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Session 1: Word List

awash

adj. flooded or overflowing with water, typically suddenly or unexpectedly; abundant or prevalent to the extent of being overwhelming or excessive

synonym : flooded, inundated, immersed

(1) **awash** with cash, (2) **awash** in debt

The beach was **awash** with seaweed after the storm.

divisive

adj. tending to cause disagreement or hostility between people

synonym : polarizing, contentious, disagreeable

(1) **divisive** question, (2) suppress **divisive** arguments

The proposed policy has been met with **divisive** reactions from the public.

argument

n. a set of statements or reasons used to support or refute a proposition or theory; a verbal or physical fight or dispute

synonym : debate, discourse, discussion

(1) a blazing **argument**, (2) the **argument** against capital punishment

The **argument** between the two sides over the proposed policy was heated.

conflict

n. a strong disagreement, argument, or a violent clash between two opposing groups or individuals

synonym: clash, discord, competition

(1) the **conflict** between good and evil, (2) the longstanding **conflict**

He and I often had **conflicts**, not only in personality but also in ideology.

fake

adj. not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit

synonym: affected, bogus, counterfeit

(1) **fake** police officer, (2) spread of **fake** news

The prime minister was not well prepared for the debate and **faked** it

victim

n. a person who has been harmed, injured, or otherwise negatively affected by a particular action, circumstance, or event

synonym: prey, target, sufferer

(1) **victim** support, (2) **victim** compensation

The **victim** of the crime deserves justice and support to recover from the trauma.

exploitation

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

synonym: victimization, development, using

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

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

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**.

bigotry

n. intolerance toward those who hold different opinions from oneself

synonym: intolerance, prejudice, bias

(1) ethnic **bigotry**, (2) self-righteous **bigotry**

Bigotry and discrimination have no place in our society.

blame

v. to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad

synonym: condemn, rebuke, find fault with

(1) **blame** circumstances for the failure, (2) **blame** the lack of knowledge

We **blamed** our impeded progress on lack of money.

minuscule

adj. extremely small; tiny

synonym: tiny, insignificant, microscopic

(1) **minuscule** amount, (2) **minuscule** letters

This ore emits **minuscule** quantities of radiation

span

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

synonym: interval, period, length

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

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

doom

n. death, destruction, or some other terrible situation that cannot be avoided

synonym: judgment, destiny, fate

(1) economic **doom**, (2) prophet of **doom**

Everyone was aware of the impending **doom** but was unable to prevent it.

stick

v. to put something, usually a sharp object, into something; to restrict yourself to doing or using one certain thing and not change; (noun) a thin piece of wood or other material

synonym : pierce, adhere, stay

(1) **stick** a key in a lock, (2) fire **stick**

You **stick** a bill in the change machine, and the coins pop out.

echo

n. a sound heard after being reflected off a surface, such as a wall or a cliff

synonym : reverberate, repeat, reflection

(1) the **echo** of a person's footsteps, (2) sound **echo**

A thunderous boom **echoed** throughout the valley.

chamber

n. a large room used for a formal, public, or particular purpose; one of the parts of a parliament

synonym : association, cabin, legislature

(1) a gas **chamber**, (2) the lower **chamber**

The surgeon made an incision in the **chambers** of the patient's heart.

privilege

n. a special right or advantage that only one person or group of people has, usually because they are rich and powerful in a society

synonym : benefit, authorization, advantage

(1) a breach of **privilege**, (2) **privilege** of membership

In the Middle Ages, the right to hunt in the wild was the **privilege** of royalty and nobility.

vie

v. to compete or contend for something, usually a prize, position, or advantage; to strive for superiority or mastery in one's field or area of expertise

synonym : compete, contend, strive

(1) **vie** for a trophy, (2) **vie** for attention

They both **vied** for the top spot in the company.

hard-done-by

adj. unfairly treated; having suffered a disadvantage or injustice

synonym : mistreated, disadvantaged

(1) **hard-done-by** victims, (2) **hard-done-by** immigrants

The **hard-done-by** family struggled to make ends meet on a low income.

conversation

n. an informal talk between two or more people to exchange their views, ideas, information, etc.

synonym: chat, discussion, dialogue

(1) **conversation** in English, (2) a friendly **conversation**

Your **conversation** reflects your thoughts.

confuse

v. to mistake one thing for another; to make somebody hard to understand

synonym: confound, obscure, disorient

(1) **confuse** the listener, (2) **confuse** fantasy with reality

Her remarks **confused** the debate.

abstract

adj. based on general ideas, feelings, or qualities and not on any a physical or concrete existence

synonym: conceptual, theoretical, ideational

(1) an **abstract** noun, (2) **abstract** science

The invention of the camera triggered the development of **abstract** painting.

mathematics

n. the science dealing with the logic of quantities, shapes, spaces, and arrangement

synonym: arithmetic, calculation, calculus

(1) a good grounding in **mathematics**, (2) **mathematics** competition

He has a flair for **mathematics**.

purity

n. the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature

synonym: sinlessness, innocence, cleanliness

(1) the degree of **purity**, (2) high **purity**

Higher **purity** requires additional equipment and energy.

traditionally

adv. in accordance with tradition; typically or commonly done in a particular way

synonym: conventionally, commonly, generally

(1) **traditionally** accepted concept, (2) **traditionally** sung at a banquet

Traditionally, the ceremony was held outdoors.

traffic

n. the movement of vehicles, people, or goods along a route or through a transport system; the amount of such movement in a particular place or at a particular time

synonym: congestion, jam, flow

(1) **traffic** jam, (2) heavy **traffic**

We decided to take a detour to avoid the construction **traffic** on the main road.

quadrate

n. a square-shaped object or area

synonym: square, rectangle, block

(1) **quadrate** shape, (2) **quadrate** ligament

The scientist examined the **quadrate** bone to determine the species of dinosaur it came from.

equation

n. the act of regarding as equal; (mathematics) a statement that expresses the equality of two expressions by connecting them with the equals sign

(1) the **equation** of poverty with ignorance, (2) a chemical **equation**

In this class, you will learn how to solve quadratic **equations**.

empathy

n. the ability to share another person's feelings or experiences by imagining that person's situation

synonym: compassion, sympathy, tenderness

(1) full of **empathy**, (2) **empathy** for patients

Empathy is also necessary to understand history.

irrelevant

adj. not connected with or related to something and therefore not important

synonym: unrelated, immaterial, extrinsic

(1) an **irrelevant** thought, (2) do something **irrelevant**
They removed **irrelevant** content from the slides.

shudder

v. to tremble uncontrollably or convulsively, often due to fear, cold, or intense emotion; to recoil or react strongly to something unpleasant, disturbing, or shocking

synonym: tremble, shake, quiver

(1) **shudder** at the thought, (2) **shudder** with fear
I couldn't help but **shudder** when I heard the scary noise from the dark alleyway.

sympathize

v. to express or feel compassion or understanding for someone else's pain, difficulty, or misfortune; to share in someone else's emotions or experiences

synonym: empathize, understand, commiserate

(1) **sympathize** with a tragic hero, (2) **sympathize** with their situation

I **sympathize** with your struggles and am here to support you through them.

bunch

n. a grouping of several similar things which are growing or fastened together

synonym: group, assemblage, bundle

(1) a **bunch** of trees, (2) a **bunch** of schoolgirls
One bad apple spoils the whole **bunch**.

straight

adj. extending or moving in one direction without bending or curving; having no deviations

synonym: linear, honest, consecutive

(1) a **straight** line, (2) **straight** for two months
He was sick for five **straight** days.

relation

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

synonym: association, linkage, connection

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

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

grandparent

n. a parent of one's father or mother

(1) great- **grandparent**, (2) person of **grandparent** age

She was close to her paternal **grandparents** and often spent summers with them.

divisible

adj. able to be divided into parts, usually with nothing left over

synonym: separable, splittable, partitionable

(1) a **divisible** number, (2) exactly **divisible**

The class was divided into groups of four, with each group being **divisible** by two.

cube

n. a three-dimensional shape with six square faces that are all equal in size; (of mathematics) the result of multiplying the number by itself three times

synonym: block, square, cell

(1) **cube** root, (2) ice **cube**

I cut the cheese into small **cubes** for the salad.

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**.

prime

adj. main or most important; basic

synonym: excellent, exceptional, premium

(1) **prime** number, (2) deputy **prime** minister

After a thorough investigation, she has been named as the **prime** suspect.

diagram

n. a simplified illustration of the appearance, structure, or workings of something

synonym:

chart, figure, graph

(1) 3D **diagram**, (2) in a **diagram**

He is drawing a **diagram** illustrating how the equipment operates.

arrow

n. a thin, pointed projectile designed to be shot from a bow; a symbol or pointer that is shaped like an arrow

synonym: shaft, dart, projectile

(1) **arrow** pointing, (2) **arrow** diagram

The archer aimed his **arrow** carefully at the target.

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.

suddenly

adv. quickly and unexpectedly

synonym: abruptly, unexpectedly, unawares

(1) **suddenly** attacked by an enemy, (2) die **suddenly**

Who answers **suddenly** knows little.

applicable

adj. fit or suitable to be applied; having relevance to a person or thing

synonym: practical, usable, useful

(1) give **applicable** examples, (2) accordance with **applicable** law

This regulation is not **applicable** to minors.

adjective

n. a word that describes a noun or pronoun

synonym: modifier, accessory, attribute

(1) **adjective** clause, (2) an attributive **adjective**

The **adjective** "red" describes the color of the apple.

emphasis

n. particular importance or significance that is given to something

synonym: priority, stress, focus

(1) **emphasis** on color, (2) lay great **emphasis** on policy
The spotlight gave the central figure increased **emphasis**.

nonbinary

adj. someone who does not identify as a man or a woman;
not relating to, composed of, or including only two things
synonym: pluralistic, polyphyletic

(1) **nonbinary** gender, (2) **nonbinary** identities

More and more people in various countries believe that the policymaker should change the marriage rules for **nonbinary** people.

interaction

n. the act of connecting with someone, mainly when working, playing, or spending time with them

synonym: dealings, exchange, relations

(1) the **interaction** between man and his environment,

(2) **interaction** among human beings

The **interaction** of the two groups is good for brainstorming.

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.

mistakenly

adv. in a mistaken or incorrect way; wrongly

synonym: incorrectly, erroneously, wrongly

(1) **mistakenly** left his keys, (2) **mistakenly** delete the important file

He **mistakenly** thought the red liquid was juice, but it was paint.

characteristic

n. a typical feature or quality that can identify, tell apart, or describe something or somebody

synonym: feature, quality, attribute

(1) stripes **characteristic** of the zebra, (2) my friend's **characteristic** laugh

Bananas have their **characteristic** taste and odor.

row

n. an arrangement of objects or people side by side in a line

synonym: line, sequence, layer

(1) criminal on death **row**, (2) a **row** of cherry trees

He was the leader of the demonstrators and spoke out against the war in the front **row**.

skew

v. to turn or place at an angle; to make biased or distorted with the result that it is not accurate, fair, normal, etc.

synonym: slant, tilt, distort

(1) **skew** the message, (2) **skew** social values

The results of the poll are **skewed** because it only surveyed a small group of people.

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.

definitely

adv. without any question and beyond doubt; clearly

synonym: absolutely, certainly, indeed

(1) **definitely** become a problem, (2) say **definitely**

The paper is **definitely** worth reading thoroughly.

unemployed

adj. not having a job, although able to work

synonym: idle, inactive, jobless

(1) assignment for the **unemployed** youth, (2) people who are **unemployed**

My father was **unemployed** for so long.

homeless

adj. without a home, and therefore typically living on the streets

synonym : destitute, displaced, transient

(1) **homeless** shelter, (2) a **homeless** cat

He became **homeless** after losing his job.

absolute

adj. perfect or complete or to the most considerable degree possible

synonym : complete, infrangible, indisputable

(1) **absolute** loyalty, (2) an **absolute** must

Gandhi had an **absolute** zeal for nonviolence.

cuboid

n. a geometric shape with six rectangular faces, where the opposite faces are parallel and congruent; a specific bone in the human body, known as the cuboid bone, which is one of the tarsal bones located in the foot; a three-dimensional rectangle

synonym : rectangular, brick-shaped, blocky

(1) medial surface of the **cuboid**, (2) **cuboid-shaped**

wireless speaker

The **cuboid** bone is located in the foot and helps with stability during movement.

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.

context

n. the circumstances, facts, or conditions that surround a particular event, situation, or statement and that give it meaning

synonym : background, setting, environment

(1) historical **context**, (2) legal **context**

It's important to understand the **context** of a situation before making a decision.

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.

cisgender

adj. denoting or relating to a person whose sense of personal identity and gender corresponds with their birth sex

synonym : cis, non-trans

(1) **cisgender** identity, (2) **cisgender** person

Cisgender people often don't have to think about their gender identity in the same way that transgender people do

gender

n. the range of characteristics of femininity and masculinity and differentiating between them, especially when considering social and cultural differences rather than differences in biology

synonym : sexuality

(1) **gender-blind** policies, (2) dual **gender**

Cultural norms strongly influence **gender** expectations.

identity

n. the fact of being who or what somebody or something is; the features, emotions, or ideas that distinguish persons from one another

synonym : character, personality, individuality

(1) mistaken **identity**, (2) **identity** as an individual

The terrorist's **identity** remains unknown.

assign

v. to give a specific job or piece of work to a someone

synonym : entrust, delegate, designate

(1) **assign** projects, (2) **assign** top priority

Please **assign** a different color to each other kind of item.

occupy

v. to consume all of someone's space, attention, or time

synonym : inhabit, settle, populate

(1) **occupy** his time, (2) **occupy** a position
The young prince will soon **occupy** the throne.

analogous

adj. similar or equivalent in some respects, typically as a result of functioning in a similar way

synonym: similar, comparable, equivalent

(1) **analogous** fashion, (2) entirely **analogous**

The human heart is **analogous** to a pump in a plumbing system.

broad

adj. very wide; general

synonym: wide, expansive, comprehensive

(1) attract **broad** attention, (2) a **broad** mind

He accumulated wealth across a **broad** spectrum of assets.

feminist

adj. describing a belief in and advocacy for achieving gender equality in social, political, and economic spheres; advocating for the rights and empowerment of women;
(noun) a person who believes in and advocates for gender equality between men and women

synonym: egalitarian

(1) **feminist** movement, (2) **feminist** perspective

The **feminist** ideals of inclusivity and diversity are important in creating a more just and equal world.

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.

prone

adj. inclined or likely to do something or to show a particular characteristic, especially something bad; lying face downward

synonym : inclined, susceptible, liable

(1) accident- **prone**, (2) **prone** to diarrhea

He was **prone** to making rash decisions.

underprivileged

adj. lacking resources, opportunities, or advantages that are necessary for success

synonym : poor, disadvantaged, destitute

(1) poor and **underprivileged** elderly, (2) **underprivileged** communities

The **underprivileged** children were in dire need of food, clothing, and shelter.

relative

adj. considered and evaluated through comparison with something else

synonym : comparative, proximate, congeneric

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

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

pivot

n. a change in direction or focus, especially in a business or political strategy; a fixed point that supports something that turns or balances

synonym : center point, fulcrum, heart

(1) center- **pivot** irrigation, (2) **pivot** point

The team needed to come up with a **pivot** strategy to turn things around.

wealth

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

synonym : affluence, assets, fortunate

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

The **wealth** inequality was unavoidable.

struggle

v. to make a great effort to do something when it is difficult, or there are a lot of problems; to use force or violence to break away from restraint or constriction

synonym : toil, strive, compete

(1) **struggle** against discrimination, (2) **struggle** to get the job

He could not **struggle** against temptation.

wage

n. a particular amount of money that somebody earns, usually every week or every month, for work or services
synonym: payment, compensation, salary

(1) unpaid **wages**, (2) increase in the minimum **wage**

His **wages** continued to rise as his skills improved.

conclude

v. to come to an end or close; to reach a judgment or opinion by reasoning

synonym: complete, finish, decide

(1) **conclude** a meeting, (2) **conclude** that he is healthy

We **concluded** a cease-fire.

relevance

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

synonym: pertinence, applicability, connection

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

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

compete

v. to strive to achieve more success than someone or something

synonym: contend, contest, vie

(1) **compete** against a friend, (2) **compete** fiercely

You must **compete** with others to obtain this position.

achieve

v. to successfully complete a task or goal, often through hard work, perseverance, and dedication; to attain or accomplish something that one has set out to do

synonym: accomplish, attain, reach

(1) **achieve** success, (2) **achieve** milestones

I will work hard to **achieve** my goals and realize my dreams.

Session 2: Spelling

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| 1. suppress di____ve arguments | <i>adj.</i> tending to cause disagreement or hostility between people |
| 2. st____le to get the job | <i>v.</i> to make a great effort to do something when it is difficult, or there are a lot of problems; to use force or violence to break away from restraint or constriction |
| 3. bl__e circumstances for the failure | <i>v.</i> to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad |
| 4. re____e one word with another | <i>v.</i> to take the place of something |
| 5. ex____e sports | <i>adj.</i> very great in amount or degree |
| 6. ab____te loyalty | <i>adj.</i> perfect or complete or to the most considerable degree possible |
| 7. qu____te ligament | <i>n.</i> a square-shaped object or area |
| 8. v_e for a trophy | <i>v.</i> to compete or contend for something, usually a prize, position, or advantage; to strive for superiority or mastery in one's field or area of expertise |
| 9. res____ed area | <i>adj.</i> limited in extent, number, scope, or action, especially by official rules, laws, etc. |
| 10. sh____r at the thought | <i>v.</i> to tremble uncontrollably or convulsively, often due to fear, cold, or intense emotion; to recoil or react strongly to something unpleasant, disturbing, or shocking |

ANSWERS: 1. divisive, 2. struggle, 3. blame, 4. replace, 5. extreme, 6. absolute, 7. quadrate, 8. vie, 9. restricted, 10. shudder

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| 11. as___n top priority | <i>v.</i> to give a specific job or piece of work to a someone |
| 12. a breach of pr_____ge | <i>n.</i> a special right or advantage that only one person or group of people has, usually because they are rich and powerful in a society |
| 13. a remote re_____ve | <i>adj.</i> considered and evaluated through comparison with something else |
| 14. in a di_____m | <i>n.</i> a simplified illustration of the appearance, structure, or workings of something |
| 15. top of the hi_____hy | <i>n.</i> a system in which people or things are organized into different levels of importance from highest to lowest |
| 16. center-pi__t irrigation | <i>n.</i> a change in direction or focus, especially in a business or political strategy; a fixed point that supports something that turns or balances |
| 17. di_____ve question | <i>adj.</i> tending to cause disagreement or hostility between people |
| 18. accident-pr__e | <i>adj.</i> inclined or likely to do something or to show a particular characteristic, especially something bad; lying face downward |
| 19. color pr_____ce | <i>n.</i> a thought or feeling that is unfair and makes no sense, mainly when it is formed without enough thought or knowledge |
| 20. spread of f__e news | <i>adj.</i> not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit |

ANSWERS: 11. assign, 12. privilege, 13. relative, 14. diagram, 15. hierarchy, 16. pivot, 17. divisive, 18. prone, 19. prejudice, 20. fake

21. ac____e milestones *v.* to successfully complete a task or goal, often through hard work, perseverance, and dedication; to attain or accomplish something that one has set out to do
22. accordance with app_____le law *adj.* fit or suitable to be applied; having relevance to a person or thing
23. em_____y for patients *n.* the ability to share another person's feelings or experiences by imagining that person's situation
24. die su_____ly *adv.* quickly and unexpectedly
25. und_____ged communities *adj.* lacking resources, opportunities, or advantages that are necessary for success
26. st__k a key in a lock *v.* to put something, usually a sharp object, into something; to restrict yourself to doing or using one certain thing and not change; (noun) a thin piece of wood or other material
27. a friendly con_____ion *n.* an informal talk between two or more people to exchange their views, ideas, information, etc.
28. vi___m compensation *n.* a person who has been harmed, injured, or otherwise negatively affected by a particular action, circumstance, or event
29. re_____e a phone *v.* to take the place of something
30. the int_____on between man and his environment *n.* the act of connecting with someone, mainly when working, playing, or spending time with them

ANSWERS: 21. achieve, 22. applicable, 23. empathy, 24. suddenly, 25. underprivileged, 26. stick, 27. conversation, 28. victim, 29. replace, 30. interaction

31. har_____by immigrants *adj.* unfairly treated; having suffered a disadvantage or injustice
32. material we___h *n.* a large amount of money, property, or other things that someone or an organization owns
33. a di_____le number *adj.* able to be divided into parts, usually with nothing left over
34. har_____by victims *adj.* unfairly treated; having suffered a disadvantage or injustice
35. fe_____st perspective *adj.* describing a belief in and advocacy for achieving gender equality in social, political, and economic spheres; advocating for the rights and empowerment of women; (noun) a person who believes in and advocates for gender equality between men and women
36. a gas ch_____r *n.* a large room used for a formal, public, or particular purpose; one of the parts of a parliament
37. ex_____e weather events *adj.* very great in amount or degree
38. full of em_____y *n.* the ability to share another person's feelings or experiences by imagining that person's situation
39. great-gra_____nt *n.* a parent of one's father or mother
40. prophet of d__m *n.* death, destruction, or some other terrible situation that cannot be avoided
41. increase in the minimum w__e *n.* a particular amount of money that somebody earns, usually every week or every month, for work or services

ANSWERS: 31. hard-done-by, 32. wealth, 33. divisible, 34. hard-done-by, 35. feminist, 36. chamber, 37. extreme, 38. empathy, 39. grandparent, 40. doom, 41. wage

42. mistaken id____ty *n.* the fact of being who or what somebody or something is; the features, emotions, or ideas that distinguish persons from one another
43. ar__w pointing *n.* a thin, pointed projectile designed to be shot from a bow; a symbol or pointer that is shaped like an arrow
44. person of gra_____nt age *n.* a parent of one's father or mother
45. s__w the message *v.* to turn or place at an angle; to make biased or distorted with the result that it is not accurate, fair, normal, etc.
46. ci_____er person *adj.* denoting or relating to a person whose sense of personal identity and gender corresponds with their birth sex
47. attract br__d attention *adj.* very wide; general
48. a chemical eq____on *n.* the act of regarding as equal; (mathematics) a statement that expresses the equality of two expressions by connecting them with the equals sign
49. s__w social values *v.* to turn or place at an angle; to make biased or distorted with the result that it is not accurate, fair, normal, etc.
50. mo_____nt of troops *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
51. ac_____e success *v.* to successfully complete a task or goal, often through hard work, perseverance, and dedication; to attain or accomplish something that one has set out to do

ANSWERS: 42. identity, 43. arrow, 44. grandparent, 45. skew, 46. cisgender, 47. broad, 48. equation, 49. skew, 50. movement, 51. achieve

52. poor and und_____ged elderly *adj.* lacking resources, opportunities, or advantages that are necessary for success
53. qu_____te shape *n.* a square-shaped object or area
54. ar__w diagram *n.* a thin, pointed projectile designed to be shot from a bow; a symbol or pointer that is shaped like an arrow
55. ab_____ct science *adj.* based on general ideas, feelings, or qualities and not on any a physical or concrete existence
56. c__e root *n.* a three-dimensional shape with six square faces that are all equal in size; (of mathematics) the result of multiplying the number by itself three times
57. a br__d mind *adj.* very wide; general
58. fire st__k *v.* to put something, usually a sharp object, into something; to restrict yourself to doing or using one certain thing and not change; (noun) a thin piece of wood or other material
59. the characters that re_____nt numbers *v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
60. re_____on between cause and effect *n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
61. hi_____hy of folders *n.* a system in which people or things are organized into different levels of importance from highest to lowest

ANSWERS: 52. underprivileged, 53. quadrate, 54. arrow, 55. abstract, 56. cube, 57. broad, 58. stick, 59. represent, 60. relation, 61. hierarchy

62. st_____ht for two months
adj. extending or moving in one direction without bending or curving; having no deviations
63. people who are une_____ed
adj. not having a job, although able to work
64. say def_____ly
adv. without any question and beyond doubt; clearly
65. a ho_____ss cat
adj. without a home, and therefore typically living on the streets
66. ad_____ve clause
n. a word that describes a noun or pronoun
67. historical co_____t
n. the circumstances, facts, or conditions that surround a particular event, situation, or statement and that give it meaning
68. co_____e fiercely
v. to strive to achieve more success than someone or something
69. mi_____le amount
adj. extremely small; tiny
70. vi____m support
n. a person who has been harmed, injured, or otherwise negatively affected by a particular action, circumstance, or event
71. an irr_____nt thought
adj. not connected with or related to something and therefore not important
72. an ab_____ct noun
adj. based on general ideas, feelings, or qualities and not on any a physical or concrete existence
73. an ab_____te must
adj. perfect or complete or to the most considerable degree possible

ANSWERS: 62. straight, 63. unemployed, 64. definitely, 65. homeless, 66. adjective, 67. context, 68. compete, 69. minuscule, 70. victim, 71. irrelevant, 72. abstract, 73. absolute

74. oc___y his time *v.* to consume all of someone's space, attention, or time
75. an_____us fashion *adj.* similar or equivalent in some respects, typically as a result of functioning in a similar way
76. oc___y a position *v.* to consume all of someone's space, attention, or time
77. sh_____r with fear *v.* to tremble uncontrollably or convulsively, often due to fear, cold, or intense emotion; to recoil or react strongly to something unpleasant, disturbing, or shocking
78. ho_____ss shelter *adj.* without a home, and therefore typically living on the streets
79. em_____is on color *n.* particular importance or significance that is given to something
80. the lower ch_____r *n.* a large room used for a formal, public, or particular purpose; one of the parts of a parliament
81. def_____ly become a problem *adv.* without any question and beyond doubt; clearly
82. lay great em_____is on policy *n.* particular importance or significance that is given to something
83. a bu__h of schoolgirls *n.* a grouping of several similar things which are growing or fastened together
84. deputy pr__e minister *adj.* main or most important; basic
85. co_____e the listener *v.* to mistake one thing for another; to make somebody hard to understand

ANSWERS: 74. occupy, 75. analogous, 76. occupy, 77. shudder, 78. homeless, 79. emphasis, 80. chamber, 81. definitely, 82. emphasis, 83. bunch, 84. prime, 85. confuse

86. the exp_____ion of fossil resources
n. the process of making some area of land or water more profitable or productive or useful
87. f__e police officer
adj. not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit
88. sym_____ze with their situation
v. to express or feel compassion or understanding for someone else's pain, difficulty, or misfortune; to share in someone else's emotions or experiences
89. pi__t point
n. a change in direction or focus, especially in a business or political strategy; a fixed point that supports something that turns or balances
90. ge____r-blind policies
n. the range of characteristics of femininity and masculinity and differentiating between them, especially when considering social and cultural differences rather than differences in biology
91. a bu__h of trees
n. a grouping of several similar things which are growing or fastened together
92. the ar_____nt against capital punishment
n. a set of statements or reasons used to support or refute a proposition or theory; a verbal or physical fight or dispute
93. co_____de that he is healthy
v. to come to an end or close; to reach a judgment or opinion by reasoning
94. v_e for attention
v. to compete or contend for something, usually a prize, position, or advantage; to strive for superiority or mastery in one's field or area of expertise

ANSWERS: 86. exploitation, 87. fake, 88. sympathize, 89. pivot, 90. gender, 91. bunch, 92. argument, 93. conclude, 94. vie

95. sexual exp_____ion *n.* the process of making some area of land or water more profitable or productive or useful
96. stripes cha_____tic of the zebra *n.* a typical feature or quality that can identify, tell apart, or describe something or somebody
97. self-righteous bi_____y *n.* intolerance toward those who hold different opinions from oneself
98. mi_____le letters *adj.* extremely small; tiny
99. re_____ve factors *adj.* considered and evaluated through comparison with something else
100. the degree of pu_____y *n.* the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature
101. 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
102. the co_____ct between good and evil *n.* a strong disagreement, argument, or a violent clash between two opposing groups or individuals
103. re_____on of inclusion *n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
104. unpaid w_____es *n.* a particular amount of money that somebody earns, usually every week or every month, for work or services
105. mat_____cs competition *n.* the science dealing with the logic of quantities, shapes, spaces, and arrangement

ANSWERS: 95. exploitation, 96. characteristic, 97. bigotry, 98. minuscule, 99. relative, 100. purity, 101. movement, 102. conflict, 103. relation, 104. wage, 105. mathematics

106. a st____ht line *adj.* extending or moving in one direction without bending or curving; having no deviations
107. co____e fantasy with reality *v.* to mistake one thing for another; to make somebody hard to understand
108. ci____er identity *adj.* denoting or relating to a person whose sense of personal identity and gender corresponds with their birth sex
109. no____ry identities *adj.* someone who does not identify as a man or a woman; not relating to, composed of, or including only two things
110. the e__o of a person's footsteps *n.* a sound heard after being reflected off a surface, such as a wall or a cliff
111. exactly di____le *adj.* able to be divided into parts, usually with nothing left over
112. mis____ly left his keys *adv.* in a mistaken or incorrect way; wrongly
113. tr____c jam *n.* the movement of vehicles, people, or goods along a route or through a transport system; the amount of such movement in a particular place or at a particular time
114. a good grounding in mat____cs *n.* the science dealing with the logic of quantities, shapes, spaces, and arrangement
115. aw__h in debt *adj.* flooded or overflowing with water, typically suddenly or unexpectedly; abundant or prevalent to the extent of being overwhelming or excessive

ANSWERS: 106. straight, 107. confuse, 108. cisgender, 109. nonbinary, 110. echo, 111. divisible, 112. mistakenly, 113. traffic, 114. mathematics, 115. awash

116. sym_____ze with a tragic hero *v.* to express or feel compassion or understanding for someone else's pain, difficulty, or misfortune; to share in someone else's emotions or experiences
117. 3D di_____m *n.* a simplified illustration of the appearance, structure, or workings of something
118. co_____de a meeting *v.* to come to an end or close; to reach a judgment or opinion by reasoning
119. int_____on among human beings *n.* the act of connecting with someone, mainly when working, playing, or spending time with them
120. the longstanding co_____ct *n.* a strong disagreement, argument, or a violent clash between two opposing groups or individuals
121. entirely an_____us *adj.* similar or equivalent in some respects, typically as a result of functioning in a similar way
122. my friend's cha_____tic laugh *n.* a typical feature or quality that can identify, tell apart, or describe something or somebody
123. st_____le against discrimination *v.* to make a great effort to do something when it is difficult, or there are a lot of problems; to use force or violence to break away from restraint or constriction
124. con_____ion in English *n.* an informal talk between two or more people to exchange their views, ideas, information, etc.

ANSWERS: 116. sympathize, 117. diagram, 118. conclude, 119. interaction, 120. conflict, 121. analogous, 122. characteristic, 123. struggle, 124. conversation

125. lactose res_____ed diet *adj.* limited in extent, number, scope, or action, especially by official rules, laws, etc.
126. sound e__o *n.* a sound heard after being reflected off a surface, such as a wall or a cliff
127. mis_____ly delete the important file *adv.* in a mistaken or incorrect way; wrongly
128. re_____ce category *n.* the state or degree of being closely connected or appropriate to the matter at hand
129. assignment for the une_____ed youth *adj.* not having a job, although able to work
130. su_____ly attacked by an enemy *adv.* quickly and unexpectedly
131. do something irr_____nt *adj.* not connected with or related to something and therefore not important
132. criminal on death r_w *n.* an arrangement of objects or people side by side in a line
133. ice c__e *n.* a three-dimensional shape with six square faces that are all equal in size; (of mathematics) the result of multiplying the number by itself three times
134. 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
135. dual ge____r *n.* the range of characteristics of femininity and masculinity and differentiating between them, especially when considering social and cultural differences rather than differences in biology

ANSWERS: 125. restricted, 126. echo, 127. mistakenly, 128. relevance, 129. unemployed, 130. suddenly, 131. irrelevant, 132. row, 133. cube, 134. prejudice, 135. gender

136. medial surface of the cu___d *n.* a geometric shape with six rectangular faces, where the opposite faces are parallel and congruent; a specific bone in the human body, known as the cuboid bone, which is one of the tarsal bones located in the foot; a three-dimensional rectangle
137. a blazing ar_____nt *n.* a set of statements or reasons used to support or refute a proposition or theory; a verbal or physical fight or dispute
138. pr___e to diarrhea *adj.* inclined or likely to do something or to show a particular characteristic, especially something bad; lying face downward
139. have no re_____ce *n.* the state or degree of being closely connected or appropriate to the matter at hand
140. tra_____lly accepted concept *adv.* in accordance with tradition; typically or commonly done in a particular way
141. id_____ty as an individual *n.* the fact of being who or what somebody or something is; the features, emotions, or ideas that distinguish persons from one another
142. majority of his we___h *n.* a large amount of money, property, or other things that someone or an organization owns
143. aw___h with cash *adj.* flooded or overflowing with water, typically suddenly or unexpectedly; abundant or prevalent to the extent of being overwhelming or excessive

ANSWERS: 136. cuboid, 137. argument, 138. prone, 139. relevance, 140. traditionally, 141. identity, 142. wealth, 143. awash

144. an attributive ad_____ve *n.* a word that describes a noun or pronoun
145. tra_____lly sung at a banquet *adv.* in accordance with tradition; typically or commonly done in a particular way
146. the s__n of a bird's wings *n.* the entire length of something, such as time or space from beginning to end; the amount of space that something covers
147. no_____ry gender *adj.* someone who does not identify as a man or a woman; not relating to, composed of, or including only two things
148. fe_____st movement *adj.* describing a belief in and advocacy for achieving gender equality in social, political, and economic spheres; advocating for the rights and empowerment of women; (noun) a person who believes in and advocates for gender equality between men and women
149. as___n projects *v.* to give a specific job or piece of work to a someone
150. pr_____ge of membership *n.* a special right or advantage that only one person or group of people has, usually because they are rich and powerful in a society
151. 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

ANSWERS: 144. adjective, 145. traditionally, 146. span, 147. nonbinary, 148. feminist, 149. assign, 150. privilege, 151. structure

152. a r_w of cherry trees *n.* an arrangement of objects or people side by side in a line
153. pr__e number *adj.* main or most important; basic
154. bl__e the lack of knowledge *v.* to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad
155. the average life s__n *n.* the entire length of something, such as time or space from beginning to end; the amount of space that something covers
156. co_____e against a friend *v.* to strive to achieve more success than someone or something
157. legal co_____t *n.* the circumstances, facts, or conditions that surround a particular event, situation, or statement and that give it meaning
158. the eq_____on of poverty with ignorance *n.* the act of regarding as equal; (mathematics) a statement that expresses the equality of two expressions by connecting them with the equals sign
159. re_____nt by a diagram *v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
160. give app_____le examples *adj.* fit or suitable to be applied; having relevance to a person or thing
161. heavy tr_____c *n.* the movement of vehicles, people, or goods along a route or through a transport system; the amount of such movement in a particular place or at a particular time

ANSWERS: 152. row, 153. prime, 154. blame, 155. span, 156. compete, 157. context, 158. equation, 159. represent, 160. applicable, 161. traffic

162. cu___d-shaped wireless speaker *n.* a geometric shape with six rectangular faces, where the opposite faces are parallel and congruent; a specific bone in the human body, known as the cuboid bone, which is one of the tarsal bones located in the foot; a three-dimensional rectangle
163. ethnic bi____y *n.* intolerance toward those who hold different opinions from oneself
164. 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
165. high pu___y *n.* the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature
166. economic d__m *n.* death, destruction, or some other terrible situation that cannot be avoided

ANSWERS: 162. cuboid, 163. bigotry, 164. structure, 165. purity, 166. doom

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. He accumulated wealth across a _____ spectrum of assets.
adj. very wide; general
2. The _____ inequality was unavoidable.
n. a large amount of money, property, or other things that someone or an organization owns
3. The _____ of the crime deserves justice and support to recover from the trauma.
n. a person who has been harmed, injured, or otherwise negatively affected by a particular action, circumstance, or event
4. He has a flair for _____.
n. the science dealing with the logic of quantities, shapes, spaces, and arrangement
5. He is drawing a _____ illustrating how the equipment operates.
n. a simplified illustration of the appearance, structure, or workings of something
6. The _____ bone is located in the foot and helps with stability during movement.
n. a geometric shape with six rectangular faces, where the opposite faces are parallel and congruent; a specific bone in the human body, known as the cuboid bone, which is one of the tarsal bones located in the foot; a three-dimensional rectangle
7. They removed _____ content from the slides.
adj. not connected with or related to something and therefore not important

ANSWERS: 1. broad, 2. wealth, 3. victim, 4. mathematics, 5. diagram, 6. cuboid, 7. irrelevant

8. Her remarks _____ the debate.

v. to mistake one thing for another; to make somebody hard to understand

9. Who answers _____ knows little.

adv. quickly and unexpectedly

10. Solar gravity creates _____ pressures and temperatures.

adj. very great in amount or degree

11. Bananas have their _____ taste and odor.

n. a typical feature or quality that can identify, tell apart, or describe something or somebody

12. _____ is also necessary to understand history.

n. the ability to share another person's feelings or experiences by imagining that person's situation

13. Please _____ a different color to each other kind of item.

v. to give a specific job or piece of work to a someone

14. You _____ a bill in the change machine, and the coins pop out.

v. to put something, usually a sharp object, into something; to restrict yourself to doing or using one certain thing and not change; (noun) a thin piece of wood or other material

15. The beach was _____ with seaweed after the storm.

adj. flooded or overflowing with water, typically suddenly or unexpectedly; abundant or prevalent to the extent of being overwhelming or excessive

ANSWERS: 8. confused, 9. suddenly, 10. extreme, 11. characteristic, 12. Empathy, 13. assign, 14. stick, 15. awash

16. He was sick for five _____ days.

adj. extending or moving in one direction without bending or curving; having no deviations

17. Strategic _____ of cutting-edge technology would be a sure formula for success.

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

18. Gandhi had an _____ zeal for nonviolence.

adj. perfect or complete or to the most considerable degree possible

19. I _____ with your struggles and am here to support you through them.

v. to express or feel compassion or understanding for someone else's pain, difficulty, or misfortune; to share in someone else's emotions or experiences

20. He was the leader of the demonstrators and spoke out against the war in the front _____.

n. an arrangement of objects or people side by side in a line

21. I will work hard to _____ my goals and realize my dreams.

v. to successfully complete a task or goal, often through hard work, perseverance, and dedication; to attain or accomplish something that one has set out to do

22. 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

23. The surgeon made an incision in the _____ of the patient's heart.

n. a large room used for a formal, public, or particular purpose; one of the parts of a parliament

ANSWERS: 16. straight, 17. exploitation, 18. absolute, 19. sympathize, 20. row, 21. achieve, 22. structure, 23. chambers

24. 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
25. You must _____ with others to obtain this position.
- v.* to strive to achieve more success than someone or something
26. Your _____ reflects your thoughts.
- n.* an informal talk between two or more people to exchange their views, ideas, information, etc.
27. The _____ family struggled to make ends meet on a low income.
- adj.* unfairly treated; having suffered a disadvantage or injustice
28. In the Middle Ages, the right to hunt in the wild was the _____ of royalty and nobility.
- n.* a special right or advantage that only one person or group of people has, usually because they are rich and powerful in a society
29. This ore emits _____ quantities of radiation
- adj.* extremely small; tiny
30. _____ people often don't have to think about their gender identity in the same way that transgender people do
- adj.* denoting or relating to a person whose sense of personal identity and gender corresponds with their birth sex
31. We _____ a cease-fire.
- v.* to come to an end or close; to reach a judgment or opinion by reasoning

ANSWERS: 24. movement, 25. compete, 26. conversation, 27. hard-done-by, 28. privilege, 29. minuscule, 30. Cisgender, 31. concluded

32. The _____ between the two sides over the proposed policy was heated.
- n.* a set of statements or reasons used to support or refute a proposition or theory; a verbal or physical fight or dispute
33. 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
34. He _____ thought the red liquid was juice, but it was paint.
- adv.* in a mistaken or incorrect way; wrongly
35. A thunderous boom _____ throughout the valley.
- n.* a sound heard after being reflected off a surface, such as a wall or a cliff
36. It's important to understand the _____ of a situation before making a decision.
- n.* the circumstances, facts, or conditions that surround a particular event, situation, or statement and that give it meaning
37. More and more people in various countries believe that the policymaker should change the marriage rules for _____ people.
- adj.* someone who does not identify as a man or a woman; not relating to, composed of, or including only two things
38. His _____ continued to rise as his skills improved.
- n.* a particular amount of money that somebody earns, usually every week or every month, for work or services
39. The scientist examined the _____ bone to determine the species of dinosaur it came from.
- n.* a square-shaped object or area

ANSWERS: 32. argument, 33. prejudice, 34. mistakenly, 35. echoed, 36. context, 37. nonbinary, 38. wages, 39. quadrate

40. The _____ of the two groups is good for brainstorming.
n. the act of connecting with someone, mainly when working, playing, or spending time with them
41. 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
42. Everyone was aware of the impending ____ but was unable to prevent it.
n. death, destruction, or some other terrible situation that cannot be avoided
43. _____ and discrimination have no place in our society.
n. intolerance toward those who hold different opinions from oneself
44. The team needed to come up with a _____ strategy to turn things around.
n. a change in direction or focus, especially in a business or political strategy; a fixed point that supports something that turns or balances
45. He became _____ after losing his job.
adj. without a home, and therefore typically living on the streets
46. Higher _____ requires additional equipment and energy.
n. the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature
47. The terrorist's _____ remains unknown.
n. the fact of being who or what somebody or something is; the features, emotions, or ideas that distinguish persons from one another

ANSWERS: 40. interaction, 41. represent, 42. doom, 43. Bigotry, 44. pivot, 45. homeless, 46. purity, 47. identity

48. This regulation is not _____ to minors.

adj. fit or suitable to be applied; having relevance to a person or thing

49. One bad apple spoils the whole _____.

n. a grouping of several similar things which are growing or fastened together

50. We decided to take a detour to avoid the construction _____ on the main road.

n. the movement of vehicles, people, or goods along a route or through a transport system; the amount of such movement in a particular place or at a particular time

51. The young prince will soon _____ the throne.

v. to consume all of someone's space, attention, or time

52. Most countries prohibit sexual activity between certain close _____.

adj. considered and evaluated through comparison with something else

53. The spotlight gave the central figure increased _____.

n. particular importance or significance that is given to something

54. My father was _____ for so long.

adj. not having a job, although able to work

55. _____ the ceremony was held outdoors.

adv. in accordance with tradition; typically or commonly done in a particular way

56. Cultural norms strongly influence _____ expectations.

n. the range of characteristics of femininity and masculinity and differentiating between them, especially when considering social and cultural differences rather than differences in biology

ANSWERS: 48. applicable, 49. bunch, 50. traffic, 51. occupy, 52. relatives, 53. emphasis, 54. unemployed, 55. Traditionally, 56. gender

57. I couldn't help but _____ when I heard the scary noise from the dark alleyway.

- v.* to tremble uncontrollably or convulsively, often due to fear, cold, or intense emotion; to recoil or react strongly to something unpleasant, disturbing, or shocking

58. The _____ "red" describes the color of the apple.

- n.* a word that describes a noun or pronoun

59. The prime minister was not well prepared for the debate and _____ it

- adj.* not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit

60. He slightly modified the _____ of training because it was just before a match.

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

61. The proposed policy has been met with _____ reactions from the public.

- adj.* tending to cause disagreement or hostility between people

62. We _____ our impeded progress on lack of money.

- v.* to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad

63. The _____ ideals of inclusivity and diversity are important in creating a more just and equal world.

- adj.* describing a belief in and advocacy for achieving gender equality in social, political, and economic spheres; advocating for the rights and empowerment of women; (noun) a person who believes in and advocates for gender equality between men and women

64. The human heart is _____ to a pump in a plumbing system.

- adj.* similar or equivalent in some respects, typically as a result of functioning in a similar way

ANSWERS: 57. shudder, 58. adjective, 59. faked, 60. span, 61. divisive, 62. blamed, 63. feminist, 64. analogous

65. The results of the poll are _____ because it only surveyed a small group of people.
- v.* to turn or place at an angle; to make biased or distorted with the result that it is not accurate, fair, normal, etc.
66. She was close to her paternal _____ and often spent summers with them.
- n.* a parent of one's father or mother
67. The industrial _____ laws were passed with little to no alteration.
- n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
68. In this class, you will learn how to solve quadratic _____.
- n.* the act of regarding as equal; (mathematics) a statement that expresses the equality of two expressions by connecting them with the equals sign
69. The _____ of this information to the current situation needs to be investigated.
- n.* the state or degree of being closely connected or appropriate to the matter at hand
70. The class was divided into groups of four, with each group being _____ by two.
- adj.* able to be divided into parts, usually with nothing left over
71. He and I often had _____ not only in personality but also in ideology.
- n.* a strong disagreement, argument, or a violent clash between two opposing groups or individuals
72. After a thorough investigation, she has been named as the _____ suspect.
- adj.* main or most important; basic

ANSWERS: 65. skewed, 66. grandparents, 67. relations, 68. equations, 69. relevance, 70. divisible, 71. conflicts, 72. prime

73. The _____ children were in dire need of food, clothing, and shelter.

adj. lacking resources, opportunities, or advantages that are necessary for success

74. He was _____ to making rash decisions.

adj. inclined or likely to do something or to show a particular characteristic, especially something bad; lying face downward

75. The country has designated our products as _____ import goods.

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

76. He could not _____ against temptation.

v. to make a great effort to do something when it is difficult, or there are a lot of problems; to use force or violence to break away from restraint or constriction

77. I cut the cheese into small _____ for the salad.

n. a three-dimensional shape with six square faces that are all equal in size; (of mathematics) the result of multiplying the number by itself three times

78. The paper is _____ worth reading thoroughly.

adv. without any question and beyond doubt; clearly

79. The invention of the camera triggered the development of _____ painting.

adj. based on general ideas, feelings, or qualities and not on any a physical or concrete existence

80. They both _____ for the top spot in the company.

v. to compete or contend for something, usually a prize, position, or advantage; to strive for superiority or mastery in one's field or area of expertise

ANSWERS: 73. underprivileged, 74. prone, 75. restricted, 76. struggle, 77. cubes, 78. definitely, 79. abstract, 80. vied

81. 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

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

- v.* to take the place of something

83. The archer aimed his _____ carefully at the target.

- n.* a thin, pointed projectile designed to be shot from a bow; a symbol or pointer that is shaped like an arrow

ANSWERS: 81. hierarchy, 82. replace, 83. arrow