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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

- Don** *n.* a Spanish gentleman; a university lecturer, especially a senior member of a college at Oxford or Cambridge  
(1) the **don** of the university, (2) **Don** Giovanni  
He could never go against what **Don** Carlos said.
- celebrate** *v.* to acknowledge a memorable or good day or event with a social gathering or enjoyable activity  
*synonym*: praise, glorify, honor  
(1) **celebrate** his election, (2) **celebrate** Christmas  
He **celebrated** the 10th anniversary of his tenure.
- triumph** *n.* a great victory or achievement  
*synonym*: victory, success, conquest  
(1) **triumph** of democracy, (2) **triumph** of the spirit  
The team's **triumph** in the championship resulted from their hard work and dedication.
- confront** *v.* to face, meet or deal with a problem or difficult situation or person  
*synonym*: engage, encounter, contend  
(1) **confront** a global warming, (2) **confront** the issue

He finally decided to **confront** problems directly.

## historic

*adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so  
*synonym* : memorable, momentous, historical

(1) **historic** accomplishment, (2) achieve the **historic** feat  
The Chinese people have accomplished several **historic** feats.

## pandemic

*n.* an outbreak of a disease that affects many people over a very wide area  
*synonym* : outbreak

(1) flu **pandemic**, (2) global **pandemic**  
They fear a **pandemic** of a new type of virus.

## wildfire

*n.* a large, uncontrolled fire that spreads quickly through a natural area such as a forest, grassland, or mountain slope  
*synonym* : blaze, bonfire, flame

(1) **wildfire** spread, (2) arson-caused **wildfire**  
The **wildfire** destroyed hundreds of homes and forced thousands of people to evacuate.

## flood

*n.* a large amount of water flowing beyond its normal limits; an overwhelming number or amount  
*synonym* : deluge, downpour, overflow

(1) **flood** advisory, (2) a **flood** of questions  
These heavy rains caused flash **floods** on several islands.

## hurricane

*n.* a violent, tropical, cyclonic storm of the western North Atlantic, having wind speeds of or over 64 knots (74 miles per hour)  
*synonym* : cyclone, typhoon, storm

(1) a **hurricane** of applause, (2) the ravages of a **hurricane**  
The devastating **hurricane** caused widespread damage and left many people homeless.

## threaten

v. to utter intentions of injury or punishment against someone

*synonym*: endanger, terrorize, intimidate

(1) **threaten** a healthy relationship, (2) **threaten** national security

Various artificially induced causes are **threatening** our ecosystem.

## 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.

## opportune

*adj.* suitable or happening at a time that is suitable or convenient for a particular purpose

*synonym*: suitable, timely, practical

(1) **opportune** occasion, (2) an **opportune** remark

The phone rang at the most **opportune** time.

## unfair

*adj.* not giving equal treatment or opportunities to people involved; marked by injustice, partiality, or deception

*synonym*: wrongful, biased, dishonest

(1) **unfair** employment practices, (2) have an **unfair** advantage

In a democracy, it is necessary to monitor the judiciary to see if it is making **unfair** decisions.

## racist

*adj.* characterized by or showing discrimination or prejudice against people of other races; (noun) a person with a prejudiced belief that one racial group is superior to others

*synonym*: discriminatory, prejudiced, bigoted

(1) far-right **racist**, (2) **racist** attitudes

The **racist** comments made by the politician caused

widespread condemnation.

## 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.

## redline

*n.* a boundary or threshold beyond which something is no longer acceptable or allowed; a mark or line drawn in red to indicate a specific limit or danger zone

*synonym* : boundary line, deadline, limit

(1) **redline** speed, (2) **redline** level

The neighborhood was affected by a **redline** drawn by real estate agents to keep specific populations out.

## indigenous

*adj.* someone or something that is native to or occurring naturally in a particular place

*synonym* : domestic, endemic, primitive

(1) **indigenous** crop, (2) **indigenous** peoples

The **indigenous** plants need to be pollinated by local insects.

## rife

*adj.* full of, abundant with, or commonly present or encountered, often used to describe something undesirable or harmful

*synonym* : prevalent, abundant, widespread

(1) **rife** with rumors, (2) **rife** with uncertainty

Misinformation is **rife** on social media platforms.

## toxic

*adj.* of or relating to or caused by a poison; poisonous

*synonym* : poisonous, harmful, contaminated

(1) **toxic** molecule, (2) exposure to **toxic** chemicals

This chemical compound is a thousand-fold more **toxic**.

## chemical

*adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;

*synonym* : chemic, synthetic

(1) toxic **chemicals**, (2) a **chemical** compound

The firm has grown into a large **chemical** manufacturing.

## surround

*v.* to be all around something or somebody

*synonym* : encircle, encompass, envelop

(1) **surround** a town, (2) a stone wall **surrounds** the palace

On three sides, mountains **surround** the settlement.

## concrete

*adj.* existing in a physical or material form rather than an abstract one; based on facts rather than ideas or guesses; made of or covered with cement

*synonym* : actual, factual, hardened

(1) a **concrete** noun, (2) **concrete** examples

The president asked for a more **concrete** plan.

## trap

*n.* a piece of equipment or hole for catching animals or people; (verb) to catch animals or people and prevent them from escaping

*synonym* : catch, snare, pinfall

(1) set a **trap**, (2) **trap** an animal

The enemy fell right into the **trap**.

## extreme

*adj.* very great in amount or degree

*synonym* : farthestmost, outermost, fierce

(1) **extreme** sports, (2) **extreme** weather events

Solar gravity creates **extreme** pressures and temperatures.

## 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.

## 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.

## interconnect

*v.* to connect similar things

*synonym*: interlink, connect, annex

(1) directly **interconnect** with those systems, (2) human activities **interconnect** with the environment

Our system can now **interconnect** with other databases.

## coronavirus

*n.* a large family of viruses that can cause illness in humans and animals, which name comes from the crown-like spikes on the surface of the virus, which can be seen under a microscope, and COVID-19 is caused by a specific type of coronavirus known as SARS-CoV-2

*synonym*: covid

(1) **coronavirus** antibody test kit, (2) **coronavirus** bankruptcy

Considering the situation of **coronavirus**, organized stopped this year's beer festival.

## steady

*adj.* firmly fixed, supported, or balanced; not shaking or moving

*synonym*: stable, solid, secure

(1) **steady** increase, (2) take a **steady** job

The patient's vital signs are **steady**, indicating a stable condition.

## damage

*v.* to harm or cause injury to something or someone, often resulting in decreased value or functionality; to impair or negatively affect something, such as a reputation or relationship; (noun) harm or injury that is caused to a person, thing, or entity

*synonym*: harm, impair, injure

(1) **damage** a relationship, (2) **damage** assessment

During the surgery, the doctor had to be extremely cautious not to **damage** a blood vessel.

## 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.

## scalable

*adj.* capable of being easily expanded or increased in size, number, or scale to meet changing demands

*synonym* : expandable, flexible, adjustable

(1) **scalable** solution, (2) dynamically **scalable**

The company's new software is highly **scalable**, allowing it to handle increasing number of users.

## buffalo

*n.* a large wild ox with shaggy hair found in Asia and North America

*synonym* : bison, ox, beefalo

(1) **buffalo** horn, (2) **buffalo** steak

The **buffalo** roam freely in the plains of North America.

## affordable

*adj.* not expensive and able to pay

*synonym* : cheap, reasonable, inexpensive

(1) **affordable** housing, (2) **affordable** solution

The automaker has been providing **affordable** car financing options since last year.

## crisis

*n.* 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.

## poorest

*adj.* having the least wealth or resources

*synonym*: impecunious, penniless, least

(1) **poorest** of the poor, (2) **poorest** area

The **poorest** countries in the world often have the highest rates of malnutrition.

## 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.

## segregate

*v.* to separate or set apart from others, often based on race, gender, or some other characteristic

*synonym*: isolate, separate, divide

(1) **segregate** by race, (2) **segregate** boys and girls

The school board decided to **segregate** students by the ability to meet their needs better.

## resident

*n.* a person who lives in a particular place or has their home in a place

*synonym*: dweller, inhabitant, inhabitant

(1) a **resident** of the city, (2) **resident** tax

Visa renewal for **resident** foreigners in this country is once every five years.

## deploy

*v.* to move troops or weapons into a position or military action; to bring into something in an effective way

*synonym*: set up, expand, launch

(1) **deploy** troops for battle, (2) **deploy** safety measures

This country **deployed** its weapons in the east region.

## 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.

## resilient

*adj.* able to withstand or recover quickly from difficult conditions

*synonym* : robust, sturdy, tough

(1) a hard and **resilient** steel, (2) **resilient** population

She is a **resilient** person and has always bounced back from setbacks.

## soar

*v.* to fly or rise very high or to a great height, often with great grace or ease

*synonym* : fly, rise, ascend

(1) **soar** in popularity, (2) **soar** to new heights

The bird **soared** through the sky, and its wings spread wide.

## landscape

*n.* an expanse of scenery that can be seen in a single view; a large area of land, especially in the country and relating to its appearance

*synonym* : geography, terrain, topography

(1) a peaceful **landscape**, (2) **landscape** painting

Recent electoral shocks have shaken the political **landscape** in Europe.

## infrastructure

*n.* the basic systems, services, or features that are necessary for an organization or country, such as transport and power supplies

*synonym* : foundation, framework

(1) IT **infrastructure**, (2) **infrastructure** cost

Aging societies tend to require huge costs for **infrastructure** maintenance.

## rainfall

*n.* the amount of rain that falls in a specific location at a particular moment

*synonym* : downpour, drizzle, rain

(1) the mean annual **rainfall**, (2) heavy **rainfall**

These plants thrive in hot climates with abundant **rainfall**.

## replace

v. to take the place of something

*synonym*: substitute, supersede, displace

(1) **replace** one word with another, (2) **replace** a phone  
Eventually, the new design will **replace** all older models.

## overwhelm

v. 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.

## unbearable

*adj.* not able to be tolerated or endured; too difficult, severe, or intense to be dealt with or suffered through; intolerable or insufferable

*synonym*: intolerable, insufferable, unendurable

(1) **unbearable** heat, (2) **unbearable** pain

The loss of his wife was an **unbearable** sorrow that he found hard to overcome.

## abandon

v. to leave a place, thing, or person with no intention of returning; (noun) a feeling of extreme emotional intensity

*synonym*: relinquish, leave behind, disregard

(1) **abandon** a friend, (2) **abandon** the practice

The castle was **abandoned** several years later.

## 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.

## solar

*adj.* of, from, or relating to the sun

(1) the **solar** system, (2) a **solar** eclipse

**Solar** panels have greatly improved not only in performance but also in durability.

## develop

- v.* to grow or expand; to improve or refine through a process of progress and refinement, often to achieve greater sophistication or complexity; to elaborate or add detail to something that is in the process of being created

*synonym*: evolve, progress, advance

(1) **develop** a strategy, (2) **develop** a skill

We must **develop** a new system to streamline our workflow and increase efficiency.

## high-end

- adj.* of the highest quality or luxury, often used to describe expensive or exclusive products or services

*synonym*: top-of-the-line, upscale, premium

(1) **high-end** hotels, (2) **high-end** technology

The boutique sold **high-end** clothing and accessories for affluent customers.

## loft

- n.* a large, open space in an upper part of a building, typically under a roof; a raised platform or gallery in a building, which is used for storage or as a work or living space

*synonym*: attic, garret, upper chamber

(1) **loft** apartment, (2) warehouse **loft**

The artist's **loft** was filled with natural light and creative energy.

## mobilize

- v.* to make something ready for action or use; to organize people or resources for a particular purpose

*synonym*: activate, rally, marshal

(1) **mobilize** cooperation, (2) **mobilize** a stiff joint

The military **mobilized** troops to the border.

## volunteer

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

*synonym*: unpaid worker, draftee, enlistee

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

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

## mutual

*adj.* common to or shared by two or more parties

*synonym* : shared, common, joint

(1) share of a **mutual** fund, (2) **mutual** efforts

They cooperated for their **mutual** benefit.

## aid

*n.* things sent to help countries in need, notably food or money; support

*synonym* : helper, resource, assistance

(1) financial **aid**, (2) country-by-country **aid** programs

Pakistan's **aid** budget was still being reviewed.

## hub

*n.* the central or main part of a particular place, activity, network, etc.; the central part of a car wheel, fan, propeller, etc., through which the shaft or axle passes

*synonym* : center, junction, focal point

(1) a **hub** of commerce, (2) education **hub**

This airport has taken the first step to become an international **hub** airport.

## catalyst

*n.* a person or thing that causes an important event to happen or changes the current situation rapidly; (chemistry) a substance that initiates or accelerates a chemical reaction without being changed itself

*synonym* : accelerator, stimulant, motivation

(1) a **catalyst** in the process of hydrolysis, (2) **catalyst** for reform

The global financial crisis acted as a **catalyst** to unite the country.

## alliance

*n.* a partnership or association formed for mutual benefit, particularly between nations or organizations.

*synonym* : pact, accord, coalition

(1) form **alliance**, (2) major airline **alliances**

To sell the product, the companies have formed an **alliance**.

## enact

*v.* to make a law; to put something into practice

*synonym* : legislate, pass, decree

(1) **enact** new legislation, (2) **enact** the smoking ban  
The government **enacted** this law in 1925.

## tide

*n.* the cyclical rise and fall of sea level caused by the moon's gravitational pull

*synonym*: ripple, surge, swell

(1) **tide** cycle, (2) ride the **tide** of change

Red **tide** is often harmful to the local ecosystem.

## 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.

## bond

*n.* a close emotional connection between two or more people; a certificate of debt that a government or corporation issues to raise money

*synonym*: bind, adhesion, attachment

(1) **bond** as a family, (2) global **bond** market

They had formed a friendship **bond**.

## luxury

*n.* a state of great comfort or sophistication, mainly provided by expensive and beautiful things

*synonym*: extravagance, indulgence, opulence

(1) get into the **luxury** car market, (2) **luxury** hotel

His anti- **luxury** practices were quite strict.

## high-rise

*adj.* describing a tall building or structure that has many floors or levels above the ground, often used to describe residential or commercial buildings in urban areas with multiple stories

*synonym*: tall building, skyscraper, high building

(1) **high-rise** building, (2) **high-rise** office

Living in a **high-rise** apartment offers spectacular views of the city.

## condo

*n.* a type of housing where each unit is individually owned, while common areas are jointly owned and managed

*synonym* : apartment, unit, flat

(1) luxury **condo**, (2) **condo** segment

The young couple was searching for their first **condo** in the city.

## 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.

## contractor

*n.* a person or company that enters into a contract to provide materials or labor to perform a specific task or service

*synonym* : builder, declarer, construction company

(1) management **contractor**, (2) major defense **contractor**

The company hired a **contractor** to remodel their office building.

## grassroots

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

*synonym* : fundamental, major, elemental

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

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

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

## collective

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

*synonym* : composite, concerted, cumulative

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

Product development is a **collective** effort.

## rebuild

*v.* to build again or anew

*synonym* : reconstruct, renovate, restore

(1) **rebuild** a company, (2) **rebuild** communities  
They are planning to **rebuild** the house after the fire.

## beautify

*v.* to enhance the physical appearance of something by making it more attractive or aesthetically pleasing; to make something more attractive or appealing in general  
*synonym*: embellish, enhance, decorate

(1) **beautify** my skin, (2) **beautify** a room  
The city plans to **beautify** the park with new flowers and trees.

## efficiency

*n.* the state or quality of doing something well with no waste of input such as time or money  
*synonym*: effectiveness, efficacy, productivity

(1) better fuel **efficiency**, (2) an energy **efficiency**  
Our company must continue to strive for greater **efficiency**.

## mold

*n.* a hollow container used to give shape to liquid or soft substance, which then becomes solid in the same shape as the container; a soft, green, or gray growth that forms on stale food or objects exposed to warm, moist air for too long  
*synonym*: cavity, cast, mildew

(1) a casting **mold**, (2) **mold** allergy  
Mushrooms and **mold** are fungi.

## worsen

*v.* to become or make something worse  
*synonym*: languish, degenerate, degrade

(1) **worsen** a relation, (2) **worsen** the food problem  
Unilateral import bans have **worsened** that country's terms of trade.

## respiratory

*adj.* relating to the organs and processes involved in breathing, such as the lungs and the act of inhaling and exhaling air  
*synonym*: breathing, pulmonary, lung

(1) **respiratory** failure, (2) alleviate **respiratory** ailments

Chronic **respiratory** disorders, such as asthma, can significantly impact a person's quality of life.

## asthma

*n.* a chronic respiratory disease characterized by wheezing, coughing, and difficulty breathing

*synonym*: bronchial, bronchitis, respiratory ailment

(1) **asthma** attack, (2) **asthma** symptoms

He always had to carry an inhaler due to his severe **asthma**.

## advocate

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

*synonym*: proponent, exponent, promoter

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

### **advocates**

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

## 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.

## epic

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

*synonym*: legendary, mythical, classical

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

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

## confident

*adj.* feeling sure about your abilities or qualities or having trust in people, plans, or the future

*synonym*: certain, sure, convinced

(1) feel **confident**, (2) a **confident** remark

I'm not **confident** in our victory.



## contribute

v. to give something, especially money or goods, to provide or achieve something together with other people

*synonym*: donate, devote, commit

(1) **contribute** a large sum of money to the fund,

(2) **contribute** to society

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

## Session 2: Spelling

1. re\_\_\_\_d a company v. to build again or anew
2. da\_\_\_e assessment v. to harm or cause injury to something or someone, often resulting in decreased value or functionality; to impair or negatively affect something, such as a reputation or relationship; (noun) harm or injury that is caused to a person, thing, or entity
3. co\_\_\_\_al swimming pool *adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
4. ind\_\_\_\_\_us crop *adj.* someone or something that is native to or occurring naturally in a particular place
5. res\_\_\_\_\_ry failure *adj.* relating to the organs and processes involved in breathing, such as the lungs and the act of inhaling and exhaling air
6. achieve the hi\_\_\_\_ic feat *adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so
7. far-right ra\_\_\_\_t *adj.* characterized by or showing discrimination or prejudice against people of other races; (noun) a person with a prejudiced belief that one racial group is superior to others
8. mo\_\_\_\_ze cooperation v. to make something ready for action or use; to organize people or resources for a particular purpose

ANSWERS: 1. rebuild, 2. damage, 3. communal, 4. indigenous, 5. respiratory, 6. historic, 7. racist, 8. mobilize

9. co\_\_\_\_al combination of funds *adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
10. th\_\_\_\_en national security *v.* to utter intentions of injury or punishment against someone
11. public education ad\_\_\_\_tes *n.* a person who supports or suggests an idea, development, or way of doing something
12. co\_\_\_\_nt the issue *v.* to face, meet or deal with a problem or difficult situation or person
13. luxury co\_\_o *n.* a type of housing where each unit is individually owned, while common areas are jointly owned and managed
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17. tr\_\_\_\_h of the spirit *n.* a great victory or achievement
18. ab\_\_\_\_n the practice *v.* to leave a place, thing, or person with no intention of returning; (noun) a feeling of extreme emotional intensity
19. en\_\_t new legislation *v.* to make a law; to put something into practice

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21. warehouse l\_\_t *n.* a large, open space in an upper part of a building, typically under a roof; a raised platform or gallery in a building, which is used for storage or as a work or living space
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25. the atmospheric tem\_\_\_\_re *n.* the degree of hotness or coldness of a thing or place
26. toxic ch\_\_\_\_als *adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;
27. an ad\_\_\_\_te of disarmament *n.* a person who supports or suggests an idea, development, or way of doing something
28. re\_\_\_\_nt population *adj.* able to withstand or recover quickly from difficult conditions
29. po\_\_\_\_t area *adj.* having the least wealth or resources
30. en\_\_t the smoking ban *v.* to make a law; to put something into practice

ANSWERS: 20. concrete, 21. loft, 22. collective, 23. addition, 24. grassroots, 25. temperature, 26. chemical, 27. advocate, 28. resilient, 29. poorest, 30. enact

31. education h\_b *n.* the central or main part of a particular place, activity, network, etc.; the central part of a car wheel, fan, propeller, etc., through which the shaft or axle passes
32. as\_\_\_a attack *n.* a chronic respiratory disease characterized by wheezing, coughing, and difficulty breathing
33. have an un\_\_\_r advantage *adj.* not giving equal treatment or opportunities to people involved; marked by injustice, partiality, or deception
34. se\_\_\_\_\_te boys and girls *v.* to separate or set apart from others, often based on race, gender, or some other characteristic
35. tr\_\_\_\_\_rm an education system *v.* to change in outward structure or looks;
36. a so\_\_r eclipse *adj.* of, from, or relating to the sun
37. directly int\_\_\_\_\_ect with those systems *v.* to connect similar things
38. co\_\_\_\_\_us of having succeeded *adj.* being aware of and able to respond to what is happening around you
39. co\_\_\_\_\_us effort *adj.* being aware of and able to respond to what is happening around you
40. a stone wall su\_\_\_\_\_nds the palace *v.* to be all around something or somebody
41. global b\_\_d market *n.* a close emotional connection between two or more people; a certificate of debt that a government or corporation issues to raise money

ANSWERS: 31. hub, 32. asthma, 33. unfair, 34. segregate, 35. transform, 36. solar, 37. interconnect, 38. conscious, 39. conscious, 40. surround, 41. bond

42. country-by-country a\_d programs *n.* things sent to help countries in need, notably food or money; support
43. mu\_\_\_l efforts *adj.* common to or shared by two or more parties
44. feel co\_\_\_\_\_nt *adj.* feeling sure about your abilities or qualities or having trust in people, plans, or the future
45. a h\_b of commerce *n.* the central or main part of a particular place, activity, network, etc.; the central part of a car wheel, fan, propeller, etc., through which the shaft or axle passes
46. financial a\_d *n.* things sent to help countries in need, notably food or money; support
47. m\_\_d allergy *n.* a hollow container used to give shape to liquid or soft substance, which then becomes solid in the same shape as the container; a soft, green, or gray growth that forms on stale food or objects exposed to warm, moist air for too long
48. op\_\_\_\_\_ne occasion *adj.* suitable or happening at a time that is suitable or convenient for a particular purpose
49. hi\_\_\_\_\_nd technology *adj.* of the highest quality or luxury, often used to describe expensive or exclusive products or services
50. cr\_\_\_s management *n.* a time of great disagreement, confusion, or danger when problems must be resolved or critical decisions must be taken

ANSWERS: 42. aid, 43. mutual, 44. confident, 45. hub, 46. aid, 47. mold, 48. opportune, 49. high-end, 50. crisis

51. human activities int\_\_\_\_\_ect with the environment      *v.* to connect similar things
52. cor\_\_\_\_\_us bankruptcy      *n.* a large family of viruses that can cause illness in humans and animals, which name comes from the crown-like spikes on the surface of the virus, which can be seen under a microscope, and COVID-19 is caused by a specific type of coronavirus known as SARS-CoV-2
53. ce\_\_\_\_\_te his election      *v.* to acknowledge a memorable or good day or event with a social gathering or enjoyable activity
54. cor\_\_\_\_\_us antibody test kit      *n.* a large family of viruses that can cause illness in humans and animals, which name comes from the crown-like spikes on the surface of the virus, which can be seen under a microscope, and COVID-19 is caused by a specific type of coronavirus known as SARS-CoV-2
55. po\_\_\_\_\_t of the poor      *adj.* having the least wealth or resources
56. a ca\_\_\_\_\_st in the process of hydrolysis      *n.* a person or thing that causes an important event to happen or changes the current situation rapidly; (chemistry) a substance that initiates or accelerates a chemical reaction without being changed itself
57. he was ov\_\_\_\_\_lmed with gratitude      *v.* to defeat someone or something by using a great deal of force; to have a strong emotional effect on somebody

ANSWERS: 51. interconnect, 52. coronavirus, 53. celebrate, 54. coronavirus, 55. poorest, 56. catalyst, 57. overwhelm

58. ov\_\_\_\_\_lm opponents by numbers      *v.* to defeat someone or something by using a great deal of force; to have a strong emotional effect on somebody
59. set a t\_\_p      *n.* a piece of equipment or hole for catching animals or people; (verb) to catch animals or people and prevent them from escaping
60. D\_n Giovanni      *n.* a Spanish gentleman; a university lecturer, especially a senior member of a college at Oxford or Cambridge
61. lu\_\_\_y hotel      *n.* a state of great comfort or sophistication, mainly provided by expensive and beautiful things
62. better fuel eff\_\_\_\_\_cy      *n.* the state or quality of doing something well with no waste of input such as time or money
63. wo\_\_\_n the food problem      *v.* to become or make something worse
64. ex\_\_\_\_\_e sports      *adj.* very great in amount or degree
65. ca\_\_\_n emission      *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
66. e\_\_c battle      *n.* a long and eventful or heroic history, story, poem, or film; (adjective) very imposing or impressive
67. de\_\_\_\_\_p a skill      *v.* to grow or expand; to improve or refine through a process of progress and refinement, often to achieve greater sophistication or complexity; to elaborate or add detail to something that is in the process of being created

ANSWERS: 58. overwhelm, 59. trap, 60. Don, 61. luxury, 62. efficiency, 63. worsen, 64. extreme, 65. carbon, 66. epic, 67. develop



68. heroic e\_\_c *n.* a long and eventful or heroic history, story, poem, or film; (adjective) very imposing or impressive
69. con\_\_\_\_\_te to society *v.* to give something, especially money or goods, to provide or achieve something together with other people
70. con\_\_\_\_\_te a large sum of money to the fund *v.* to give something, especially money or goods, to provide or achieve something together with other people
71. hi\_\_\_\_\_ic accomplishment *adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so
72. hi\_\_\_\_\_se office *adj.* describing a tall building or structure that has many floors or levels above the ground, often used to describe residential or commercial buildings in urban areas with multiple stories
73. as\_\_\_a symptoms *n.* a chronic respiratory disease characterized by wheezing, coughing, and difficulty breathing
74. share of a mu\_\_\_l fund *adj.* common to or shared by two or more parties
75. gov\_\_\_\_\_nt funding *n.* the group of people with authority to control a country or state
76. a co\_\_\_\_\_te noun *adj.* existing in a physical or material form rather than an abstract one; based on facts rather than ideas or guesses; made of or covered with cement
77. wi\_\_\_\_\_re spread *n.* a large, uncontrolled fire that spreads quickly through a natural area such as a forest, grassland, or mountain slope

ANSWERS: 68. epic, 69. contribute, 70. contribute, 71. historic, 72. high-rise, 73. asthma, 74. mutual, 75. government, 76. concrete, 77. wildfire

78. a peaceful la\_\_\_\_\_pe *n.* an expanse of scenery that can be seen in a single view; a large area of land, especially in the country and relating to its appearance
79. ca\_\_\_\_n dioxide *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
80. de\_\_\_\_y safety measures *v.* to move troops or weapons into a position or military action; to bring into something in an effective way
81. bu\_\_\_\_\_o steak *n.* a large wild ox with shaggy hair found in Asia and North America
82. ind\_\_\_\_\_us peoples *adj.* someone or something that is native to or occurring naturally in a particular place
83. th\_\_\_\_\_en a healthy relationship *v.* to utter intentions of injury or punishment against someone
84. a fl\_\_d of questions *n.* a large amount of water flowing beyond its normal limits; an overwhelming number or amount
85. ride the t\_\_e of change *n.* the cyclical rise and fall of sea level caused by the moon's gravitational pull
86. unb\_\_\_\_\_le heat *adj.* not able to be tolerated or endured; too difficult, severe, or intense to be dealt with or suffered through; intolerable or insufferable
87. financial cr\_\_\_\_s *n.* a time of great disagreement, confusion, or danger when problems must be resolved or critical decisions must be taken

ANSWERS: 78. landscape, 79. carbon, 80. deploy, 81. buffalo, 82. indigenous, 83. threaten, 84. flood, 85. tide, 86. unbearable, 87. crisis

88. unb\_\_\_\_\_le pain *adj.* not able to be tolerated or endured; too difficult, severe, or intense to be dealt with or suffered through; intolerable or insufferable
89. get into the lu\_\_\_\_y car market *n.* a state of great comfort or sophistication, mainly provided by expensive and beautiful things
90. da\_\_\_\_e a relationship *v.* to harm or cause injury to something or someone, often resulting in decreased value or functionality; to impair or negatively affect something, such as a reputation or relationship; (noun) harm or injury that is caused to a person, thing, or entity
91. co\_\_o segment *n.* a type of housing where each unit is individually owned, while common areas are jointly owned and managed
92. a hard and re\_\_\_\_\_nt steel *adj.* able to withstand or recover quickly from difficult conditions
93. IT inf \_\_\_\_\_ure *n.* the basic systems, services, or features that are necessary for an organization or country, such as transport and power supplies
94. the d\_n of the university *n.* a Spanish gentleman; a university lecturer, especially a senior member of a college at Oxford or Cambridge
95. the gra\_\_\_\_\_ts factor in making the decision *adj.* of or relating to the ordinary people in a society or an organization as constituting a fundamental political and economic group

ANSWERS: 88. unbearable, 89. luxury, 90. damage, 91. condo, 92. resilient, 93. infrastructure, 94. Don, 95. grassroots

96. gov\_\_\_\_\_nt bureaucracy *n.* the group of people with authority to control a country or state
97. to\_\_c molecule *adj.* of or relating to or caused by a poison; poisonous
98. an op\_\_\_\_\_ne remark *adj.* suitable or happening at a time that is suitable or convenient for a particular purpose
99. tr\_\_\_\_\_h of democracy *n.* a great victory or achievement
100. arson-caused wi\_\_\_\_\_re *n.* a large, uncontrolled fire that spreads quickly through a natural area such as a forest, grassland, or mountain slope
101. r\_\_e with uncertainty *adj.* full of, abundant with, or commonly present or encountered, often used to describe something undesirable or harmful
102. t\_\_e cycle *n.* the cyclical rise and fall of sea level caused by the moon's gravitational pull
103. be\_\_\_\_\_fy a room *v.* to enhance the physical appearance of something by making it more attractive or aesthetically pleasing; to make something more attractive or appealing in general
104. 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

ANSWERS: 96. government, 97. toxic, 98. opportune, 99. triumph, 100. wildfire, 101. rife, 102. tide, 103. beautify, 104. policy

105. un\_\_\_r employment practices *adj.* not giving equal treatment or opportunities to people involved; marked by injustice, partiality, or deception
106. sc\_\_\_\_\_le solution *adj.* capable of being easily expanded or increased in size, number, or scale to meet changing demands
107. su\_\_\_\_\_nd a town *v.* to be all around something or somebody
108. alleviate res\_\_\_\_\_ry ailments *adj.* relating to the organs and processes involved in breathing, such as the lungs and the act of inhaling and exhaling air
109. ca\_\_\_\_\_st for reform *n.* a person or thing that causes an important event to happen or changes the current situation rapidly; (chemistry) a substance that initiates or accelerates a chemical reaction without being changed itself
110. an energy eff\_\_\_\_\_cy *n.* the state or quality of doing something well with no waste of input such as time or money
111. my vo\_\_\_\_\_er work *n.* a person who performs or offers to perform a job or service without being paid for or forced to do
112. extreme tem\_\_\_\_\_res *n.* the degree of hotness or coldness of a thing or place
113. a ch\_\_\_\_\_al compound *adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;
114. official sta\_\_\_\_\_cs *n.* the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data

ANSWERS: 105. unfair, 106. scalable, 107. surround, 108. respiratory, 109. catalyst, 110. efficiency, 111. volunteer, 112. temperature, 113. chemical, 114. statistics

115. management con\_\_\_\_\_or  
*n.* a person or company that enters into a contract to provide materials or labor to perform a specific task or service
116. a hu\_\_\_\_\_ne of applause  
*n.* a violent, tropical, cyclonic storm of the western North Atlantic, having wind speeds of or over 64 knots (74 miles per hour)
117. a re\_\_\_\_\_nt of the city  
*n.* a person who lives in a particular place or has their home in a place
118. flu pa\_\_\_\_\_ic  
*n.* an outbreak of a disease that affects many people over a very wide area
119. seek vo\_\_\_\_\_ers  
*n.* a person who performs or offers to perform a job or service without being paid for or forced to do
120. t\_\_p an animal  
*n.* a piece of equipment or hole for catching animals or people; (verb) to catch animals or people and prevent them from escaping
121. re\_\_\_\_\_nt tax  
*n.* a person who lives in a particular place or has their home in a place
122. se\_\_\_\_\_te by race  
*v.* to separate or set apart from others, often based on race, gender, or some other characteristic
123. the mean annual ra\_\_\_\_\_ll  
*n.* the amount of rain that falls in a specific location at a particular moment
124. ce\_\_\_\_\_te Christmas  
*v.* to acknowledge a memorable or good day or event with a social gathering or enjoyable activity
125. de\_\_\_\_\_p a strategy  
*v.* to grow or expand; to improve or refine through a process of progress and refinement, often to achieve greater sophistication or complexity; to elaborate or add detail to something that is in the process of being created

ANSWERS: 115. contractor, 116. hurricane, 117. resident, 118. pandemic, 119. volunteer, 120. trap, 121. resident, 122. segregate, 123. rainfall, 124. celebrate, 125. develop

126. aff\_\_\_\_\_le solution *adj.* not expensive and able to pay
127. the ravages of a hu\_\_\_\_\_ne *n.* a violent, tropical, cyclonic storm of the western North Atlantic, having wind speeds of or over 64 knots (74 miles per hour)
128. 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
129. wo\_\_\_\_n a relation *v.* to become or make something worse
130. sta\_\_\_\_\_cs for cancer *n.* the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data
131. heavy ra\_\_\_\_\_ll *n.* the amount of rain that falls in a specific location at a particular moment
132. re\_\_\_\_\_e one word with another *v.* to take the place of something
133. exposure to to\_\_c chemicals *adj.* of or relating to or caused by a poison; poisonous
134. ab\_\_\_\_\_n a friend *v.* to leave a place, thing, or person with no intention of returning; (noun) a feeling of extreme emotional intensity
135. re\_\_\_\_\_le subscriptions *adj.* capable of being renewed, extended, or replaced
136. the so\_\_r system *adj.* of, from, or relating to the sun

ANSWERS: 126. affordable, 127. hurricane, 128. policy, 129. worsen, 130. statistics, 131. rainfall, 132. replace, 133. toxic, 134. abandon, 135. renewable, 136. solar

137. take a st\_\_\_y job *adj.* firmly fixed, supported, or balanced; not shaking or moving
138. st\_\_\_y increase *adj.* firmly fixed, supported, or balanced; not shaking or moving
139. ra\_\_\_t attitudes *adj.* characterized by or showing discrimination or prejudice against people of other races; (noun) a person with a prejudiced belief that one racial group is superior to others
140. hi\_\_\_\_\_nd hotels *adj.* of the highest quality or luxury, often used to describe expensive or exclusive products or services
141. ex\_\_\_\_\_e weather events *adj.* very great in amount or degree
142. co\_\_\_\_\_nt a global warming *v.* to face, meet or deal with a problem or difficult situation or person
143. bu\_\_\_\_\_o horn *n.* a large wild ox with shaggy hair found in Asia and North America
144. la\_\_\_\_\_pe painting *n.* an expanse of scenery that can be seen in a single view; a large area of land, especially in the country and relating to its appearance
145. fl\_\_d advisory *n.* a large amount of water flowing beyond its normal limits; an overwhelming number or amount
146. dynamically sc\_\_\_\_\_le *adj.* capable of being easily expanded or increased in size, number, or scale to meet changing demands
147. mo\_\_\_\_\_ze a stiff joint *v.* to make something ready for action or use; to organize people or resources for a particular purpose

ANSWERS: 137. steady, 138. steady, 139. racist, 140. high-end, 141. extreme, 142. confront, 143. buffalo, 144. landscape, 145. flood, 146. scalable, 147. mobilize



148. de\_\_\_y troops for battle *v.* to move troops or weapons into a position or military action; to bring into something in an effective way
149. major defense con\_\_\_\_\_or *n.* a person or company that enters into a contract to provide materials or labor to perform a specific task or service
150. global pa\_\_\_\_\_ic *n.* an outbreak of a disease that affects many people over a very wide area
151. b\_\_d as a family *n.* a close emotional connection between two or more people; a certificate of debt that a government or corporation issues to raise money
152. effects of cl\_\_\_\_\_e change *n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
153. hi\_\_\_\_\_se building *adj.* describing a tall building or structure that has many floors or levels above the ground, often used to describe residential or commercial buildings in urban areas with multiple stories
154. tr\_\_\_\_\_rm heat into power *v.* to change in outward structure or looks;
155. re\_\_\_\_\_d communities *v.* to build again or anew
156. s\_\_r in popularity *v.* to fly or rise very high or to a great height, often with great grace or ease
157. aff\_\_\_\_\_le housing *adj.* not expensive and able to pay
158. major airline al\_\_\_\_\_ces *n.* a partnership or association formed for mutual benefit, particularly between nations or organizations.
159. re\_\_\_\_\_e speed *n.* a boundary or threshold beyond which something is no longer acceptable or allowed; a mark or line drawn in red to indicate a specific limit or danger zone

ANSWERS: 148. deploy, 149. contractor, 150. pandemic, 151. bond, 152. climate, 153. high-rise, 154. transform, 155. rebuild, 156. soar, 157. affordable, 158. alliance, 159. redline

160. right to col\_\_\_\_\_ve bargaining *adj.* done or shared by every member of a group of people
161. s\_\_r to new heights *v.* to fly or rise very high or to a great height, often with great grace or ease
162. ad\_\_\_\_\_on of vectors *n.* the act or process of adding something to something else; the process of adding numbers
163. re\_\_\_\_\_e a phone *v.* to take the place of something
164. inf\_\_\_\_\_ure cost *n.* the basic systems, services, or features that are necessary for an organization or country, such as transport and power supplies
165. be\_\_\_\_\_fy my skin *v.* to enhance the physical appearance of something by making it more attractive or aesthetically pleasing; to make something more attractive or appealing in general
166. a casting m\_\_d *n.* a hollow container used to give shape to liquid or soft substance, which then becomes solid in the same shape as the container; a soft, green, or gray growth that forms on stale food or objects exposed to warm, moist air for too long
167. a co\_\_\_\_\_nt remark *adj.* feeling sure about your abilities or qualities or having trust in people, plans, or the future
168. a cold cl\_\_\_\_\_e *n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period

ANSWERS: 160. collective, 161. soar, 162. addition, 163. replace, 164. infrastructure, 165. beautify, 166. mold, 167. confident, 168. climate

169. l\_\_t apartment

*n.* a large, open space in an upper part of a building, typically under a roof; a raised platform or gallery in a building, which is used for storage or as a work or living space

170. form al\_\_\_\_ce

*n.* a partnership or association formed for mutual benefit, particularly between nations or organizations.

ANSWERS: 169. loft, 170. alliance

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. Living in a \_\_\_\_\_ apartment offers spectacular views of the city.  
*adj.* describing a tall building or structure that has many floors or levels above the ground, often used to describe residential or commercial buildings in urban areas with multiple stories
2. This country \_\_\_\_\_ its weapons in the east region.  
*v.* to move troops or weapons into a position or military action; to bring into something in an effective way
3. The young couple was searching for their first \_\_\_\_\_ in the city.  
*n.* a type of housing where each unit is individually owned, while common areas are jointly owned and managed
4. The city plans to \_\_\_\_\_ the park with new flowers and trees.  
*v.* to enhance the physical appearance of something by making it more attractive or aesthetically pleasing; to make something more attractive or appealing in general
5. The school board decided to \_\_\_\_\_ students by the ability to meet their needs better.  
*v.* to separate or set apart from others, often based on race, gender, or some other characteristic
6. They fear a \_\_\_\_\_ of a new type of virus.  
*n.* an outbreak of a disease that affects many people over a very wide area
7. Aging societies tend to require huge costs for \_\_\_\_\_ maintenance.  
*n.* the basic systems, services, or features that are necessary for an organization or country, such as transport and power supplies

ANSWERS: 1. high-rise, 2. deployed, 3. condo, 4. beautify, 5. segregate, 6. pandemic, 7. infrastructure

8. The \_\_\_\_\_ countries in the world often have the highest rates of malnutrition.

*adj.* having the least wealth or resources

9. The enemy fell right into the \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a piece of equipment or hole for catching animals or people; (verb) to catch animals or people and prevent them from escaping

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

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

11. They are planning to \_\_\_\_\_ the house after the fire.

*v.* to build again or anew

12. The \_\_\_\_\_ destroyed hundreds of homes and forced thousands of people to evacuate.

*n.* a large, uncontrolled fire that spreads quickly through a natural area such as a forest, grassland, or mountain slope

13. The president asked for a more \_\_\_\_\_ plan.

*adj.* existing in a physical or material form rather than an abstract one; based on facts rather than ideas or guesses; made of or covered with cement

14. In \_\_\_\_\_ private corporations provide healthcare services.

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

15. Misinformation is \_\_\_\_\_ on social media platforms.

*adj.* full of, abundant with, or commonly present or encountered, often used to describe something undesirable or harmful

ANSWERS: 8. poorest, 9. trap, 10. renewable, 11. rebuild, 12. wildfire, 13. concrete, 14. addition, 15. rife

16. The Chinese word for \_\_\_\_\_ comprises two characters, one for danger and the other for opportunity.
- n.* a time of great disagreement, confusion, or danger when problems must be resolved or critical decisions must be taken
17. The team's \_\_\_\_\_ in the championship resulted from their hard work and dedication.
- n.* a great victory or achievement
18. Various artificially induced causes are \_\_\_\_\_ our ecosystem.
- v.* to utter intentions of injury or punishment against someone
19. The loss of his wife was an \_\_\_\_\_ sorrow that he found hard to overcome.
- adj.* not able to be tolerated or endured; too difficult, severe, or intense to be dealt with or suffered through; intolerable or insufferable
20. The teachers make full use of \_\_\_\_\_ assistance.
- n.* a person who performs or offers to perform a job or service without being paid for or forced to do
21. The castle was \_\_\_\_\_ several years later.
- v.* to leave a place, thing, or person with no intention of returning; (noun) a feeling of extreme emotional intensity
22. Mushrooms and \_\_\_\_\_ are fungi.
- n.* a hollow container used to give shape to liquid or soft substance, which then becomes solid in the same shape as the container; a soft, green, or gray growth that forms on stale food or objects exposed to warm, moist air for too long

ANSWERS: 16. crisis, 17. triumph, 18. threatening, 19. unbearable, 20. volunteer, 21. abandoned, 22. mold

23. Our system can now \_\_\_\_\_ with other databases.  
*v.* to connect similar things
24. Chronic \_\_\_\_\_ disorders, such as asthma, can significantly impact a person's quality of life.  
*adj.* relating to the organs and processes involved in breathing, such as the lungs and the act of inhaling and exhaling air
25. The military \_\_\_\_\_ between the two armies was one for the history books.  
*n.* a long and eventful or heroic history, story, poem, or film; (adjective) very imposing or impressive
26. Recent electoral shocks have shaken the political \_\_\_\_\_ in Europe.  
*n.* an expanse of scenery that can be seen in a single view; a large area of land, especially in the country and relating to its appearance
27. The company hired a \_\_\_\_\_ to remodel their office building.  
*n.* a person or company that enters into a contract to provide materials or labor to perform a specific task or service
28. They had formed a friendship \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a close emotional connection between two or more people; a certificate of debt that a government or corporation issues to raise money
29. \_\_\_\_\_ of abolishing the death penalty often argue that the alternative heaviest sentence should be life in prison.  
*n.* a person who supports or suggests an idea, development, or way of doing something
30. I'm not \_\_\_\_\_ in our victory.  
*adj.* feeling sure about your abilities or qualities or having trust in people, plans, or the future

ANSWERS: 23. interconnect, 24. respiratory, 25. epic, 26. landscape, 27. contractor, 28. bond, 29. Advocates, 30. confident

31. The Chinese people have accomplished several \_\_\_\_\_ feats.  
*adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so
32. \_\_\_\_\_ and weather have an impact on every part of our lifestyles.  
*n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
33. Considering the situation of \_\_\_\_\_ organized stopped this year's beer festival.  
*n.* a large family of viruses that can cause illness in humans and animals, which name comes from the crown-like spikes on the surface of the virus, which can be seen under a microscope, and COVID-19 is caused by a specific type of coronavirus known as SARS-CoV-2
34. The automaker has been providing \_\_\_\_\_ car financing options since last year.  
*adj.* not expensive and able to pay
35. Product development is a \_\_\_\_\_ effort.  
*adj.* done or shared by every member of a group of people
36. Solar gravity creates \_\_\_\_\_ pressures and temperatures.  
*adj.* very great in amount or degree
37. The \_\_\_\_\_ roam freely in the plains of North America.  
*n.* a large wild ox with shaggy hair found in Asia and North America
38. The government \_\_\_\_\_ this law in 1925.  
*v.* to make a law; to put something into practice

ANSWERS: 31. historic, 32. Climate, 33. coronavirus, 34. affordable, 35. collective, 36. extreme, 37. buffalo, 38. enacted



39. He could never go against what \_\_\_\_ Carlos said.

*n.* a Spanish gentleman; a university lecturer, especially a senior member of a college at Oxford or Cambridge

40. The patient's vital signs are \_\_\_\_\_ indicating a stable condition.

*adj.* firmly fixed, supported, or balanced; not shaking or moving

41. 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

42. This airport has taken the first step to become an international \_\_\_\_ airport.

*n.* the central or main part of a particular place, activity, network, etc.; the central part of a car wheel, fan, propeller, etc., through which the shaft or axle passes

43. This chemical compound is a thousand-fold more \_\_\_\_\_.

*adj.* of or relating to or caused by a poison; poisonous

44. The \_\_\_\_\_ comments made by the politician caused widespread condemnation.

*adj.* characterized by or showing discrimination or prejudice against people of other races; (noun) a person with a prejudiced belief that one racial group is superior to others

45. The neighborhood was affected by a \_\_\_\_\_ drawn by real estate agents to keep specific populations out.

*n.* a boundary or threshold beyond which something is no longer acceptable or allowed; a mark or line drawn in red to indicate a specific limit or danger zone

46. He finally decided to \_\_\_\_\_ problems directly.

*v.* to face, meet or deal with a problem or difficult situation or person

ANSWERS: 39. Don, 40. steady, 41. government, 42. hub, 43. toxic, 44. racist, 45. redline, 46. confront

47. In a democracy, it is necessary to monitor the judiciary to see if it is making \_\_\_\_\_ decisions.

*adj.* not giving equal treatment or opportunities to people involved; marked by injustice, partiality, or deception

48. The phone rang at the most \_\_\_\_\_ time.

*adj.* suitable or happening at a time that is suitable or convenient for a particular purpose

49. His anti-\_\_\_\_\_ practices were quite strict.

*n.* a state of great comfort or sophistication, mainly provided by expensive and beautiful things

50. He always had to carry an inhaler due to his severe \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a chronic respiratory disease characterized by wheezing, coughing, and difficulty breathing

51. To sell the product, the companies have formed an \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a partnership or association formed for mutual benefit, particularly between nations or organizations.

52. 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

53. 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

54. The boutique sold \_\_\_\_\_ clothing and accessories for affluent customers.

*adj.* of the highest quality or luxury, often used to describe expensive or exclusive products or services

ANSWERS: 47. unfair, 48. opportune, 49. luxury, 50. asthma, 51. alliance, 52. overwhelm, 53. carbon, 54. high-end

55. \_\_\_\_\_ panels have greatly improved not only in performance but also in durability.

*adj.* of, from, or relating to the sun

56. Eventually, the new design will \_\_\_\_\_ all older models.

*v.* to take the place of something

57. Visa renewal for \_\_\_\_\_ foreigners in this country is once every five years.

*n.* a person who lives in a particular place or has their home in a place

58. He \_\_\_\_\_ the 10th anniversary of his tenure.

*v.* to acknowledge a memorable or good day or event with a social gathering or enjoyable activity

59. The \_\_\_\_\_ demonstrate that poverty and unemployment are genuine problems.

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

60. Red \_\_\_\_\_ is often harmful to the local ecosystem.

*n.* the cyclical rise and fall of sea level caused by the moon's gravitational pull

61. The devastating \_\_\_\_\_ caused widespread damage and left many people homeless.

*n.* a violent, tropical, cyclonic storm of the western North Atlantic, having wind speeds of or over 64 knots (74 miles per hour)

62. The feeling among the company's \_\_\_\_\_ is that the CEO is not radical enough.

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

ANSWERS: 55. Solar, 56. replace, 57. resident, 58. celebrated, 59. statistics, 60. tide, 61. hurricane, 62. grassroots

63. The artist's \_\_\_\_\_ was filled with natural light and creative energy.

- n.* a large, open space in an upper part of a building, typically under a roof; a raised platform or gallery in a building, which is used for storage or as a work or living space

64. The firm has grown into a large \_\_\_\_\_ manufacturing.

- adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;

65. The military \_\_\_\_\_ troops to the border.

- v.* to make something ready for action or use; to organize people or resources for a particular purpose

66. Pakistan's \_\_\_\_\_ budget was still being reviewed.

- n.* things sent to help countries in need, notably food or money; support

67. Our company must continue to strive for greater \_\_\_\_\_.

- n.* the state or quality of doing something well with no waste of input such as time or money

68. During the surgery, the doctor had to be extremely cautious not to \_\_\_\_\_ a blood vessel.

- v.* to harm or cause injury to something or someone, often resulting in decreased value or functionality; to impair or negatively affect something, such as a reputation or relationship; (noun) harm or injury that is caused to a person, thing, or entity

69. \_\_\_\_\_ elections were held in several European countries.

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

70. We must \_\_\_\_\_ a new system to streamline our workflow and increase efficiency.

- v.* to grow or expand; to improve or refine through a process of progress and refinement, often to achieve greater sophistication or complexity; to elaborate or add detail to something that is in the process of being created

ANSWERS: 63. loft, 64. chemical, 65. mobilized, 66. aid, 67. efficiency, 68. damage,

69. Communal, 70. develop

71. She is a \_\_\_\_\_ person and has always bounced back from setbacks.

*adj.* able to withstand or recover quickly from difficult conditions

72. These plants thrive in hot climates with abundant \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* the amount of rain that falls in a specific location at a particular moment

73. Cities around the world set records for highest \_\_\_\_\_ this summer.

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

74. My father's death \_\_\_\_\_ my life completely.

*v.* to change in outward structure or looks;

75. He became \_\_\_\_\_ that he was being followed.

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

76. Government workers cannot \_\_\_\_\_ to political campaigns.

*v.* to give something, especially money or goods, to provide or achieve something together with other people

77. 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

78. The global financial crisis acted as a \_\_\_\_\_ to unite the country.

*n.* a person or thing that causes an important event to happen or changes the current situation rapidly; (chemistry) a substance that initiates or accelerates a chemical reaction without being changed itself

ANSWERS: 71. resilient, 72. rainfall, 73. temperatures, 74. transformed, 75. conscious, 76. contribute, 77. policy, 78. catalyst

79. On three sides, mountains \_\_\_\_\_ the settlement.

*v.* to be all around something or somebody

80. Unilateral import bans have \_\_\_\_\_ that country's terms of trade.

*v.* to become or make something worse

81. The company's new software is highly \_\_\_\_\_ allowing it to handle increasing number of users.

*adj.* capable of being easily expanded or increased in size, number, or scale to meet changing demands

82. These heavy rains caused flash \_\_\_\_\_ on several islands.

*n.* a large amount of water flowing beyond its normal limits; an overwhelming number or amount

83. The bird \_\_\_\_\_ through the sky, and its wings spread wide.

*v.* to fly or rise very high or to a great height, often with great grace or ease

84. The \_\_\_\_\_ plants need to be pollinated by local insects.

*adj.* someone or something that is native to or occurring naturally in a particular place

85. They cooperated for their \_\_\_\_\_ benefit.

*adj.* common to or shared by two or more parties

ANSWERS: 79. surround, 80. worsened, 81. scalable, 82. floods, 83. soared, 84. indigenous, 85. mutual