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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### transition

*n.* the process or period of changing from one state or circumstance to another

*synonym*: change, growth, shift

(1) **transition** phase, (2) ensure a smooth **transition**

The nation's healthcare system is in **transition** at the moment.

### consume

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

*synonym*: absorb, ingest, use up

(1) **consume** a large of alcohol, (2) **consume** electricity

A smaller car will **consume** less fuel.

### retail

*n.* the sale of goods or services to consumers, especially in small quantities, either directly to the end customer or through retail outlets

*synonym*: sales, trade, commerce

(1) **retail** store, (2) a **retail** dealer

The **retail** industry has been affected by the rise of online shopping.

- 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.
- priority** *n.* something that is more important than other things and should be dealt with first  
*synonym* : importance, precedence, primacy  
(1) **priority** call, (2) **priority** seating for elderly  
Her **priority** is to be a mother.
- majestic** *adj.* impressive or grand in appearance, size, or manner; stately  
*synonym* : grand, stately, regal  
(1) a **majestic** figure, (2) a **majestic** sense of purpose  
The **majestic** mountain range was a sight to behold.
- encompass** *v.* to surround or cover something completely; to include a large number of or different types of things entirely  
*synonym* : surround, encircle, include  
(1) **encompass** a broad range, (2) **encompass** the enemy  
The optimal solution that would **encompass** all these elements has yet to be proposed.
- embedded** *adj.* fixed firmly into the surface of something  
*synonym* : ingrained, implanted, inserted  
(1) **embedded** systems, (2) LED- **embedded** glass  
The **embedded** chip in my credit card allows me to make contactless payments.
- sustainable** *adj.* able to continue or be continued for a long time  
*synonym* : continuable, enduring, tolerable  
(1) **sustainable** alternative fuel, (2) principles of **sustainable** development

The government should do more to support environmentally **sustainable** agriculture.

## operate

*v.* to work in a particular way; to supervise something

*synonym*: work, use, employ

(1) **operate** 24 hours a day, (2) manually **operate** a machine

This machine is too difficult to **operate** for me.

## opposed

*adj.* being completely different from something or disagreeing strongly with something

*synonym*: anti, averse, hostile

(1) two **opposed** characters, (2) absolutely **opposed** to abortion

I'm strongly **opposed** to that plan.

## separate

*v.* to force, take, or pull apart; mark as different

*synonym*: disunite, isolate, ramify

(1) **separate** video into chapter, (2) **separate** cream from milk

We need to **separate** the aspect of his personality from the part of his competence when making an investment decision.

## hurdle

*n.* a barrier or obstacle that must be overcome

*synonym*: obstacle, barrier, challenge

(1) overcome **hurdles**, (2) **hurdle** race

The company faced several **hurdles** in the development of its new product.

## 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.

## footprint

*n.* a mark of a foot, shoe, or animal's foot left on a surface  
*synonym*: footmark, imprint, impression

(1) **footprints** in the snow, (2) the **footprints** of an earlier civilization

We choose transportation that has a smaller carbon **footprint**.

## exciting

*adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement

*synonym*: exhilarating, stimulating, thrilling

(1) **exciting** football player, (2) **exciting** news

The findings of the experiment were both **exciting** and unexpected.

## complexity

*n.* the state or quality of being complicated or intricate and difficult to understand

*synonym*: intricacy, sophistication, elaboration

(1) cognitive **complexity**, (2) **complexity** theory

The project's **complexity** made it difficult for the team to complete it on time.

## diversity

*n.* the quality or fact of many different types of things or people being included in something; a range of different things or people

*synonym*: variety, multiplicity, variousness

(1) the **diversity** policy of the university, (2) lingual **diversity**

He was impressed by the range and **diversity** of the collection.

## industrious

*adj.* hardworking, diligent, and persistent in effort

*synonym*: diligent, hardworking, assiduous

(1) **industrious** worker, (2) **industrious** student

He was known to be very **industrious** and would often work late into the night.

## fulfill

*v.* to meet the requirements or expectations; to achieve or realize

*synonym*: satisfy, complete, accomplish

(1) **fulfill** a contract, (2) **fulfill** a lifetime dream

It was the first time for her, but she **fulfilled** the role of Priest.

## 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.

## committed

*adj.* willing to put in a lot of effort, time, and energy into something; firmly believing in something

*synonym*: devoted, faithful, attached

(1) in a **committed** relationship, (2) strong and **committed** sales staff

Our company is strongly **committed** to meeting customers' needs.

## 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.

## tremendous

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

*synonym*: enormous, giant, immense

(1) **tremendous** amount, (2) **tremendous** popularity

We had a **tremendous** time yesterday.

## advantage

*n.* a condition or circumstance that puts one in a favorable or superior position; a beneficial feature or asset that someone or something has

*synonym*: benefit, edge, asset

(1) score an **advantage**, (2) take **advantage** of his weak

points

One of the main **advantages** of the new product is its increased efficiency.

## 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.

## holistic

*adj.* relating to or dealing with the whole of something rather than just its parts

*synonym*: comprehensive, all-encompassing, total

(1) **holistic** education, (2) develop a **holistic** vision

The **holistic** approach to healthcare considers the person's physical, mental, and emotional well-being.

## 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.

## transformation

*n.* a complete change in form, nature, or appearance of someone or something

*synonym*: change, conversion, renewal

(1) the **transformation** of a tadpole into a frog, (2) cast a **transformation** spell

Understanding unitary **transformations** of a normal matrix require considerable mathematical sophistication.

## daunting

*adj.* looking challenging to manage in prospect; making someone anxious and less confident about carrying out something

*synonym*: intimidating, stunning, disheartening

(1) face the **daunting** reality, (2) seem like a **daunting** task

My homework was **daunting** and complex, but it was also intriguing.

## process

*n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products

*synonym* : procedure, method, system

(1) **process** improvement, (2) decision-making **process**

The **process** for applying for a visa can be lengthy and complicated.

## environment

*n.* the natural world such as air, water, and land in which humans, animals, and plants live

*synonym* : atmosphere, surroundings, climate

(1) **environment** affairs, (2) chaotic **environment**

Every human is responsible for taking care of the Earth's **environment**.

## improve

*v.* to make or become better

*synonym* : enhance, ameliorate, enrich

(1) **improve** a process, (2) **improve** the test score

We want to **improve** ties between our two countries.

## innovation

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

*synonym* : invention, initiation, creation

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

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

## aspect

*n.* one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.

*synonym* : characteristic, element, factor

(1) nontechnical **aspects** of the job, (2) **aspects** of social, political, and economic life

His professional experience includes all **aspects** of media production.

## electrify

*v.* to make a machine or system work by using electricity; to make someone extremely enthusiastic about or interested in something

*synonym*: wire, amaze, astonish

(1) **electrify** the audience, (2) **electrify** a manufacturing process

The product developed through years of research continues to **electrify** the market.

## manufacture

*v.* to make goods in large numbers, usually in a factory using machines

*synonym*: create, fabricate, assemble

(1) **manufacture** an enzyme, (2) **manufacture** a product

The majority of synthetic vitamins are **manufactured** from oil.

## essentially

*adv.* relating to the essential features or concepts of anything

*synonym*: fundamentally, basically, virtually

(1) **essentially** correct, (2) become **essentially** same

**Essentially**, a society is an organism.

## span

*n.* the entire length of something, such as time or space from beginning to end; the amount of space that something covers

*synonym*: interval, period, length

(1) the **span** of a bird's wings, (2) the average life **span**

He slightly modified the **span** of training because it was just before a match.

## chain

*n.* a series of connected links or objects; a system or group of interconnected elements; a restraint or shackle

*synonym*: series, string, link

(1) **chain** reaction, (2) supply **chain**

The **chain** on my bike broke, leaving me stranded.



## modify

*v.* to change something slightly, such as a plan, option, law, etc., especially to make it more suitable for a particular purpose

*synonym*: adjust, alter, revise

(1) genetically **modify** food, (2) **modify** my behavior

We use adverbs to **modify** verbs and adjectives.

## inviting

*adj.* having an attractive or tempting quality that draws people in; encouraging or alluring in a way that makes people want to take part or participate

*synonym*: attractive, tempting, alluring

(1) **inviting** scent, (2) **inviting** atmosphere

The **inviting** aroma of freshly baked bread drew me into the bakery.

## partnership

*n.* the state of a cooperative relationship between people or groups, especially in business

*synonym*: alliance, participation, cooperation

(1) **partnership** across the Atlantic, (2) establish a **partnership**

The military **partnership** between the two countries created tension in the international community.

## 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.

## 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.

## individual

*n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group  
*synonym*: person, being, self

(1) a private **individual**, (2) **individual** freedom

As an **individual**, he had the right to make his own decisions and live his life as he saw fit.

## engage

*v.* to attract and keep someone's attention and interest; to participate in or obtain services of something

*synonym*: confront, employ, amuse

(1) **engage** in environmental protection activities,  
(2) **engage** a new employee

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

## excite

*v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager

*synonym*: thrill, exhilarate, animate

(1) **excite** the crowd, (2) **excite** rebellion

The news of her promotion **excited** her.

## accelerate

*v.* to make something faster or earlier; to cause to develop or progress more quickly

*synonym*: speed up, quicken, rev

(1) **accelerate** a chemical reaction, (2) **accelerate** the car

The government tried to **accelerate** the commercialization of this development.

## 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.

## facilitate

*v.* to make something easier or more likely to happen

*synonym*: aid, assist, help

(1) **facilitate** a smooth transition, (2) **facilitate** the process

The company implemented a new software system to **facilitate** employee communication and collaboration.

## economy

*n.* the system by which a country or region produces, manages, and distributes goods and services, including the money and finances involved in these activities; (of an airline) the lowest-priced, most basic option for seating in commercial travel

*synonym*: finance, trade, business

(1) **economy** of scale, (2) **economy** class

The **economy** of the country is struggling due to the recent political instability.

## ambitious

*adj.* having a great desire to attain achievement, power, or wealth

*synonym*: enterprising, challenging, earnest

(1) achieve **ambitious** goals, (2) with an **ambitious** eye

Their company has been in business for a short time but has **ambitious** goals.

## timeline

*n.* a series of events arranged in chronological order and displayed along a line, usually drawn left to right or top to bottom

*synonym*: agenda, timetable, chronology

(1) **timeline** of science history, (2) lay out a **timeline**

He imposed a **timeline** on the project.

## invite

*v.* to ask someone to come or join; to offer an opportunity or possibility for something to happen or take place

*synonym*: ask, request, summon

(1) **invite** guests, (2) **invite** criticism

We want to **invite** you to our annual charity event.

## 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.

## **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.

## **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.

## **delivery**

*n.* the act of taking or sending something to a destination; the bringing of a baby during childbirth

*synonym*: sending, transporting, bringing

(1) an easy **delivery**, (2) special **delivery**

The **delivery** truck arrived with the packages.

## **fleet**

*n.* a group of military ships, aircraft, etc., operating together under the same ownership; (adjective) moving very fast

*synonym*: armada, flotilla, (adjective) speedy

(1) **fleet** of foot, (2) a **fleet** horse

We destroyed a **fleet** of 70 enemy ships.

## **spawn**

*v.* to lay eggs or to produce offspring; to cause something to develop

*synonym*: beget, breed, generate

(1) **spawn** in spring, (2) **spawn** a new concept

The salmon swims upstream to **spawn** in the place they were released.

## relative

*adj.* considered and evaluated through comparison with something else

*synonym*: comparative, proximate, congeneric

(1) a remote **relative**, (2) **relative** factors

Most countries prohibit sexual activity between certain close **relatives**.

## alternative

*n.* one of two or more available possibilities or choice

*synonym*: choice, option

(1) an **alternative** plan, (2) there is no other **alternative**

Doctors are gradually coming around to the idea of using **alternative** medicines.

## 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

## jet

*n.* a type of aircraft that is powered by one or more jet engines and can fly at high speeds, typically over long distances

*synonym*: plane, aircraft, flier

(1) private **jet**, (2) commercial **jet**

The **jet** flew over the ocean at high speed, reaching its destination in hours.

## 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.

## substantive

*adj.* having a firm basis in reality and therefore important, meaningful, or substantial; having a significant or worthwhile effect or influence

*synonym* : powerful, significant, meaningful

(1) **substantive** change, (2) **substantive** conversation

The researchers presented **substantive** evidence to support their claims rather than relying on conjecture.

## amazing

*adj.* extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire

*synonym* : exceptional, extraordinary, wonderful

(1) **amazing** advances, (2) the most **amazing** feeling

The golfer recorded an **amazing** distance.

## emergent

*adj.* starting to exist or view, or to become known

*synonym* : coming, appearing, developing

(1) **emergent** repair of an aorta, (2) an **emergent** republic

Extensive areas of **emergent** plants are usually called marsh.

## progression

*n.* the act or process of changing to the next stage or phase or moving forward

*synonym* : advancement, development, evolution

(1) **progression** of civilization, (2) **progression** of disease

The company has made great strides in its **progression** toward sustainability.

## honor

*n.* high regard or great respect for someone; the quality of having and doing based on a keen sense of morality;  
*(verb)* to show respect towards someone

*synonym* : integrity, virtue, acclaim

(1) womanly **honor**, (2) **honor** our ancestors

I claim on my **honor** that it is true.

## Session 2: Spelling

1. an em\_\_\_\_\_nt republic *adj.* starting to exist or view, or to become known
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3. with an am\_\_\_\_\_us eye *adj.* having a great desire to attain achievement, power, or wealth
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5. take ad\_\_\_\_\_ge of his weak points *n.* a condition or circumstance that puts one in a favorable or superior position; a beneficial feature or asset that someone or something has
6. sp\_\_n a new concept *v.* to lay eggs or to produce offspring; to cause something to develop
7. in\_\_\_\_\_ng scent *adj.* having an attractive or tempting quality that draws people in; encouraging or alluring in a way that makes people want to take part or participate
8. fac\_\_\_\_\_te a smooth transition *v.* to make something easier or more likely to happen
9. ann\_\_\_\_\_ent date *n.* a public statement or declaration, often made in writing or through the media, that conveys important information or news
10. im\_\_\_\_\_e a process *v.* to make or become better

ANSWERS: 1. emergent, 2. opposed, 3. ambitious, 4. consume, 5. advantage, 6. spawn, 7. inviting, 8. facilitate, 9. announcement, 10. improve

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| 11. manually op_____e a machine          | <i>v.</i> to work in a particular way; to supervise something   |
| 12. fu_____l a lifetime dream            | <i>v.</i> to meet the requirements or expectations; to achieve or realize   |
| 13. in____e guests                       | <i>v.</i> to ask someone to come or join; to offer an opportunity or possibility for something to happen or take place  |
| 14. gov_____nt bureaucracy               | <i>n.</i> the group of people with authority to control a country or state  |
| 15. ca____n emission                     | <i>n.</i> 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 |
| 16. womanly ho____r                      | <i>n.</i> high regard or great respect for someone; the quality of having and doing based on a keen sense of morality; (verb) to show respect towards someone               |
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| 18. face the da_____ng reality           | <i>adj.</i> looking challenging to manage in prospect; making someone anxious and less confident about carrying out something   |
| 19. se_____te video into chapter         | <i>v.</i> to force, take, or pull apart; mark as different  |
| 20. principles of sus_____le development | <i>adj.</i> able to continue or be continued for a long time  |
| 21. cognitive com_____ty                 | <i>n.</i> the state or quality of being complicated or intricate and difficult to understand  |

ANSWERS: 11. operate, 12. fulfill, 13. invite, 14. government, 15. carbon, 16. honor, 17. relative, 18. daunting, 19. separate, 20. sustainable, 21. complexity



22. en\_\_\_e a new employee      *v.* to attract and keep someone's attention and interest; to participate in or obtain services of something
23. an easy de\_\_\_\_\_ry      *n.* the act of taking or sending something to a destination; the bringing of a baby during childbirth
24. inn\_\_\_\_\_on leader      *n.* the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation
25. an alt\_\_\_\_\_ve plan      *n.* one of two or more available possibilities or choice
26. ho\_\_\_\_\_ic education      *adj.* relating to or dealing with the whole of something rather than just its parts
27. sus\_\_\_\_\_le alternative fuel      *adj.* able to continue or be continued for a long time
28. 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
29. em\_\_\_\_\_nt repair of an aorta      *adj.* starting to exist or view, or to become known
30. gov\_\_\_\_\_nt funding      *n.* the group of people with authority to control a country or state
31. ex\_\_\_e the crowd      *v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager
32. in\_\_\_e criticism      *v.* to ask someone to come or join; to offer an opportunity or possibility for something to happen or take place
33. ex\_\_\_e rebellion      *v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager

ANSWERS: 22. engage, 23. delivery, 24. innovation, 25. alternative, 26. holistic, 27. sustainable, 28. decision, 29. emergent, 30. government, 31. excite, 32. invite, 33. excite

34. ch\_\_n reaction *n.* a series of connected links or objects; a system or group of interconnected elements; a restraint or shackle
35. pl\_\_\_e my fidelity *v.* to make a formal promise to give or do something
36. LED-em\_\_\_\_ed glass *adj.* fixed firmly into the surface of something
37. 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
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39. am\_\_\_\_g advances *adj.* extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire
40. en\_\_\_\_ss a broad range *v.* to surround or cover something completely; to include a large number of or different types of things entirely
41. a private ind\_\_\_\_al *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
42. de\_\_\_\_on authority *n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options
43. man\_\_\_\_re a product *v.* to make goods in large numbers, usually in a factory using machines
44. op\_\_\_\_e 24 hours a day *v.* to work in a particular way; to supervise something

ANSWERS: 34. chain, 35. pledge, 36. embedded, 37. catalyst, 38. fuel, 39. amazing, 40. encompass, 41. individual, 42. decision, 43. manufacture, 44. operate

45. fo\_\_\_\_\_nts in the snow *n.* a mark of a foot, shoe, or animal's foot left on a surface
46. 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
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48. ho\_\_r our ancestors *n.* high regard or great respect for someone; the quality of having and doing based on a keen sense of morality; (verb) to show respect towards someone
49. tra\_\_\_\_\_on phase *n.* the process or period of changing from one state or circumstance to another
50. im\_\_\_\_\_e the test score *v.* to make or become better
51. private j\_t *n.* a type of aircraft that is powered by one or more jet engines and can fly at high speeds, typically over long distances
52. effects of cl\_\_\_\_\_e change *n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
53. lay out a ti\_\_\_\_\_ne *n.* a series of events arranged in chronological order and displayed along a line, usually drawn left to right or top to bottom
54. global em\_\_\_\_\_ons of greenhouse gases *n.* the act of production or sending out gas, heat, light, etc.

ANSWERS: 45. footprint, 46. carbon, 47. diversity, 48. honor, 49. transition, 50. improve, 51. jet, 52. climate, 53. timeline, 54. emission

55. pr\_\_\_\_ty seating for elderly *n.* something that is more important than other things and should be dealt with first
56. cast a tra\_\_\_\_\_ion spell *n.* a complete change in form, nature, or appearance of someone or something
57. 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
58. the di\_\_\_\_\_ty policy of the university *n.* the quality or fact of many different types of things or people being included in something; a range of different things or people
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ANSWERS: 55. priority, 56. transformation, 57. sector, 58. diversity, 59. footprint, 60. retail, 61. industrious, 62. facilitate, 63. environment, 64. opposed

65. in a co\_\_\_\_\_ed relationship      *adj.* willing to put in a lot of effort, time, and energy into something; firmly believing in something
66. the most am\_\_\_\_\_g feeling      *adj.* extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire
67. a re\_\_\_\_l dealer      *n.* the sale of goods or services to consumers, especially in small quantities, either directly to the end customer or through retail outlets
68. ec\_\_\_\_\_y of scale      *n.* the system by which a country or region produces manages, and distributes goods and services, including the money and finances involved in these activities; (of an airline) the lowest-priced, most basic option for seating in commercial travel
69. overcome hu\_\_\_\_es      *n.* a barrier or obstacle that must be overcome
70. the s\_\_n of a bird's wings      *n.* the entire length of something, such as time or space from beginning to end; the amount of space that something covers
71. chaotic env\_\_\_\_\_nt      *n.* the natural world such as air, water, and land in which humans, animals, and plants live
72. in\_\_\_\_t capital      *v.* to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result
73. establish a par\_\_\_\_\_ip      *n.* the state of a cooperative relationship between people or groups, especially in business

ANSWERS: 65. committed, 66. amazing, 67. retail, 68. economy, 69. hurdle, 70. span, 71. environment, 72. invest, 73. partnership

74. par\_\_\_\_\_ip across the Atlantic *n.* the state of a cooperative relationship between people or groups, especially in business
75. sub\_\_\_\_\_ve conversation *adj.* having a firm basis in reality and therefore important, meaningful, or substantial; having a significant or worthwhile effect or influence
76. a cold cl\_\_\_\_\_e *n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
77. a remote re\_\_\_\_\_ve *adj.* considered and evaluated through comparison with something else
78. ex\_\_\_\_\_ng football player *adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement
79. en\_\_\_e in environmental protection activities *v.* to attract and keep someone's attention and interest; to participate in or obtain services of something
80. the tra\_\_\_\_\_ion of a tadpole into a frog *n.* a complete change in form, nature, or appearance of someone or something
81. in\_\_\_\_\_ng atmosphere *adj.* having an attractive or tempting quality that draws people in; encouraging or alluring in a way that makes people want to take part or participate
82. co\_\_\_\_\_e a large of alcohol *v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
83. become ess\_\_\_\_\_ly same *adv.* relating to the essential features or concepts of anything
84. ensure a smooth tra\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the process or period of changing from one state or circumstance to another
85. a ma\_\_\_\_\_ic sense of purpose *adj.* impressive or grand in appearance, size, or manner; stately

ANSWERS: 74. partnership, 75. substantive, 76. climate, 77. relative, 78. exciting, 79. engage, 80. transformation, 81. inviting, 82. consume, 83. essentially, 84. transition, 85. majestic

86. fu\_\_\_\_l a contract      *v.* to meet the requirements or expectations; to achieve or realize
87. mo\_\_\_\_y my behavior      *v.* to change something slightly, such as a plan, option, law, etc., especially to make it more suitable for a particular purpose
88. a fl\_\_t horse      *n.* a group of military ships, aircraft, etc., operating together under the same ownership; (adjective) moving very fast
89. hu\_\_\_\_e race      *n.* a barrier or obstacle that must be overcome
90. ex\_\_\_\_ng news      *adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement
91. re\_\_\_\_le energy      *adj.* capable of being renewed, extended, or replaced
92. re\_\_\_\_le subscriptions      *adj.* capable of being renewed, extended, or replaced
93. the average life s\_\_n      *n.* the entire length of something, such as time or space from beginning to end; the amount of space that something covers
94. sub\_\_\_\_ve change      *adj.* having a firm basis in reality and therefore important, meaningful, or substantial; having a significant or worthwhile effect or influence
95. in\_\_\_\_t in stocks      *v.* to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result
96. el\_\_\_\_fy a manufacturing process      *v.* to make a machine or system work by using electricity; to make someone extremely enthusiastic about or interested in something

ANSWERS: 86. fulfill, 87. modify, 88. fleet, 89. hurdle, 90. exciting, 91. renewable, 92. renewable, 93. span, 94. substantive, 95. invest, 96. electrify

97. pl\_\_\_e military assistance      *v.* to make a formal promise to give or do something
98. genetically mo\_\_\_y food      *v.* to change something slightly, such as a plan, option, law, etc., especially to make it more suitable for a particular purpose
99. el\_\_\_\_\_fy the audience      *v.* to make a machine or system work by using electricity; to make someone extremely enthusiastic about or interested in something
100. tre\_\_\_\_\_us popularity      *adj.* very great in degree or extent or amount or impact; extremely good
101. tre\_\_\_\_\_us amount      *adj.* very great in degree or extent or amount or impact; extremely good
102. IT inf\_\_\_\_\_ure      *n.* the basic systems, services, or features that are necessary for an organization or country, such as transport and power supplies
103. nontechnical as\_\_\_ts of the job      *n.* one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.
104. smokeless f\_\_l      *n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
105. special de\_\_\_\_\_ry      *n.* the act of taking or sending something to a destination; the bringing of a baby during childbirth
106. ess\_\_\_\_\_ly correct      *adv.* relating to the essential features or concepts of anything
107. pro\_\_\_\_\_on of disease      *n.* the act or process of changing to the next stage or phase or moving forward

ANSWERS: 97. pledge, 98. modify, 99. electrify, 100. tremendous, 101. tremendous, 102. infrastructure, 103. aspect, 104. fuel, 105. delivery, 106. essentially, 107. progression



108. acc\_\_\_\_\_te a chemical reaction      *v.* to make something faster or earlier; to cause to develop or progress more quickly
109. fl\_\_t of foot      *n.* a group of military ships, aircraft, etc., operating together under the same ownership; (adjective) moving very fast
110. cutting-edge inn\_\_\_\_\_on      *n.* the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation
111. decision-making pr\_\_\_\_\_s      *n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products
112. pr\_\_\_\_\_ty call      *n.* something that is more important than other things and should be dealt with first
113. the em\_\_\_\_\_on of light      *n.* the act of production or sending out gas, heat, light, etc.
114. man\_\_\_\_\_re an enzyme      *v.* to make goods in large numbers, usually in a factory using machines
115. achieve am\_\_\_\_\_us goals      *adj.* having a great desire to attain achievement, power, or wealth
116. develop a ho\_\_\_\_\_ic vision      *adj.* relating to or dealing with the whole of something rather than just its parts
117. score an ad\_\_\_\_\_ge      *n.* a condition or circumstance that puts one in a favorable or superior position; a beneficial feature or asset that someone or something has

ANSWERS: 108. accelerate, 109. fleet, 110. innovation, 111. process, 112. priority, 113. emission, 114. manufacture, 115. ambitious, 116. holistic, 117. advantage

118. inf\_\_\_\_\_ure cost *n.* the basic systems, services, or features that are necessary for an organization or country, such as transport and power supplies
119. seem like a da\_\_\_\_\_ng task *adj.* looking challenging to manage in prospect; making someone anxious and less confident about carrying out something
120. co\_\_\_\_\_al swimming pool *adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
121. sp\_\_\_\_n in spring *v.* to lay eggs or to produce offspring; to cause something to develop
122. em\_\_\_\_\_ed systems *adj.* fixed firmly into the surface of something
123. ti\_\_\_\_\_ne of science history *n.* a series of events arranged in chronological order and displayed along a line, usually drawn left to right or top to bottom
124. en\_\_\_\_\_ss the enemy *v.* to surround or cover something completely; to include a large number of or different types of things entirely
125. com\_\_\_\_\_ty theory *n.* the state or quality of being complicated or intricate and difficult to understand
126. a ma\_\_\_\_\_ic figure *adj.* impressive or grand in appearance, size, or manner; stately
127. there is no other alt\_\_\_\_\_ve *n.* one of two or more available possibilities or choice
128. public ann\_\_\_\_\_ent *n.* a public statement or declaration, often made in writing or through the media, that conveys important information or news

ANSWERS: 118. infrastructure, 119. daunting, 120. communal, 121. spawn, 122. embedded, 123. timeline, 124. encompass, 125. complexity, 126. majestic, 127. alternative, 128. announcement

129. pr\_\_\_\_s improvement *n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products
130. private 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
131. as\_\_\_\_ts of social, political, and economic life *n.* one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.
132. se\_\_\_\_te cream from milk *v.* to force, take, or pull apart; mark as different
133. supply ch\_\_\_\_n *n.* a series of connected links or objects; a system or group of interconnected elements; a restraint or shackle
134. pro\_\_\_\_on of civilization *n.* the act or process of changing to the next stage or phase or moving forward
135. co\_\_\_\_al combination of funds *adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
136. 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

ANSWERS: 129. process, 130. sector, 131. aspect, 132. separate, 133. chain, 134. progression, 135. communal, 136. catalyst

137. strong and co\_\_\_\_\_ed sales staff     *adj.* willing to put in a lot of effort, time, and energy into something; firmly believing in something
138. ec\_\_\_\_\_y class     *n.* the system by which a country or region produces manages, and distributes goods and services, including the money and finances involved in these activities; (of an airline) the lowest-priced, most basic option for seating in commercial travel
139. ind\_\_\_\_\_al freedom     *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
140. ind\_\_\_\_\_us worker     *adj.* hardworking, diligent, and persistent in effort
141. acc\_\_\_\_\_te the car     *v.* to make something faster or earlier; to cause to develop or progress more quickly
142. commercial j\_t     *n.* a type of aircraft that is powered by one or more jet engines and can fly at high speeds, typically over long distances

ANSWERS: 137. committed, 138. economy, 139. individual, 140. industrious, 141. accelerate, 142. jet

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ truck arrived with the packages.  
*n.* the act of taking or sending something to a destination; the bringing of a baby during childbirth
  
2. Understanding unitary \_\_\_\_\_ of a normal matrix require considerable mathematical sophistication.  
*n.* a complete change in form, nature, or appearance of someone or something
  
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ for applying for a visa can be lengthy and complicated.  
*n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products
  
4. We want to \_\_\_\_\_ you to our annual charity event.  
*v.* to ask someone to come or join; to offer an opportunity or possibility for something to happen or take place
  
5. This machine is too difficult to \_\_\_\_\_ for me.  
*v.* to work in a particular way; to supervise something
  
6. The findings of the experiment were both \_\_\_\_\_ and unexpected.  
*adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement
  
7. We use adverbs to \_\_\_\_\_ verbs and adjectives.  
*v.* to change something slightly, such as a plan, option, law, etc., especially to make it more suitable for a particular purpose

ANSWERS: 1. delivery, 2. transformations, 3. process, 4. invite, 5. operate, 6. exciting, 7. modify

8. One of the main \_\_\_\_\_ of the new product is its increased efficiency.  
*n.* a condition or circumstance that puts one in a favorable or superior position; a beneficial feature or asset that someone or something has
9. The \_\_\_\_ flew over the ocean at high speed, reaching its destination in hours.  
*n.* a type of aircraft that is powered by one or more jet engines and can fly at high speeds, typically over long distances
10. My homework was \_\_\_\_\_ and complex, but it was also intriguing.  
*adj.* looking challenging to manage in prospect; making someone anxious and less confident about carrying out something
11. He slightly modified the \_\_\_\_\_ of training because it was just before a match.  
*n.* the entire length of something, such as time or space from beginning to end; the amount of space that something covers
12. The majority of synthetic vitamins are \_\_\_\_\_ from oil.  
*v.* to make goods in large numbers, usually in a factory using machines
13. His professional experience includes all \_\_\_\_\_ of media production.  
*n.* one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.
14. The project's \_\_\_\_\_ made it difficult for the team to complete it on time.  
*n.* the state or quality of being complicated or intricate and difficult to understand
15. At this ceremony, We will \_\_\_\_\_ allegiance to the country's flag.  
*v.* to make a formal promise to give or do something
16. The optimal solution that would \_\_\_\_\_ all these elements has yet to be proposed.  
*v.* to surround or cover something completely; to include a large number of or different types of things entirely

ANSWERS: 8. advantages, 9. jet, 10. daunting, 11. span, 12. manufactured, 13. aspects, 14. complexity, 15. pledge, 16. encompass

17. 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

18. The military \_\_\_\_\_ between the two countries created tension in the international community.

*n.* the state of a cooperative relationship between people or groups, especially in business

19. I claim on my \_\_\_\_\_ that it is true.

*n.* high regard or great respect for someone; the quality of having and doing based on a keen sense of morality; (verb) to show respect towards someone

20. 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

21. The \_\_\_\_\_ aroma of freshly baked bread drew me into the bakery.

*adj.* having an attractive or tempting quality that draws people in; encouraging or alluring in a way that makes people want to take part or participate

22. We destroyed a \_\_\_\_\_ of 70 enemy ships.

*n.* a group of military ships, aircraft, etc., operating together under the same ownership; (adjective) moving very fast

23. Most countries prohibit sexual activity between certain close \_\_\_\_\_.

*adj.* considered and evaluated through comparison with something else

ANSWERS: 17. invest, 18. partnership, 19. honor, 20. announcement, 21. inviting, 22. fleet, 23. relatives

24. Our company is strongly \_\_\_\_\_ to meeting customers' needs.

*adj.* willing to put in a lot of effort, time, and energy into something; firmly believing in something

25. 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

26. The researchers presented \_\_\_\_\_ evidence to support their claims rather than relying on conjecture.

*adj.* having a firm basis in reality and therefore important, meaningful, or substantial; having a significant or worthwhile effect or influence

27. The \_\_\_\_\_ on my bike broke, leaving me stranded.

*n.* a series of connected links or objects; a system or group of interconnected elements; a restraint or shackle

28. We want to \_\_\_\_\_ ties between our two countries.

*v.* to make or become better

29. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the country is struggling due to the recent political instability.

*n.* the system by which a country or region produces manages, and distributes goods and services, including the money and finances involved in these activities; (of an airline) the lowest-priced, most basic option for seating in commercial travel

30. We had a \_\_\_\_\_ time yesterday.

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

ANSWERS: 24. committed, 25. catalyst, 26. substantive, 27. chain, 28. improve, 29. economy, 30. tremendous



31. Her \_\_\_\_\_ is to be a mother.

*n.* something that is more important than other things and should be dealt with first

32. 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

33. 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

34. There are five distinct \_\_\_\_\_ at five unique wavelengths.

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

35. I'm strongly \_\_\_\_\_ to that plan.

*adj.* being completely different from something or disagreeing strongly with something

36. 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

37. Doctors are gradually coming around to the idea of using \_\_\_\_\_ medicines.

*n.* one of two or more available possibilities or choice

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

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

ANSWERS: 31. priority, 32. decision, 33. sector, 34. emissions, 35. opposed, 36. government, 37. alternative, 38. renewable

39. The government tried to \_\_\_\_\_ the commercialization of this development.  
*v.* to make something faster or earlier; to cause to develop or progress more quickly
40. The \_\_\_\_\_ industry has been affected by the rise of online shopping.  
*n.* the sale of goods or services to consumers, especially in small quantities, either directly to the end customer or through retail outlets
41. \_\_\_\_\_ elections were held in several European countries.  
*adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
42. As an \_\_\_\_\_ he had the right to make his own decisions and live his life as he saw fit.  
*n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
43. Their company has been in business for a short time but has \_\_\_\_\_ goals.  
*adj.* having a great desire to attain achievement, power, or wealth
44. 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
45. The company has made great strides in its \_\_\_\_\_ toward sustainability.  
*n.* the act or process of changing to the next stage or phase or moving forward
46. Many multinational companies are \_\_\_\_\_ in the reconstruction of that country.  
*v.* to attract and keep someone's attention and interest; to participate in or obtain services of something

ANSWERS: 39. accelerate, 40. retail, 41. Communal, 42. individual, 43. ambitious, 44. carbon, 45. progression, 46. engaged

47. The nation's healthcare system is in \_\_\_\_\_ at the moment.  
*n.* the process or period of changing from one state or circumstance to another
48. Every human is responsible for taking care of the Earth's \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the natural world such as air, water, and land in which humans, animals, and plants live
49. \_\_\_\_\_ a society is an organism.  
*adv.* relating to the essential features or concepts of anything
50. The \_\_\_\_ scarcity most severely impacted the manufacturing sector  
*n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
51. A smaller car will \_\_\_\_\_ less fuel.  
*v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
52. The salmon swims upstream to \_\_\_\_\_ in the place they were released.  
*v.* to lay eggs or to produce offspring; to cause something to develop
53. \_\_\_\_\_ and weather have an impact on every part of our lifestyles.  
*n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
54. It was the first time for her, but she \_\_\_\_\_ the role of Priest.  
*v.* to meet the requirements or expectations; to achieve or realize
55. The government should do more to support environmentally \_\_\_\_\_ agriculture.  
*adj.* able to continue or be continued for a long time

ANSWERS: 47. transition, 48. environment, 49. Essentially, 50. fuel, 51. consume, 52. spawn, 53. Climate, 54. fulfilled, 55. sustainable

56. The company faced several \_\_\_\_\_ in the development of its new product.  
*n.* a barrier or obstacle that must be overcome
57. We need to \_\_\_\_\_ the aspect of his personality from the part of his competence when making an investment decision.  
*v.* to force, take, or pull apart; mark as different
58. The \_\_\_\_\_ chip in my credit card allows me to make contactless payments.  
*adj.* fixed firmly into the surface of something
59. We choose transportation that has a smaller carbon \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a mark of a foot, shoe, or animal's foot left on a surface
60. He was known to be very \_\_\_\_\_ and would often work late into the night.  
*adj.* hardworking, diligent, and persistent in effort
61. 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
62. He imposed a \_\_\_\_\_ on the project.  
*n.* a series of events arranged in chronological order and displayed along a line, usually drawn left to right or top to bottom
63. He was impressed by the range and \_\_\_\_\_ of the collection.  
*n.* the quality or fact of many different types of things or people being included in something; a range of different things or people
64. The \_\_\_\_\_ mountain range was a sight to behold.  
*adj.* impressive or grand in appearance, size, or manner; stately

ANSWERS: 56. hurdles, 57. separate, 58. embedded, 59. footprint, 60. industrious, 61. infrastructure, 62. timeline, 63. diversity, 64. majestic

65. Extensive areas of \_\_\_\_\_ plants are usually called marsh.

*adj.* starting to exist or view, or to become known

66. The vegetarian burger was an \_\_\_\_\_ that quickly spread to the United Kingdom.

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

67. The \_\_\_\_\_ approach to healthcare considers the person's physical, mental, and emotional well-being.

*adj.* relating to or dealing with the whole of something rather than just its parts

68. The company implemented a new software system to \_\_\_\_\_ employee communication and collaboration.

*v.* to make something easier or more likely to happen

69. The product developed through years of research continues to \_\_\_\_\_ the market.

*v.* to make a machine or system work by using electricity; to make someone extremely enthusiastic about or interested in something

70. The golfer recorded an \_\_\_\_\_ distance.

*adj.* extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire

71. The news of her promotion \_\_\_\_\_ her.

*v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager

ANSWERS: 65. emergent, 66. innovation, 67. holistic, 68. facilitate, 69. electrify, 70. amazing, 71. excited