timetable**, (2) adjust the **timetable**

The airline's **timetable** showed a delay of three hours for our flight to London.

## government

*n.* the group of people with authority to control a country or state

*synonym*: administration, regime, state

(1) **government** bureaucracy, (2) **government** funding

The federal **government** is planning to increase taxes for the next fiscal year.

## decision

*n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options

*synonym*: choice, determination, judgment

(1) **decision** authority, (2) a selfish **decision**

She was struggling to make a **decision** between two job offers.

## degree

*n.* a unit of measurement for angles, temperature, or level of proficiency or achievement; a rank or level of academic or professional attainment

*synonym*: level, qualification, diploma

(1) bachelor's **degree**, (2) **degree** centigrade

She received her **degree** in psychology from the university.

## explore

*v.* to travel to or penetrate an area or a country to learn about it; to thoroughly examine a subject or a possibility to learn more about it

*synonym*: analyze, delve into, examine

(1) **explore** the world, (2) **explore** our options

The management must **explore** strategies to increase office security.

## temperature

*n.* the degree of hotness or coldness of a thing or place

*synonym*: climate, warmth, degree

(1) extreme **temperatures**, (2) the atmospheric

### temperature

Cities around the world set records for highest **temperatures** this summer.

### pursue

*v.* to do something or attempt to attain something over time; to follow or seek someone or something, especially in trying to catch them

*synonym*: seek, hunt, chase

(1) **pursue** a goal, (2) **pursue** freedoms

She intends to **pursue** a political career.

### greenhouse

*n.* a building with walls and roof made chiefly of transparent material, such as glass, for growing plants in

*synonym*: conservatory

(1) exotic plants in a **greenhouse**, (2) emissions of **greenhouse** gases

The **greenhouse** effect is a phenomenon that happens naturally.

### emission

*n.* the act of production or sending out gas, heat, light, etc.

*synonym*: emanation, radiation, discharge

(1) global **emissions** of greenhouse gases, (2) the **emission** of light

There are five distinct **emissions** at five unique wavelengths.

### carbon

*n.* a chemical element that can be found in pure form as diamond or graphite, and it is also an essential part of coal and oil and is found in all plants and animals

(1) **carbon** dioxide, (2) **carbon** emission

Trees absorb **carbon** dioxide and give off oxygen.

### oxide

*n.* a chemical compound that contains at least one oxygen atom and one other element

(1) silver **oxide**, (2) combined **oxide**

The blood's red coloring comes from iron **oxide**.

## enormous

*adj.* extremely large or great  
*synonym* : huge, giant, gigantic

(1) **enormous** amount, (2) **enormous** potential  
Shakespeare's output of poetry was **enormous**.

## achievable

*adj.* possible to accomplish or attain  
*synonym* : attainable, possible, reachable

(1) **achievable** task, (2) **achievable** plan  
Setting a realistic and **achievable** goal is the key to success.

## monitor

*v.* to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time  
*synonym* : proctor, check, observe

(1) **monitor** an exam, (2) **monitor** the data carefully  
They used a special receiver to **monitor** police radio channels.

## nation

*n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture  
*synonym* : country, state, sovereign entity

(1) **nation-state**, (2) a seafaring **nation**  
The **nation** of Japan is known for its unique culture and advanced technology.

## commitment

*n.* a promise or firm decision to do something or to behave in a certain way  
*synonym* : burden, obligation, promise

(1) a **commitment** to an alliance, (2) meet his **commitments**  
His business **commitments** took him to the United States.

## increasingly

*adv.* more and more  
*synonym* : more and more, progressively

(1) **increasingly** become common, (2) face **increasingly** complicated challenges

Our company found it **increasingly** difficult to keep up with the competition.

## pledge

v. to make a formal promise to give or do something

*synonym*: promise, assure, guarantee

(1) **pledge** my fidelity, (2) **pledge** military assistance

At this ceremony, We will **pledge** allegiance to the country's flag.

## adopt

v. to choose to follow something; to legally take a child from another family and care for them as if they were one's own

*synonym*: accept, assume, take on

(1) **adopt** a child, (2) **adopt** a bill

The national assembly has **adopted** the budget.

## discuss

v. to talk about or examine in detail through conversation or debate; to exchange ideas, opinions, or information on a particular topic

*synonym*: talk about, converse, debate

(1) **discuss** options, (2) **discuss** solutions

We need to **discuss** the next steps for the project during our meeting tomorrow.

## union

n. a group of employees who have banded together to advocate for their rights and better their working conditions; the act or the state of joining together or being joined together

*synonym*: alliance, coalition, confederation

(1) bank and credit **unions**, (2) a craft **union**

The trade **union** remained adamant about its demands.

## enshrine

v. to cherish or protect something as if it is sacred; to place something in a position of honor or respect

*synonym*: ensconce, preserve, cherish

(1) **enshrine** memories, (2) **enshrine** tradition

The Constitution **enshrines** the rights and freedoms of

citizens.

## statistics

*n.* the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data

(1) **statistics** for cancer, (2) official **statistics**

The **statistics** demonstrate that poverty and unemployment are genuine problems.

## implement

*v.* to put a decision, plan, or system into effect

*synonym*: execute, enforce, put through

(1) **implement** a corporate strategy, (2) **implement** security measures

The government promised to **implement** a new system to control the financial crisis.

## trajectory

*n.* the curved path followed by an object moving through space

*synonym*: course, curve, orbit

(1) career **trajectory**, (2) a **trajectory** missile

The company has shown an excellent growth **trajectory** over the years.

## estimate

*v.* to guess or calculate the cost, size, value, etc. of something

*synonym*: calculate, gauge, evaluate

(1) **estimate** a fair value, (2) **estimate** this chicken to weigh three pounds

We **estimated** the season's total trade deficit at \$50 billion.

## catastrophic

*adj.* extremely harmful; causing physical or financial destruction

*synonym*: fatal, disastrous, destructive

(1) victim of **catastrophic** injuries, (2) **catastrophic** climate change

The extinction rate of aquatic animals was **catastrophic**.

## achieve

*v.* to successfully complete a task or goal, often through hard work, perseverance, and dedication; to attain or accomplish something that one has set out to do

*synonym* : accomplish, attain, reach

(1) **achieve** success, (2) **achieve** milestones

I will work hard to **achieve** my goals and realize my dreams.

## euro

*n.* the official currency of most European Union countries

(1) the value of the **Euro**, (2) **Euro** crises

Some countries may leave the **Euro**.

## optimistic

*adj.* hoping or expecting that good thing will happen or something will be successful

*synonym* : hopeful, auspicious, cheery

(1) he is **optimistic**, (2) **optimistic** outlook

Most executives were **optimistic** about future business conditions.

## assume

*v.* to think or accept something to be true without having proof of it; to take or begin to have power; to begin to exhibit a specific quality or appearance

*synonym* : guess, presume, suppose

(1) **assume** a lousy attitude to his boss, (2) **assume** an important role

The following example **assumes** that the capacity of each battery is the same.

## 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.

## policy

*n.* a set of rules, guidelines, principles, or procedures that govern decision-making or action, often used in the context of business or government; a course of action or plan of action adopted or followed by an organization or

individual to achieve a goal or objective

*synonym*: strategy, plan, guideline

(1) health **policy**, (2) foreign **policy**

The company's new **policy** on remote work has made it a more inclusive workplace.

## submit

*v.* to give or offer a document, proposal, etc. to a decision-maker for examination or consideration

*synonym*: hand in, present, propose

(1) agree to **submit** the bill, (2) **submit** an application

Please **submit** the assignment to me.

## addition

*n.* the act or process of adding something to something else; the process of adding numbers

*synonym*: accumulation, expansion, addendum

(1) chemical **addition**, (2) **addition** of vectors

In **addition**, private corporations provide healthcare services.

## ambition

*n.* a strong wish to do or achieve something

*synonym*: purpose, aim, endeavor

(1) an **ambition** for political power, (2) boundless **ambition**

Greed and **ambition** composed his personality.

## theoretical

*adj.* relating to the concepts and principles upon which a particular topic is founded, rather than practice and experience

*synonym*: conceptual, conjectural, ideal

(1) **theoretical** models, (2) **theoretical** physicist

Absolute zero is the lowest **theoretical** temperature.

## determinant

*n.* a factor, circumstance, or condition that contributes to the shaping, influencing, or determining of a particular outcome or result

*synonym*: cause, factor, element

(1) environmental **determinant**, (2) a **determinant** of crop yields



One **determinant** of success is having a positive attitude and a strong work ethic.

## elector

*n.* a person who has the right to vote in an election

*synonym*: voter, constituent, citizen

(1) presidential **elector**, (2) qualified for an **elector**

The **elector** cast their vote for the candidate they believed in.

## outcome

*n.* the result or effect of an action, event, etc.

*synonym*: result, consequence, effect

(1) improved student **outcomes**, (2) a desirable **outcome**

They awaited news of the **outcome** of the election.

## timid

*adj.* showing a lack of courage or confidence; easily frightened, shy, or hesitant in the face of danger or potential risk

*synonym*: shy, bashful, nervous

(1) **timid** tone, (2) **timid** handshake

The **timid** dog cowered in fear when approached by a stranger.

## execute

*v.* to kill someone, especially as a legal punishment; to carry out or perform an action, duty, etc.

*synonym*: direct, conduct, enforce

(1) **execute** a bold strategy, (2) **execute** a double play

The mafioso who collaborated with the police was **executed**.

## milestone

*n.* an important event or stage in the development or progress of something; a stone by the side of a road to show distances

*synonym*: landmark, turning point, touchstone

(1) key **milestone**, (2) **milestone** event

Reaching the **milestone** of 1000 subscribers on her SNS channel was a major achievement for her.

## halve

*v.* to divide something into two equal parts; to reduce something by half its original amount or size

*synonym*: reduce by half, cut in half, split

(1) **halve** the price, (2) **halve** the workload

I need to **halve** the recipe to make just enough for two people.

## pathway

*n.* a track that constitutes or serves as a path; an approach or a way of doing something

*synonym*: route, footpath, trail

(1) **pathway** to understanding, (2) cellular signaling **pathways**

When the first molecule in the **pathway** receives a signal, it activates other molecules.

## propose

*v.* to make a proposal, declare a plan for something

*synonym*: suggest, offer, recommend

(1) **propose** the amendment, (2) **propose** changes

I want to **propose** a toast in honor of our longstanding relationship.

## 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**.

## stabilize

*v.* to become or cause to become steady or unlikely to give way

*synonym*: brace, steady, secure

(1) **stabilize** prices, (2) **stabilize** blood sugar levels

The raising of interest rates **stabilizes** the inflation rate.

## gap

*n.* a conspicuous disparity or difference separates something such as a figure, people, their opinions, situation, etc.

*synonym*: opening, lacuna, spread

(1) the **gap** between ideal and reality, (2) distance **gap**

Many people are working together to close the gender **gap**.

## 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**.

## resubmit

*v.* to submit again or a second time; to revise and resubmit, often in response to feedback, criticism, or rejection

*synonym*: resend, return, reapply

(1) **resubmit** assignment, (2) **resubmit** proposal

Please **resubmit** your application with the updated information.

## unfortunately

*adv.* by bad luck; unluckily

*synonym*: regrettably, unluckily, alas

(1) **unfortunately** caught in a shower, (2) even more **unfortunately**

The treatments were done but, **unfortunately**, were unsuccessful.

## reconsider

*v.* to think about a decision or opinion again to

*synonym*: rethink, review, revisit

(1) **reconsider** the determination, (2) **reconsider** my transfer

He humbly **reconsidered** his conduct.

## announcement

*n.* a public statement or declaration, often made in writing or through the media, that conveys important information or news

*synonym*: declaration, notification, statement

(1) public **announcement**, (2) **announcement** date

The company made an **announcement** about its new

product at a press conference.

## confer

*v.* to have a meeting or discussion to come to a decision or agreement or exchange ideas; to bestow something

*synonym*: consult, meet, discuss

(1) **confer** degree, (2) **confer** honor

The leaders of the two countries met to **confer** on the issue.

## proposal

*n.* a formal suggestion or offer, sometimes a written one

*synonym*: offer, suggestion, proposition

(1) an innovative **proposal**, (2) details of his **proposal**

Our skeleton outline of the **proposal** met with much opposition.

## sector

*n.* a distinct part or division of something often used to refer to a segment of an economy or industry; an area or field of work or activity

*synonym*: division, department, branch

(1) industrial **sector**, (2) private **sector**

The technology **sector** is constantly evolving and innovating.

## flip

*v.* to turn over into a different position quickly; to throw or toss with a light motion

*synonym*: throw, jump

(1) **flip** over the pork chop, (2) **flip** a coin

He **flipped** when he heard that he had been accepted into the university.

## renewable

*adj.* capable of being renewed, extended, or replaced

*synonym*: sustainable, replaceable

(1) **renewable** energy, (2) **renewable** subscriptions

The production of **renewable** fuels requires massive volumes of fresh water.

## norm

*n.* something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard

*synonym*: criterion, mean, standard

(1) **norm** of action, (2) cultural **norm**

The systems we have developed has accepted as industry **norms**.

## automaker

*n.* a company or manufacturer that produces automobiles, cars, and other motor vehicles

*synonym*: carmaker, vehicle maker, automobilist

(1) Japanese **automaker**, (2) luxury **automaker**

The **automaker's** sales have increased by 10% this quarter, thanks to strong consumer demand.

## transit

*n.* the act or process of passing through or across a place or state; transportation

*synonym*: transportation, passage, transfer

(1) a **transit** visa, (2) mass **transit**

Public **transit** is an essential service for many cities.

## movement

*n.* a group of people working together to achieve a shared goal, especially a political, social, or artistic one; the process of moving or being moved, physically or figuratively

*synonym*: motion, progression, action

(1) a circular **movement**, (2) **movement** of troops

The **movement** of the dancers on stage was graceful and elegant.

## invest

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

*synonym*: fund, sponsor, support

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

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

## fossil

*n.* any preserved remains, impression, or trace of any once-living thing that has become hard and turned into rock

*synonym*: relic, remnant, antediluvian

(1) burning of **fossil** fuels, (2) a **fossil** leaf  
It was the **fossil** of a dinosaur tooth.

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

**extract** *n.* a short passage taken from a book, piece of music, etc.; a substance obtained from something through a specific process; (verb) to obtain from something or to remove something by effort or force  
*synonym*: excerpt, quote, distillation  
(1) a brief **extract** from the book, (2) botanical **extract**  
Anesthetize the gum before **extracting** the teeth.

**entirely** *adv.* completely  
*synonym*: completely, fully, totally  
(1) **entirely** satisfied with the meal, (2) he was **entirely** to blame  
Later, his claim was found to be **entirely** false.

**bold** *adj.* brave, daring, and confident; not frightened of danger or afraid to say what you feel or to take risks  
*synonym*: brave, courageous, fearless  
(1) a **bold** design, (2) big, **bold** piano sounds  
The effort to alleviate climate change needs **bold** action.

**nonlinear** *adj.* pertaining to a system or process that does not follow a straight or predictable path, often resulting in unexpected or unpredictable outcomes or behaviors  
*synonym*: complex, unpredictable  
(1) **nonlinear** equation, (2) **nonlinear** system  
The professor taught us about the experiment's **nonlinear**

relationships between different variables.

## **exponential**

*adj.* becoming more and more rapid; of or involving mathematical exponents

(1) **exponential** growth, (2) **exponential** function

Since the 1990s, the Internet has continued to experience **exponential** growth.

## Session 2: Spelling

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| 1. ac___d with public opinion          | <i>n.</i> an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.; (verb) allow to have   |
| 2. distance g_p                        | <i>n.</i> a conspicuous disparity or difference separates something such as a figure, people, their opinions, situation, etc.                                      |
| 3. as___e a lousy attitude to his boss | <i>v.</i> to think or accept something to be true without having proof of it; to take or begin to have power; to begin to exhibit a specific quality or appearance |
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| 5. the g_p between ideal and reality   | <i>n.</i> a conspicuous disparity or difference separates something such as a figure, people, their opinions, situation, etc.                                      |
| 6. en_____us potential                 | <i>adj.</i> extremely large or great   |
| 7. private se___r                      | <i>n.</i> a distinct part or division of something often used to refer to a segment of an economy or industry; an area or field of work or activity                |
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| 10. in___t capital                     | <i>v.</i> to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result   |

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| 21. re_____le energy                  | <i>adj.</i> capable of being renewed, extended, or replaced   |
| 22. a b__d design                     | <i>adj.</i> brave, daring, and confident; not frightened of danger or afraid to say what you feel or to take risks  |

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45. the em\_\_\_\_\_on of light                *n.* the act of production or sending out gas, heat, light, etc.
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58. cat\_\_\_\_\_hic climate change  
*adj.* extremely harmful; causing physical or financial destruction
59. a brief ex\_\_\_\_\_t from the book  
*n.* a short passage taken from a book, piece of music, etc.; a substance obtained from something through a specific process; (verb) to obtain from something or to remove something by effort or force
60. meet his com\_\_\_\_\_nts  
*n.* a promise or firm decision to do something or to behave in a certain way
61. botanical ex\_\_\_\_\_t  
*n.* a short passage taken from a book, piece of music, etc.; a substance obtained from something through a specific process; (verb) to obtain from something or to remove something by effort or force
62. di\_\_\_\_\_s solutions  
*v.* to talk about or examine in detail through conversation or debate; to exchange ideas, opinions, or information on a particular topic

ANSWERS: 54. pursue, 55. pledge, 56. bold, 57. theoretical, 58. catastrophic, 59. extract, 60. commitment, 61. extract, 62. discuss

63. co\_\_\_r honor *v.* to have a meeting or discussion to come to a decision or agreement or exchange ideas; to bestow something
64. luxury au\_\_\_\_\_er *n.* a company or manufacturer that produces automobiles, cars, and other motor vehicles
65. the\_\_\_\_\_al physicist *adj.* relating to the concepts and principles upon which a particular topic is founded, rather than practice and experience
66. en\_\_\_\_\_ne tradition *v.* to cherish or protect something as if it is sacred; to place something in a position of honor or respect
67. gov\_\_\_\_\_nt bureaucracy *n.* the group of people with authority to control a country or state
68. boundless am\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a strong wish to do or achieve something
69. mi\_\_\_\_\_ne event *n.* an important event or stage in the development or progress of something; a stone by the side of a road to show distances
70. bachelor's de\_\_\_e *n.* a unit of measurement for angles, temperature, or level of proficiency or achievement; a rank or level of academic or professional attainment
71. no\_\_\_\_\_ar equation *adj.* pertaining to a system or process that does not follow a straight or predictable path, often resulting in unexpected or unpredictable outcomes or behaviors

ANSWERS: 63. confer, 64. automaker, 65. theoretical, 66. enshrine, 67. government, 68. ambition, 69. milestone, 70. degree, 71. nonlinear

72. mo\_\_\_\_r the data carefully      *v.* to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time
73. a det\_\_\_\_\_nt of crop yields      *n.* a factor, circumstance, or condition that contributes to the shaping, influencing, or determining of a particular outcome or result
74. re\_\_\_\_it proposal      *v.* to submit again or a second time; to revise and resubmit, often in response to feedback, criticism, or rejection
75. cultural n\_\_m      *n.* something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard
76. ex\_\_\_\_e the world      *v.* to travel to or penetrate an area or a country to learn about it; to thoroughly examine a subject or a possibility to learn more about it
77. a seafaring na\_\_\_\_n      *n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture
78. health po\_\_\_\_y      *n.* a set of rules, guidelines, principles, or procedures that govern decision-making or action, often used in the context of business or government; a course of action or plan of action adopted or followed by an organization or individual to achieve a goal or objective
79. a cold cl\_\_\_\_\_e      *n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
80. ad\_\_t a child      *v.* to choose to follow something; to legally take a child from another family and care for them as if they were one's own

ANSWERS: 72. monitor, 73. determinant, 74. resubmit, 75. norm, 76. explore, 77. nation, 78. policy, 79. climate, 80. adopt

81. na\_\_\_n-state *n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture
82. cellular signaling pa\_\_\_\_\_ys *n.* a track that constitutes or serves as a path; an approach or a way of doing something
83. binational ac\_\_\_\_d *n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.; (verb) allow to have
84. f\_\_p a coin *v.* to turn over into a different position quickly; to throw or toss with a light motion
85. a selfish de\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options
86. biomass f\_\_l *n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
87. details of his pr\_\_\_\_\_al *n.* a formal suggestion or offer, sometimes a written one
88. effects of cl\_\_\_\_\_e change *n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
89. ex\_\_\_\_\_e our options *v.* to travel to or penetrate an area or a country to learn about it; to thoroughly examine a subject or a possibility to learn more about it
90. an am\_\_\_\_\_on for political power *n.* a strong wish to do or achieve something
91. an\_\_\_\_\_ce the award winners *v.* to make something known or officially inform people about something

ANSWERS: 81. nation, 82. pathway, 83. accord, 84. flip, 85. decision, 86. fuel, 87. proposal, 88. climate, 89. explore, 90. ambition, 91. announce



92. burning of fo\_\_\_l fuels *n.* any preserved remains, impression, or trace of any once-living thing that has become hard and turned into rock
93. pa\_\_\_\_\_y to understanding *n.* a track that constitutes or serves as a path; an approach or a way of doing something
94. co\_\_\_r degree *v.* to have a meeting or discussion to come to a decision or agreement or exchange ideas; to bestow something
95. a circular mo\_\_\_\_\_nt *n.* a group of people working together to achieve a shared goal, especially a political, social, or artistic one; the process of moving or being moved, physically or figuratively
96. key mi\_\_\_\_\_ne *n.* an important event or stage in the development or progress of something; a stone by the side of a road to show distances
97. ti\_\_d handshake *adj.* showing a lack of courage or confidence; easily frightened, shy, or hesitant in the face of danger or potential risk
98. ach\_\_\_\_\_le task *adj.* possible to accomplish or attain
99. im\_\_\_\_\_nt a corporate strategy *v.* to put a decision, plan, or system into effect
100. a craft un\_\_n *n.* a group of employees who have banded together to advocate for their rights and better their working conditions; the act or the state of joining together or being joined together

ANSWERS: 92. fossil, 93. pathway, 94. confer, 95. movement, 96. milestone, 97. timid, 98. achievable, 99. implement, 100. union

101. ha\_\_e the workload  
*v.* to divide something into two equal parts; to reduce something by half its original amount or size
102. cr\_\_\_\_\_l information  
*adj.* extremely vital or necessary
103. adjust the ti\_\_\_\_\_le  
*n.* a schedule or plan that shows the times at which particular events or activities are intended to occur; a list of train, bus, or airplane departures and arrivals
104. no\_\_\_\_\_ar system  
*adj.* pertaining to a system or process that does not follow a straight or predictable path, often resulting in unexpected or unpredictable outcomes or behaviors
105. di\_\_\_\_\_s options  
*v.* to talk about or examine in detail through conversation or debate; to exchange ideas, opinions, or information on a particular topic
106. ac\_\_\_\_\_e milestones  
*v.* to successfully complete a task or goal, often through hard work, perseverance, and dedication; to attain or accomplish something that one has set out to do
107. de\_\_\_e centigrade  
*n.* a unit of measurement for angles, temperature, or level of proficiency or achievement; a rank or level of academic or professional attainment
108. a com\_\_\_\_\_nt to an alliance  
*n.* a promise or firm decision to do something or to behave in a certain way
109. a tra\_\_\_\_\_ry missile  
*n.* the curved path followed by an object moving through space
110. ti\_\_d tone  
*adj.* showing a lack of courage or confidence; easily frightened, shy, or hesitant in the face of danger or potential risk

ANSWERS: 101. halve, 102. crucial, 103. timetable, 104. nonlinear, 105. discuss, 106. achieve, 107. degree, 108. commitment, 109. trajectory, 110. timid

111. mo\_\_\_\_\_r an exam      *v.* to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time
112. ach\_\_\_\_\_le plan      *adj.* possible to accomplish or attain
113. ex\_\_\_\_\_e a bold strategy      *v.* to kill someone, especially as a legal punishment; to carry out or perform an action, duty, etc.
114. foreign po\_\_\_\_y      *n.* a set of rules, guidelines, principles, or procedures that govern decision-making or action, often used in the context of business or government; a course of action or plan of action adopted or followed by an organization or individual to achieve a goal or objective
115. exp\_\_\_\_\_al growth      *adj.* becoming more and more rapid; of or involving mathematical exponents
116. su\_\_\_\_t an application      *v.* to give or offer a document, proposal, etc. to a decision-maker for examination or consideration
117. en\_\_\_\_\_ne memories      *v.* to cherish or protect something as if it is sacred; to place something in a position of honor or respect
118. the atmospheric tem\_\_\_\_\_re      *n.* the degree of hotness or coldness of a thing or place
119. global em\_\_\_\_\_ons of greenhouse gases      *n.* the act of production or sending out gas, heat, light, etc.
120. ex\_\_\_\_\_e a double play      *v.* to kill someone, especially as a legal punishment; to carry out or perform an action, duty, etc.

ANSWERS: 111. monitor, 112. achievable, 113. execute, 114. policy, 115. exponential, 116. submit, 117. enshrine, 118. temperature, 119. emission, 120. execute

121. sp\_\_\_t and the letter of the law      *n.* the part of a person which is the seat of their mind, feelings, and character rather than their physical body; the general atmosphere of a place or situation and the effect that it has on people
122. a desirable ou\_\_\_\_\_e      *n.* the result or effect of an action, event, etc.
123. es\_\_\_\_\_te this chicken to weigh three pounds      *v.* to guess or calculate the cost, size, value, etc. of something
124. smokeless f\_\_l      *n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
125. pr\_\_\_\_\_e changes      *v.* to make a proposal, declare a plan for something
126. industrial se\_\_\_\_r      *n.* a distinct part or division of something often used to refer to a segment of an economy or industry; an area or field of work or activity
127. es\_\_\_\_\_te a fair value      *v.* to guess or calculate the cost, size, value, etc. of something
128. im\_\_\_\_\_nt security measures      *v.* to put a decision, plan, or system into effect
129. en\_\_\_\_\_us amount      *adj.* extremely large or great
130. in\_\_\_\_t in stocks      *v.* to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result
131. face inc\_\_\_\_\_gly complicated challenges      *adv.* more and more

ANSWERS: 121. spirit, 122. outcome, 123. estimate, 124. fuel, 125. propose, 126. sector, 127. estimate, 128. implement, 129. enormous, 130. invest, 131. increasingly

132. re\_\_\_\_it assignment *v.* to submit again or a second time; to revise and resubmit, often in response to feedback, criticism, or rejection
133. Japanese au\_\_\_\_\_er *n.* a company or manufacturer that produces automobiles, cars, and other motor vehicles
134. victim of cat\_\_\_\_\_hic injuries *adj.* extremely harmful; causing physical or financial destruction
135. in\_\_\_\_\_on behind his decision *n.* something you want to do and are going to do
136. improved student ou\_\_\_\_\_es *n.* the result or effect of an action, event, etc.
137. extreme tem\_\_\_\_\_res *n.* the degree of hotness or coldness of a thing or place
138. unf\_\_\_\_\_ely caught in a shower *adv.* by bad luck; unluckily
139. rec\_\_\_\_\_er my transfer *v.* to think about a decision or opinion again to
140. n\_\_m of action *n.* something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard
141. sta\_\_\_\_\_cs for cancer *n.* the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data
142. public ann\_\_\_\_\_ent *n.* a public statement or declaration, often made in writing or through the media, that conveys important information or news
143. career tra\_\_\_\_\_ry *n.* the curved path followed by an object moving through space

ANSWERS: 132. resubmit, 133. automaker, 134. catastrophic, 135. intention, 136. outcome, 137. temperature, 138. unfortunately, 139. reconsider, 140. norm, 141. statistics, 142. announcement, 143. trajectory

144. opt\_\_\_\_\_ic outlook *adj.* hoping or expecting that good thing will happen or something will be successful
145. pl\_\_\_e military assistance *v.* to make a formal promise to give or do something
146. mass tr\_\_\_\_\_t *n.* the act or process of passing through or across a place or state; transportation
147. qualified for an el\_\_\_\_\_r *n.* a person who has the right to vote in an election
148. official sta\_\_\_\_\_cs *n.* the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data

ANSWERS: 144. optimistic, 145. pledge, 146. transit, 147. elector, 148. statistics

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. Many people are working together to close the gender \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a conspicuous disparity or difference separates something such as a figure, people, their opinions, situation, etc.
2. Cities around the world set records for highest \_\_\_\_\_ this summer.  
*n.* the degree of hotness or coldness of a thing or place
3. He \_\_\_\_\_ when he heard that he had been accepted into the university.  
*v.* to turn over into a different position quickly; to throw or toss with a light motion
4. Since the 1990s, the Internet has continued to experience \_\_\_\_\_ growth.  
*adj.* becoming more and more rapid; of or involving mathematical exponents
5. They used a special receiver to \_\_\_\_\_ police radio channels.  
*v.* to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time
6. Despite their tragic loss, the family is showing great \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the part of a person which is the seat of their mind, feelings, and character rather than their physical body; the general atmosphere of a place or situation and the effect that it has on people
7. The \_\_\_\_\_ cast their vote for the candidate they believed in.  
*n.* a person who has the right to vote in an election
8. Some countries may leave the \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the official currency of most European Union countries

ANSWERS: 1. gap, 2. temperatures, 3. flipped, 4. exponential, 5. monitor, 6. spirit, 7. elector, 8. Euro

9. The \_\_\_\_\_ scarcity most severely impacted the manufacturing sector  
*n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
10. There are five distinct \_\_\_\_\_ at five unique wavelengths.  
*n.* the act of production or sending out gas, heat, light, etc.
11. Please \_\_\_\_\_ the assignment to me.  
*v.* to give or offer a document, proposal, etc. to a decision-maker for examination or consideration
12. The technology \_\_\_\_\_ is constantly evolving and innovating.  
*n.* a distinct part or division of something often used to refer to a segment of an economy or industry; an area or field of work or activity
13. The extinction rate of aquatic animals was \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* extremely harmful; causing physical or financial destruction
14. One \_\_\_\_\_ of success is having a positive attitude and a strong work ethic.  
*n.* a factor, circumstance, or condition that contributes to the shaping, influencing, or determining of a particular outcome or result
15. The third season of the anime show has been \_\_\_\_\_.  
*v.* to make something known or officially inform people about something
16. Greed and \_\_\_\_\_ composed his personality.  
*n.* a strong wish to do or achieve something
17. Setting a realistic and \_\_\_\_\_ goal is the key to success.  
*adj.* possible to accomplish or attain

ANSWERS: 9. fuel, 10. emissions, 11. submit, 12. sector, 13. catastrophic, 14. determinant, 15. announced, 16. ambition, 17. achievable



18. The management must \_\_\_\_\_ strategies to increase office security.  
*v.* to travel to or penetrate an area or a country to learn about it; to thoroughly examine a subject or a possibility to learn more about it
19. Most executives were \_\_\_\_\_ about future business conditions.  
*adj.* hoping or expecting that good thing will happen or something will be successful
20. They awaited news of the \_\_\_\_\_ of the election.  
*n.* the result or effect of an action, event, etc.
21. The treatments were done but, \_\_\_\_\_ were unsuccessful.  
*adv.* by bad luck; unluckily
22. The national assembly has \_\_\_\_\_ the budget.  
*v.* to choose to follow something; to legally take a child from another family and care for them as if they were one's own
23. The \_\_\_\_\_ effect is a phenomenon that happens naturally.  
*n.* a building with walls and roof made chiefly of transparent material, such as glass, for growing plants in
24. The \_\_\_\_\_ dog cowered in fear when approached by a stranger.  
*adj.* showing a lack of courage or confidence; easily frightened, shy, or hesitant in the face of danger or potential risk
25. The company made an \_\_\_\_\_ about its new product at a press conference.  
*n.* a public statement or declaration, often made in writing or through the media, that conveys important information or news

ANSWERS: 18. explore, 19. optimistic, 20. outcome, 21. unfortunately, 22. adopted, 23. greenhouse, 24. timid, 25. announcement

26. The raising of interest rates \_\_\_\_\_ the inflation rate.  
*v.* to become or cause to become steady or unlikely to give way
27. I need to \_\_\_\_\_ the recipe to make just enough for two people.  
*v.* to divide something into two equal parts; to reduce something by half its original amount or size
28. The organization finally signed a peace \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.;  
(verb) allow to have
29. The \_\_\_\_\_ demonstrate that poverty and unemployment are genuine problems.  
*n.* the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data
30. The company has shown an excellent growth \_\_\_\_\_ over the years.  
*n.* the curved path followed by an object moving through space
31. The systems we have developed has accepted as industry \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard
32. The mafioso who collaborated with the police was \_\_\_\_\_.  
*v.* to kill someone, especially as a legal punishment; to carry out or perform an action, duty, etc.
33. Our skeleton outline of the \_\_\_\_\_ met with much opposition.  
*n.* a formal suggestion or offer, sometimes a written one

ANSWERS: 26. stabilizes, 27. halve, 28. accord, 29. statistics, 30. trajectory, 31. norms, 32. executed, 33. proposal

34. Anesthetize the gum before \_\_\_\_\_ the teeth.  
*n.* a short passage taken from a book, piece of music, etc.; a substance obtained from something through a specific process; (verb) to obtain from something or to remove something by effort or force
35. Our company found it \_\_\_\_\_ difficult to keep up with the competition.  
*adv.* more and more
36. His business \_\_\_\_\_ took him to the United States.  
*n.* a promise or firm decision to do something or to behave in a certain way
37. The Constitution \_\_\_\_\_ the rights and freedoms of citizens.  
*v.* to cherish or protect something as if it is sacred; to place something in a position of honor or respect
38. Reaching the \_\_\_\_\_ of 1000 subscribers on her SNS channel was a major achievement for her.  
*n.* an important event or stage in the development or progress of something; a stone by the side of a road to show distances
39. In \_\_\_\_\_ private corporations provide healthcare services.  
*n.* the act or process of adding something to something else; the process of adding numbers
40. She was struggling to make a \_\_\_\_\_ between two job offers.  
*n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options
41. I will work hard to \_\_\_\_\_ my goals and realize my dreams.  
*v.* to successfully complete a task or goal, often through hard work, perseverance, and dedication; to attain or accomplish something that one has set out to do

ANSWERS: 34. extracting, 35. increasingly, 36. commitments, 37. enshrines, 38. milestone, 39. addition, 40. decision, 41. achieve

42. The \_\_\_\_\_ sales have increased by 10% this quarter, thanks to strong consumer demand.
- n.* a company or manufacturer that produces automobiles, cars, and other motor vehicles
43. He humbly \_\_\_\_\_ his conduct.
- v.* to think about a decision or opinion again to
44. We need to \_\_\_\_\_ the next steps for the project during our meeting tomorrow.
- v.* to talk about or examine in detail through conversation or debate; to exchange ideas, opinions, or information on a particular topic
45. The professor taught us about the experiment's \_\_\_\_\_ relationships between different variables.
- adj.* pertaining to a system or process that does not follow a straight or predictable path, often resulting in unexpected or unpredictable outcomes or behaviors
46. The blood's red coloring comes from iron \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* a chemical compound that contains at least one oxygen atom and one other element
47. The leaders of the two countries met to \_\_\_\_\_ on the issue.
- v.* to have a meeting or discussion to come to a decision or agreement or exchange ideas; to bestow something
48. The \_\_\_\_\_ of Japan is known for its unique culture and advanced technology.
- n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture
49. The federal \_\_\_\_\_ is planning to increase taxes for the next fiscal year.
- n.* the group of people with authority to control a country or state

ANSWERS: 42. automaker's, 43. reconsidered, 44. discuss, 45. nonlinear, 46. oxide, 47. confer, 48. nation, 49. government

50. She intends to \_\_\_\_\_ a political career.

- v.* to do something or attempt to attain something over time; to follow or seek someone or something, especially in trying to catch them

51. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the dancers on stage was graceful and elegant.

- n.* a group of people working together to achieve a shared goal, especially a political, social, or artistic one; the process of moving or being moved, physically or figuratively

52. I want to \_\_\_\_\_ a toast in honor of our longstanding relationship.

- v.* to make a proposal, declare a plan for something

53. Please \_\_\_\_\_ your application with the updated information.

- v.* to submit again or a second time; to revise and resubmit, often in response to feedback, criticism, or rejection

54. The trade \_\_\_\_\_ remained adamant about its demands.

- n.* a group of employees who have banded together to advocate for their rights and better their working conditions; the act or the state of joining together or being joined together

55. The revitalization of technology companies is \_\_\_\_\_ to the country's growth.

- adj.* extremely vital or necessary

56. At this ceremony, We will \_\_\_\_\_ allegiance to the country's flag.

- v.* to make a formal promise to give or do something

57. Absolute zero is the lowest \_\_\_\_\_ temperature.

- adj.* relating to the concepts and principles upon which a particular topic is founded, rather than practice and experience

ANSWERS: 50. pursue, 51. movement, 52. propose, 53. resubmit, 54. union, 55. crucial, 56. pledge, 57. theoretical

58. The company's new \_\_\_\_\_ on remote work has made it a more inclusive workplace.

- n.* a set of rules, guidelines, principles, or procedures that govern decision-making or action, often used in the context of business or government; a course of action or plan of action adopted or followed by an organization or individual to achieve a goal or objective

59. Shakespeare's output of poetry was \_\_\_\_\_.

- adj.* extremely large or great

60. The government should view children as national assets and actively \_\_\_\_\_ in them.

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

61. \_\_\_\_\_ and weather have an impact on every part of our lifestyles.

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

62. The effort to alleviate climate change needs \_\_\_\_\_ action.

- adj.* brave, daring, and confident; not frightened of danger or afraid to say what you feel or to take risks

63. We \_\_\_\_\_ the season's total trade deficit at \$50 billion.

- v.* to guess or calculate the cost, size, value, etc. of something

64. The government promised to \_\_\_\_\_ a new system to control the financial crisis.

- v.* to put a decision, plan, or system into effect

65. Trees absorb \_\_\_\_\_ dioxide and give off oxygen.

- n.* a chemical element that can be found in pure form as diamond or graphite, and it is also an essential part of coal and oil and is found in all plants and animals

ANSWERS: 58. policy, 59. enormous, 60. invest, 61. Climate, 62. bold, 63. estimated, 64. implement, 65. carbon

66. It was the \_\_\_\_\_ of a dinosaur tooth.

- n.* any preserved remains, impression, or trace of any once-living thing that has become hard and turned into rock

67. When the first molecule in the \_\_\_\_\_ receives a signal, it activates other molecules.

- n.* a track that constitutes or serves as a path; an approach or a way of doing something

68. Later, his claim was found to be \_\_\_\_\_ false.

- adv.* completely

69. The following example \_\_\_\_\_ that the capacity of each battery is the same.

- v.* to think or accept something to be true without having proof of it; to take or begin to have power; to begin to exhibit a specific quality or appearance

70. She received her \_\_\_\_\_ in psychology from the university.

- n.* a unit of measurement for angles, temperature, or level of proficiency or achievement; a rank or level of academic or professional attainment

71. The production of \_\_\_\_\_ fuels requires massive volumes of fresh water.

- adj.* capable of being renewed, extended, or replaced

72. Our CEO's \_\_\_\_\_ are always transparent and straightforward.

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

73. Public \_\_\_\_\_ is an essential service for many cities.

- n.* the act or process of passing through or across a place or state; transportation

ANSWERS: 66. fossil, 67. pathway, 68. entirely, 69. assumes, 70. degree, 71. renewable, 72. intentions, 73. transit

74. The airline's \_\_\_\_\_ showed a delay of three hours for our flight to London.
- n.* a schedule or plan that shows the times at which particular events or activities are intended to occur; a list of train, bus, or airplane departures and arrivals

ANSWERS: 74. timetable