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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### holy

*adj.* of or related to a god, divine power, or a particular religion

*synonym* : sacred, religious, divine

(1) a **holy** man, (2) a **holy** shrine

They gathered to hear the **holy** teachings of the guru.

### papal

*adj.* relating to the pope (= the head of the Roman Catholic Church) or the Roman Catholic Church

*synonym* : pontifical, papistic, apostolical

(1) **papal** authority, (2) **papal** visit

The **papal** palace was a grand and imposing structure.

### countdown

*n.* a counting sequence leading up to an event, often marked by a series of signals or cues, also used as a term to describe the final stages leading up to a major event or deadline

*synonym* : timer

(1) **countdown** clock, (2) wedding **countdown**

The **countdown** to launch began as the astronauts prepared for their mission.

## launch

*v.* to send or propel something into the air or space using a device such as a rocket, missile, or spacecraft; to make something available or on sale for the first time

*synonym* : start, initiate, begin

(1) **launch** a spaceship into orbit, (2) **launch** a big attack

The company is set to **launch** its new product line next month.

## 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.

## 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.

## 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.

## 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.

## highlight

v. to make something prominent, mainly so that people give it more attention

*synonym*: feature, emphasize, stress

(1) **highlight** a string in red, (2) **highlight** an important difference

The introduction **highlighted** the speaker's distinguished career as a consultant

## 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**.

## ignore

v. to intentionally not listen or pay attention to

*synonym*: neglect, disregard, shun

(1) **ignore** her advice, (2) **ignore** a ban

Since independence, the area has been completely **ignored**.

## suffer

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

*synonym*: endure, undergo, tolerate

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

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

## 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.

## abuse

*n.* the use of something in an incorrect or harmful manner  
*synonym*: misuse, misconduct, vilification

(1) the problem of drug **abuse**, (2) victim of sexual **abuse**  
Our company has an audit team that monitors directors for **abuse** of authority.

## planet

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

*synonym*: earth, world, globe

(1) **planet** like the Earth, (2) save the **planet**  
Mercury is the closest **planet** to the sun.

## engaging

*adj.* attracting, pleasant, or charming

*synonym*: alluring, interesting, engrossing

(1) **engaging** story, (2) an **engaging** smile  
She was disbarred for her **engaging** in fraud.

## 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.

## precision

*n.* the quality or condition of being exact and accurate

*synonym*: accuracy, exactness, rigor

(1) a **precision** instrument, (2) speak with **precision**  
This operation requires both patience and **precision**.

## urgent

*adj.* requiring immediate attention or action; pressing

*synonym*: pressing, critical, immediate

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

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

## dram

*n.* a small unit of weight used for measuring liquids, particularly whiskey and other alcoholic beverages

*synonym*: drachm, whisky, scotch

(1) have not one **dram** of learning, (2) scotch **dram**

He poured himself a **dram** of whiskey to relax after a long day at work.

## radical

*adj.* relating to the essential aspects of anything; far beyond the norm, mainly used of opinions and actions

*synonym*: extreme, revolutionary

(1) a **radical** flaw in the plan, (2) a **radical** cure

The government established by the coup was more **radical** than before.

## catastrophic

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

*synonym*: fatal, disastrous, destructive

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

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

## 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.

## conscience

*n.* a person's inner sense of what is right or wrong in their conduct or motives, viewed as a guide to their behavior

*synonym*: morality, ethics, scruples

(1) inner **conscience**, (2) guilty **conscience**

He couldn't bear the thought of acting against his **conscience**, even if it meant losing the job.

## indifferent

*adj.* having no strong feelings or preferences one way or the other, neutral

*synonym* : apathetic, disinterested, unmoved

(1) an **indifferent** glance, (2) emotionally **indifferent**

Despite the good news, she remained **indifferent** to the situation.

## 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.

## inequality

*n.* the unfairness of a society in which some people have more opportunity, money, etc. than others; (mathematics) relation between two values when they are different

*synonym* : imbalance, prejudice, unfairness

(1) **inequality** in salary, (2) algebraic **inequality**

There are several causes of economic **inequality** within societies.

## injustice

*n.* a violation of the rights of others or the laws of a society

*synonym* : unfairness, bias, discrimination

(1) gross **injustice**, (2) **injustice** system

The **injustice** of the court's decision angered many people and led to protests.

## distribute

*v.* to give something to a large number of individuals, or to spread or furnish something

*synonym* : broadcast, disperse, hand out

(1) **distribute** wealth evenly, (2) **distribute** video content

His estate was **distributed** to his sons.

## dignity

*n.* the quality of being worthy of esteem or respect; high office or rank or station

*synonym* : grace, elegance, nobility

(1) respect for human **dignity**, (2) retain everyone's **dignity**

The failure destroyed his trust and personal **dignity**.

## creative

*adj.* relating to or involving the use of skill and original and unusual ideas to create something

*synonym* : imaginative, innovative, inventive

(1) **creative** writing, (2) barren of **creative** spirit

All the supervisor has to do is assign tasks that make his subordinates more **creative**.

## 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.

## 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.

## 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.

## shift

*n.* a slight transition in position, direction, or trend

*synonym* : transition, change, modification

(1) Doppler **shift**, (2) major paradigm **shift**

Could you help me **shift** some furniture?

## overcome

v. to succeed in controlling or dealing with something, such as a problem or difficulty; to defeat or overwhelm someone

*synonym*: beat, confound, overwhelm

(1) **overcome** opponents, (2) **overcome** all difficulties

He tried to **overcome** a bad reputation and win the election.

## persuade

v. to convince or induce someone to do something by presenting a reason or argument; to sway or influence someone's decision or opinion

*synonym*: convince, influence, sway

(1) attempt to **persuade**, (2) **persuade** enough people

She tried to **persuade** her brother to join her on the trip, but he was too busy with work.

## doubt

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

*synonym*: distrust, suspect, mistrust

(1) dispel **doubts**, (2) no **doubt** about the news

**Doubt** is the start, not the end, of intelligence.

## commit

v. to do something illegal or wrong

*synonym*: engage, carry out, execute

(1) **commit** suicide, (2) **commit** mistakes

The military has **committed** an abuse of human rights.

## compromise

v. to settle a problem or disagreement by mutual concession

*synonym*: agree, settle, negotiate

(1) **compromise** the matter, (2) cannot **compromise** anymore

They never **compromised** on development despite the lack of funds.



## possibility

*n.* a chance that something may happen or be true  
*synonym*: chance, prospect, likelihood

(1) **possibility** for growth, (2) **possibility** of a major earthquake

The **possibility** of getting the disease will drastically increase.

## faith

*n.* complete trust in something or someone's ability or knowledge; a strong belief in religion, divine power, etc.  
*synonym*: belief, trust, confidence

(1) religious **faith**, (2) **faith** in government

He kept his robust **faith** in his company.

## Christ

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

*synonym*: Savior, Jesus Christ, Jesus

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

**Christmas** is the day to celebrate the birth of Christ.

## embark

*v.* to go on board a ship or plane; to set out on an enterprise or subject of study; to start something

*synonym*: enter, undertake, commence

(1) **embark** on a trip, (2) **embark** on a foolish adventure

We **embarked** on a new project.

## intention

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

*synonym*: purpose, connotation, will

(1) **intention** behind his decision, (2) clear **intention**

Our CEO's **intentions** are always transparent and straightforward.

## goodwill

*n.* a friendly or cooperative attitude or feeling between people, businesses, or nations; the reputation or value that a business, organization, or brand has in the community

*synonym*: friendliness, rapport, amity

(1) **goodwill** gesture, (2) **goodwill** ambassador

The CEO's **goodwill** toward employees was apparent when he thanked every one of them.

## 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.

## 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.

## association

*n.* a people or groups of people who have joined in a single organization together for a particular purpose; a social or business connection or relationship

*synonym*: affiliation, collaboration, society

(1) word **associations**, (2) a scholarship **association**

His membership in the **association** provided him with numerous benefits.

## institutionalize

*v.* to establish or make something a part of an institution (= a place such as a university, hospital, etc.)

*synonym*: formalize, establish, regularize

(1) **institutionalize** a system, (2) **institutionalize** customary laws

The new policy aims to **institutionalize** the use of renewable energy sources.

## substantial

*adj.* fairly large in size, value, or importance

*synonym*: significant, notable, actual

(1) a **substantial** amount of capital, (2) have a **substantial** meal

The pandemic was a **substantial** business opportunity for certain companies.

## contribution

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

*synonym*: donation, gift, offering

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

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

## encyclical

*n.* a letter or message, typically written by a pope or the Roman Catholic Church, intended for widespread distribution among the clergy or laypeople; a circular or official communication on a particular topic or issue

*synonym*: papal letter, pastoral letter, encycle

(1) **encyclical** letter, (2) Catholic **encyclical**

The pope's **encyclical** addressed important environmental issues affecting the world today.

## dedicate

*v.* to give all of your energy, time, etc., entirely to a specific person, activity, or cause; to set apart for a particular purpose or use

*synonym*: consecrate, devote, commit

(1) **dedicate** a few hours, (2) **dedicate** a chapter to the subject

He **dedicated** his life to helping others.

## propose

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

*synonym*: suggest, offer, recommend

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

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

## concept

*n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract  
*synonym*: idea, notion, vision

(1) learn new **concepts**, (2) **concept** car

One such rapidly growing **concept** is quantum cryptography.

## integral

*adj.* necessary to make a whole complete; essential, or fundamental; combining with something else to form a whole; (noun, of mathematics) a fundamental concept in calculus that represents the area under a curve between two points on a graph

*synonym*: essential, fundamental, indispensable

(1) **integral** function, (2) **integral** component

Effective communication is an **integral** part of any successful team.

## ecology

*n.* the study of the relationships between living organisms, including humans, and their physical environment

(1) science of **ecology**, (2) the **ecology** of the island

Many companies are now enthusiastically embracing the knowledge of **ecology** for sustainable development.

## invitation

*n.* a spoken or written request to participate or be present or take part in something

*synonym*: request, asking, proposal

(1) a letter of **invitation**, (2) **invitation** of foreign investment

I will be very happy to accept your **invitation**.

## vision

*n.* the ability to think about or see the future with imagination and intelligence; the faculty of being able to see

*synonym*: sight, image, concept

(1) a prodigious **vision**, (2) telescopic **vision**

Driving is difficult for me because of my poor **vision**.

## conviction

*n.* a strong belief or opinion, especially one that is based on principles or evidence; (criminal law) a final judgment of guilty in a criminal case and the punishment that is

imposed

*synonym*: belief, certainty, faith

(1) moral **conviction**, (2) **conviction** for murder

She spoke with **conviction** about the importance of education.

## interdependent

*adj.* depending on each other; mutually reliant or interconnected

*synonym*: interconnected, interrelated, mutual

(1) **interdependent** systems, (2) develop **interdependent** skills

In nature, all living things are **interdependent** and rely on each other for survival.

## stem

*n.* the central part of something from which other parts can develop or grow; the part of a word common to all its inflected variants; (verb) to grow out of, have roots in, or originate in

*synonym*: branch, limb, (verb) come from

(1) **stem** from a belief, (2) the **stem** of a matchstick

A rose has thorns on its **stem**.

## define

*v.* to state or explain precisely the nature, scope, or meaning of something

*synonym*: characterize, depict, express

(1) **define** a word, (2) **define** my position

To advance this discussion, we must **define** "success" rigorously.

## 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.

## technological

*adj.* based on scientific and industrial progress

*synonym* : specialized, technical

(1) **technological** advancement, (2) **technological** policy

**Technological** advances have disrupted many industries.

## gross

*adj.* being the total amount of something before any deductions; obese and ugly or unpleasant

*synonym* : before tax, total, abhorrent

(1) the **gross** amount, (2) **gross** injustice

The drastic reorganization has significantly increased this company's **gross** profits.

## 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.

## relevance

*n.* the state or degree of being closely connected or appropriate to the matter at hand

*synonym* : pertinence, applicability, connection

(1) have no **relevance**, (2) **relevance** category

The **relevance** of this information to the current situation needs to be investigated.

## ethical

*adj.* of or relating to principles about what is right and wrong, or the branch of knowledge dealing with these

*synonym* : honorable, moral, virtuous

(1) an **ethical** doctrine, (2) shoulder **ethical** responsibility

The president must have the highest **ethical** standards.

## educational

*adj.* relating to education or providing knowledge or instruction

*synonym* : instructional, informative, enlightening

(1) **educational** system, (2) elevate **educational** standards

The museum offers a variety of **educational** programs for children and adults.

## dimension

*n.* a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length

*synonym*: extent, measurement, size

(1) new **dimension**, (2) the crosswise **dimension**

Overall **dimensions** are approximately 400x200mm.

## orientation

*n.* a person's basic attitudes, beliefs, and preferences about particular things; a course introducing a new situation or environment

*synonym*: direction, introduction, frontage

(1) sexual **orientation**, (2) the school **orientation**

There will be an **orientation** lecture for new students this afternoon.

## promote

*v.* to encourage or persuade people to like, buy, use, do, or support something; to raise someone to a higher position or rank

*synonym*: boost, raise, advertise

(1) **promote** a better relationship, (2) **promote** bad behavior

The government should do more to **promote** sustainable agribusiness.

## gear

*n.* a toothed wheel that engages another toothed mechanism to change the speed or direction of transmitted motion; a set of tools, equipment, or other items for a particular purpose

*synonym*: equipment, tools, apparatus

(1) sports **gear**, (2) a **gear** change lever

She checked her **gear** before embarking on the hike.

## 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.

## encourage

v. to give someone support, confidence, or hope; to persuade someone to do or continue to do something by making it easier for them and making them believe it is a good thing to do

*synonym*: facilitate, persuade, stimulate

(1) **encourage** a sense of affinity, (2) **encourage** antisocial behavior

They **encouraged** customers with a premium for loyal patronage.

## awareness

n. the fact or state of knowing something exists and is important

*synonym*: understanding, cognition, knowledge

(1) **awareness** of my ignorance, (2) raise public **awareness**

There has been a gradual but steady rise in environmental **awareness**.

## defend

v. to protect someone or something from attack, criticism, danger, etc.

*synonym*: protect, guard, support

(1) **defend** my country, (2) **defend** against a threat

International law allows each nation to **defend** itself when its rights and interests are illegally violated.

## proposal

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

*synonym*: offer, suggestion, proposition

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

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



## nutrition

*n.* the substances or the process that organisms take into their bodies as food for their growth and health

*synonym* : alimentation, nourishment, sustenance

(1) **nutrition** condition, (2) **nutrition** intake

This food contains all the **nutrition** your dog requires.

## essential

*adj.* indispensable; fundamental

*synonym* : critical, crucial, basic

(1) **essential** amino acid, (2) **essential** commodities of life

Trial and error is an **essential** part of education.

## universal

*adj.* existing or affecting everywhere or everyone

*synonym* : common, broad, worldwide

(1) **universal** life, (2) principles of **universal** design

The picture earned near- **universal** acclaim from critics.

## determinant

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

*synonym* : cause, factor, element

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

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

## survival

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

*synonym* : endurance, continuity

(1) **survival** ability, (2) **survival** food

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

## responsible

*adj.* answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management

*synonym* : accountable, answerable, liable

(1) **responsible** action, (2) **responsible** for a customer service

She's a **responsible** pet owner who ensures her dog gets enough exercise and a healthy diet.

## adequate

*adj.* enough, acceptable, satisfactory for a particular purpose or need

*synonym* : enough, acceptable, able

(1) **adequate** parking facilities, (2) provide **adequate** funding

This argument is still not **adequate**.

## destructive

*adj.* causing or able to cause tremendous and irreparable damage

*synonym* : destroying, harmful, disastrous

(1) lead to **destructive** behavior, (2) a habit **destructive** to health

It was the most **destructive** storm in decades.

## cycle

*n.* an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle

*synonym* : revolution, rotation, bike

(1) the **cycle** of the seasons, (2) go to the workplace by **cycle**

The food chain causes a material **cycle**.

## 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.

## gradual

*adj.* happening slowly over a long period of time or distance; not steep or abrupt

*synonym* : incremental, gradational, piecemeal

(1) a **gradual** process, (2) a **gradual** change

The country experienced a **gradual** increase in population.

## replacement

*n.* the act of replacing something with something else, especially that is newer or better; a person or thing that takes or can take the place of another

*synonym* : alternate, substitute, backup

(1) regular **replacement** of tires, (2) **replacement** cost

We demand his **replacement**.

## delay

*v.* to cause something to happen at a later time than originally intended or expected

*synonym* : block, adjourn, detain

(1) **delay** a flight three hours, (2) **delay** the new project

We **delayed** the payment because of an incorrect invoice.

## fossil

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

*synonym* : relic, remnant, antediluvian

(1) burning of **fossil** fuels, (2) a **fossil** leaf

It was the **fossil** of a dinosaur tooth.

## fuel

*n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy

*synonym* : energy, power, gas

(1) biomass **fuel**, (2) smokeless **fuel**

The **fuel** scarcity most severely impacted the manufacturing sector

## estimate

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

*synonym* : calculate, gauge, evaluate

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

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

## approximately

*adv.* close to a specific number or time but not exactly that number or time

*synonym* : about, around, roughly

(1) **approximately** 3 feet long, (2) **approximately** same  
This trail takes **approximately** 2.5 hours.

## drastic

*adj.* radical and extreme; likely to have a significant or far-reaching impact

*synonym* : extreme, fierce, radical

(1) **drastic** measures, (2) make **drastic** revision

The global community is undergoing **drastic** changes at present.

## greenhouse

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

*synonym* : conservatory

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

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

## emission

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

*synonym* : emanation, radiation, discharge

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

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

## atmosphere

*n.* the mass of air that surrounds the Earth; the pervading tone or mood of a place, situation, or creative work

*synonym* : air, ambiance, circumstances

(1) carbon dioxide in the **atmosphere**, (2) a convivial **atmosphere**

The spaceship began to burn up as it approached the Earth's **atmosphere**.

## 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.

## exclude

v. to deny someone or something enter to a place or taking part in an activity

*synonym*: expel, ban, bar

(1) **exclude** a newcomer, (2) **exclude** all other possibilities

The cost for the trip **excludes** food and beverages.

## 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.

## parameter

n. a numerical or other measurable factors that characterize a system or set of data

*synonym*: factor, variable, characteristic

(1) **parameter** estimation, (2) **parameter** tuning

The temperature range was one of the critical **parameters** we had to consider when designing the experiment.

## reward

n. a thing given in acknowledgment of service, hard work, achievement, etc.

*synonym*: compensation, gratuity, bonus

(1) the **reward** for good works, (2) shopping **rewards** cards

Night fishing has a lot of **rewards**.

## phase

n. any stage in a series of events, change, or development

*synonym*: degree, stage, step

(1) enter on the last **phase**, (2) two- **phase** structure

The era of the industrial revolution was a crucial **phase** of history.

## sustainable

*adj.* able to continue or be continued for a long time  
*synonym* : continuable, endurable, tolerable

(1) **sustainable** alternative fuel, (2) principles of **sustainable** development

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

## Catholic

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

(1) **catholic** in his tastes, (2) the **Catholic** Church

Sociologists are now interested in **catholic** world peace.

## nurse

*n.* a healthcare professional who is trained to provide care for the sick or injured; (verb) to try to cure by special care or treatment of an illness or injury

*synonym* : healthcare worker, caregiver, medic

(1) **nurse** practitioner, (2) a volunteer **nurse**

The night shift **nurse** checked my vital signs before administering the medication.

## cult

*n.* a small religious group, especially one that is not part of a larger religion and that is regarded as outside the norm; followers of an exclusive system of beliefs and practices

*synonym* : sect, faith, religion

(1) **cult** members, (2) **cult's** practices

The **cult** leader promised his followers that they would achieve enlightenment if they followed his teachings.

## squeeze

*v.* to apply pressure from two or more sides; to hold someone or something tightly in your arms, usually with fondness

*synonym* : compress, crush, clamp

(1) **squeeze** a lemon, (2) **squeeze** a confession

She **squeezed** the toothpaste tube from the middle to get the last bit out.

## integrate

*v.* to combine one thing with another so that they form a whole or work together; to accept equal participation for members of all races and ethnic groups

*synonym* : mix, merge, combine

(1) **integrate** into the existing system, (2) **integrate** both businesses

He found that it is difficult to **integrate** socially.

## moral

*adj.* concerned with the principles of what is right and wrong, fairness, honesty, etc.

*synonym* : honest, ethical, conscientious

(1) **moral** hazard, (2) **moral** burden

Ethics deals with **moral** conduct.

## imperative

*adj.* very important or requiring attention or action

*synonym* : compulsory, binding, critical

(1) moral **imperative**, (2) **imperative** need

It is **imperative** for politicians to be effective communicators.

## practical

*adj.* of or connected with actual use or real situation rather than with theory and ideas

*synonym* : applicable, functional, realistic

(1) **practical** English, (2) gain **practical** experience

Her concept is highly **practical** and helpful.

## urgency

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

*synonym* : importance, importunity, urging

(1) **urgency** in the use of force, (2) matter of **urgency**

She departed hurriedly because of some significant **urgency** in their affairs.

## rethink

*v.* to consider again a plan, idea, etc., especially to change it

*synonym* : reexplore, review, reconsider

(1) **rethink** a marketing plan, (2) **rethink** the role of the manager

We have to **rethink** our company's product lineup for further growth.

## 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.

## exploitation

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

*synonym*: victimization, development, using

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

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

## indifference

*n.* a lack of interest, enthusiasm, or sympathy towards someone or something

*synonym*: apathy, disinterest, unconcern

(1) **indifference** to pain, (2) general **indifference**

I tried to assume an air of **indifference**.

## conception

*n.* a general idea or belief of what something or someone is like or should be; an understanding of a situation or a principle

*synonym*: notion, abstraction, cogitation

(1) a grand **conception**, (2) the **conception** of the good

I have no **conception** of what you intend.

## relation

*n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another

*synonym*: association, linkage, connection

(1) **relation** between cause and effect, (2) **relation** of inclusion

The industrial **relations** laws were passed with little to no



alteration.

## wealth

*n.* a large amount of money, property, or other things that someone or an organization owns

*synonym*: affluence, assets, fortunate

(1) majority of his **wealth**, (2) material **wealth**

The **wealth** inequality was unavoidable.

## well-being

*n.* the state of being happy and healthy and prosperous

*synonym*: health, welfare, happiness

(1) the **well-being** of a nation, (2) a sense of **well-being**

We are responsible for the care and **well-being** of all our employees.

## 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.

## destruction

*n.* the act of causing so much damage to something

*synonym*: devastation, annihilation, ruin

(1) path of **destruction**, (2) cyclonic **destruction**

The extinction of several subspecies has been linked to climate change and habitat **destruction**.

## imply

*v.* to indicate the truth or existence of something without referring to it

*synonym*: hint, indicate, denote

(1) **imply** a strong correlation, (2) **imply** the presence of alien

The salespeople speak in technical terms to **imply** that they are more knowledgeable than the customer.

## renew

*v.* to begin or resume something again after an interruption

*synonym*: renovate, restore, revitalize

(1) **renew** a contract, (2) **renew** its corporate image

I have to **renew** my passport by the middle of September.

## conceive

*v.* to have or develop an idea, a plan, etc. in mind; to become pregnant

*synonym*: imagine, envision, concoct

(1) **conceive** of an idea, (2) **conceive** a child

I can't **conceive** he'd want to harm us.

## charity

*n.* an organization that helps people in need, especially by providing food, shelter, or money; a kindly and sympathetic attitude toward people

*synonym*: philanthropy, benevolence, generosity

(1) **charity** work, (2) ask **charity**

She volunteers at a local **charity** every weekend to help those in need.

## interpersonal

*adj.* connected with relationships between people

*synonym*: social

(1) communication and **interpersonal** skills,

(2) **interpersonal** situations

**Interpersonal** rejection and acceptance are both psychologically significant events.

## involve

*v.* to include or affect someone or something as a necessary part of something else

*synonym*: implicate, include, engage

(1) **involve** a lot of paperwork, (2) **involve** a high degree of risk

The investigation **involves** several government agencies and is expected to take several months.

## tutti

*n.* a musical term used to indicate that all instruments or voices are to play or sing together; the section of a musical composition where all instruments or voices are playing simultaneously

*synonym*: all, together, harmony

(1) **tutti** line, (2) **tutti** orchestra

The choir sang **tutti** in harmony during the chorus.

## isolation

*n.* the condition of being alone or lonely; the act or state of separation between persons or groups

*synonym*: aloneness, seclusion, separateness

(1) **isolation** booth, (2) the country's **isolation**

That incident led to his **isolation**.

## harmony

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

*synonym*: balance, accord, congruence

(1) a **harmony** of colors, (2) break a **harmony**

We worked in perfect **harmony**.

## Session 2: Spelling

1. env\_\_\_\_\_nt affairs  
*n.* the natural world such as air, water, and land in which humans, animals, and plants live
2. hi\_\_\_\_\_ic accomplishment  
*adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so
3. re\_\_w a contract  
*v.* to begin or resume something again after an interruption
4. have a sub\_\_\_\_\_al meal  
*adj.* fairly large in size, value, or importance
5. financial cr\_\_\_\_s  
*n.* a time of great disagreement, confusion, or danger when problems must be resolved or critical decisions must be taken
6. gain pr\_\_\_\_\_al experience  
*adj.* of or connected with actual use or real situation rather than with theory and ideas
7. chaotic env\_\_\_\_\_nt  
*n.* the natural world such as air, water, and land in which humans, animals, and plants live
8. global em\_\_\_\_\_ons of greenhouse gases  
*n.* the act of production or sending out gas, heat, light, etc.
9. in\_\_\_\_t in stocks  
*v.* to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result
10. save the pl\_\_\_\_t  
*n.* any of the nine large celestial bodies that circle in the solar system; any celestial body that revolves around a star

ANSWERS: 1. environment, 2. historic, 3. renew, 4. substantial, 5. crisis, 6. practical, 7. environment, 8. emission, 9. invest, 10. planet

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| 11. pro_____on of civilization     | <i>n.</i> the act or process of changing to the next stage or phase or moving forward  |
| 12. co_____al combination of funds | <i>adj.</i> belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use  |
| 13. hi_____ht a string in red      | <i>v.</i> to make something prominent, mainly so that people give it more attention  |
| 14. de____d against a threat       | <i>v.</i> to protect someone or something from attack, criticism, danger, etc.   |
| 15. dis_____te video content       | <i>v.</i> to give something to a large number of individuals, or to spread or furnish something  |
| 16. edu_____al system              | <i>adj.</i> relating to education or providing knowledge or instruction  |
| 17. a grand con_____on             | <i>n.</i> a general idea or belief of what something or someone is like or should be; an understanding of a situation or a principle                               |
| 18. ad_____te parking facilities   | <i>adj.</i> enough, acceptable, satisfactory for a particular purpose or need  |
| 19. ca_____ic in his tastes        | <i>adj.</i> universal and including many different types of things; related to or associated with the part of the Christian Church that has the Pope as its leader |
| 20. a ra_____l flaw in the plan    | <i>adj.</i> relating to the essential aspects of anything; far beyond the norm, mainly used of opinions and actions  |
| 21. a det_____nt of crop yields    | <i>n.</i> a factor, circumstance, or condition that contributes to the shaping, influencing, or determining of a particular outcome or result                      |

ANSWERS: 11. progression, 12. communal, 13. highlight, 14. defend, 15. distribute, 16. educational, 17. conception, 18. adequate, 19. Catholic, 20. radical, 21. determinant

22. emotionally ind\_\_\_\_\_nt *adj.* having no strong feelings or preferences one way or the other, neutral
23. no do\_\_t about the news *n.* a feeling of being uncertain about something, especially about how good or accurate it is
24. general ind\_\_\_\_\_nce *n.* a lack of interest, enthusiasm, or sympathy towards someone or something
25. religious fa\_\_h *n.* complete trust in something or someone's ability or knowledge; a strong belief in religion, divine power, etc.
26. re\_\_\_\_\_ce category *n.* the state or degree of being closely connected or appropriate to the matter at hand
27. victim of sexual ab\_\_e *n.* the use of something in an incorrect or harmful manner
28. in\_\_\_\_\_ce system *n.* a violation of the rights of others or the laws of a society
29. de\_\_\_e my position *v.* to state or explain precisely the nature, scope, or meaning of something
30. is\_\_\_\_\_on booth *n.* the condition of being alone or lonely; the act or state of separation between persons or groups
31. es\_\_\_\_\_te a fair value *v.* to guess or calculate the cost, size, value, etc. of something
32. ex\_\_\_\_\_e a newcomer *v.* to deny someone or something enter to a place or taking part in an activity

ANSWERS: 22. indifferent, 23. doubt, 24. indifference, 25. faith, 26. relevance, 27. abuse, 28. injustice, 29. define, 30. isolation, 31. estimate, 32. exclude

33. co\_\_\_\_\_t car *n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract
34. sq\_\_\_\_\_e a lemon *v.* to apply pressure from two or more sides; to hold someone or something tightly in your arms, usually with fondness
35. re\_\_w its corporate image *v.* to begin or resume something again after an interruption
36. carbon dioxide in the atm\_\_\_\_\_re *n.* the mass of air that surrounds the Earth; the pervading tone or mood of a place, situation, or creative work
37. sexual ori\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a person's basic attitudes, beliefs, and preferences about particular things; a course introducing a new situation or environment
38. con\_\_\_\_\_ion to society *n.* the act of giving something, especially money, to a particular cause or organization; a voluntary gift as of money or service or ideas made to some worthwhile cause
39. 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
40. aw\_\_\_\_\_ss of my ignorance *n.* the fact or state of knowing something exists and is important
41. su\_\_\_\_\_al ability *n.* the state of continuing to exist or live, frequently in the face of difficulty or danger

ANSWERS: 33. concept, 34. squeeze, 35. renew, 36. atmosphere, 37. orientation, 38. contribution, 39. sector, 40. awareness, 41. survival

42. tec\_\_\_\_\_cal advancement *adj.* based on scientific and industrial progress
43. victim of cat\_\_\_\_\_hic injuries *adj.* extremely harmful; causing physical or financial destruction
44. in\_\_\_\_\_te into the existing system *v.* to combine one thing with another so that they form a whole or work together; to accept equal participation for members of all races and ethnic groups
45. 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
46. 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
47. cast a tra\_\_\_\_\_ion spell *n.* a complete change in form, nature, or appearance of someone or something
48. a prodigious vi\_\_\_\_\_n *n.* the ability to think about or see the future with imagination and intelligence; the faculty of being able to see
49. nu\_\_\_\_\_on intake *n.* the substances or the process that organisms take into their bodies as food for their growth and health
50. 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: 42. technological, 43. catastrophic, 44. integrate, 45. economy, 46. concrete, 47. transformation, 48. vision, 49. nutrition, 50. develop



51. la\_\_\_h a big attack *v.* to send or propel something into the air or space using a device such as a rocket, missile, or spacecraft; to make something available or on sale for the first time
52. exotic plants in a gre\_\_\_\_\_se *n.* a building with walls and roof made chiefly of transparent material, such as glass, for growing plants in
53. an et\_\_\_\_\_l doctrine *adj.* of or relating to principles about what is right and wrong, or the branch of knowledge dealing with these
54. details of his pr\_\_\_\_\_al *n.* a formal suggestion or offer, sometimes a written one
55. app\_\_\_\_\_ely 3 feet long *adv.* close to a specific number or time but not exactly that number or time
56. ind\_\_\_\_\_nce to pain *n.* a lack of interest, enthusiasm, or sympathy towards someone or something
57. en\_\_\_\_\_ng story *adj.* attracting, pleasant, or charming
58. a scholarship ass\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a people or groups of people who have joined in a single organization together for a particular purpose; a social or business connection or relationship
59. the s\_\_\_m of a matchstick *n.* the central part of something from which other parts can develop or grow; the part of a word common to all its inflected variants; (verb) to grow out of, have roots in, or originate in
60. raise public aw\_\_\_\_\_ss *n.* the fact or state of knowing something exists and is important

ANSWERS: 51. launch, 52. greenhouse, 53. ethical, 54. proposal, 55. approximately, 56. indifference, 57. engaging, 58. association, 59. stem, 60. awareness

61. co\_\_\_\_\_e a large of alcohol *v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
62. matter of ur\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* the quality of being very important and needing to be dealt with immediately
63. go\_\_\_\_\_ll ambassador *n.* a friendly or cooperative attitude or feeling between people, businesses, or nations; the reputation or value that a business, organization, or brand has in the community
64. major paradigm sh\_\_t *n.* a slight transition in position, direction, or trend
65. communication and int\_\_\_\_\_nal skills *adj.* connected with relationships between people
66. mo\_\_l hazard *adj.* concerned with the principles of what is right and wrong, fairness, honesty, etc.
67. rep\_\_\_\_\_nt cost *n.* the act of replacing something with something else, especially that is newer or better; a person or thing that takes or can take the place of another
68. two-ph\_\_e structure *n.* any stage in a series of events, change, or development
69. achieve the hi\_\_\_\_\_ic feat *adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so
70. a cold cl\_\_\_\_\_e *n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
71. un\_\_\_\_\_al life *adj.* existing or affecting everywhere or everyone
72. a gr\_\_\_\_\_l process *adj.* happening slowly over a long period of time or distance; not steep or abrupt

ANSWERS: 61. consume, 62. urgency, 63. goodwill, 64. shift, 65. interpersonal, 66. moral, 67. replacement, 68. phase, 69. historic, 70. climate, 71. universal, 72. gradual

73. re\_\_\_\_\_on between cause and effect     *n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
74. nontechnical as\_\_\_\_ts of the job     *n.* one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.
75. scotch d\_\_m     *n.* a small unit of weight used for measuring liquids, particularly whiskey and other alcoholic beverages
76. ig\_\_\_\_e her advice     *v.* to intentionally not listen or pay attention to
77. pa\_\_l visit     *adj.* relating to the pope (= the head of the Roman Catholic Church) or the Roman Catholic Church
78. tu\_\_i orchestra     *n.* a musical term used to indicate that all instruments or voices are to play or sing together; the section of a musical composition where all instruments or voices are playing simultaneously
79. co\_\_\_\_ve of an idea     *v.* to have or develop an idea, a plan, etc. in mind; to become pregnant
80. su\_\_\_\_r a setback     *v.* to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant
81. biomass f\_\_l     *n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
82. the re\_\_\_\_d for good works     *n.* a thing given in acknowledgment of service, hard work, achievement, etc.
83. res\_\_\_\_\_le action     *adj.* answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management

ANSWERS: 73. relation, 74. aspect, 75. dram, 76. ignore, 77. papal, 78. tutti, 79. conceive, 80. suffer, 81. fuel, 82. reward, 83. responsible

84. ind\_\_\_\_\_al freedom *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
85. a h\_\_y shrine *adj.* of or related to a god, divine power, or a particular religion
86. 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
87. in\_\_\_e guests *v.* to ask someone to come or join; to offer an opportunity or possibility for something to happen or take place
88. a volunteer nu\_\_e *n.* a healthcare professional who is trained to provide care for the sick or injured; (verb) to try to cure by special care or treatment of an illness or injury
89. pr\_\_\_\_\_e bad behavior *v.* to encourage or persuade people to like, buy, use, do, or support something; to raise someone to a higher position or rank
90. the cy\_\_e of the seasons *n.* an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle
91. make a positive con\_\_\_\_\_ion *n.* the act of giving something, especially money, to a particular cause or organization; a voluntary gift as of money or service or ideas made to some worthwhile cause
92. in\_\_\_\_\_on behind his decision *n.* something you want to do and are going to do

ANSWERS: 84. individual, 85. holy, 86. develop, 87. invite, 88. nurse, 89. promote, 90. cycle, 91. contribution, 92. intention

93. sus\_\_\_\_\_le alternative fuel *adj.* able to continue or be continued for a long time
94. co\_\_\_\_\_ve a child *v.* to have or develop an idea, a plan, etc. in mind; to become pregnant
95. pr\_\_\_\_\_al English *adj.* of or connected with actual use or real situation rather than with theory and ideas
96. im\_\_y the presence of alien *v.* to indicate the truth or existence of something without referring to it
97. cat\_\_\_\_\_hic climate change *adj.* extremely harmful; causing physical or financial destruction
98. the ec\_\_\_\_\_y of the island *n.* the study of the relationships between living organisms, including humans, and their physical environment
99. app\_\_\_\_\_ely same *adv.* close to a specific number or time but not exactly that number or time
100. shoulder et\_\_\_\_\_l responsibility *adj.* of or relating to principles about what is right and wrong, or the branch of knowledge dealing with these
101. tu\_\_i line *n.* a musical term used to indicate that all instruments or voices are to play or sing together; the section of a musical composition where all instruments or voices are playing simultaneously
102. the school ori\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a person's basic attitudes, beliefs, and preferences about particular things; a course introducing a new situation or environment
103. an en\_\_\_\_\_ng smile *adj.* attracting, pleasant, or charming

ANSWERS: 93. sustainable, 94. conceive, 95. practical, 96. imply, 97. catastrophic, 98. ecology, 99. approximately, 100. ethical, 101. tutti, 102. orientation, 103. engaging

104. ur_____y in the use of force	<i>n.</i> the quality of being very important and needing to be dealt with immediately
105. effects of cl_____e change	<i>n.</i> the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
106. int_____nal situations	<i>adj.</i> connected with relationships between people
107. de__y the new project	<i>v.</i> to cause something to happen at a later time than originally intended or expected
108. a sense of wel_____ng	<i>n.</i> the state of being happy and healthy and prosperous
109. a sub_____al amount of capital	<i>adj.</i> fairly large in size, value, or importance
110. gr__s injustice	<i>adj.</i> being the total amount of something before any deductions; obese and ugly or unpleasant
111. clear in_____on	<i>n.</i> something you want to do and are going to do
112. em___k on a trip	<i>v.</i> to go on board a ship or plane; to set out on an enterprise or subject of study; to start something
113. co___t suicide	<i>v.</i> to do something illegal or wrong
114. principles of un_____al design	<i>adj.</i> existing or affecting everywhere or everyone
115. inv_____on of foreign investment	<i>n.</i> a spoken or written request to participate or be present or take part in something
116. flu pa_____ic	<i>n.</i> an outbreak of a disease that affects many people over a very wide area

ANSWERS: 104. urgency, 105. climate, 106. interpersonal, 107. delay, 108. well-being, 109. substantial, 110. gross, 111. intention, 112. embark, 113. commit, 114. universal, 115. invitation, 116. pandemic

117. es_____al commodities of life	<i>adj.</i> indispensable; fundamental
118. co_____e electricity	<i>v.</i> to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
119. a convivial atm_____re	<i>n.</i> the mass of air that surrounds the Earth; the pervading tone or mood of a place, situation, or creative work
120. as___ts of social, political, and economic life	<i>n.</i> one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.
121. path of des_____on	<i>n.</i> the act of causing so much damage to something
122. su_____al food	<i>n.</i> the state of continuing to exist or live, frequently in the face of difficulty or danger
123. retain everyone's di_____y	<i>n.</i> the quality of being worthy of esteem or respect; high office or rank or station
124. a habit des_____ve to health	<i>adj.</i> causing or able to cause tremendous and irreparable damage
125. pe_____de enough people	<i>v.</i> to convince or induce someone to do something by presenting a reason or argument; to sway or influence someone's decision or opinion
126. respect for human di_____y	<i>n.</i> the quality of being worthy of esteem or respect; high office or rank or station
127. the crosswise di_____on	<i>n.</i> a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length
128. cannot com_____se anymore	<i>v.</i> to settle a problem or disagreement by mutual concession
129. cor_____us antibody test kit	<i>n.</i> 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

ANSWERS: 117. essential, 118. consume, 119. atmosphere, 120. aspect, 121.

destruction, 122. survival, 123. dignity, 124. destructive, 125. persuade, 126. dignity,  
127. dimension, 128. compromise, 129. coronavirus



130. smokeless f\_\_l *n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
131. the gr\_\_s amount *adj.* being the total amount of something before any deductions; obese and ugly or unpleasant
132. a g\_\_r change lever *n.* a toothed wheel that engages another toothed mechanism to change the speed or direction of transmitted motion; a set of tools, equipment, or other items for a particular purpose
133. re\_\_\_\_k the role of the manager *v.* to consider again a plan, idea, etc., especially to change it
134. com\_\_\_\_\_se the matter *v.* to settle a problem or disagreement by mutual concession
135. ensure a smooth tra\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the process or period of changing from one state or circumstance to another
136. im\_\_y a strong correlation *v.* to indicate the truth or existence of something without referring to it
137. ask ch\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* an organization that helps people in need, especially by providing food, shelter, or money; a kindly and sympathetic attitude toward people
138. re\_\_\_\_k a marketing plan *v.* to consider again a plan, idea, etc., especially to change it
139. s\_\_m from a belief *n.* the central part of something from which other parts can develop or grow; the part of a word common to all its inflected variants; (verb) to grow out of, have roots in, or originate in

ANSWERS: 130. fuel, 131. gross, 132. gear, 133. rethink, 134. compromise, 135. transition, 136. imply, 137. charity, 138. rethink, 139. stem

140. wedding co\_\_\_\_\_wn *n.* a counting sequence leading up to an event, often marked by a series of signals or cues, also used as a term to describe the final stages leading up to a major event or deadline
141. the wel\_\_\_\_\_ng of a nation *n.* the state of being happy and healthy and prosperous
142. dr\_\_\_\_\_c measures *adj.* radical and extreme; likely to have a significant or far-reaching impact
143. a letter of inv\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a spoken or written request to participate or be present or take part in something
144. material we\_\_\_\_h *n.* a large amount of money, property, or other things that someone or an organization owns
145. la\_\_\_\_h a spaceship into orbit *v.* to send or propel something into the air or space using a device such as a rocket, missile, or spacecraft; to make something available or on sale for the first time
146. ex\_\_\_\_\_e all other possibilities *v.* to deny someone or something enter to a place or taking part in an activity
147. pa\_\_\_\_\_er estimation *n.* a numerical or other measurable factors that characterize a system or set of data
148. the exp\_\_\_\_\_ion of fossil resources *n.* the process of making some area of land or water more profitable or productive or useful
149. enc\_\_\_\_\_al letter *n.* a letter or message, typically written by a pope or the Roman Catholic Church, intended for widespread distribution among the clergy or laypeople; a circular or official communication on a particular topic or issue

ANSWERS: 140. countdown, 141. well-being, 142. drastic, 143. invitation, 144. wealth, 145. launch, 146. exclude, 147. parameter, 148. exploitation, 149. encyclical

150. in\_\_\_e criticism *v.* to ask someone to come or join; to offer an opportunity or possibility for something to happen or take place
151. enter on the last ph\_\_\_e *n.* any stage in a series of events, change, or development
152. c\_\_\_t's practices *n.* a small religious group, especially one that is not part of a larger religion and that is regarded as outside the norm; followers of an exclusive system of beliefs and practices
153. ov\_\_\_\_\_me opponents *v.* to succeed in controlling or dealing with something, such as a problem or difficulty; to defeat or overwhelm someone
154. co\_\_\_t mistakes *v.* to do something illegal or wrong
155. go\_\_\_\_\_ll gesture *n.* a friendly or cooperative attitude or feeling between people, businesses, or nations; the reputation or value that a business, organization, or brand has in the community
156. shopping re\_\_\_ds cards *n.* a thing given in acknowledgment of service, hard work, achievement, etc.
157. provide ad\_\_\_\_\_te funding *adj.* enough, acceptable, satisfactory for a particular purpose or need
158. a fo\_\_\_l leaf *n.* any preserved remains, impression, or trace of any once-living thing that has become hard and turned into rock
159. de\_\_\_d my country *v.* to protect someone or something from attack, criticism, danger, etc.

ANSWERS: 150. invite, 151. phase, 152. cult, 153. overcome, 154. commit, 155. goodwill, 156. reward, 157. adequate, 158. fossil, 159. defend

160. develop int_____ent skills	<i>adj.</i> depending on each other; mutually reliant or interconnected
161. pro_____on of disease	<i>n.</i> the act or process of changing to the next stage or phase or moving forward
162. sexual exp_____ion	<i>n.</i> the process of making some area of land or water more profitable or productive or useful
163. a ha_____y of colors	<i>n.</i> the combination of simultaneous musical notes to produce a pleasing effect; an attractive combination of related things and their properties
164. ch_____y work	<i>n.</i> an organization that helps people in need, especially by providing food, shelter, or money; a kindly and sympathetic attitude toward people
165. ur_____t situation	<i>adj.</i> requiring immediate attention or action; pressing
166. the con_____on of the good	<i>n.</i> a general idea or belief of what something or someone is like or should be; an understanding of a situation or a principle
167. pr_____e the amendment	<i>v.</i> to make a proposal, declare a plan for something
168. elevate edu_____al standards	<i>adj.</i> relating to education or providing knowledge or instruction
169. in_____al function	<i>adj.</i> necessary to make a whole complete; essential, or fundamental; combining with something else to form a whole; (noun, of mathematics) a fundamental concept in calculus that represents the area under a curve between two points on a graph

ANSWERS: 160. interdependent, 161. progression, 162. exploitation, 163. harmony, 164. charity, 165. urgent, 166. conception, 167. propose, 168. educational, 169. integral

170. learn new co\_\_\_\_\_ts *n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract
171. pos\_\_\_\_\_ty for growth *n.* a chance that something may happen or be true
172. in\_\_\_\_\_te both businesses *v.* to combine one thing with another so that they form a whole or work together; to accept equal participation for members of all races and ethnic groups
173. pa\_\_l authority *adj.* relating to the pope (= the head of the Roman Catholic Church) or the Roman Catholic Church
174. a pr\_\_\_\_\_on instrument *n.* the quality or condition of being exact and accurate
175. mo\_\_l burden *adj.* concerned with the principles of what is right and wrong, fairness, honesty, etc.
176. guilty con\_\_\_\_\_ce *n.* a person's inner sense of what is right or wrong in their conduct or motives, viewed as a guide to their behavior
177. have not one d\_\_m of learning *n.* a small unit of weight used for measuring liquids, particularly whiskey and other alcoholic beverages
178. dispel do\_\_ts *n.* a feeling of being uncertain about something, especially about how good or accurate it is
179. co\_\_\_\_\_al swimming pool *adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
180. sq\_\_\_\_\_e a confession *v.* to apply pressure from two or more sides; to hold someone or something tightly in your arms, usually with fondness

ANSWERS: 170. concept, 171. possibility, 172. integrate, 173. papal, 174. precision, 175. moral, 176. conscience, 177. dram, 178. doubt, 179. communal, 180. squeeze

181. the problem of drug ab\_\_e *n.* the use of something in an incorrect or harmful manner
182. in\_\_\_\_e a lot of paperwork *v.* to include or affect someone or something as a necessary part of something else
183. res\_\_\_\_\_le for a customer service *adj.* answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management
184. tr\_\_\_\_\_rm an education system *v.* to change in outward structure or looks;
185. in\_\_\_t capital *v.* to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result
186. en\_\_\_\_\_ge antisocial behavior *v.* to give someone support, confidence, or hope; to persuade someone to do or continue to do something by making it easier for them and making them believe it is a good thing to do
187. break a ha\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* the combination of simultaneous musical notes to produce a pleasing effect; an attractive combination of related things and their properties
188. ins\_\_\_\_\_ize a system *v.* to establish or make something a part of an institution (= a place such as a university, hospital, etc.)
189. algebraic ine\_\_\_\_\_ty *n.* the unfairness of a society in which some people have more opportunity, money, etc. than others; (mathematics) relation between two values when they are different

ANSWERS: 181. abuse, 182. involve, 183. responsible, 184. transform, 185. invest, 186. encourage, 187. harmony, 188. institutionalize, 189. inequality

190. principles of sus\_\_\_\_\_le  
development
191. telescopic vi\_\_\_n
192. co\_\_\_\_\_te examples
193. science of ec\_\_\_\_\_y
194. a h\_\_y man
195. environmental det\_\_\_\_\_nt
196. the em\_\_\_\_\_on of light
197. new di\_\_\_\_\_on
198. fa\_\_h in government
199. an innovative pr\_\_\_\_\_al
200. tra\_\_\_\_\_on phase
- adj.* able to continue or be continued for a long time
- n.* the ability to think about or see the future with imagination and intelligence; the faculty of being able to see
- 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
- n.* the study of the relationships between living organisms, including humans, and their physical environment
- adj.* of or related to a god, divine power, or a particular religion
- n.* a factor, circumstance, or condition that contributes to the shaping, influencing, or determining of a particular outcome or result
- n.* the act of production or sending out gas, heat, light, etc.
- n.* a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length
- n.* complete trust in something or someone's ability or knowledge; a strong belief in religion, divine power, etc.
- n.* a formal suggestion or offer, sometimes a written one
- n.* the process or period of changing from one state or circumstance to another

ANSWERS: 190. sustainable, 191. vision, 192. concrete, 193. ecology, 194. holy, 195. determinant, 196. emission, 197. dimension, 198. faith, 199. proposal, 200. transition

201. lead to des_____ve behavior	<i>adj.</i> causing or able to cause tremendous and irreparable damage
202. speak with pr_____on	<i>n.</i> the quality or condition of being exact and accurate
203. ig___e a ban	<i>v.</i> to intentionally not listen or pay attention to
204. sports g__r	<i>n.</i> a toothed wheel that engages another toothed mechanism to change the speed or direction of transmitted motion; a set of tools, equipment, or other items for a particular purpose
205. imp_____ve need	<i>adj.</i> very important or requiring attention or action
206. have no re_____ce	<i>n.</i> the state or degree of being closely connected or appropriate to the matter at hand
207. dis_____te wealth evenly	<i>v.</i> to give something to a large number of individuals, or to spread or furnish something
208. go to the workplace by cy__e	<i>n.</i> an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle
209. po_____t area	<i>adj.</i> having the least wealth or resources
210. de_____te a few hours	<i>v.</i> to give all of your energy, time, etc., entirely to a specific person, activity, or cause; to set apart for a particular purpose or use
211. inner con_____ce	<i>n.</i> a person's inner sense of what is right or wrong in their conduct or motives, viewed as a guide to their behavior

ANSWERS: 201. destructive, 202. precision, 203. ignore, 204. gear, 205. imperative, 206. relevance, 207. distribute, 208. cycle, 209. poorest, 210. dedicate, 211. conscience



212. tec\_\_\_\_\_cal policy *adj.* based on scientific and industrial progress
213. cr\_\_\_s management *n.* a time of great disagreement, confusion, or danger when problems must be resolved or critical decisions must be taken
214. nu\_\_\_e practitioner *n.* a healthcare professional who is trained to provide care for the sick or injured; (verb) to try to cure by special care or treatment of an illness or injury
215. the Ca\_\_\_\_\_ic Church *adj.* universal and including many different types of things; related to or associated with the part of the Christian Church that has the Pope as its leader
216. de\_\_\_e a word *v.* to state or explain precisely the nature, scope, or meaning of something
217. nu\_\_\_\_\_on condition *n.* the substances or the process that organisms take into their bodies as food for their growth and health
218. majority of his we\_\_\_h *n.* a large amount of money, property, or other things that someone or an organization owns
219. moral imp\_\_\_\_\_ve *adj.* very important or requiring attention or action
220. regular rep\_\_\_\_\_nt of tires *n.* the act of replacing something with something else, especially that is newer or better; a person or thing that takes or can take the place of another
221. en\_\_\_\_\_ge a sense of affinity *v.* to give someone support, confidence, or hope; to persuade someone to do or continue to do something by making it easier for them and making them believe it is a good thing to do

ANSWERS: 212. technological, 213. crisis, 214. nurse, 215. Catholic, 216. define, 217. nutrition, 218. wealth, 219. imperative, 220. replacement, 221. encourage

222. an ur___t telegram	<i>adj.</i> requiring immediate attention or action; pressing
223. Doppler sh__t	<i>n.</i> a slight transition in position, direction, or trend
224. Catholic enc_____al	<i>n.</i> a letter or message, typically written by a pope or the Roman Catholic Church, intended for widespread distribution among the clergy or laypeople; a circular or official communication on a particular topic or issue
225. in_____e a high degree of risk	<i>v.</i> to include or affect someone or something as a necessary part of something else
226. pr_____e changes	<i>v.</i> to make a proposal, declare a plan for something
227. ins_____ize customary laws	<i>v.</i> to establish or make something a part of an institution (= a place such as a university, hospital, etc.)
228. the country's is_____on	<i>n.</i> the condition of being alone or lonely; the act or state of separation between persons or groups
229. make dr_____c revision	<i>adj.</i> radical and extreme; likely to have a significant or far-reaching impact
230. cor_____us bankruptcy	<i>n.</i> 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

ANSWERS: 222. urgent, 223. shift, 224. encyclical, 225. involve, 226. propose, 227. institutionalize, 228. isolation, 229. drastic, 230. coronavirus

231. co\_\_\_\_\_wn clock *n.* a counting sequence leading up to an event, often marked by a series of signals or cues, also used as a term to describe the final stages leading up to a major event or deadline
232. word ass\_\_\_\_\_ons *n.* a people or groups of people who have joined in a single organization together for a particular purpose; a social or business connection or relationship
233. gross in\_\_\_\_\_ce *n.* a violation of the rights of others or the laws of a society
234. de\_\_y a flight three hours *v.* to cause something to happen at a later time than originally intended or expected
235. cr\_\_\_\_\_ve writing *adj.* relating to or involving the use of skill and original and unusual ideas to create something
236. su\_\_\_r bad grades *v.* to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant
237. tr\_\_\_\_\_rm heat into power *v.* to change in outward structure or looks;
238. con\_\_\_\_\_on for murder *n.* a strong belief or opinion, especially one that is based on principles or evidence; (criminal law) a final judgment of guilty in a criminal case and the punishment that is imposed
239. pos\_\_\_\_\_ty of a major earthquake *n.* a chance that something may happen or be true
240. global pa\_\_\_\_\_ic *n.* an outbreak of a disease that affects many people over a very wide area

ANSWERS: 231. countdown, 232. association, 233. injustice, 234. delay, 235. creative, 236. suffer, 237. transform, 238. conviction, 239. possibility, 240. pandemic

241. de\_\_\_\_\_te a chapter to the subject      *v.* to give all of your energy, time, etc., entirely to a specific person, activity, or cause; to set apart for a particular purpose or use
242. 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
243. emissions of gre\_\_\_\_\_se gases      *n.* a building with walls and roof made chiefly of transparent material, such as glass, for growing plants in
244. re\_\_\_\_\_on of inclusion      *n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
245. a gr\_\_\_\_\_l change      *adj.* happening slowly over a long period of time or distance; not steep or abrupt
246. a ra\_\_\_\_\_l cure      *adj.* relating to the essential aspects of anything; far beyond the norm, mainly used of opinions and actions
247. es\_\_\_\_\_al amino acid      *adj.* indispensable; fundamental
248. attempt to pe\_\_\_\_\_de      *v.* to convince or induce someone to do something by presenting a reason or argument; to sway or influence someone's decision or opinion
249. po\_\_\_\_\_t of the poor      *adj.* having the least wealth or resources
250. ine\_\_\_\_\_ty in salary      *n.* the unfairness of a society in which some people have more opportunity, money, etc. than others; (mathematics) relation between two values when they are different

ANSWERS: 241. dedicate, 242. economy, 243. greenhouse, 244. relation, 245. gradual, 246. radical, 247. essential, 248. persuade, 249. poorest, 250. inequality

251. before Ch\_\_\_t *n.* the man that Christians believe is the prophet and the son of God, and whose life and sermons form the basis for Christianity
252. c\_\_t members *n.* a small religious group, especially one that is not part of a larger religion and that is regarded as outside the norm; followers of an exclusive system of beliefs and practices
253. 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
254. im\_\_\_\_\_e the test score *v.* to make or become better
255. es\_\_\_\_\_te this chicken to weigh three pounds *v.* to guess or calculate the cost, size, value, etc. of something
256. burning of fo\_\_\_l fuels *n.* any preserved remains, impression, or trace of any once-living thing that has become hard and turned into rock
257. barren of cr\_\_\_\_\_ve spirit *adj.* relating to or involving the use of skill and original and unusual ideas to create something
258. teaching of Ch\_\_\_t *n.* the man that Christians believe is the prophet and the son of God, and whose life and sermons form the basis for Christianity
259. an ind\_\_\_\_\_nt glance *adj.* having no strong feelings or preferences one way or the other, neutral

ANSWERS: 251. Christ, 252. cult, 253. sector, 254. improve, 255. estimate, 256. fossil, 257. creative, 258. Christ, 259. indifferent

260. in\_\_\_\_\_al component *adj.* necessary to make a whole complete; essential, or fundamental; combining with something else to form a whole; (noun, of mathematics) a fundamental concept in calculus that represents the area under a curve between two points on a graph
261. int\_\_\_\_\_ent systems *adj.* depending on each other; mutually reliant or interconnected
262. the tra\_\_\_\_\_ion of a tadpole into a frog *n.* a complete change in form, nature, or appearance of someone or something
263. im\_\_\_\_\_e a process *v.* to make or become better
264. em\_\_\_\_\_k on a foolish adventure *v.* to go on board a ship or plane; to set out on an enterprise or subject of study; to start something
265. pa\_\_\_\_\_er tuning *n.* a numerical or other measurable factors that characterize a system or set of data
266. moral con\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a strong belief or opinion, especially one that is based on principles or evidence; (criminal law) a final judgment of guilty in a criminal case and the punishment that is imposed
267. pr\_\_\_\_\_e a better relationship *v.* to encourage or persuade people to like, buy, use, do, or support something; to raise someone to a higher position or rank
268. cyclonic des\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the act of causing so much damage to something
269. pl\_\_\_\_\_t like the Earth *n.* any of the nine large celestial bodies that circle in the solar system; any celestial body that revolves around a star

ANSWERS: 260. integral, 261. interdependent, 262. transformation, 263. improve, 264. embark, 265. parameter, 266. conviction, 267. promote, 268. destruction, 269. planet

270. a private ind\_\_\_\_\_al

*n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group

271. ov\_\_\_\_\_me all difficulties

*v.* to succeed in controlling or dealing with something, such as a problem or difficulty; to defeat or overwhelm someone

272. hi\_\_\_\_\_ht an important difference

*v.* to make something prominent, mainly so that people give it more attention

ANSWERS: 270. individual, 271. overcome, 272. highlight

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. He evaluated his chances for \_\_\_\_\_ rather pessimistically.  
*n.* the state of continuing to exist or live, frequently in the face of difficulty or danger
2. 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
3. \_\_\_\_\_ is the day to celebrate the birth of Christ.  
*n.* the man that Christians believe is the prophet and the son of God, and whose life and sermons form the basis for Christianity
4. She checked her \_\_\_\_\_ before embarking on the hike.  
*n.* a toothed wheel that engages another toothed mechanism to change the speed or direction of transmitted motion; a set of tools, equipment, or other items for a particular purpose
5. There has been a gradual but steady rise in environmental \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the fact or state of knowing something exists and is important
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ scarcity most severely impacted the manufacturing sector  
*n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
7. He \_\_\_\_\_ his life to helping others.  
*v.* to give all of your energy, time, etc., entirely to a specific person, activity, or cause; to set apart for a particular purpose or use
8. We worked in perfect \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the combination of simultaneous musical notes to produce a pleasing effect; an attractive combination of related things and their properties

ANSWERS: 1. survival, 2. progression, 3. Christmas, 4. gear, 5. awareness, 6. fuel, 7. dedicated, 8. harmony



9. The older man \_\_\_\_\_ from arthritis and finds it difficult to move around.  
*v.* to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant
10. I can't \_\_\_\_\_ he'd want to harm us.  
*v.* to have or develop an idea, a plan, etc. in mind; to become pregnant
11. Overall \_\_\_\_\_ are approximately 400x200mm.  
*n.* a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length
12. The picture earned near-\_\_\_\_\_ acclaim from critics.  
*adj.* existing or affecting everywhere or everyone
13. The CEO's \_\_\_\_\_ toward employees was apparent when he thanked every one of them.  
*n.* a friendly or cooperative attitude or feeling between people, businesses, or nations; the reputation or value that a business, organization, or brand has in the community
14. One such rapidly growing \_\_\_\_\_ is quantum cryptography.  
*n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract
15. \_\_\_\_\_ and weather have an impact on every part of our lifestyles.  
*n.* the weather in a particular location averaged over some long period
16. She departed hurriedly because of some significant \_\_\_\_\_ in their affairs.  
*n.* the quality of being very important and needing to be dealt with immediately
17. Many companies are now enthusiastically embracing the knowledge of \_\_\_\_\_ for sustainable development.  
*n.* the study of the relationships between living organisms, including humans, and their physical environment

ANSWERS: 9. suffers, 10. conceive, 11. dimensions, 12. universal, 13. goodwill, 14. concept, 15. Climate, 16. urgency, 17. ecology

18. The failure destroyed his trust and personal \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* the quality of being worthy of esteem or respect; high office or rank or station

19. We \_\_\_\_\_ the payment because of an incorrect invoice.

*v.* to cause something to happen at a later time than originally intended or expected

20. This trail takes \_\_\_\_\_ 2.5 hours.

*adv.* close to a specific number or time but not exactly that number or time

21. I tried to assume an air of \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a lack of interest, enthusiasm, or sympathy towards someone or something

22. They never \_\_\_\_\_ on development despite the lack of funds.

*v.* to settle a problem or disagreement by mutual concession

23. The choir sang \_\_\_\_\_ in harmony during the chorus.

*n.* a musical term used to indicate that all instruments or voices are to play or sing together; the section of a musical composition where all instruments or voices are playing simultaneously

24. Despite the good news, she remained \_\_\_\_\_ to the situation.

*adj.* having no strong feelings or preferences one way or the other, neutral

25. The drastic reorganization has significantly increased this company's \_\_\_\_\_ profits.

*adj.* being the total amount of something before any deductions; obese and ugly or unpleasant

ANSWERS: 18. dignity, 19. delayed, 20. approximately, 21. indifference, 22. compromised, 23. tutti, 24. indifferent, 25. gross

26. International law allows each nation to \_\_\_\_\_ itself when its rights and interests are illegally violated.
- v.* to protect someone or something from attack, criticism, danger, etc.
27. There are five distinct \_\_\_\_\_ at five unique wavelengths.
- n.* the act of production or sending out gas, heat, light, etc.
28. I want to \_\_\_\_\_ a toast in honor of our longstanding relationship.
- v.* to make a proposal, declare a plan for something
29. The military has \_\_\_\_\_ an abuse of human rights.
- v.* to do something illegal or wrong
30. In nature, all living things are \_\_\_\_\_ and rely on each other for survival.
- adj.* depending on each other; mutually reliant or interconnected
31. The company is set to \_\_\_\_\_ its new product line next month.
- v.* to send or propel something into the air or space using a device such as a rocket, missile, or spacecraft; to make something available or on sale for the first time
32. He kept his robust \_\_\_\_\_ in his company.
- n.* complete trust in something or someone's ability or knowledge; a strong belief in religion, divine power, etc.
33. One \_\_\_\_\_ of success is having a positive attitude and a strong work ethic.
- n.* a factor, circumstance, or condition that contributes to the shaping, influencing, or determining of a particular outcome or result

ANSWERS: 26. defend, 27. emissions, 28. propose, 29. committed, 30. interdependent, 31. launch, 32. faith, 33. determinant

34. 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
35. 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
36. The global community is undergoing \_\_\_\_\_ changes at present.
- adj.* radical and extreme; likely to have a significant or far-reaching impact
37. He tried to \_\_\_\_\_ a bad reputation and win the election.
- v.* to succeed in controlling or dealing with something, such as a problem or difficulty; to defeat or overwhelm someone
38. I will be very happy to accept your \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* a spoken or written request to participate or be present or take part in something
39. The government should do more to \_\_\_\_\_ sustainable agribusiness.
- v.* to encourage or persuade people to like, buy, use, do, or support something; to raise someone to a higher position or rank
40. He poured himself a \_\_\_\_\_ of whiskey to relax after a long day at work.
- n.* a small unit of weight used for measuring liquids, particularly whiskey and other alcoholic beverages

ANSWERS: 34. coronavirus, 35. individual, 36. drastic, 37. overcome, 38. invitation, 39. promote, 40. dram

41. 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
42. Sociologists are now interested in \_\_\_\_\_ world peace.
- adj.* universal and including many different types of things; related to or associated with the part of the Christian Church that has the Pope as its leader
43. There will be an \_\_\_\_\_ lecture for new students this afternoon.
- n.* a person's basic attitudes, beliefs, and preferences about particular things; a course introducing a new situation or environment
44. That incident led to his \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the condition of being alone or lonely; the act or state of separation between persons or groups
45. Driving is difficult for me because of my poor \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the ability to think about or see the future with imagination and intelligence; the faculty of being able to see
46. The industrial \_\_\_\_\_ laws were passed with little to no alteration.
- n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
47. They gathered to hear the \_\_\_\_\_ teachings of the guru.
- adj.* of or related to a god, divine power, or a particular religion
48. His \_\_\_\_\_ to the charity was a generous donation of money.
- n.* the act of giving something, especially money, to a particular cause or organization; a voluntary gift as of money or service or ideas made to some worthwhile cause

ANSWERS: 41. economy, 42. catholic, 43. orientation, 44. isolation, 45. vision, 46. relations, 47. holy, 48. contribution

49. \_\_\_\_\_ is the start, not the end, of intelligence.

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

50. Our skeleton outline of the \_\_\_\_\_ met with much opposition.

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

51. We are responsible for the care and \_\_\_\_\_ of all our employees.

*n.* the state of being happy and healthy and prosperous

52. The salespeople speak in technical terms to \_\_\_\_\_ that they are more knowledgeable than the customer.

*v.* to indicate the truth or existence of something without referring to it

53. They \_\_\_\_\_ customers with a premium for loyal patronage.

*v.* to give someone support, confidence, or hope; to persuade someone to do or continue to do something by making it easier for them and making them believe it is a good thing to do

54. The nation's healthcare system is in \_\_\_\_\_ at the moment.

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

55. It was the most \_\_\_\_\_ storm in decades.

*adj.* causing or able to cause tremendous and irreparable damage

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

*adj.* having the least wealth or resources

57. It is \_\_\_\_\_ for politicians to be effective communicators.

*adj.* very important or requiring attention or action

ANSWERS: 49. Doubt, 50. proposal, 51. well-being, 52. imply, 53. encouraged, 54. transition, 55. destructive, 56. poorest, 57. imperative

58. The government established by the coup was more \_\_\_\_\_ than before.

*adj.* relating to the essential aspects of anything; far beyond the norm, mainly used of opinions and actions

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

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

60. The food chain causes a material \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle

61. 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

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

*v.* to make or become better

63. A rose has thorns on its \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* the central part of something from which other parts can develop or grow; the part of a word common to all its inflected variants; (verb) to grow out of, have roots in, or originate in

64. This operation requires both patience and \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* the quality or condition of being exact and accurate

65. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the court's decision angered many people and led to protests.

*n.* a violation of the rights of others or the laws of a society

ANSWERS: 58. radical, 59. fossil, 60. cycle, 61. concrete, 62. improve, 63. stem, 64. precision, 65. injustice

66. Since independence, the area has been completely \_\_\_\_\_.
- v. to intentionally not listen or pay attention to
67. I have to \_\_\_\_\_ my passport by the middle of September.
- v. to begin or resume something again after an interruption
68. The introduction \_\_\_\_\_ the speaker's distinguished career as a consultant
- v. to make something prominent, mainly so that people give it more attention
69. We \_\_\_\_\_ on a new project.
- v. to go on board a ship or plane; to set out on an enterprise or subject of study; to start something
70. She \_\_\_\_\_ the toothpaste tube from the middle to get the last bit out.
- v. to apply pressure from two or more sides; to hold someone or something tightly in your arms, usually with fondness
71. The country experienced a \_\_\_\_\_ increase in population.
- adj. happening slowly over a long period of time or distance; not steep or abrupt
72. 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
73. There are several causes of economic \_\_\_\_\_ within societies.
- n. the unfairness of a society in which some people have more opportunity, money, etc. than others; (mathematics) relation between two values when they are different

ANSWERS: 66. ignored, 67. renew, 68. highlighted, 69. embarked, 70. squeezed, 71. gradual, 72. invest, 73. inequality



74. The temperature range was one of the critical \_\_\_\_\_ we had to consider when designing the experiment.
- n.* a numerical or other measurable factors that characterize a system or set of data
75. She tried to \_\_\_\_\_ her brother to join her on the trip, but he was too busy with work.
- v.* to convince or induce someone to do something by presenting a reason or argument; to sway or influence someone's decision or opinion
76. The new policy aims to \_\_\_\_\_ the use of renewable energy sources.
- v.* to establish or make something a part of an institution (= a place such as a university, hospital, etc.)
77. The \_\_\_\_\_ effect is a phenomenon that happens naturally.
- n.* a building with walls and roof made chiefly of transparent material, such as glass, for growing plants in
78. The era of the industrial revolution was a crucial \_\_\_\_\_ of history.
- n.* any stage in a series of events, change, or development
79. The pope's \_\_\_\_\_ addressed important environmental issues affecting the world today.
- n.* a letter or message, typically written by a pope or the Roman Catholic Church, intended for widespread distribution among the clergy or laypeople; a circular or official communication on a particular topic or issue
80. Strategic \_\_\_\_\_ of cutting-edge technology would be a sure formula for success.
- n.* the process of making some area of land or water more profitable or productive or useful

ANSWERS: 74. parameters, 75. persuade, 76. institutionalize, 77. greenhouse, 78. phase, 79. encyclical, 80. exploitation

81. Mercury is the closest \_\_\_\_\_ to the sun.

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

82. We have to \_\_\_\_\_ our company's product lineup for further growth.

- v.* to consider again a plan, idea, etc., especially to change it

83. The \_\_\_\_\_ leader promised his followers that they would achieve enlightenment if they followed his teachings.

- n.* a small religious group, especially one that is not part of a larger religion and that is regarded as outside the norm; followers of an exclusive system of beliefs and practices

84. Our company has an audit team that monitors directors for \_\_\_\_\_ of authority.

- n.* the use of something in an incorrect or harmful manner

85. Night fishing has a lot of \_\_\_\_\_.

- n.* a thing given in acknowledgment of service, hard work, achievement, etc.

86. To advance this discussion, we must \_\_\_\_\_ "success" rigorously.

- v.* to state or explain precisely the nature, scope, or meaning of something

87. The cost for the trip \_\_\_\_\_ food and beverages.

- v.* to deny someone or something enter to a place or taking part in an activity

88. The extinction rate of aquatic animals was \_\_\_\_\_.

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

89. The Chinese people have accomplished several \_\_\_\_\_ feats.

- adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so

ANSWERS: 81. planet, 82. rethink, 83. cult, 84. abuse, 85. rewards, 86. define, 87. excludes, 88. catastrophic, 89. historic

90. The night shift \_\_\_\_\_ checked my vital signs before administering the medication.
- n.* a healthcare professional who is trained to provide care for the sick or injured;  
(verb) to try to cure by special care or treatment of an illness or injury
91. The spaceship began to burn up as it approached the Earth's \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the mass of air that surrounds the Earth; the pervading tone or mood of a place, situation, or creative work
92. \_\_\_\_\_ advances have disrupted many industries.
- adj.* based on scientific and industrial progress
93. 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
94. They fear a \_\_\_\_\_ of a new type of virus.
- n.* an outbreak of a disease that affects many people over a very wide area
95. The government should do more to support environmentally \_\_\_\_\_ agriculture.
- adj.* able to continue or be continued for a long time
96. Understanding unitary \_\_\_\_\_ of a normal matrix require considerable mathematical sophistication.
- n.* a complete change in form, nature, or appearance of someone or something
97. We \_\_\_\_\_ the season's total trade deficit at \$50 billion.
- v.* to guess or calculate the cost, size, value, etc. of something

ANSWERS: 90. nurse, 91. atmosphere, 92. Technological, 93. develop, 94. pandemic, 95. sustainable, 96. transformations, 97. estimated

98. The museum offers a variety of \_\_\_\_\_ programs for children and adults.

*adj.* relating to education or providing knowledge or instruction

99. The president must have the highest \_\_\_\_\_ standards.

*adj.* of or relating to principles about what is right and wrong, or the branch of knowledge dealing with these

100. Could you help me \_\_\_\_\_ some furniture?

*n.* a slight transition in position, direction, or trend

101. Ethics deals with \_\_\_\_\_ conduct.

*adj.* concerned with the principles of what is right and wrong, fairness, honesty, etc.

102. 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

103. \_\_\_\_\_ rejection and acceptance are both psychologically significant events.

*adj.* connected with relationships between people

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

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

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

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

106. 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

ANSWERS: 98. educational, 99. ethical, 100. shift, 101. moral, 102. sector, 103. Interpersonal, 104. intentions, 105. transformed, 106. invite

107. The \_\_\_\_\_ of this information to the current situation needs to be investigated.
- n.* the state or degree of being closely connected or appropriate to the matter at hand
108. She's a \_\_\_\_\_ pet owner who ensures her dog gets enough exercise and a healthy diet.
- adj.* answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management
109. We demand his \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the act of replacing something with something else, especially that is newer or better; a person or thing that takes or can take the place of another
110. The \_\_\_\_\_ inequality was unavoidable.
- n.* a large amount of money, property, or other things that someone or an organization owns
111. This argument is still not \_\_\_\_\_.
- adj.* enough, acceptable, satisfactory for a particular purpose or need
112. His membership in the \_\_\_\_\_ provided him with numerous benefits.
- n.* a people or groups of people who have joined in a single organization together for a particular purpose; a social or business connection or relationship
113. 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
114. \_\_\_\_\_ elections were held in several European countries.
- adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use

ANSWERS: 107. relevance, 108. responsible, 109. replacement, 110. wealth, 111. adequate, 112. association, 113. environment, 114. Communal

115. All the supervisor has to do is assign tasks that make his subordinates more \_\_\_\_\_.

*adj.* relating to or involving the use of skill and original and unusual ideas to create something

116. His estate was \_\_\_\_\_ to his sons.

*v.* to give something to a large number of individuals, or to spread or furnish something

117. Effective communication is an \_\_\_\_\_ part of any successful team.

*adj.* necessary to make a whole complete; essential, or fundamental; combining with something else to form a whole; (noun, of mathematics) a fundamental concept in calculus that represents the area under a curve between two points on a graph

118. He couldn't bear the thought of acting against his \_\_\_\_\_ even if it meant losing the job.

*n.* a person's inner sense of what is right or wrong in their conduct or motives, viewed as a guide to their behavior

119. This food contains all the \_\_\_\_\_ your dog requires.

*n.* the substances or the process that organisms take into their bodies as food for their growth and health

120. The pandemic was a \_\_\_\_\_ business opportunity for certain companies.

*adj.* fairly large in size, value, or importance

121. He found that it is difficult to \_\_\_\_\_ socially.

*v.* to combine one thing with another so that they form a whole or work together; to accept equal participation for members of all races and ethnic groups

ANSWERS: 115. creative, 116. distributed, 117. integral, 118. conscience, 119. nutrition, 120. substantial, 121. integrate

122. His professional experience includes all \_\_\_\_\_ of media production.  
*n.* one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.
123. The extinction of several subspecies has been linked to climate change and habitat \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the act of causing so much damage to something
124. She was disbarred for her \_\_\_\_\_ in fraud.  
*adj.* attracting, pleasant, or charming
125. I have no \_\_\_\_\_ of what you intend.  
*n.* a general idea or belief of what something or someone is like or should be; an understanding of a situation or a principle
126. The \_\_\_\_\_ to launch began as the astronauts prepared for their mission.  
*n.* a counting sequence leading up to an event, often marked by a series of signals or cues, also used as a term to describe the final stages leading up to a major event or deadline
127. She volunteers at a local \_\_\_\_\_ every weekend to help those in need.  
*n.* an organization that helps people in need, especially by providing food, shelter, or money; a kindly and sympathetic attitude toward people
128. The \_\_\_\_\_ palace was a grand and imposing structure.  
*adj.* relating to the pope (= the head of the Roman Catholic Church) or the Roman Catholic Church
129. The investigation \_\_\_\_\_ several government agencies and is expected to take several months.  
*v.* to include or affect someone or something as a necessary part of something else

ANSWERS: 122. aspects, 123. destruction, 124. engaging, 125. conception, 126. countdown, 127. charity, 128. papal, 129. involves

130. She spoke with \_\_\_\_\_ about the importance of education.

- n.* a strong belief or opinion, especially one that is based on principles or evidence; (criminal law) a final judgment of guilty in a criminal case and the punishment that is imposed

131. A smaller car will \_\_\_\_\_ less fuel.

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

132. The \_\_\_\_\_ of getting the disease will drastically increase.

- n.* a chance that something may happen or be true

133. It is \_\_\_\_\_ that we leave for the airport now to catch our flight.

- adj.* requiring immediate attention or action; pressing

134. Her concept is highly \_\_\_\_\_ and helpful.

- adj.* of or connected with actual use or real situation rather than with theory and ideas

135. Trial and error is an \_\_\_\_\_ part of education.

- adj.* indispensable; fundamental

136. 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

ANSWERS: 130. conviction, 131. consume, 132. possibility, 133. urgent, 134. practical, 135. essential, 136. crisis