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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### endlessly

*adv.* in a way that continues for a long time or seems to have no end or limit

*synonym* : ceaselessly, interminably, unceasingly

(1) repeat **endlessly**, (2) worry **endlessly** about our future  
The procession of demonstrators was **endlessly** continuing.

### variable

*adj.* likely to change or vary often; (noun) a symbol, like x or y, that is used in mathematical or logical expressions to represent a value that may be changed

*synonym* : erratic, inconsistent, irregular

(1) a **variable** species, (2) a dependent **variable**  
Rainfall in the tropics is highly **variable**.

### infinite

*adj.* unlimited or very great; impossible to measure

*synonym* : boundless, countless, limitless

(1) **infinite** appetite, (2) **infinite** in supply

The battle had an **infinite** impact on the nation.

### native

*adj.* connecting with or describing someone's birth country or place of birth, or someone born in a specific country or place

*synonym* : endemic, domestic, aboriginal

(1) **native** to Africa, (2) **native** language

The vegetation here is almost wholly **native**.

## communicate

*v.* to share or exchange information with others by speaking, writing, moving your body, or using other signals

*synonym* : convey, share, transmit

(1) **communicate** his anxieties to the psychiatrist,

(2) **communicate** well with my advisor

Dolphins use sound to **communicate** with each other.

## 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.

## observation

*n.* the act or activity of carefully examining or monitoring something or someone

*synonym* : watching, notice, reflection

(1) class **observation** day, (2) **observation** instrument

In the hospital, she will remain under constant **observation**.

## versatile

*adj.* able to do many things in different fields; having many talents

*synonym* : adaptable, protean, universal

(1) provide a **versatile** solution, (2) a **versatile** writer

He's a **versatile** actor who has acted in various parts.

## grammar

*n.* the set of structural constraints on speakers' or writers' composition of clauses, phrases, and words

*synonym* : syntax, elements

(1) **grammar** checker, (2) Latin **grammar**

Mastering **grammar** takes a lot of time for those learning a foreign language.

## structure

*n.* the way of construction of something and the arrangement of its parts, or a complex thing constructed

of many parts

*synonym*: construction, architecture, establishment

(1) the **structure** of a machine, (2) **structure** and function of the brain

The organizational **structure** of start-ups is often flat and straightforward.

## unfamiliar

*adj.* not known or recognized; not experienced or encountered before

*synonym*: unknown, strange, foreign

(1) the **unfamiliar** surroundings, (2) around **unfamiliar** people

She was **unfamiliar** with the city and got lost while trying to find her way back to the hotel.

## brain

*n.* the organ inside the head that is responsible for one's movement, thought, memory, and feeling

*synonym*: intellect, mind, encephalon

(1) basic **brain** function, (2) permanent **brain** damage

X-rays revealed a small tumor in his **brain**.

## hardwired

*adj.* built-in or innate, often referring to behavior or traits that are instinctive or automatic, as if pre-programmed in the brain or genetics

*synonym*: innate, ingrained, automatic

(1) **hardwired** behavior, (2) **hardwired** connection

The instinct to protect one's offspring is **hardwired** into many animal species.

## process

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

*synonym*: procedure, method, system

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

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

## label

*n.* a small piece of paper, fabric, or other material attached to an object and giving information about it; (verb) to assign to a category

*synonym*: tag, mark, identifier

(1) a mailing **label**, (2) **label** a bag with my name

The **label** on the food package lists the ingredients and nutritional information.

## faculty

*n.* an inborn or natural ability to hear, see, think, move, etc.; a department or group of the university concerned with a major division of knowledge

*synonym*: capability, talent, aptitude

(1) a member of the **faculty**, (2) the illative **faculty** of the mind

This university's computer science **faculty** is world distinguished.

## 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.

## 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.

## inquiry

*n.* the act or process of asking a question or asking for information; an official process of investigating a matter of public interest

*synonym*: question, research, exploration

(1) **inquiry** about the product, (2) launch an **inquiry**  
Our tech support responds to the first **inquiry** exceptionally promptly.

## linguistics

*n.* the study of language and its structure, including the study of grammar, syntax, and phonetics

*synonym*: language studies, phonology, etymology

(1) comparative **linguistics**, (2) **linguistics** professor

A new study in **linguistics** research showed that bilingualism delays the onset of dementia.

## emerging

*adj.* starting to exist, mature, or become well-known

*synonym*: arising, occurring, state-of-the-art

(1) **emerging** country, (2) **emerging** technologies

**Emerging** technologies have dramatically improved productivity in various industries.

## cognitive

*adj.* of or relating to mental processes of understanding

*synonym*: perceivable, mind, mental

(1) improve **cognitive** function, (2) research on **cognitive** psychology

His **cognitive** faculties were getting worse because of a lack of sleep.

## investigate

*v.* to conduct a systematic or formal inquiry to identify and evaluate the facts of a crime, problem, statement, etc. to establish the truth

*synonym*: examine, analyze, look into

(1) **investigate** the matter, (2) **investigate** a data leak

The committee **investigated** several apparent inconsistencies.

## component

*n.* one of several parts that combines with others to form something bigger

*synonym*: element, part, factor

(1) key **component**, (2) spare **components** for cars

The researchers try to discover a common **component** in all types of successful organizations.

## attempt

*n.* an act or effort of trying to do something, especially something difficult

*synonym*: endeavor, effort, try

(1) the **attempt** to rescue the hostages, (2) a reckless **attempt**

The third **attempt** was far more successful.

## 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.

## analytical

*adj.* relating to or using analysis (= the process of breaking down a complex system or concept into smaller, simpler parts to understand it better), or able to analyze

*synonym*: investigative, logical, cogent

(1) **analytical** approach, (2) **analytical** ability

He is **analytical** and can break down complex problems into manageable parts.

## syntax

*n.* the grammatical order or rule of words in a sentence

*synonym*: grammar

(1) French **syntax**, (2) **syntax** error

Let's investigate the **syntax** of Latin.

## represent

*v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute

*synonym*: depict, express, describe

(1) **represent** by a diagram, (2) the characters that

**represent** numbers

We elected him to **represent** us at the international conference.

## hierarchy

*n.* a system in which people or things are organized into different levels of importance from highest to lowest

*synonym*: ranking, order, scale

(1) top of the **hierarchy**, (2) **hierarchy** of folders

She has taken a step up in the organizational **hierarchy**.

## adverb

*n.* a type of word that modifies, describes, or provides additional information about a verb, adjective, or other adverbs, such as often, quickly, or very

*synonym*: modifier, qualifier, descriptor

(1) **adverb** placement, (2) **adverb** of degree

During our English class, we spent an entire lesson learning how to use an **adverb** clause in our writing correctly.

## verb

*n.* a word or phrase that describes an action, state, or experience

(1) complex **verb**, (2) an auxiliary **verb**

Use a singular **verb** if the subject is singular.

## phrase

*n.* a group of words that mean something specific when used together

*synonym*: expression, idiom, term

(1) ready-made **phrases**, (2) noun **phrase**

We bought a Spanish **phrase** book.

## simplify

*v.* to make something more straightforward, more understandable, or easier to do

*synonym*: streamline, clarify, elucidate

(1) **simplify** my life, (2) **simplify** the process

Please **simplify** your explanation for the children.

## illustrate

*v.* to provide pictures, photographs, diagrams, etc. in a book or something for explanation

*synonym* : demonstrate, explain, exemplify

(1) **illustrate** a key point, (2) **illustrate** a story

The company's financial records **illustrate** how successful it has been.

## 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.

## 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.

## volume

*n.* the amount of space occupied by an object or substance; the magnitude of sound

*synonym* : capacity, amount, intensity

(1) **volume** of work, (2) high **volume**

This container has a **volume** of 10 cubic meters.

## analyze

*v.* to think about in-depth and evaluate to discover essential features or meaning

*synonym* : explore, examine, investigate

(1) **analyze** a chemical compound, (2) **analyze** your real motives

The teacher attempted to **analyze** the root cause of our mistake.

## incredibly

*adv.* in a way that is very difficult to believe; exceedingly or extremely

*synonym* :



enormously, exceptionally, extraordinarily

(1) **incredibly** cheerful character, (2) get **incredibly** insecure

Several cities are experiencing **incredibly** high unemployment rates.

## complexity

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

*synonym* : intricacy, sophistication, elaboration

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

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

## linguist

*n.* a person who speaks several foreign languages; a person who studies or teaches languages or linguistics

*synonym* : grammarist, philologue, polyglot

(1) foreign **linguist**, (2) cognitive **linguist**

Though I love literature, I'm a bad **linguist**.

## differ

*v.* to be not like someone or something in some way

*synonym* : vary, diverge, disagree

(1) **differ** from the majority, (2) **differ** according to species

The two products **differed** in their quality and price.

## rev

*n.* a measure of the rate at which an engine or motor rotates, often expressed in revolutions per minute (RPM); (verb) to increase the number of rotations per minute

*synonym* : revolution, RPM, speed

(1) low- **rev** engine, (2) **rev** up the crowd

He stepped on the gas pedal, and the engine released a loud **rev**.

## accommodate

*v.* to provide someone with a place to live or to be stored in; to make fit for or to change to suit a new purpose

*synonym* : house, rent, adjust

(1) **accommodate** a person with money, (2) **accommodate** these needs

This large SUV **accommodates** eight people.

## variation

*n.* the act or state of changing; a difference or change in the way something is done, made or said

*synonym*: fluctuation, change, variation

(1) **variation** of temperature, (2) gene **variation**

There is a lot of **variation** in the colors of flowers in the garden.

## accord

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

*synonym*: alliance, pact, agreement

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

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

## hypothesis

*n.* a proposed idea or explanation that is based on a few known facts but has not yet been proven to be true or accurate

*synonym*: assumption, conjecture, theory

(1) test my **hypothesis**, (2) a bold **hypothesis**

This evidence supports the big-bang **hypothesis**.

## principle

*n.* a fundamental law or truth that explains or controls how something happens or works

*synonym*: rule, creed, code

(1) **principle** of treatment, (2) **principle** in business

Efficiency isn't an essential **principle** here; fairness is.

## 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.

## vary

*v.* to become different in terms of size, shape, etc.

*synonym*: alter, contrast, differ

(1) **vary** according to the age, (2) **vary** directly with the price  
Maximum heart rates **vary** a lot for each individual.

## explicit

*adj.* stated clearly and in detail, leaving no room for confusion or doubt

*synonym*: clear, unambiguous, unequivocal

(1) **explicit** content, (2) **explicit** instructions

The movie had an **explicit** sex scene that some viewers might find offensive.

## recursion

*n.* the process of repeating or looping through a set of instructions or functions within another function, often used in programming and computer science

*synonym*: iteration, looping, repetition

(1) **recursion** depth, (2) **recursion** limit

The team encountered an infinite **recursion** error in their code, causing the program to crash.

## nest

*n.* a structure in which animals lay their eggs or give birth to their young

*synonym*: roost, perch, burrow

(1) bird's **nest**, (2) a **nest** of thieves

The female birds build a **nest** and lay their eggs in May.

## embed

*v.* to fix or set firmly in a surrounding mass

*synonym*: entrench, fix, set

(1) **embed** scripts in the message, (2) **embed** a sensor

The company **embedded** a tracking code in the product's packaging to monitor its shipment.

## noun

*n.* a word that generally functions as the name of a specific object or set of objects

(1) **noun** phrase, (2) proper **noun**

In some foreign languages, the gender of **nouns** exists.

## candid

*adj.* honest, straightforward, and frank in someone's words or actions

*synonym*: honest, frank, straightforward

(1) **candid** conversation, (2) in my **candid** opinion

The **candid** photography captured the genuine emotions of the moment.

## genetically

*adv.* in a way that relates to or is produced by genes (= the units in the cells of a living thing received by an animal or plant from its parents) or heredity

*synonym*: hereditary, inherited, family-related

(1) **genetically** inherited traits, (2) **genetically** manipulated plant

The **genetically** modified crops were resistant to pests and required less water.

## 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.

## acquisition

*n.* the act of getting something, usually through purchase, negotiation, or effort

*synonym*: purchase, possession, obtaining

(1) merger and **acquisition**, (2) **acquisition** process

The company's latest **acquisition** of a rival firm has dramatically expanded its market share.

## profound

*adj.* extremely great; sensed or experienced very strongly; displaying a high level of knowledge or comprehension

*synonym*: deep, unsounded, far-reaching

(1) a **profound** book, (2) the **profound** depths of the sea

My mother's illness had a **profound** impact on us all.

## revolutionary

*adj.* relating to or characterized by a complete or dramatic change

*synonym* : radical, innovative, groundbreaking

(1) **revolutionary** change, (2) enforce **revolutionary** justice

The **revolutionary** leader inspired others to join the fight for freedom and democracy.

## dominant

*adj.* more important, influential, or easy to notice than anything else of the same type

*synonym* : chief, predominant, prevailing

(1) achieve a **dominant** share, (2) **dominant** force

Her company soon won a **dominant** market share.

## paradigm

*n.* a standard or typical example of something; a pattern or model

*synonym* : example, standard, epitome

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

He postulated a completely different **paradigm** to explain all these phenomena.

## argue

*v.* to express differing opinions or points of view, often in a heated or contentious manner; to present a case or reasoning to persuade or convince others

*synonym* : debate, dispute, quarrel

(1) **argue** a case, (2) **argue** passionately

The couple began to **argue** over which restaurant to go to for dinner.

## acquire

*v.* to buy or obtain something such as an asset, object, knowledge, etc., for oneself

*synonym* : attain, earn, catch

(1) **acquire** knowledge, (2) **acquire** a new company

Children **acquire** language at a fantastic rate.

## blank

*adj.* without any writing or printing; empty or devoid of ideas, information, or meaning; unable to remember or recall information

*synonym* : empty, void, barren

(1) **blank** expression, (2) **blank** paper

The computer screen displayed nothing but a **blank** white screen

## slate

*n.* a flat piece of rock or stone that is typically used as a roofing or flooring material; a list of candidates for an election arranged in a specific order

*synonym* : chalkboard, blackboard, tablet

(1) **slate** tile, (2) **slate** roof

We need to add more names to the **slate** of candidates for the upcoming election.

## underlying

*adj.* significant as a cause or basis of something but not immediately apparent or stated clearly

*synonym* : fundamental, latent, basic

(1) an **underlying** motive, (2) an **underlying** cause of an accident

The **underlying** principle of every business was identical.

## encode

*v.* to convert information into a code or format suitable for storage or transmission

*synonym* : transcribe, convert

(1) **encode** data, (2) **encode** information

The software can **encode** and decode encrypted messages.

## biology

*n.* the scientific study of life and the natural processes of living things

(1) evolutionary **biology**, (2) cell and molecular **biology**

In junior high school, we had to dissect a frog in **biology** class.

## machinery

*n.* a group of large machines or the components of a machine that make it work; social institution functions or structure for doing something

*synonym* : apparatus, appliance, equipment

(1) heavy **machinery**, (2) inactive **machinery**

The **machinery** of audit formally issued a business improvement order.

## 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.

## cognition

*n.* the psychological process of perception and learning and reasoning; the mental action or process by which knowledge and understanding are developed in the mind

*synonym* : awareness, understanding, comprehension

(1) social **cognition**, (2) **cognition** disorder

The professor focused on the research of infant **cognition**.

## disagree

*v.* to have or express a different opinion, idea, etc.

*synonym* : discord, oppose, dissent

(1) **disagree** about a particular issue, (2) **disagree** with a plan

I **disagree** for reasons already stated above.

## specific

*adj.* clearly defined or particular to a certain thing or situation; distinct, explicit, and precise

*synonym* : particular, definite, distinct

(1) **specific** instructions, (2) industry- **specific** regulations

The scientist conducted a study that provided **specific** details about the species' behavior.

## isolate

*v.* to physically or socially separate someone or something from other people or things

*synonym* : separate, sequester, insulate

(1) **isolate** a compound, (2) **isolate** a patient

You should not **isolate** them from the community.

## prompt

v. to make someone decide to or try to do something, or to make something happen

*synonym*: actuate, inspire, incite

(1) **prompt** a feeling of hunger, (2) **prompt** a debate

That incident **prompted** a nationwide chain reaction regarding the crackdown on illegal groups.

## evaluate

v. to assess or estimate the quality, significance, quantity, or value of something

*synonym*: assess, estimate, consider

(1) **evaluate** the grant proposal, (2) **evaluate** a situation

The meeting aims to **evaluate** possible choices.

## eventually

*adv.* finally, particularly after a long time or a lot of struggle, complications, and so on

*synonym*: finally, someday, ultimately

(1) **eventually** become obsolete, (2) **eventually** succeed

The corporation **eventually** dominated the entire tobacco business.

## overthrow

v. to defeat or remove a leader or a government from a position of power by force

*synonym*: defeat, destroy, conquer

(1) **overthrow** the government, (2) **overthrow** the theory

The group aims to **overthrow** the military regime.



## Session 2: Spelling

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|---------------------------------|------|---|
| 1. di___r according to species  | v.   | to be not like someone or something in some way   |
| 2. va_____on of temperature     | n.   | the act or state of changing; a difference or change in the way something is done, made or said   |
| 3. cultural pa_____gm           | n.   | a standard or typical example of something; a pattern or model  |
| 4. sy___x error                 | n.   | the grammatical order or rule of words in a sentence  |
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39. hi\_\_\_\_\_hy of folders *n.* a system in which people or things are organized into different levels of importance from highest to lowest
40. a det\_\_\_\_\_nt of crop yields *n.* a factor, circumstance, or condition that contributes to the shaping, influencing, or determining of a particular outcome or result
41. pr\_\_\_\_\_le of treatment *n.* a fundamental law or truth that explains or controls how something happens or works
42. do\_\_\_\_\_nt force *adj.* more important, influential, or easy to notice than anything else of the same type
43. co\_\_\_\_\_on disorder *n.* the psychological process of perception and learning and reasoning; the mental action or process by which knowledge and understanding are developed in the mind
44. the at\_\_\_\_\_t to rescue the hostages *n.* an act or effort of trying to do something, especially something difficult

ANSWERS: 36. aspect, 37. adverb, 38. analyze, 39. hierarchy, 40. determinant, 41. principle, 42. dominant, 43. cognition, 44. attempt

45. 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
46. the st\_\_\_\_\_re of a machine      *n.* the way of construction of something and the arrangement of its parts, or a complex thing constructed of many parts
47. em\_\_d scripts in the message      *v.* to fix or set firmly in a surrounding mass
48. is\_\_\_\_\_e a compound      *v.* to physically or socially separate someone or something from other people or things
49. ar\_\_e passionately      *v.* to express differing opinions or points of view, often in a heated or contentious manner; to present a case or reasoning to persuade or convince others
50. re\_\_\_\_\_nt by a diagram      *v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
51. high vo\_\_\_e      *n.* the amount of space occupied by an object or substance; the magnitude of sound
52. bl\_\_k paper      *adj.* without any writing or printing; empty or devoid of ideas, information, or meaning; unable to remember or recall information
53. ev\_\_\_\_\_te a situation      *v.* to assess or estimate the quality, significance, quantity, or value of something

ANSWERS: 45. launch, 46. structure, 47. embed, 48. isolate, 49. argue, 50. represent, 51. volume, 52. blank, 53. evaluate

54. bird's n\_\_t *n.* a structure in which animals lay their eggs or give birth to their young
55. improve co\_\_\_\_\_ve function *adj.* of or relating to mental processes of understanding
56. cognitive li\_\_\_\_\_st *n.* a person who speaks several foreign languages; a person who studies or teaches languages or linguistics
57. 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
58. proper n\_\_n *n.* a word that generally functions as the name of a specific object or set of objects
59. ex\_\_\_\_\_it instructions *adj.* stated clearly and in detail, leaving no room for confusion or doubt
60. gene va\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the act or state of changing; a difference or change in the way something is done, made or said
61. gr\_\_\_\_\_r checker *n.* the set of structural constraints on speakers' or writers' composition of clauses, phrases, and words
62. ov\_\_\_\_\_ow the government *v.* to defeat or remove a leader or a government from a position of power by force
63. ana\_\_\_\_\_al approach *adj.* relating to or using analysis (= the process of breaking down a complex system or concept into smaller, simpler parts to understand it better), or able to analyze

ANSWERS: 54. nest, 55. cognitive, 56. linguist, 57. develop, 58. noun, 59. explicit, 60. variation, 61. grammar, 62. overthrow, 63. analytical

64. ov\_\_\_\_\_ow the theory      *v.* to defeat or remove a leader or a government from a position of power by force
65. a reckless at\_\_\_\_\_t      *n.* an act or effort of trying to do something, especially something difficult
66. the pr\_\_\_\_\_nd depths of the sea      *adj.* extremely great; sensed or experienced very strongly; displaying a high level of knowledge or comprehension
67. research on co\_\_\_\_\_ve psychology      *adj.* of or relating to mental processes of understanding
68. test my hyp\_\_\_\_\_is      *n.* a proposed idea or explanation that is based on a few known facts but has not yet been proven to be true or accurate
69. provide a ve\_\_\_\_\_le solution      *adj.* able to do many things in different fields; having many talents
70. cell and molecular bi\_\_\_\_\_y      *n.* the scientific study of life and the natural processes of living things
71. inc\_\_\_\_\_ly cheerful character      *adv.* in a way that is very difficult to believe; exceedingly or extremely
72. heavy ma\_\_\_\_\_ry      *n.* a group of large machines or the components of a machine that make it work; social institution functions or structure for doing something
73. principles of un\_\_\_\_\_al design      *adj.* existing or affecting everywhere or everyone
74. de\_\_\_\_\_p a strategy      *v.* to grow or expand; to improve or refine through a process of progress and refinement, often to achieve greater sophistication or complexity; to elaborate or add detail to something that is in the process of being created

ANSWERS: 64. overthrow, 65. attempt, 66. profound, 67. cognitive, 68. hypothesis, 69. versatile, 70. biology, 71. incredibly, 72. machinery, 73. universal, 74. develop



75. pr\_\_\_t a debate *v.* to make someone decide to or try to do something, or to make something happen
76. Latin gr\_\_\_\_r *n.* the set of structural constraints on speakers' or writers' composition of clauses, phrases, and words
77. r\_v up the crowd *n.* a measure of the rate at which an engine or motor rotates, often expressed in revolutions per minute (RPM); (verb) to increase the number of rotations per minute
78. low-r\_v engine *n.* a measure of the rate at which an engine or motor rotates, often expressed in revolutions per minute (RPM); (verb) to increase the number of rotations per minute
79. permanent br\_\_n damage *n.* the organ inside the head that is responsible for one's movement, thought, memory, and feeling
80. pr\_\_\_\_e changes *v.* to make a proposal, declare a plan for something
81. em\_\_\_\_ng country *adj.* starting to exist, mature, or become well-known
82. en\_\_\_e data *v.* to convert information into a code or format suitable for storage or transmission
83. is\_\_\_\_e a patient *v.* to physically or socially separate someone or something from other people or things

ANSWERS: 75. prompt, 76. grammar, 77. rev, 78. rev, 79. brain, 80. propose, 81. emerging, 82. encode, 83. isolate

84. a n\_\_t of thieves *n.* a structure in which animals lay their eggs or give birth to their young
85. res\_\_\_\_\_le for a customer service *adj.* answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management
86. eve\_\_\_\_\_ly become obsolete *adv.* finally, particularly after a long time or a lot of struggle, complications, and so on
87. re\_\_\_\_\_on limit *n.* the process of repeating or looping through a set of instructions or functions within another function, often used in programming and computer science
88. di\_\_\_r from the majority *v.* to be not like someone or something in some way
89. v\_\_y according to the age *v.* to become different in terms of size, shape, etc.
90. noun ph\_\_\_e *n.* a group of words that mean something specific when used together
91. a private ind\_\_\_\_\_al *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
92. foreign li\_\_\_\_\_st *n.* a person who speaks several foreign languages; a person who studies or teaches languages or linguistics
93. ca\_\_\_d conversation *adj.* honest, straightforward, and frank in someone's words or actions
94. ac\_\_\_d with public opinion *n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.; (verb) allow to have
95. a pr\_\_\_\_\_nd book *adj.* extremely great; sensed or experienced very strongly; displaying a high level of knowledge or comprehension

ANSWERS: 84. nest, 85. responsible, 86. eventually, 87. recursion, 88. differ, 89. vary, 90. phrase, 91. individual, 92. linguist, 93. candid, 94. accord, 95. profound

96. basic br\_\_n function *n.* the organ inside the head that is responsible for one's movement, thought, memory, and feeling
97. st\_\_\_\_\_re and function of the brain *n.* the way of construction of something and the arrangement of its parts, or a complex thing constructed of many parts
98. la\_\_l a bag with my name *n.* a small piece of paper, fabric, or other material attached to an object and giving information about it; (verb) to assign to a category
99. an und\_\_\_\_\_ng motive *adj.* significant as a cause or basis of something but not immediately apparent or stated clearly
100. pr\_\_\_\_\_le in business *n.* a fundamental law or truth that explains or controls how something happens or works
101. evolutionary bi\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* the scientific study of life and the natural processes of living things
102. nontechnical as\_\_\_ts of the job *n.* one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.
103. un\_\_\_\_\_al life *adj.* existing or affecting everywhere or everyone
104. ex\_\_\_\_\_it content *adj.* stated clearly and in detail, leaving no room for confusion or doubt
105. eve\_\_\_\_\_ly succeed *adv.* finally, particularly after a long time or a lot of struggle, complications, and so on
106. around unf\_\_\_\_\_ar people *adj.* not known or recognized; not experienced or encountered before

ANSWERS: 96. brain, 97. structure, 98. label, 99. underlying, 100. principle, 101. biology, 102. aspect, 103. universal, 104. explicit, 105. eventually, 106. unfamiliar

107. ha\_\_\_\_\_ed behavior *adj.* built-in or innate, often referring to behavior or traits that are instinctive or automatic, as if pre-programmed in the brain or genetics
108. in\_\_\_\_\_te appetite *adj.* unlimited or very great; impossible to measure
109. pr\_\_\_\_\_e the amendment *v.* to make a proposal, declare a plan for something
110. ill\_\_\_\_\_te a story *v.* to provide pictures, photographs, diagrams, etc. in a book or something for explanation
111. ind\_\_\_\_\_al freedom *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
112. launch an in\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* the act or process of asking a question or asking for information; an official process of investigating a matter of public interest
113. repeat en\_\_\_\_\_ly *adv.* in a way that continues for a long time or seems to have no end or limit
114. ready-made ph\_\_\_\_\_es *n.* a group of words that mean something specific when used together
115. ar\_\_e a case *v.* to express differing opinions or points of view, often in a heated or contentious manner; to present a case or reasoning to persuade or convince others
116. em\_\_d a sensor *v.* to fix or set firmly in a surrounding mass
117. pa\_\_\_\_\_er tuning *n.* a numerical or other measurable factors that characterize a system or set of data

ANSWERS: 107. hardwired, 108. infinite, 109. propose, 110. illustrate, 111. individual, 112. inquiry, 113. endlessly, 114. phrase, 115. argue, 116. embed, 117. parameter

118. acc\_\_\_\_\_te these needs      *v.* to provide someone with a place to live or to be stored in; to make fit for or to change to suit a new purpose
119. spare co\_\_\_\_\_nts for cars      *n.* one of several parts that combines with others to form something bigger
120. sp\_\_\_\_\_ic instructions      *adj.* clearly defined or particular to a certain thing or situation; distinct, explicit, and precise
121. sl\_\_e tile      *n.* a flat piece of rock or stone that is typically used as a roofing or flooring material; a list of candidates for an election arranged in a specific order
122. obs\_\_\_\_\_on instrument      *n.* the act or activity of carefully examining or monitoring something or someone
123. cognitive com\_\_\_\_\_ty      *n.* the state or quality of being complicated or intricate and difficult to understand
124. key co\_\_\_\_\_nt      *n.* one of several parts that combines with others to form something bigger
125. in\_\_\_\_\_te in supply      *adj.* unlimited or very great; impossible to measure
126. pr\_\_\_\_\_s improvement      *n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products
127. acq\_\_\_\_\_on process      *n.* the act of getting something, usually through purchase, negotiation, or effort

ANSWERS: 118. accommodate, 119. component, 120. specific, 121. slate, 122. observation, 123. complexity, 124. component, 125. infinite, 126. process, 127. acquisition

128. class obs\_\_\_\_\_on day *n.* the act or activity of carefully examining or monitoring something or someone
129. binational ac\_\_\_\_d *n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.; (verb) allow to have
130. the characters that re\_\_\_\_\_nt numbers *v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
131. res\_\_\_\_\_le action *adj.* answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management
132. a va\_\_\_\_\_le species *adj.* likely to change or vary often; (noun) a symbol, like x or y, that is used in mathematical or logical expressions to represent a value that may be changed
133. lin\_\_\_\_\_cs professor *n.* the study of language and its structure, including the study of grammar, syntax, and phonetics
134. n\_\_n phrase *n.* a word that generally functions as the name of a specific object or set of objects
135. di\_\_\_\_\_ee with a plan *v.* to have or express a different opinion, idea, etc.
136. vo\_\_\_\_e of work *n.* the amount of space occupied by an object or substance; the magnitude of sound
137. the unf\_\_\_\_\_ar surroundings *adj.* not known or recognized; not experienced or encountered before
138. com\_\_\_\_\_te his anxieties to the psychiatrist *v.* to share or exchange information with others by speaking, writing, moving your body, or using other signals

ANSWERS: 128. observation, 129. accord, 130. represent, 131. responsible, 132. variable, 133. linguistics, 134. noun, 135. disagree, 136. volume, 137. unfamiliar, 138. communicate

139. em\_\_\_\_ng technologies *adj.* starting to exist, mature, or become well-known
140. an auxiliary v\_\_b *n.* a word or phrase that describes an action, state, or experience
141. an und\_\_\_\_\_ng cause of an accident *adj.* significant as a cause or basis of something but not immediately apparent or stated clearly
142. com\_\_\_\_\_te well with my advisor *v.* to share or exchange information with others by speaking, writing, moving your body, or using other signals
143. inactive ma\_\_\_\_\_ry *n.* a group of large machines or the components of a machine that make it work; social institution functions or structure for doing something
144. ill\_\_\_\_\_te a key point *v.* to provide pictures, photographs, diagrams, etc. in a book or something for explanation
145. v\_\_y directly with the price *v.* to become different in terms of size, shape, etc.
146. ac\_\_\_\_\_e a new company *v.* to buy or obtain something such as an asset, object, knowledge, etc., for oneself
147. a ve\_\_\_\_\_le writer *adj.* able to do many things in different fields; having many talents
148. com\_\_\_\_\_ty theory *n.* the state or quality of being complicated or intricate and difficult to understand
149. ad\_\_\_b placement *n.* a type of word that modifies, describes, or provides additional information about a verb, adjective, or other adverbs, such as often, quickly, or very

ANSWERS: 139. emerging, 140. verb, 141. underlying, 142. communicate, 143. machinery, 144. illustrate, 145. vary, 146. acquire, 147. versatile, 148. complexity, 149. adverb

150. industry-sp\_\_\_\_ic regulations *adj.* clearly defined or particular to a certain thing or situation; distinct, explicit, and precise
151. acc\_\_\_\_\_te a person with money *v.* to provide someone with a place to live or to be stored in; to make fit for or to change to suit a new purpose
152. rev\_\_\_\_\_ary change *adj.* relating to or characterized by a complete or dramatic change
153. environmental det\_\_\_\_\_nt *n.* a factor, circumstance, or condition that contributes to the shaping, influencing, or determining of a particular outcome or result
154. major pa\_\_\_\_\_gm shift *n.* a standard or typical example of something; a pattern or model
155. a mailing la\_\_l *n.* a small piece of paper, fabric, or other material attached to an object and giving information about it; (verb) to assign to a category
156. comparative lin\_\_\_\_\_cs *n.* the study of language and its structure, including the study of grammar, syntax, and phonetics
157. ev\_\_\_\_\_te the grant proposal *v.* to assess or estimate the quality, significance, quantity, or value of something
158. complex v\_\_b *n.* a word or phrase that describes an action, state, or experience
159. a bold hyp\_\_\_\_\_is *n.* a proposed idea or explanation that is based on a few known facts but has not yet been proven to be true or accurate

ANSWERS: 150. specific, 151. accommodate, 152. revolutionary, 153. determinant, 154. paradigm, 155. label, 156. linguistics, 157. evaluate, 158. verb, 159. hypothesis



160. di\_\_\_\_ee about a particular issue      *v.*    to have or express a different opinion, idea, etc.
161. enforce rev\_\_\_\_\_ary justice      *adj.*    relating to or characterized by a complete or dramatic change
162. ac\_\_\_\_e knowledge      *v.*    to buy or obtain something such as an asset, object, knowledge, etc., for oneself

ANSWERS: 160. disagree, 161. revolutionary, 162. acquire

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The battle had an \_\_\_\_\_ impact on the nation.  
*adj.* unlimited or very great; impossible to measure
  
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ for applying for a visa can be lengthy and complicated.  
*n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products
  
3. Let's investigate the \_\_\_\_\_ of Latin.  
*n.* the grammatical order or rule of words in a sentence
  
4. She was \_\_\_\_\_ with the city and got lost while trying to find her way back to the hotel.  
*adj.* not known or recognized; not experienced or encountered before
  
5. The picture earned near-\_\_\_\_\_ acclaim from critics.  
*adj.* existing or affecting everywhere or everyone
  
6. His \_\_\_\_\_ faculties were getting worse because of a lack of sleep.  
*adj.* of or relating to mental processes of understanding
  
7. The meeting aims to \_\_\_\_\_ possible choices.  
*v.* to assess or estimate the quality, significance, quantity, or value of something
  
8. The company's financial records \_\_\_\_\_ how successful it has been.  
*v.* to provide pictures, photographs, diagrams, etc. in a book or something for explanation

ANSWERS: 1. infinite, 2. process, 3. syntax, 4. unfamiliar, 5. universal, 6. cognitive, 7. evaluate, 8. illustrate

9. 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
10. The organizational \_\_\_\_\_ of start-ups is often flat and straightforward.
- n.* the way of construction of something and the arrangement of its parts, or a complex thing constructed of many parts
11. You should not \_\_\_\_\_ them from the community.
- v.* to physically or socially separate someone or something from other people or things
12. The \_\_\_\_\_ modified crops were resistant to pests and required less water.
- adv.* in a way that relates to or is produced by genes (= the units in the cells of a living thing received by an animal or plant from its parents) or heredity
13. Children \_\_\_\_\_ language at a fantastic rate.
- v.* to buy or obtain something such as an asset, object, knowledge, etc., for oneself
14. My mother's illness had a \_\_\_\_\_ impact on us all.
- adj.* extremely great; sensed or experienced very strongly; displaying a high level of knowledge or comprehension
15. Our tech support responds to the first \_\_\_\_\_ exceptionally promptly.
- n.* the act or process of asking a question or asking for information; an official process of investigating a matter of public interest

ANSWERS: 9. parameters, 10. structure, 11. isolate, 12. genetically, 13. acquire, 14. profound, 15. inquiry

16. The third \_\_\_\_\_ was far more successful.
- n.* an act or effort of trying to do something, especially something difficult
17. A new study in \_\_\_\_\_ research showed that bilingualism delays the onset of dementia.
- n.* the study of language and its structure, including the study of grammar, syntax, and phonetics
18. This evidence supports the big-bang \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* a proposed idea or explanation that is based on a few known facts but has not yet been proven to be true or accurate
19. Mastering \_\_\_\_\_ takes a lot of time for those learning a foreign language.
- n.* the set of structural constraints on speakers' or writers' composition of clauses, phrases, and words
20. He is \_\_\_\_\_ and can break down complex problems into manageable parts.
- adj.* relating to or using analysis (= the process of breaking down a complex system or concept into smaller, simpler parts to understand it better), or able to analyze
21. 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
22. We must \_\_\_\_\_ a new system to streamline our workflow and increase efficiency.
- v.* to grow or expand; to improve or refine through a process of progress and refinement, often to achieve greater sophistication or complexity; to elaborate or add detail to something that is in the process of being created

ANSWERS: 16. attempt, 17. linguistics, 18. hypothesis, 19. grammar, 20. analytical, 21. individual, 22. develop

23. In the hospital, she will remain under constant \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the act or activity of carefully examining or monitoring something or someone
24. The instinct to protect one's offspring is \_\_\_\_\_ into many animal species.
- adj.* built-in or innate, often referring to behavior or traits that are instinctive or automatic, as if pre-programmed in the brain or genetics
25. 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
26. We elected him to \_\_\_\_\_ us at the international conference.
- v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
27. The corporation \_\_\_\_\_ dominated the entire tobacco business.
- adv.* finally, particularly after a long time or a lot of struggle, complications, and so on
28. She has taken a step up in the organizational \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* a system in which people or things are organized into different levels of importance from highest to lowest
29. Dolphins use sound to \_\_\_\_\_ with each other.
- v.* to share or exchange information with others by speaking, writing, moving your body, or using other signals
30. In some foreign languages, the gender of \_\_\_\_\_ exists.
- n.* a word that generally functions as the name of a specific object or set of objects

ANSWERS: 23. observation, 24. hardwired, 25. responsible, 26. represent, 27. eventually, 28. hierarchy, 29. communicate, 30. nouns

31. The \_\_\_\_\_ photography captured the genuine emotions of the moment.  
*adj.* honest, straightforward, and frank in someone's words or actions
32. The procession of demonstrators was \_\_\_\_\_ continuing.  
*adv.* in a way that continues for a long time or seems to have no end or limit
33. The group aims to \_\_\_\_\_ the military regime.  
*v.* to defeat or remove a leader or a government from a position of power by force
34. The team encountered an infinite \_\_\_\_\_ error in their code, causing the program to crash.  
*n.* the process of repeating or looping through a set of instructions or functions within another function, often used in programming and computer science
35. The software can \_\_\_\_\_ and decode encrypted messages.  
*v.* to convert information into a code or format suitable for storage or transmission
36. The teacher attempted to \_\_\_\_\_ the root cause of our mistake.  
*v.* to think about in-depth and evaluate to discover essential features or meaning
37. He postulated a completely different \_\_\_\_\_ to explain all these phenomena.  
*n.* a standard or typical example of something; a pattern or model
38. The couple began to \_\_\_\_\_ over which restaurant to go to for dinner.  
*v.* to express differing opinions or points of view, often in a heated or contentious manner; to present a case or reasoning to persuade or convince others
39. In junior high school, we had to dissect a frog in \_\_\_\_\_ class.  
*n.* the scientific study of life and the natural processes of living things

ANSWERS: 31. candid, 32. endlessly, 33. overthrow, 34. recursion, 35. encode, 36. analyze, 37. paradigm, 38. argue, 39. biology

40. The vegetation here is almost wholly \_\_\_\_\_.

*adj.* connecting with or describing someone's birth country or place of birth, or someone born in a specific country or place

41. The committee \_\_\_\_\_ several apparent inconsistencies.

*v.* to conduct a systematic or formal inquiry to identify and evaluate the facts of a crime, problem, statement, etc. to establish the truth

42. The movie had an \_\_\_\_\_ sex scene that some viewers might find offensive.

*adj.* stated clearly and in detail, leaving no room for confusion or doubt

43. Her company soon won a \_\_\_\_\_ market share.

*adj.* more important, influential, or easy to notice than anything else of the same type

44. Use a singular \_\_\_\_\_ if the subject is singular.

*n.* a word or phrase that describes an action, state, or experience

45. The company \_\_\_\_\_ a tracking code in the product's packaging to monitor its shipment.

*v.* to fix or set firmly in a surrounding mass

46. The researchers try to discover a common \_\_\_\_\_ in all types of successful organizations.

*n.* one of several parts that combines with others to form something bigger

47. During our English class, we spent an entire lesson learning how to use an \_\_\_\_\_ clause in our writing correctly.

*n.* a type of word that modifies, describes, or provides additional information about a verb, adjective, or other adverbs, such as often, quickly, or very

ANSWERS: 40. native, 41. investigated, 42. explicit, 43. dominant, 44. verb, 45. embedded, 46. component, 47. adverb

48. The organization finally signed a peace \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.;  
(verb) allow to have
49. The professor focused on the research of infant \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the psychological process of perception and learning and reasoning; the mental action or process by which knowledge and understanding are developed in the mind
50. We bought a Spanish \_\_\_\_\_ book.
- n.* a group of words that mean something specific when used together
51. The computer screen displayed nothing but a \_\_\_\_\_ white screen
- adj.* without any writing or printing; empty or devoid of ideas, information, or meaning; unable to remember or recall information
52. Efficiency isn't an essential \_\_\_\_\_ here; fairness is.
- n.* a fundamental law or truth that explains or controls how something happens or works
53. Please \_\_\_\_\_ your explanation for the children.
- v.* to make something more straightforward, more understandable, or easier to do
54. This university's computer science \_\_\_\_\_ is world distinguished.
- n.* an inborn or natural ability to hear, see, think, move, etc.; a department or group of the university concerned with a major division of knowledge
55. \_\_\_\_\_ technologies have dramatically improved productivity in various industries.
- adj.* starting to exist, mature, or become well-known

ANSWERS: 48. accord, 49. cognition, 50. phrase, 51. blank, 52. principle, 53. simplify, 54. faculty, 55. Emerging



56. The female birds build a \_\_\_\_\_ and lay their eggs in May.

*n.* a structure in which animals lay their eggs or give birth to their young

57. Rainfall in the tropics is highly \_\_\_\_\_.

*adj.* likely to change or vary often; (noun) a symbol, like x or y, that is used in mathematical or logical expressions to represent a value that may be changed

58. The scientist conducted a study that provided \_\_\_\_\_ details about the species' behavior.

*adj.* clearly defined or particular to a certain thing or situation; distinct, explicit, and precise

59. That incident \_\_\_\_\_ a nationwide chain reaction regarding the crackdown on illegal groups.

*v.* to make someone decide to or try to do something, or to make something happen

60. He's a \_\_\_\_\_ actor who has acted in various parts.

*adj.* able to do many things in different fields; having many talents

61. He stepped on the gas pedal, and the engine released a loud \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a measure of the rate at which an engine or motor rotates, often expressed in revolutions per minute (RPM); (verb) to increase the number of rotations per minute

62. The \_\_\_\_\_ leader inspired others to join the fight for freedom and democracy.

*adj.* relating to or characterized by a complete or dramatic change

63. We need to add more names to the \_\_\_\_\_ of candidates for the upcoming election.

*n.* a flat piece of rock or stone that is typically used as a roofing or flooring material; a list of candidates for an election arranged in a specific order

ANSWERS: 56. nest, 57. variable, 58. specific, 59. prompted, 60. versatile, 61. rev, 62. revolutionary, 63. slate

64. Several cities are experiencing \_\_\_\_\_ high unemployment rates.  
*adv.* in a way that is very difficult to believe; exceedingly or extremely
65. The project's \_\_\_\_\_ made it difficult for the team to complete it on time.  
*n.* the state or quality of being complicated or intricate and difficult to understand
66. The \_\_\_\_\_ of audit formally issued a business improvement order.  
*n.* a group of large machines or the components of a machine that make it work; social institution functions or structure for doing something
67. This large SUV \_\_\_\_\_ eight people.  
*v.* to provide someone with a place to live or to be stored in; to make fit for or to change to suit a new purpose
68. Though I love literature, I'm a bad \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a person who speaks several foreign languages; a person who studies or teaches languages or linguistics
69. There is a lot of \_\_\_\_\_ in the colors of flowers in the garden.  
*n.* the act or state of changing; a difference or change in the way something is done, made or said
70. This container has a \_\_\_\_\_ of 10 cubic meters.  
*n.* the amount of space occupied by an object or substance; the magnitude of sound
71. The company's latest \_\_\_\_\_ of a rival firm has dramatically expanded its market share.  
*n.* the act of getting something, usually through purchase, negotiation, or effort

ANSWERS: 64. incredibly, 65. complexity, 66. machinery, 67. accommodates, 68. linguist, 69. variation, 70. volume, 71. acquisition

72. I want to \_\_\_\_\_ a toast in honor of our longstanding relationship.  
*v.* to make a proposal, declare a plan for something
73. 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
74. X-rays revealed a small tumor in his \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the organ inside the head that is responsible for one's movement, thought, memory, and feeling
75. The \_\_\_\_\_ principle of every business was identical.  
*adj.* significant as a cause or basis of something but not immediately apparent or stated clearly
76. The \_\_\_\_\_ on the food package lists the ingredients and nutritional information.  
*n.* a small piece of paper, fabric, or other material attached to an object and giving information about it; (verb) to assign to a category
77. I \_\_\_\_\_ for reasons already stated above.  
*v.* to have or express a different opinion, idea, etc.
78. Maximum heart rates \_\_\_\_\_ a lot for each individual.  
*v.* to become different in terms of size, shape, etc.
79. The two products \_\_\_\_\_ in their quality and price.  
*v.* to be not like someone or something in some way

ANSWERS: 72. propose, 73. launch, 74. brain, 75. underlying, 76. label, 77. disagree, 78. vary, 79. differed

80. His professional experience includes all \_\_\_\_\_ of media production.

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

81. 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: 80. aspects, 81. determinant