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Session 1: Word List

horror

n. intense fear or disgust, especially at something shocking or terrifying

synonym: fear, terror, dread

(1) **horror** movie, (2) **horror-struck** look

The stories of war crimes filled her with **horror**.

pearl

n. a hard, roundish object found within the shells of certain mollusks and used as a gem

synonym: bead, gem, nacre

(1) a cultured **pearl**, (2) **pearl** beyond price

She wore a **pearl** necklace passed down to her from her grandmother.

harbor

n. an area of water next to the coast where ships and boats are protected from rough water by piers, jetties, and other artificial structures; (verb) keep in one's possession

synonym: port, dock, pier

(1) a sheltered **harbor**, (2) **harbor** a resentment

The tsunami swamped every boat in the **harbor**.

alienated

adj. feeling isolated, estranged, or disconnected from others, often due to a sense of difference or lack of belonging

synonym : isolated, estranged, disconnected

(1) **alienated** from my parents, (2) become **alienated**

The new employee felt **alienated** from the rest of the team, as they didn't try to include him in their conversations.

physically

adv. in a way related to a person's body or appearance rather than their mind

(1) **physically** and mentally, (2) stay **physically** fit

Having a **physically** healthy physique is essential for a great life.

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.

immigrant

n. a person who has come to a country where they were not born to live there permanently

synonym : settler, expatriate, emigrant

(1) **immigrant** communities, (2) an **immigrant** from the country

Police received a report of illegal **immigrants** in the area.

settle

v. to reach an agreement of disagreement

synonym : inhabit, occupy, decide

(1) **settle** a dispute, (2) **settle** down in the town

I don't want to **settle** for second best.

diverse

adj. including numerous categories of individuals or entities; various

synonym : manifold, various, myriad

(1) **diverse** backgrounds, (2) a person of **diverse** talents

New York is a city with a **diverse** ethnic population.

bomb

n. a weapon that explodes and is used to kill or injure people or to cause damage to something

synonym: missile, explosive, ammunition

(1) atomic **bombs**, (2) disarm the **bomb**

The use of cluster **bombs** is strictly prohibited by international law.

racism

n. prejudice, discrimination, or antagonism directed against a person or people based on their membership in a particular ethnic group, typically one that is a minority or marginalized

synonym: prejudice, discrimination, bias

(1) systemic **racism**, (2) research on anti- **racism**

The school's lack of diversity was a clear indication of the **racism** present in the community.

paranoia

n. a mental condition characterized by delusions of persecution, unwarranted jealousy, or exaggerated self-importance, typically compounded by feelings of anxiety or irritability

synonym: suspicion, mistrust, delusions

(1) encourage **paranoia**, (2) suffering from **paranoia**

His **paranoia** about being followed made him constantly look over his shoulder.

sabotage

n. the deliberate and malicious damage, destruction, or disruption of equipment, machinery, or other property, often by someone with a particular agenda or motive; the subversion of an organization or institution by secret agents or spies

synonym: sabotage, subversion, destruction

(1) act of **sabotage**, (2) **sabotage** mission

The **sabotage** of the factory's equipment caused significant damage.

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.

traitor

n. a person who betrays someone or something, such as a friend, cause, or principle, to which they had previously been loyal; a person who commits treason against their country or sovereign

synonym : betrayal, turncoat, renegade

(1) political **traitor**, (2) notorious **traitor**

The government branded him a **traitor** after he leaked classified information to the press.

confiscate

v. to seize, take or appropriate something by authority, often as a penalty for breaking laws or rules

synonym : seize, take, expropriate

(1) **confiscate** drugs, (2) **confiscate** property

The security officer had to **confiscate** the weapon from the suspect.

belong

v. to be the property of someone or something; to be a member or part of a group; to be in the proper or appropriate place

synonym : fit, be appropriate, be suitable

(1) **belong** to different species, (2) **belong** to a group

All the books in this section **belong** to the library's rare collection and must be handled carefully.

detain

v. to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving

synonym : hold, keep, detainment

(1) **detain** a terrorist, (2) **detain** for investigation

The police **detained** the suspect for questioning.

immediately

adv. now or without delay

synonym : directly, instantly, promptly

(1) **immediately** recall a product, (2) write him an answer **immediately**

A suspension order from the court is effective **immediately**.

extreme

adj. very great in amount or degree

synonym: farthestmost, outermost, fierce

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

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

president

n. the leader of a republic, for example, the US; the person in charge of the organization such as a company, university, club, etc.

synonym: leader, CEO, chairperson

(1) **president** emeritus, (2) vice- **president** for finance

The club **president** does not have absolute power.

executive

n. a person or group of people with top-level management responsibility in a business or other organization; the branch that is responsible for implementing, administering, and enforcing laws, as well as running the day-to-day operations

synonym: administrator, manager, director

(1) **executive** editor at the publishing house, (2) **executive** vice president

As the **executive** director of the non-profit, it's her responsibility to make sure they're meeting their mission goals.

removal

n. the act of taking something away or off from a particular place

synonym: extraction, elimination, eradication

(1) dental tartar **removal**, (2) **removal** truck

The **removal** of the statue caused much controversy in the community.

suspect

v. to consider anything to be actual or probable

synonym: assume, distrust, surmise

(1) **suspect** a plot, (2) **suspect** that he is sick
The cops **suspected** him of being the killer.

military

adj. relating to or characteristic of members of the armed forces; of or relating to war or warfare

synonym : armed, martial, warlike

(1) a **military** operation, (2) a **military** leader

The **military** academy was known for its strict discipline and training.

restricted

adj. limited in extent, number, scope, or action, especially by official rules, laws, etc.

synonym : limited, determinate, fixed

(1) **restricted** area, (2) lactose **restricted** diet

The country has designated our products as **restricted** import goods.

migrate

v. to move from one country or region to another and settle there; to move from one place to another periodically or seasonally

synonym : relocate, emigrate, roam

(1) **migrate** across borders, (2) **migrate** a service

Many Germans **migrated** to South America in the mid-19th century.

inland

adj. situated or located away from the coast or a body of water; (adverb) towards or into the interior of a region

synonym : internal, interior, domestic

(1) **inland** transportation, (2) move further **inland**

Lush green forests surrounded the small **inland** village.

government

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

synonym : administration, regime, state

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

The federal **government** is planning to increase taxes for the

next fiscal year.

impose

v. to officially force a new law, tax, duty, etc. to be obeyed or received

synonym: charge, levy, foist

(1) **impose** harsher sanctions, (2) **impose** tariffs

The problem with achievement tests is the narrowness they **impose** on students.

restriction

n. a limitation or constraint placed on something, or the act of limiting or constraining something

synonym: limitation, constraint, control

(1) nutritional **restriction**, (2) **restriction** on trade

The **restriction** on travel during the pandemic made it difficult for people to see their loved ones.

curfew

n. a regulation requiring people to be off the streets and indoors at a specified time, especially at night, typically imposed during a period of emergency or unrest

synonym: time limit, restriction

(1) **curfew** law, (2) teenage **curfew**

The city imposed a **curfew** to reduce crime and keep citizens safe.

proclamation

n. an official announcement or statement

synonym: announcement, declamation, edict

(1) **proclamation** of innocence, (2) nullify a **proclamation**

The king made a **proclamation** declaring war on the neighboring country.

forbid

v. to order somebody not to do something, especially officially; to keep something from happening or arising

synonym: prohibit, ban, outlaw

(1) **forbid** smoking in public areas, (2) **forbid** the use of chemical weapons

God **forbid** you should regret your marriage.

reside

v. to live in a particular place, typically for a prolonged period of time

synonym: live, dwell, inhabit

(1) **reside** on the skin, (2) **reside** permanently

They **reside** in a beautiful old house in the countryside.

trap

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

synonym: catch, snare, pinfall

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

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

zone

n. a specific area, region, or section that is marked off or defined in some way

synonym: area, region, territory

(1) time **zone**, (2) **zone** defense

He was reluctant to leave his comfort **zone** and try something new.

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**.

makeshift

adj. serving as a temporary substitute or solution; improvised

synonym: improvised, temporary, ad-hoc

(1) **makeshift** shelter, (2) a **makeshift** solution

The team set up a **makeshift** tent for shelter during the storm.

detention

n. the act of holding someone in custody, especially as a punishment for a crime they are suspected of having committed

synonym: confinement, imprisonment, custody

(1) **detention** center, (2) immigration **detention**

The government is criticized for the prolonged **detention** of political activists without trial.

fairground

n. a large outdoor area or venue used for entertainment and amusement, typically including rides, games, and food concessions

synonym: carnival, amusement park, festival

(1) **fairground** games, (2) children's **fairground**

The annual **fairground** attractions drew huge crowds of visitors from all over the state.

racetrack

n. a circular or oval-shaped track or course used for racing events, typically involving horses, cars, or other vehicles

synonym: speedway, circuit, course

(1) oval **racetrack**, (2) motorcycle **racetrack**

The professional racecar driver sped around the **racetrack** at lightning speed.

convert

v. to have a talk with someone; (adjective) reversed in order, relation, or action

synonym: alter, remake, transform

(1) **convert** fat into energy, (2) **convert** base 10 to base 16

I want to **convert** my sadness into strength.

stable

adj. firm and steady; not easily moved, disturbed, or changed

synonym: sturdy, unmoving, durable

(1) in **stable** condition, (2) have a **stable** job

Relations between the two countries have been relatively **stable** due to the summit meeting.

barrack

v. to provide accommodations or housing, often for military personnel or sports teams; to spur on or encourage especially by cheers and shouts; (noun) a large building or group of buildings that provide temporary housing for soldiers or other military personnel

synonym : house, lodge, cheer

(1) **barrack** room, (2) **barrack** the opposing team

The soldiers were instructed to **barrack** in the buildings until further notice.

ensue

v. to happen or follow as a result or consequence of something

synonym : follow, occur, result

(1) **ensue** within a few years, (2) predict what will **ensue**

A power outage **ensued** after the storm knocked out the electricity.

desolate

adj. deserted, barren, or lonely; causing a feeling of sadness or hopelessness

synonym : barren, stark, uninhabited

(1) a **desolate** scene, (2) **desolate** moon

The deserted island was **desolate** and uninhabited.

guarded

adj. cautious and careful in one's actions or speech; not revealing one's thoughts or feelings readily; protected or defended against danger or risk

synonym : cautious, circumspect, careful

(1) **guarded** optimism, (2) **guarded** tone

The politician's **guarded** response left journalists questioning his words' sincerity.

construct

v. to build or create something; to assemble or combine different parts to form something whole

synonym : build, assemble, create

(1) **construct** a 3D image, (2) **construct** a dam

He **constructs** hypotheses that no mathematician has ever imagined before.

incarcerate

v. to put or keep somebody in prison or in a place from which they cannot escape

synonym : confine, detain, imprison

(1) **incarcerate** the murderer, (2) **incarcerate** her for life
He was **incarcerated** for the duration of the war.

hasty

adj. done or acting with excessive speed or urgency and without sufficient thought or consideration

synonym: rushed, impulsive, prompt

(1) a **hasty** temper, (2) **hasty** commitment

The **hasty** conclusion drawn by the researchers resulted in flawed study findings.

overcrowded

adj. containing too many people or things in a particular space, making it cramped or uncomfortable

synonym: packed, congested, jammed

(1) **overcrowded** refugee camp, (2) **overcrowded** with passengers

The school district is facing a problem with **overcrowded** classrooms.

sanitary

adj. clean and hygienic; of or relating to the promotion of health through cleanliness

synonym: hygienic, clean, germ-free

(1) due to **sanitary** reasons, (2) adopt **sanitary** measures

The public restrooms were equipped with automatic flushers and hand sanitizer to maintain high **sanitary** conditions.

frequent

adj. happening constantly

synonym: periodic, recurring, routine

(1) **frequent** absence, (2) **frequent** use

His heartaches are less **frequent** now.

medical

adj. relating to the treatment of illness or injuries; relating to the practice of medicine

synonym: health, disease, treatment

(1) a **medical** opinion, (2) temporary **medical** treatment

The **medical** team worked quickly to save the patient's life.

relocate

v. to move or move something or someone to a new place and build a house or a business there

synonym : emigrate, resettle, migrate

(1) **relocate** a company, (2) **relocate** with a new job

The university **relocated** to campuses several miles away.

rely

v. to require a specific thing or the assistance and support of someone or something to continue, run properly, or succeed.

synonym : depend, count, lean

(1) **rely** on convenience stores, (2) **rely** entirely on him

Babies heavily **rely** on others for food.

facility

n. a building or place that provides a particular service or is used for a particular industry

synonym : building, structure, installation

(1) a cell phone with an internet **facility**, (2) **facility** design

This company has an entire recycling **facility**, including major reprocessing plants.

equip

v. to provide a person or a place with the things that are needed for a particular purpose or activity

synonym : prepare, furnish, provide

(1) **equip** an army, (2) **equip** our children with some special skills

The construction company **equipped** the building with an earthquake-resistant device.

crop

n. a plant that is cultivated in large amounts, particularly for food

synonym : output, produce, product

(1) **crop** field, (2) **crop** herbicide

Sow early for an early **crop**.

rebel

n. someone who resists or opposes authority or control, especially by fighting against it

synonym : insurgent, dissenter, mutineer

(1) **rebel** uprising, (2) group of **rebels**

The **rebels** fought against the government for their independence.

labor

n. productive work, especially physical work done for wages; the people who do manual or physical work in a country or company for wage; (verb) to work hard or to strive and make an effort to reach a goal

synonym : toil, moil, donkeywork

(1) seasonal **labor**, (2) manual **labor**

In several countries, child **labor** is a serious social problem.

strike

v. to wallop somebody or something with the hand, fist, or weapon; to have an emotional or cognitive impact upon

synonym : hit, impact, influence

(1) **strike** up a conversation, (2) **strike** a blow

We **strike** to achieve more wages and safer working conditions.

riot

n. a violent disturbance of the peace by a crowd, characterized by destruction of property, looting, arson, and attacks on individuals

synonym : disturbance, unrest, upheaval

(1) **riot** police, (2) **riot** control gas

The **riots** in the city have left many buildings damaged and several people injured.

constantly

adv. all the time

synonym : continuously, always, frequently

(1) a **constantly** innovative enterprise, (2) a **constantly** varying mind

The mobile application industry is **constantly** changing.

recreate

v. to make something that existed previously happen or appear to exist again

synonym : renovate, vivify, revive

(1) **recreate** a single country, (2) **recreate** the feeling of the

1920s

She **recreated** the atmosphere of the pre-war age with her stage setting.

semblance

n. the outward appearance or visible form of something, especially when it is different from the reality beneath; a vague or superficial similarity

synonym: appearance, facade, imitation

(1) **semblance** of truth, (2) lose **semblance** of identity

There was no **semblance** of order at the chaotic protest.

unavoidable

adj. impossible to avoid or evade; inevitable

synonym: inevitable, inescapable, certain

(1) an **unavoidable** accident, (2) under **unavoidable** circumstances

There are now fears that war is **unavoidable**.

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.

aid

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

synonym: helper, resource, assistance

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

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

racist

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

synonym: discriminatory, prejudiced, bigoted

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

The **racist** comments made by the politician caused widespread condemnation.

quake

v. to shake or vibrate violently and for a short time

synonym: shake, trembler, tremor

(1) **quake** in his boots, (2) **quake** with cold

The earth began to **quake**, and he knew he had to leave the building immediately.

enroll

v. to officially register or sign up for something, particularly a course of study, an organization, or a service

synonym: register, enlist, join

(1) **enroll** at a college, (2) **enroll** in a school

I need to **enroll** in a cooking class to improve my culinary skills.

landmark

n. a notable or important event, place, or achievement; a significant object or feature that serves as a reference point

synonym: marker, reference point, guidepost

(1) a **landmark** discovery, (2) historical **landmark**

The Empire State Building is a **landmark** in New York City.

supreme

adj. highest in rank, level, or importance

synonym: foremost, highest, greatest

(1) the **supreme** commander, (2) justice of the **supreme** court

The **supreme** pleasure of life is the conviction that we are loved.

unconstitutional

adj. not in accordance with the constitution (= the set of fundamental principles or established precedents) of a country or state

synonym: illegal, unlawful, invalid

(1) **unconstitutional** violation, (2) **unconstitutional** action

The law was determined to be **unconstitutional** by the court.

remaining

adj. left over or still present after other parts have been used, removed, or destroyed; existing or persisting in a particular state or condition

synonym : leftover, residual, remaining

(1) **remaining** time, (2) **remaining** balance

The **remaining** supplies were quickly distributed among the survivors of the natural disaster.

mere

adj. used to emphasize how insignificant or minor someone or something is

synonym : bare, minor, sheer

(1) **mere** acquaintance, (2) **mere** incident

He lost the election by **mere** votes.

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.

postwar

adj. relating to the period following a war, particularly World War II; characterized by the rebuilding and recovery of countries and societies

synonym : subsequent, aftermath

(1) **postwar** years, (2) **postwar** society

The **postwar** period was marked by economic growth and rebuilding efforts.

prejudice

n. a thought or feeling that is unfair and makes no sense, mainly when it is formed without enough thought or knowledge

synonym : bias, preconception, predisposition

(1) deep-rooted **prejudice**, (2) color **prejudice**

This community is free of social **prejudice**.

discriminate

v. to treat a person or particular group of people worse or better than another, especially in an unfair way; to recognize or perceive the difference between people or things

synonym : show prejudice, segregate, differentiate

(1) **discriminate** against women employees,

(2) **discriminate** between different things

You should not **discriminate** against minorities.

resentment

n. bitterness or indignation at being treated unfairly

synonym : bitterness, enmity, animosity

(1) abiding **resentment**, (2) bitter **resentment**

She felt **resentment** towards her boss for not giving her a promotion.

replace

v. to take the place of something

synonym : substitute, supersede, displace

(1) **replace** one word with another, (2) **replace** a phone

Eventually, the new design will **replace** all older models.

fortunate

adj. having good luck or lucky

synonym : fortuitous, lucky, blessed

(1) **fortunate** situation, (2) less **fortunate** person

He was pretty **fortunate** to pass the exam.

racial

adj. of or related to the race (= classification of humans into groups based on physical traits or social relations)

synonym : ethnic, tribal, ethnical

(1) **racial** prejudice, (2) **racial** and ethnic backgrounds

A minor **racial** conflict later led to a civil war.

Congress

n. a formal meeting of the representatives of different countries, constituent states, organizations, trade unions, political parties, or other groups

synonym : legislature, parliament, assembly

(1) an international **Congress**, (2) peace **Congress**

Congress must consider this proposal in an unusual situation.

equality

n. the state or quality of being equal, especially in status, rights, and opportunities; fairness and impartiality

synonym : sameness, equity, parity

(1) **equality** act, (2) **equality** in education

Everyone deserves **equality** regardless of their race, gender, or socioeconomic status.

advocacy

n. the act of supporting or promoting a particular cause or point of view, often through public campaigning or lobbying

synonym : support, promotion, defense

(1) **advocacy** group, (2) consumer **advocacy** group

The group engages in **advocacy** through lobbying and campaigning for policy changes.

multicultural

adj. relating to or characterized by several cultures (= beliefs, languages, customs, traditions, etc.)

synonym : diverse, varied, inclusive

(1) **multicultural** society, (2) **multicultural** education

The school is known for its **multicultural** student body.

conscious

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

synonym : aware, cognizant, deliberate

(1) **conscious** effort, (2) **conscious** of having succeeded

He became **conscious** that he was being followed.

rebuild

v. to build again or anew

synonym : reconstruct, renovate, restore

(1) **rebuild** a company, (2) **rebuild** communities

They are planning to **rebuild** the house after the fire.

movement

n. a group of people working together to achieve a shared goal, especially a political, social, or artistic one; the

process of moving or being moved, physically or figuratively

synonym: motion, progression, action

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

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

statistics

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

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

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

atone

v. to make amends or reparations for wrongdoing or an offense

synonym: repent, reconcile, make amends

(1) **atone** for your sins, (2) **atone** for wrongdoing

He tried to **atone** for his mistake by apologizing and making it right.

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.

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.

apologize

v. to express regret for committing wrongdoing or causing a problem

synonym: excuse, justify, atone

(1) **apologize** for being late, (2) **apologize** ahead of time

I **apologize** for neglecting your email.

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**.

hysteria

n. a state of extreme excitement, fear, or anger that cannot be controlled

synonym : panic, fury, agitation

(1) global warming **hysteria**, (2) anxiety **hysteria**

There was mass **hysteria** when the team won a championship.

apology

n. an act of saying or writing that you are sorry for something that has been done wrong or that causes a trouble

synonym : regret, excuse, plea

(1) genuine **apology**, (2) accept his **apology**

She wrote a letter of **apology** to the renter.

award

n. a prize or other mark of recognition given in honor of an achievement

synonym : prize, honor, accolade

(1) **award** ceremony, (2) participation **award**

He won the **award** for best actor at the film festival.

chapter

n. a separate section of a written work usually numbered and titled

synonym : section, phase, episode

(1) an introductory **chapter**, (2) **chapter** of a political party

The final **chapter** provides a summary of the discussion.

nation

n. a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular

culture

synonym : country, state, sovereign entity

(1) **nation-state**, (2) a seafaring **nation**

The **nation** of Japan is known for its unique culture and advanced technology.

celebrate

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

synonym : praise, glorify, honor

(1) **celebrate** his election, (2) **celebrate** Christmas

He **celebrated** the 10th anniversary of his tenure.

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**.

background

n. the details of a person's social heritage, such as family, vocational or educational experience; past information that is essential to understanding a situation or problem

synonym : ground, experience, backdrop

(1) a **background** color, (2) a criminal **background**

The company's hiring criteria emphasize personality, not a person's **background**.

Session 2: Spelling

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| 1. global warming hy_____ia | <i>n.</i> a state of extreme excitement, fear, or anger that cannot be controlled |
| 2. become al_____ed | <i>adj.</i> feeling isolated, estranged, or disconnected from others, often due to a sense of difference or lack of belonging |
| 3. al_____ed from my parents | <i>adj.</i> feeling isolated, estranged, or disconnected from others, often due to a sense of difference or lack of belonging |
| 4. an im_____nt from the country | <i>n.</i> a person who has come to a country where they were not born to live there permanently |
| 5. a cultured pe__l | <i>n.</i> a hard, roundish object found within the shells of certain mollusks and used as a gem |
| 6. phy_____ly and mentally | <i>adv.</i> in a way related to a person's body or appearance rather than their mind |
| 7. fo___d the use of chemical weapons | <i>v.</i> to order somebody not to do something, especially officially; to keep something from happening or arising |
| 8. t__p an animal | <i>n.</i> a piece of equipment or hole for catching animals or people; (verb) to catch animals or people and prevent them from escaping |
| 9. fr_____nt absence | <i>adj.</i> happening constantly |

ANSWERS: 1. hysteria, 2. alienated, 3. alienated, 4. immigrant, 5. pearl, 6. physically, 7. forbid, 8. trap, 9. frequent

10. ce_____te his election *v.* to acknowledge a memorable or good day or event with a social gathering or enjoyable activity
11. co_____t base 10 to base 16 *v.* to have a talk with someone; (adjective) reversed in order, relation, or action
12. st___e up a conversation *v.* to wallop somebody or something with the hand, fist, or weapon; to have an emotional or cognitive impact upon
13. under una_____le circumstances *adj.* impossible to avoid or evade; inevitable
14. ba_____k room *v.* to provide accommodations or housing, often for military personnel or sports teams; to spur on or encourage especially by cheers and shouts; (noun) a large building or group of buildings that provide temporary housing for soldiers or other military personnel
15. deep-rooted pr_____ce *n.* a thought or feeling that is unfair and makes no sense, mainly when it is formed without enough thought or knowledge
16. a bac_____nd color *n.* the details of a person's social heritage, such as family, vocational or educational experience; past information that is essential to understanding a situation or problem
17. a con_____ly varying mind *adv.* all the time
18. im___e harsher sanctions *v.* to officially force a new law, tax, duty, etc. to be obeyed or received
19. sta_____cs for cancer *n.* the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data

ANSWERS: 10. celebrate, 11. convert, 12. strike, 13. unavoidable, 14. barrack, 15. prejudice, 16. background, 17. constantly, 18. impose, 19. statistics

20. abiding res_____nt *n.* bitterness or indignation at being treated unfairly
21. pe__l beyond price *n.* a hard, roundish object found within the shells of certain mollusks and used as a gem
22. notorious tr_____r *n.* a person who betrays someone or something, such as a friend, cause, or principle, to which they had previously been loyal; a person who commits treason against their country or sovereign
23. a circular mo_____nt *n.* a group of people working together to achieve a shared goal, especially a political, social, or artistic one; the process of moving or being moved, physically or figuratively
24. di_____e backgrounds *adj.* including numerous categories of individuals or entities; various
25. qu__e in his boots *v.* to shake or vibrate violently and for a short time
26. de___n for investigation *v.* to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving
27. re___e permanently *v.* to live in a particular place, typically for a prolonged period of time
28. co_____t fat into energy *v.* to have a talk with someone; (adjective) reversed in order, relation, or action
29. ad_____cy group *n.* the act of supporting or promoting a particular cause or point of view, often through public campaigning or lobbying

ANSWERS: 20. resentment, 21. pearl, 22. traitor, 23. movement, 24. diverse, 25. quake, 26. detain, 27. reside, 28. convert, 29. advocacy

38. m__e acquaintance *adj.* used to emphasize how insignificant or minor someone or something is
39. r__t control gas *n.* a violent disturbance of the peace by a crowd, characterized by destruction of property, looting, arson, and attacks on individuals
40. manual la__r *n.* productive work, especially physical work done for wages; the people who do manual or physical work in a country or company for wage; (verb) to work hard or to strive and make an effort to reach a goal
41. the su____e commander *adj.* highest in rank, level, or importance
42. consumer ad____cy group *n.* the act of supporting or promoting a particular cause or point of view, often through public campaigning or lobbying
43. write him an answer imm_____ly *adv.* now or without delay
44. res_____on on trade *n.* a limitation or constraint placed on something, or the act of limiting or constraining something
45. re_____ng balance *adj.* left over or still present after other parts have been used, removed, or destroyed; existing or persisting in a particular state or condition
46. gu_____d tone *adj.* cautious and careful in one's actions or speech; not revealing one's thoughts or feelings readily; protected or defended against danger or risk
47. set a t__p *n.* a piece of equipment or hole for catching animals or people; (verb) to catch animals or people and prevent them from escaping

ANSWERS: 38. mere, 39. riot, 40. labor, 41. supreme, 42. advocacy, 43. immediately, 44. restriction, 45. remaining, 46. guarded, 47. trap

48. ra___l and ethnic backgrounds *adj.* of or related to the race (= classification of humans into groups based on physical traits or social relations)
49. a ma_____ft solution *adj.* serving as a temporary substitute or solution; improvised
50. eq__p our children with some special skills *v.* to provide a person or a place with the things that are needed for a particular purpose or activity
51. 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
52. ex_____e sports *adj.* very great in amount or degree
53. z__e defense *n.* a specific area, region, or section that is marked off or defined in some way
54. less fo_____te person *adj.* having good luck or lucky
55. a la_____rk discovery *n.* a notable or important event, place, or achievement; a significant object or feature that serves as a reference point
56. ex_____ve editor at the publishing house *n.* a person or group of people with top-level management responsibility in a business or other organization; the branch that is responsible for implementing, administering, and enforcing laws, as well as running the day-to-day operations
57. atomic b__bs *n.* a weapon that explodes and is used to kill or injure people or to cause damage to something

ANSWERS: 48. racial, 49. makeshift, 50. equip, 51. determinant, 52. extreme, 53. zone, 54. fortunate, 55. landmark, 56. executive, 57. bomb

58. r__y on convenience stores *v.* to require a specific thing or the assistance and support of someone or something to continue, run properly, or succeed.
59. im___e tariffs *v.* to officially force a new law, tax, duty, etc. to be obeyed or received
60. con_____te drugs *v.* to seize, take or appropriate something by authority, often as a penalty for breaking laws or rules
61. 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
62. re_____te the feeling of the 1920s *v.* to make something that existed previously happen or appear to exist again
63. children's fai_____nd *n.* a large outdoor area or venue used for entertainment and amusement, typically including rides, games, and food concessions
64. se_____ce of truth *n.* the outward appearance or visible form of something, especially when it is different from the reality beneath; a vague or superficial similarity
65. fo___d smoking in public areas *v.* to order somebody not to do something, especially officially; to keep something from happening or arising
66. ma_____ft shelter *adj.* serving as a temporary substitute or solution; improvised

ANSWERS: 58. rely, 59. impose, 60. confiscate, 61. harmony, 62. recreate, 63. fairground, 64. semblance, 65. forbid, 66. makeshift

67. eq__p an army
v. to provide a person or a place with the things that are needed for a particular purpose or activity
68. su_____t a plot
v. to consider anything to be actual or probable
69. re_____l truck
n. the act of taking something away or off from a particular place
70. color pr_____ce
n. a thought or feeling that is unfair and makes no sense, mainly when it is formed without enough thought or knowledge
71. a person of di_____e talents
adj. including numerous categories of individuals or entities; various
72. oval ra_____ck
n. a circular or oval-shaped track or course used for racing events, typically involving horses, cars, or other vehicles
73. environmental det_____nt
n. a factor, circumstance, or condition that contributes to the shaping, influencing, or determining of a particular outcome or result
74. aw__d ceremony
n. a prize or other mark of recognition given in honor of an achievement
75. a me_____l opinion
adj. relating to the treatment of illness or injuries; relating to the practice of medicine
76. en__e within a few years
v. to happen or follow as a result or consequence of something
77. nutritional res_____on
n. a limitation or constraint placed on something, or the act of limiting or constraining something

ANSWERS: 67. equip, 68. suspect, 69. removal, 70. prejudice, 71. diverse, 72. racetrack, 73. determinant, 74. award, 75. medical, 76. ensue, 77. restriction

78. ove_____ed with passengers *adj.* containing too many people or things in a particular space, making it cramped or uncomfortable
79. an international co_____ss *n.* a formal meeting of the representatives of different countries, constituent states, organizations, trade unions, political parties, or other groups
80. achieve the hi_____ic feat *adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so
81. financial a_d *n.* things sent to help countries in need, notably food or money; support
82. r__t police *n.* a violent disturbance of the peace by a crowd, characterized by destruction of property, looting, arson, and attacks on individuals
83. in_____ce system *n.* a violation of the rights of others or the laws of a society
84. systemic ra___m *n.* prejudice, discrimination, or antagonism directed against a person or people based on their membership in a particular ethnic group, typically one that is a minority or marginalized
85. a mi_____ry leader *adj.* relating to or characteristic of members of the armed forces; of or relating to war or warfare
86. m__e incident *adj.* used to emphasize how insignificant or minor someone or something is
87. at__e for your sins *v.* to make amends or reparations for wrongdoing or an offense

ANSWERS: 78. overcrowded, 79. congress, 80. historic, 81. aid, 82. riot, 83. injustice, 84. racism, 85. military, 86. mere, 87. atone

88. ra___t attitudes *adj.* characterized by or showing discrimination or prejudice against people of other races; (noun) a person with a prejudiced belief that one racial group is superior to others
89. participation aw__d *n.* a prize or other mark of recognition given in honor of an achievement
90. eq____ty act *n.* the state or quality of being equal, especially in status, rights, and opportunities; fairness and impartiality
91. historical la____rk *n.* a notable or important event, place, or achievement; a significant object or feature that serves as a reference point
92. an una____le accident *adj.* impossible to avoid or evade; inevitable
93. c__p field *n.* a plant that is cultivated in large amounts, particularly for food
94. at__e for wrongdoing *v.* to make amends or reparations for wrongdoing or an offense
95. 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
96. mul____ral society *adj.* relating to or characterized by several cultures (= beliefs, languages, customs, traditions, etc.)
97. unc____nal action *adj.* not in accordance with the constitution (= the set of fundamental principles or established precedents) of a country or state

ANSWERS: 88. racist, 89. award, 90. equality, 91. landmark, 92. unavoidable, 93. crop, 94. atone, 95. label, 96. multicultural, 97. unconstitutional

98. ex____e weather events *adj.* very great in amount or degree
99. seasonal la__r *n.* productive work, especially physical work done for wages; the people who do manual or physical work in a country or company for wage; (verb) to work hard or to strive and make an effort to reach a goal
100. fa____ty design *n.* a building or place that provides a particular service or is used for a particular industry
101. re____e on the skin *v.* to live in a particular place, typically for a prolonged period of time
102. inc____te her for life *v.* to put or keep somebody in prison or in a place from which they cannot escape
103. predict what will en__e *v.* to happen or follow as a result or consequence of something
104. telescopic vi____n *n.* the ability to think about or see the future with imagination and intelligence; the faculty of being able to see
105. suffering from pa____ia *n.* a mental condition characterized by delusions of persecution, unwarranted jealousy, or exaggerated self-importance, typically compounded by feelings of anxiety or irritability
106. teenage cu____w *n.* a regulation requiring people to be off the streets and indoors at a specified time, especially at night, typically imposed during a period of emergency or unrest

ANSWERS: 98. extreme, 99. labor, 100. facility, 101. reside, 102. incarcerate, 103. ensue, 104. vision, 105. paranoia, 106. curfew

107. accept his ap_____y *n.* an act of saying or writing that you are sorry for something that has been done wrong or that causes a trouble
108. co_____us effort *adj.* being aware of and able to respond to what is happening around you
109. lose se_____ce of identity *n.* the outward appearance or visible form of something, especially when it is different from the reality beneath; a vague or superficial similarity
110. dental tartar re_____l *n.* the act of taking something away or off from a particular place
111. anxiety hy_____ia *n.* a state of extreme excitement, fear, or anger that cannot be controlled
112. gross in_____ce *n.* a violation of the rights of others or the laws of a society
113. co_____ct a dam *v.* to build or create something; to assemble or combine different parts to form something whole
114. lactose res_____ed diet *adj.* limited in extent, number, scope, or action, especially by official rules, laws, etc.
115. cu___w law *n.* a regulation requiring people to be off the streets and indoors at a specified time, especially at night, typically imposed during a period of emergency or unrest
116. qu__e with cold *v.* to shake or vibrate violently and for a short time
117. time z__e *n.* a specific area, region, or section that is marked off or defined in some way

ANSWERS: 107. apology, 108. conscious, 109. semblance, 110. removal, 111. hysteria, 112. injustice, 113. construct, 114. restricted, 115. curfew, 116. quake, 117. zone

128. co_____al swimming pool *adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
129. re_____e a phone *v.* to take the place of something
130. de_____te moon *adj.* deserted, barren, or lonely; causing a feeling of sadness or hopelessness
131. be_____g to different species *v.* to be the property of someone or something; to be a member or part of a group; to be in the proper or appropriate place
132. res_____ed area *adj.* limited in extent, number, scope, or action, especially by official rules, laws, etc.
133. due to sa_____ry reasons *adj.* clean and hygienic; of or relating to the promotion of health through cleanliness
134. re_____ng time *adj.* left over or still present after other parts have been used, removed, or destroyed; existing or persisting in a particular state or condition
135. genuine ap_____y *n.* an act of saying or writing that you are sorry for something that has been done wrong or that causes a trouble
136. dis_____ate against women employees *v.* to treat a person or particular group of people worse or better than another, especially in an unfair way; to recognize or perceive the difference between people or things
137. mi_____e across borders *v.* to move from one country or region to another and settle there; to move from one place to another periodically or seasonally

ANSWERS: 128. communal, 129. replace, 130. desolate, 131. belong, 132. restricted, 133. sanitary, 134. remaining, 135. apology, 136. discriminate, 137. migrate

138. unc_____nal violation *adj.* not in accordance with the constitution (= the set of fundamental principles or established precedents) of a country or state
139. victim of cat_____hic injuries *adj.* extremely harmful; causing physical or financial destruction
140. bitter res_____nt *n.* bitterness or indignation at being treated unfairly
141. co_____us of having succeeded *adj.* being aware of and able to respond to what is happening around you
142. have a st____e job *adj.* firm and steady; not easily moved, disturbed, or changed
143. gov_____nt funding *n.* the group of people with authority to control a country or state
144. ex_____ve vice president *n.* a person or group of people with top-level management responsibility in a business or other organization; the branch that is responsible for implementing, administering, and enforcing laws, as well as running the day-to-day operations
145. immigration de_____on *n.* the act of holding someone in custody, especially as a punishment for a crime they are suspected of having committed
146. encourage pa_____ia *n.* a mental condition characterized by delusions of persecution, unwarranted jealousy, or exaggerated self-importance, typically compounded by feelings of anxiety or irritability

ANSWERS: 138. unconstitutional, 139. catastrophic, 140. resentment, 141. conscious, 142. stable, 143. government, 144. executive, 145. detention, 146. paranoia

147. ho___r movie *n.* intense fear or disgust, especially at something shocking or terrifying
148. stay phy_____ly fit *adv.* in a way related to a person's body or appearance rather than their mind
149. a ha_____y of colors *n.* the combination of simultaneous musical notes to produce a pleasing effect; an attractive combination of related things and their properties
150. po_____r society *adj.* relating to the period following a war, particularly World War II; characterized by the rebuilding and recovery of countries and societies
151. sa_____ge mission *n.* the deliberate and malicious damage, destruction, or disruption of equipment, machinery, or other property, often by someone with a particular agenda or motive; the subversion of an organization or institution by secret agents or spies
152. gov_____nt bureaucracy *n.* the group of people with authority to control a country or state
153. pr_____nt emeritus *n.* the leader of a republic, for example, the US; the person in charge of the organization such as a company, university, club, etc.
154. ho___r-struck look *n.* intense fear or disgust, especially at something shocking or terrifying
155. a mi_____ry operation *adj.* relating to or characteristic of members of the armed forces; of or relating to war or warfare

ANSWERS: 147. horror, 148. physically, 149. harmony, 150. postwar, 151. sabotage, 152. government, 153. president, 154. horror, 155. military

156. adopt sa____ry measures *adj.* clean and hygienic; of or relating to the promotion of health through cleanliness
157. eq____ty in education *n.* the state or quality of being equal, especially in status, rights, and opportunities; fairness and impartiality
158. inc____te the murderer *v.* to put or keep somebody in prison or in a place from which they cannot escape
159. ha____r a resentment *n.* an area of water next to the coast where ships and boats are protected from rough water by piers, jetties, and other artificial structures; (verb) keep in one's possession
160. political tr____r *n.* a person who betrays someone or something, such as a friend, cause, or principle, to which they had previously been loyal; a person who commits treason against their country or sovereign
161. re____d a company *v.* to build again or anew
162. mul____ral education *adj.* relating to or characterized by several cultures (= beliefs, languages, customs, traditions, etc.)
163. in____d transportation *adj.* situated or located away from the coast or a body of water; (adverb) towards or into the interior of a region
164. re____te a single country *v.* to make something that existed previously happen or appear to exist again
165. re____e one word with another *v.* to take the place of something

ANSWERS: 156. sanitary, 157. equality, 158. incarcerate, 159. harbor, 160. traitor, 161. rebuild, 162. multicultural, 163. inland, 164. recreate, 165. replace

166. ba____k the opposing team *v.* to provide accommodations or housing, often for military personnel or sports teams; to spur on or encourage especially by cheers and shouts; (noun) a large building or group of buildings that provide temporary housing for soldiers or other military personnel
167. c__p herbicide *n.* a plant that is cultivated in large amounts, particularly for food
168. a de____te scene *adj.* deserted, barren, or lonely; causing a feeling of sadness or hopelessness
169. act of sa____ge *n.* the deliberate and malicious damage, destruction, or disruption of equipment, machinery, or other property, often by someone with a particular agenda or motive; the subversion of an organization or institution by secret agents or spies
170. de____on center *n.* the act of holding someone in custody, especially as a punishment for a crime they are suspected of having committed
171. a seafaring na____n *n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture
172. imm____ly recall a product *adv.* now or without delay
173. a con____ly innovative enterprise *adv.* all the time
174. co____ct a 3D image *v.* to build or create something; to assemble or combine different parts to form something whole

ANSWERS: 166. barrack, 167. crop, 168. desolate, 169. sabotage, 170. detention, 171. nation, 172. immediately, 173. constantly, 174. construct

175. re__l uprising *n.* someone who resists or opposes authority or control, especially by fighting against it
176. cat_____hic climate change *adj.* extremely harmful; causing physical or financial destruction
177. su_____t that he is sick *v.* to consider anything to be actual or probable
178. de___n a terrorist *v.* to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving
179. gu_____d optimism *adj.* cautious and careful in one's actions or speech; not revealing one's thoughts or feelings readily; protected or defended against danger or risk
180. move further in___d *adj.* situated or located away from the coast or a body of water; (adverb) towards or into the interior of a region
181. pro_____ion of innocence *n.* an official announcement or statement
182. re_____te with a new job *v.* to move or move something or someone to a new place and build a house or a business there
183. ove_____ed refugee camp *adj.* containing too many people or things in a particular space, making it cramped or uncomfortable
184. ha__y commitment *adj.* done or acting with excessive speed or urgency and without sufficient thought or consideration
185. na___n-state *n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture

ANSWERS: 175. rebel, 176. catastrophic, 177. suspect, 178. detain, 179. guarded, 180. inland, 181. proclamation, 182. relocate, 183. overcrowded, 184. hasty, 185. nation

186. an introductory ch____r
n. a separate section of a written work usually numbered and titled
187. in st___e condition
adj. firm and steady; not easily moved, disturbed, or changed
188. vice-pr_____nt for finance
n. the leader of a republic, for example, the US; the person in charge of the organization such as a company, university, club, etc.
189. hi____ic accomplishment
adj. famous or significant in history, or potentially so
190. research on anti-ra____m
n. prejudice, discrimination, or antagonism directed against a person or people based on their membership in a particular ethnic group, typically one that is a minority or marginalized
191. co_____al combination of funds
adj. belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
192. fo_____te situation
adj. having good luck or lucky
193. ap_____ze ahead of time
v. to express regret for committing wrongdoing or causing a problem
194. ra____l prejudice
adj. of or related to the race (= classification of humans into groups based on physical traits or social relations)
195. disarm the b__b
n. a weapon that explodes and is used to kill or injure people or to cause damage to something
196. re_____d communities
v. to build again or anew
197. ce_____te Christmas
v. to acknowledge a memorable or good day or event with a social gathering or enjoyable activity

ANSWERS: 186. chapter, 187. stable, 188. president, 189. historic, 190. racism, 191. communal, 192. fortunate, 193. apologize, 194. racial, 195. bomb, 196. rebuild, 197. celebrate

198. far-right ra___t *adj.* characterized by or showing discrimination or prejudice against people of other races; (noun) a person with a prejudiced belief that one racial group is superior to others
199. a ha__y temper *adj.* done or acting with excessive speed or urgency and without sufficient thought or consideration
200. en___l in a school *v.* to officially register or sign up for something, particularly a course of study, an organization, or a service
201. a cell phone with an internet fa____ty *n.* a building or place that provides a particular service or is used for a particular industry
202. im_____nt communities *n.* a person who has come to a country where they were not born to live there permanently
203. re_____te a company *v.* to move or move something or someone to a new place and build a house or a business there
204. be___g to a group *v.* to be the property of someone or something; to be a member or part of a group; to be in the proper or appropriate place
205. justice of the su_____e court *adj.* highest in rank, level, or importance
206. 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

ANSWERS: 198. racist, 199. hasty, 200. enroll, 201. facility, 202. immigrant, 203. relocate, 204. belong, 205. supreme, 206. label

207. con_____te property *v.* to seize, take or appropriate something by authority, often as a penalty for breaking laws or rules
208. ap_____ze for being late *v.* to express regret for committing wrongdoing or causing a problem
209. st___e a blow *v.* to wallop somebody or something with the hand, fist, or weapon; to have an emotional or cognitive impact upon
210. temporary me_____l treatment *adj.* relating to the treatment of illness or injuries; relating to the practice of medicine
211. se___e a dispute *v.* to reach an agreement of disagreement
212. a criminal bac_____nd *n.* the details of a person's social heritage, such as family, vocational or educational experience; past information that is essential to understanding a situation or problem
213. fr_____nt use *adj.* happening constantly
214. nullify a pro_____ion *n.* an official announcement or statement

ANSWERS: 207. confiscate, 208. apologize, 209. strike, 210. medical, 211. settle, 212. background, 213. frequent, 214. proclamation

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. Having a _____ healthy physique is essential for a great life.
adv. in a way related to a person's body or appearance rather than their mind
2. Police received a report of illegal _____ in the area.
n. a person who has come to a country where they were not born to live there permanently
3. 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
4. The tsunami swamped every boat in the _____.
n. an area of water next to the coast where ships and boats are protected from rough water by piers, jetties, and other artificial structures; (verb) keep in one's possession
5. The king made a _____ declaring war on the neighboring country.
n. an official announcement or statement
6. The federal _____ is planning to increase taxes for the next fiscal year.
n. the group of people with authority to control a country or state
7. The _____ of the dancers on stage was graceful and elegant.
n. a group of people working together to achieve a shared goal, especially a political, social, or artistic one; the process of moving or being moved, physically or figuratively

ANSWERS: 1. physically, 2. immigrants, 3. label, 4. harbor, 5. proclamation, 6. government, 7. movement

8. The _____ of the statue caused much controversy in the community.
n. the act of taking something away or off from a particular place
9. You should not _____ against minorities.
v. to treat a person or particular group of people worse or better than another, especially in an unfair way; to recognize or perceive the difference between people or things
10. Sow early for an early _____.
n. a plant that is cultivated in large amounts, particularly for food
11. The use of cluster _____ is strictly prohibited by international law.
n. a weapon that explodes and is used to kill or injure people or to cause damage to something
12. There are now fears that war is _____.
adj. impossible to avoid or evade; inevitable
13. His _____ about being followed made him constantly look over his shoulder.
n. a mental condition characterized by delusions of persecution, unwarranted jealousy, or exaggerated self-importance, typically compounded by feelings of anxiety or irritability
14. The school's lack of diversity was a clear indication of the _____ present in the community.
n. prejudice, discrimination, or antagonism directed against a person or people based on their membership in a particular ethnic group, typically one that is a minority or marginalized
15. The deserted island was _____ and uninhabited.
adj. deserted, barren, or lonely; causing a feeling of sadness or hopelessness

ANSWERS: 8. removal, 9. discriminate, 10. crop, 11. bombs, 12. unavoidable, 13. paranoia, 14. racism, 15. desolate

16. The earth began to _____ and he knew he had to leave the building immediately.

v. to shake or vibrate violently and for a short time

17. The school is known for its _____ student body.

adj. relating to or characterized by several cultures (= beliefs, languages, customs, traditions, etc.)

18. The cops _____ him of being the killer.

v. to consider anything to be actual or probable

19. He was reluctant to leave his comfort _____ and try something new.

n. a specific area, region, or section that is marked off or defined in some way

20. He won the _____ for best actor at the film festival.

n. a prize or other mark of recognition given in honor of an achievement

21. He tried to _____ for his mistake by apologizing and making it right.

v. to make amends or reparations for wrongdoing or an offense

22. A minor _____ conflict later led to a civil war.

adj. of or related to the race (= classification of humans into groups based on physical traits or social relations)

23. The _____ period was marked by economic growth and rebuilding efforts.

adj. relating to the period following a war, particularly World War II; characterized by the rebuilding and recovery of countries and societies

24. The club _____ does not have absolute power.

n. the leader of a republic, for example, the US; the person in charge of the organization such as a company, university, club, etc.

ANSWERS: 16. quake, 17. multicultural, 18. suspected, 19. zone, 20. award, 21. atone, 22. racial, 23. postwar, 24. president

25. The _____ conclusion drawn by the researchers resulted in flawed study findings.

adj. done or acting with excessive speed or urgency and without sufficient thought or consideration

26. He _____ the 10th anniversary of his tenure.

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

27. A suspension order from the court is effective _____.

adv. now or without delay

28. Relations between the two countries have been relatively _____ due to the summit meeting.

adj. firm and steady; not easily moved, disturbed, or changed

29. The _____ on travel during the pandemic made it difficult for people to see their loved ones.

n. a limitation or constraint placed on something, or the act of limiting or constraining something

30. The construction company _____ the building with an earthquake-resistant device.

v. to provide a person or a place with the things that are needed for a particular purpose or activity

31. The school district is facing a problem with _____ classrooms.

adj. containing too many people or things in a particular space, making it cramped or uncomfortable

ANSWERS: 25. hasty, 26. celebrated, 27. immediately, 28. stable, 29. restriction, 30. equipped, 31. overcrowded

32. Everyone deserves _____ regardless of their race, gender, or socioeconomic status.
- n.* the state or quality of being equal, especially in status, rights, and opportunities; fairness and impartiality
33. They are planning to _____ the house after the fire.
- v.* to build again or anew
34. This company has an entire recycling _____ including major reprocessing plants.
- n.* a building or place that provides a particular service or is used for a particular industry
35. The _____ team worked quickly to save the patient's life.
- adj.* relating to the treatment of illness or injuries; relating to the practice of medicine
36. The _____ in the city have left many buildings damaged and several people injured.
- n.* a violent disturbance of the peace by a crowd, characterized by destruction of property, looting, arson, and attacks on individuals
37. _____ elections were held in several European countries.
- adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
38. The mobile application industry is _____ changing.
- adv.* all the time
39. I need to _____ in a cooking class to improve my culinary skills.
- v.* to officially register or sign up for something, particularly a course of study, an organization, or a service

ANSWERS: 32. equality, 33. rebuild, 34. facility, 35. medical, 36. riots, 37. Communal, 38. constantly, 39. enroll

40. The problem with achievement tests is the narrowness they _____ on students.
v. to officially force a new law, tax, duty, etc. to be obeyed or received
41. New York is a city with a _____ ethnic population.
adj. including numerous categories of individuals or entities; various
42. This community is free of social _____.
n. a thought or feeling that is unfair and makes no sense, mainly when it is formed without enough thought or knowledge
43. She felt _____ towards her boss for not giving her a promotion.
n. bitterness or indignation at being treated unfairly
44. 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
45. A power outage _____ after the storm knocked out the electricity.
v. to happen or follow as a result or consequence of something
46. The politician's _____ response left journalists questioning his words' sincerity.
adj. cautious and careful in one's actions or speech; not revealing one's thoughts or feelings readily; protected or defended against danger or risk
47. The Empire State Building is a _____ in New York City.
n. a notable or important event, place, or achievement; a significant object or feature that serves as a reference point

ANSWERS: 40. impose, 41. diverse, 42. prejudice, 43. resentment, 44. vision, 45. ensued, 46. guarded, 47. landmark

48. He was pretty _____ to pass the exam.

adj. having good luck or lucky

49. There was mass _____ when the team won a championship.

n. a state of extreme excitement, fear, or anger that cannot be controlled

50. The government is criticized for the prolonged _____ of political activists without trial.

n. the act of holding someone in custody, especially as a punishment for a crime they are suspected of having committed

51. Eventually, the new design will _____ all older models.

v. to take the place of something

52. The corporation _____ dominated the entire tobacco business.

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

53. I _____ for neglecting your email.

v. to express regret for committing wrongdoing or causing a problem

54. The _____ academy was known for its strict discipline and training.

adj. relating to or characteristic of members of the armed forces; of or relating to war or warfare

55. The _____ comments made by the politician caused widespread condemnation.

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

ANSWERS: 48. fortunate, 49. hysteria, 50. detention, 51. replace, 52. eventually, 53. apologize, 54. military, 55. racist

56. The country has designated our products as _____ import goods.
adj. limited in extent, number, scope, or action, especially by official rules, laws, etc.
57. Pakistan's _____ budget was still being reviewed.
n. things sent to help countries in need, notably food or money; support
58. The police _____ the suspect for questioning.
v. to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving
59. He _____ hypotheses that no mathematician has ever imagined before.
v. to build or create something; to assemble or combine different parts to form something whole
60. We _____ to achieve more wages and safer working conditions.
v. to wallop somebody or something with the hand, fist, or weapon; to have an emotional or cognitive impact upon
61. Solar gravity creates _____ pressures and temperatures.
adj. very great in amount or degree
62. The city imposed a _____ to reduce crime and keep citizens safe.
n. a regulation requiring people to be off the streets and indoors at a specified time, especially at night, typically imposed during a period of emergency or unrest
63. I don't want to _____ for second best.
v. to reach an agreement of disagreement
64. The annual _____ attractions drew huge crowds of visitors from all over the state.
n. a large outdoor area or venue used for entertainment and amusement, typically including rides, games, and food concessions

ANSWERS: 56. restricted, 57. aid, 58. detained, 59. constructs, 60. strike, 61. extreme, 62. curfew, 63. settle, 64. fairground

65. I want to _____ my sadness into strength.

v. to have a talk with someone; (adjective) reversed in order, relation, or action

66. The university _____ to campuses several miles away.

v. to move or move something or someone to a new place and build a house or a business there

67. The company's hiring criteria emphasize personality, not a person's _____.

n. the details of a person's social heritage, such as family, vocational or educational experience; past information that is essential to understanding a situation or problem

68. She wrote a letter of _____ to the renter.

n. an act of saying or writing that you are sorry for something that has been done wrong or that causes a trouble

69. The enemy fell right into the _____.

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

70. The Chinese people have accomplished several _____ feats.

adj. famous or significant in history, or potentially so

71. The team set up a _____ tent for shelter during the storm.

adj. serving as a temporary substitute or solution; improvised

72. Many Germans _____ to South America in the mid-19th century.

v. to move from one country or region to another and settle there; to move from one place to another periodically or seasonally

ANSWERS: 65. convert, 66. relocated, 67. background, 68. apology, 69. trap, 70. historic, 71. makeshift, 72. migrated

73. The _____ pleasure of life is the conviction that we are loved.

adj. highest in rank, level, or importance

74. She wore a _____ necklace passed down to her from her grandmother.

n. a hard, roundish object found within the shells of certain mollusks and used as a gem

75. The _____ demonstrate that poverty and unemployment are genuine problems.

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

76. All the books in this section _____ to the library's rare collection and must be handled carefully.

v. to be the property of someone or something; to be a member or part of a group; to be in the proper or appropriate place

77. The new employee felt _____ from the rest of the team, as they didn't try to include him in their conversations.

adj. feeling isolated, estranged, or disconnected from others, often due to a sense of difference or lack of belonging

78. They _____ in a beautiful old house in the countryside.

v. to live in a particular place, typically for a prolonged period of time

79. He was _____ for the duration of the war.

v. to put or keep somebody in prison or in a place from which they cannot escape

80. The _____ of the factory's equipment caused significant damage.

n. the deliberate and malicious damage, destruction, or disruption of equipment, machinery, or other property, often by someone with a particular agenda or motive; the subversion of an organization or institution by secret agents or spies

ANSWERS: 73. supreme, 74. pearl, 75. statistics, 76. belong, 77. alienated, 78. reside, 79. incarcerated, 80. sabotage

81. The _____ fought against the government for their independence.
n. someone who resists or opposes authority or control, especially by fighting against it
82. He became _____ that he was being followed.
adj. being aware of and able to respond to what is happening around you
83. He lost the election by _____ votes.
adj. used to emphasize how insignificant or minor someone or something is
84. Babies heavily _____ on others for food.
v. to require a specific thing or the assistance and support of someone or something to continue, run properly, or succeed.
85. 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
86. In several countries, child _____ is a serious social problem.
n. productive work, especially physical work done for wages; the people who do manual or physical work in a country or company for wage; (verb) to work hard or to strive and make an effort to reach a goal
87. As the _____ director of the non-profit, it's her responsibility to make sure they're meeting their mission goals.
n. a person or group of people with top-level management responsibility in a business or other organization; the branch that is responsible for implementing, administering, and enforcing laws, as well as running the day-to-day operations

ANSWERS: 81. rebels, 82. conscious, 83. mere, 84. rely, 85. determinant, 86. labor, 87. executive

88. She _____ the atmosphere of the pre-war age with her stage setting.
- v.* to make something that existed previously happen or appear to exist again
89. _____ must consider this proposal in an unusual situation.
- n.* a formal meeting of the representatives of different countries, constituent states, organizations, trade unions, political parties, or other groups
90. The group engages in _____ through lobbying and campaigning for policy changes.
- n.* the act of supporting or promoting a particular cause or point of view, often through public campaigning or lobbying
91. There was no _____ of order at the chaotic protest.
- n.* the outward appearance or visible form of something, especially when it is different from the reality beneath; a vague or superficial similarity
92. 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
93. Lush green forests surrounded the small _____ village.
- adj.* situated or located away from the coast or a body of water; (adverb) towards or into the interior of a region
94. The _____ supplies were quickly distributed among the survivors of the natural disaster.
- adj.* left over or still present after other parts have been used, removed, or destroyed; existing or persisting in a particular state or condition
95. The security officer had to _____ the weapon from the suspect.
- v.* to seize, take or appropriate something by authority, often as a penalty for breaking laws or rules

ANSWERS: 88. recreated, 89. Congress, 90. advocacy, 91. semblance, 92. harmony, 93. inland, 94. remaining, 95. confiscate

96. The government branded him a _____ after he leaked classified information to the press.

- n.* a person who betrays someone or something, such as a friend, cause, or principle, to which they had previously been loyal; a person who commits treason against their country or sovereign

97. God _____ you should regret your marriage.

- v.* to order somebody not to do something, especially officially; to keep something from happening or arising

98. His heartaches are less _____ now.

- adj.* happening constantly

99. The final _____ provides a summary of the discussion.

- n.* a separate section of a written work usually numbered and titled

100. The stories of war crimes filled her with _____.

- n.* intense fear or disgust, especially at something shocking or terrifying

101. The soldiers were instructed to _____ in the buildings until further notice.

- v.* to provide accommodations or housing, often for military personnel or sports teams; to spur on or encourage especially by cheers and shouts; (noun) a large building or group of buildings that provide temporary housing for soldiers or other military personnel

102. The _____ of Japan is known for its unique culture and advanced technology.

- n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture

103. The extinction rate of aquatic animals was _____.

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

ANSWERS: 96. traitor, 97. forbid, 98. frequent, 99. chapter, 100. horror, 101. barrack, 102. nation, 103. catastrophic

104. 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
105. The public restrooms were equipped with automatic flushers and hand sanitizer to maintain high _____ conditions.
adj. clean and hygienic; of or relating to the promotion of health through cleanliness
106. The law was determined to be _____ by the court.
adj. not in accordance with the constitution (= the set of fundamental principles or established precedents) of a country or state
107. The professional racecar driver sped around the _____ at lightning speed.
n. a circular or oval-shaped track or course used for racing events, typically involving horses, cars, or other vehicles

ANSWERS: 104. injustice, 105. sanitary, 106. unconstitutional, 107. racetrack