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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### ancient

*adj.* relating to the long ago, particularly the historical period preceding the fall of the Western Roman Empire; very old

*synonym* : archaic, age-old, obsolete

(1) pre-Christian **ancient**, (2) **ancient** stories

They have been living near water since **ancient** times.

### marvelous

*adj.* causing wonder or astonishment; excellent

*synonym* : wonderful, amazing, superb

(1) **marvelous** performance, (2) **marvelous** power

The view from the top of the mountain was **marvelous**.

### spirit

*n.* the part of a person which is the seat of their mind, feelings, and character rather than their physical body; the general atmosphere of a place or situation and the effect that it has on people

*synonym* : soul, attitude, enthusiasm

(1) **spirit** and the letter of the law, (2) an indomitable **spirit**

Despite their tragic loss, the family is showing great **spirit**.

### cosmic

*adj.* relating to the universe or cosmos; vast or limitless

*synonym* : astronomical, celestial, outer-space

(1) second **cosmic** velocity, (2) **cosmic** background

radiation

**Cosmic** rays are high-energy particles that originate from outside the solar system.

## 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.

## 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.

## foretell

v. to predict or reveal something that will happen in the future

*synonym*: predict, prophesy, forecast

(1) **foretell** the attack, (2) **foretell** the end of the world

The fortune teller was able to **foretell** the future by reading tarot cards.

## 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.

## modern

*adj.* of or belonging to the present time or recent times

*synonym*: contemporary, stylish, current

(1) **modern** poetry, (2) pre- **modern** agricultural society

Their headquarters are in a **modern** skyscraper.

## descend

v. to move downward and lower; to come from, or to be connected by a relationship of blood

*synonym*: dip, drop, come down

(1) **descend** a steep hill, (2) **descend** by elevator

She was **descended** from an old Italian noble family.

## primarily

*adv.* mainly

*synonym*: largely, mainly, mostly

(1) intended **primarily** for young people, (2) **primarily** affect adults

All peaceful cooperation is based **primarily** on mutual trust.

## relate

v. to establish a connection or association between two or more things; to narrate or tell about an event, experience, or relationship; to empathize or feel sympathy with someone or something

*synonym*: connect, link, associate

(1) **relate** a story, (2) **relate** a message

He tried to **relate** his experience to the group, but they couldn't understand.

## native

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

*synonym*: endemic, domestic, aboriginal

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

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

## bamboo

n. a fast-growing plant that has long, hollow stems and is widely used as a building material, food source, and decorative element, especially in Asian cultures

*synonym*: cane, reed, stem

(1) **bamboo** crafts, (2) **bamboo** flooring

The stalks of **bamboo** can grow up to a foot per day in optimal conditions.

## massive

*adj.* enormous amount; very heavy and solid

*synonym* : enormous, giant, immense

(1) **massive** amounts, (2) **massive** stars

The recent economic downturn has resulted in **massive** layoffs.

## evolve

*v.* to develop gradually, or to cause the development of something or someone gradually

*synonym* : develop, mature, grow

(1) **evolve**, (2) **evolve** over the past decade

Eyeless fish **evolved** in dark caves.

## advantage

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

*synonym* : benefit, edge, asset

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

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

## feast

*n.* a large meal, typically one served on a special occasion

*synonym* : banquet, celebration, dinner

(1) a **feast** for the eyes, (2) a nightly **feast**

The royal **feast** celebrated the harvest, and the community enjoyed it.

## abundant

*adj.* present in great quantity

*synonym* : ample, plentiful, generative

(1) live an **abundant** life, (2) an **abundant** supply of water

The country has **abundant** oil and natural gas resources.

## exploit

*v.* to make full use of and gain an advantage from resources, opportunities, etc.

*synonym* : use, abuse, control

(1) **exploit** a security hole, (2) **exploit** a valuable

opportunity

We **exploit** our mining resources to strengthen our national power.

## consistent

*adj.* always behaving or happening in the same way, or having the same thoughts, standards, etc.

*synonym*: coherent, constant, compatible

(1) do on a **consistent** basis, (2) get **consistent** results

You are not **consistent** in your behavior.

## basis

*n.* the most important facts, ideas, or events from which something is developed; the way how things are organized or arranged

*synonym*: foundation, base, ground

(1) on an equal **basis**, (2) **basis** for calculation

This evidence will form the **basis** for our discussion.

## flee

*v.* to leave by running away, especially out of fear or danger

*synonym*: exit, escape, run away

(1) **flee** their homes, (2) **flee** abroad

It is a basic instinct to **flee** from a dangerous situation.

## capture

*v.* to catch a person or an animal and confine them in an area which they cannot escape

*synonym*: catch, arrest, imprison

(1) **capture** a glimpse, (2) **capture** customers' hearts

I was able to **capture** the moment on film.

## domesticate

*v.* to take control of animals or plants to provide food, power, or company

*synonym*: tame, naturalize, cultivate

(1) easy to **domesticate**, (2) **domesticate** the plant

We **domesticate** cows to gain milk and meat.

## breed

*v.* to keep animals for producing offspring in a regulated manner

*synonym* : raise, multiply, reproduce

(1) **breed** horses, (2) **breed** suspicion

This animal **breeds** in northern latitudes.

## aggressive

*adj.* behaving in an angry, energetic, or threatening way towards another person; tending to spread quickly

*synonym* : assertive, combative, threatening

(1) an **aggressive** war, (2) an **aggressive** tumor

An **aggressive** tide wrecked the ship.

## spur

*n.* a thing that encourages someone to do something; any sharply pointed projection; (verb) to incite or stimulate someone or something

*synonym* : encouragement, motivation, stimulus

(1) **spur** of the moment, (2) **spur** a momentum of economic growth

The threat of losing his job was the **spur** he needed to work harder.

## entertainment

*n.* public shows, films, television, or other performances or activities of enjoying people

*synonym* : amusement, recreation, enjoyment

(1) an elegant **entertainment**, (2) hour of **entertainment**

The hotel is famous for its **entertainment**, including the casino.

## millennium

*n.* a span of 1000 years, or the 1000th anniversary (plural: millennia)

(1) past **millennium**, (2) **millennium** bottle of wine

Our world is in the third **millennium**.

## valley

*n.* a long depression on the surface of the land, which typically contains a river

*synonym* : canyon, gorge, dale

(1) **valley** bottom, (2) basin-shaped **valley**

The **valley** had received a mild snowfall the previous week.

## royal

*adj.* relating to or belonging to the king or queen or a member of their family

*synonym* : imperial, noble, aristocratic

(1) a **royal** palace, (2) prince **royal**

She is willing to give up her position in the **royal** family to marry him.

## menagerie

*n.* a collection of wild animals, especially exotic ones, kept for display

*synonym* : collection, assortment, group

(1) a large **menagerie**, (2) **menagerie** keeper

The circus had a **menagerie** of animals, including elephants, lions, and monkeys.

## religion

*n.* a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny

*synonym* : faith, creed, belief

(1) **religion** sociology, (2) freedom of **religion**

Their **religion** strictly prohibits them from drinking or gambling.

## ritual

*n.* any customary observance or practice; any prescribed procedure for conducting religious ceremonies

*synonym* : tradition, ceremony, routine

(1) a **ritual** dance, (2) morning **ritual**

The woman of the house does the holy **ritual** of lighting two candles.

## 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.

## naturally

*adv.* as might be expected; by natural manners

*synonym* : by nature, inherently, intrinsically

(1) **naturally** arising, (2) **naturally** regenerated forest  
He was **naturally** gifted.

## incubate

*v.* to keep warm and protected, especially to hatch eggs; to develop and nurture

*synonym*: hatch, breed, gestate

(1) **incubate** terrorism in developing countries, (2) **incubate** an idea

The scientists decided to **incubate** the eggs for further study.

## clutch

*v.* to grasp and hold somebody or something tightly

*synonym*: grip, hold, grab

(1) **clutch** at any straw, (2) **clutched** her daughter to her breast

The boy **clutched** his mother's hand tightly as they walked in the dark.

## ash

*n.* the powdery residue left after the burning of a substance, typically containing minerals and other impurities; the solid remains of a dead person after cremation

*synonym*: cinder, soot, dust

(1) **ash** tree, (2) soda **ash**

The volcanic **ash** covered the island after the eruption.

## merchant

*n.* a person who buys and sells a large number of goods, especially one who imports and exports goods

*synonym*: dealer, trader, retailer

(1) **merchant** bank, (2) agricultural **merchant**

This shipping company has several hundred **merchant** ships.

## introduction

*n.* a preliminary explanation or remarks given before the start of a text, performance, or event; the act of bringing something new into existence or introducing something to a wider audience or new market

*synonym*: initiation, preamble, prologue

(1) **introduction** education, (2) self- **introduction**



The **introduction** to the new class was informative and engaging.

## essential

*adj.* indispensable; fundamental

*synonym* : critical, crucial, basic

(1) **essential** amino acid, (2) **essential** commodities of life  
Trial and error is an **essential** part of education.

## livestock

*n.* farm animals and birds such as cows, sheep, and chickens

*synonym* : cattle, oxen, herd

(1) **livestock** agriculture, (2) **livestock** industry  
**Livestock** feed is made from fodder crops.

## revered

*v.* highly respected or admired, often because of moral or spiritual qualities

*synonym* : respected, admired, honored

(1) **revered** figure, (2) the most **revered** President  
The **revered** teacher was loved by her students.

## culinary

*adj.* of or relating to cooking and the kitchen

*synonym* : gastronomic, cooking

(1) **culinary** skill, (2) **culinary** tradition

The **culinary** arts program at the school was highly regarded for its innovative curriculum.

## rooster

*n.* a male chicken, especially one that is adult; a bird that has a distinctive red comb, wattle, and crowing call

*synonym* : cock, chicken, hen

(1) bantam **rooster**, (2) **rooster** fight

The **rooster's** crow woke up the farmer every morning at sunrise.

## inspiration

*n.* something that motivates or encourages someone to create or achieve something, or a feeling of excitement or creativity

*synonym* : motivation, drive, encouragement

(1) source of **inspiration**, (2) get **inspiration** from nature  
He found **inspiration** in the works of his favorite authors.

## consult

*v.* to seek or get advice or information from a person, book, or other source having special knowledge on a particular subject

*synonym*: confer, consider, see

(1) regularly **consult** with a doctor, (2) **consult** my wallet  
Always **consult** a lawyer before launching a business.

## oracle

*n.* a person or agency regarded as a source of wisdom, knowledge, or prophecy; an utterance, often ambiguous or obscure, that is considered to have prophetic or wise significance

*synonym*: prophet, seer, diviner

(1) **oracle** predictions, (2) ancient **oracle**

The company's CEO was considered the **oracle** of strategic decision-making, with a track record of successful business moves.

## symbol

*n.* something visible that is used to represent something else

*synonym*: mark, character, insignia

(1) **symbol** color, (2) **symbol** for happiness

The dragon is considered a **symbol** of bravery.

## accompany

*v.* to go somewhere or travel with someone or something

*synonym*: follow, escort, attend

(1) **accompany** a chicken dish, (2) **accompany** the book

Please let me know if you want to **accompany** me to my hometown.

## conquest

*n.* the act or process of taking control of a country, area, or situation

*synonym*: subjugation, domination, mastery

(1) imperial **conquest**, (2) make a **conquest**

He continued to grow his empire through **conquest**.

## colonize

v. to establish a colony in or on a specific place; to settle or occupy in large numbers

*synonym*: settle, occupy, inhabit

(1) **colonize** planets, (2) **colonize** for cultivation

European powers **colonized** much of the Americas in the 16th and 17th centuries.

## opioid

n. substances that have an effect similar to opium, such as morphine, used in medicines to treat severe pain, but some people take them illegally for pleasure and become addicted

(1) an **opioid** analgesic, (2) **opioid** receptor

Treatment for **opioid** dependence may be a long-term process.

## phenomenon

n. something that exists and can be perceptible, especially one that is not fully understood

*synonym*: marvel, wonder, splendor

(1) natural **phenomenon**, (2) historical **phenomenon**

A rainbow is a natural **phenomenon**.

## fancy

v. to want to do or have something; (noun) something that many people believe but that is false, or that does not exist; imagination or fantasy

*synonym*: imagine, visualize, (noun) fantasy

(1) **fancy** a cup of coffee, (2) a flight of **fancy**

I don't **fancy** acting in such an important role.

## strive

v. to try very hard to do, achieve, or obtain something

*synonym*: preserve, endure, persist

(1) **strive** hard to get, (2) **strive** for excellence

They **strived** to make their dream come true.

## combination

n. a collection of things that have been combined; an assemblage of separate parts or qualities

*synonym* : blend, hybrid, compounding

(1) genic **combinations**, (2) **combination** number

The **combination** to the safe was a secret.

## trait

*n.* a particular feature of your nature

*synonym* : attribute, feature, quality

(1) chemical **trait**, (2) personality **traits**

Multiple genes may influence behavioral **traits** concurrently.

## trend

*n.* a general direction in which something is changing or developing

*synonym* : direction, movement, tendency

(1) an international **trend**, (2) the **trend** away from television

The oil price continued their downward **trend**.

## process

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

*synonym* : procedure, method, system

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

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

## observe

*v.* to watch or notice something carefully, often to gather information or insights; to take note of something or someone; to celebrate or commemorate a special event or occasion

*synonym* : watch, monitor, scrutinize

(1) **observe** a tradition, (2) **observe** wildlife

It is important to **observe** safety procedures in the workplace to prevent accidents.

## 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.

## evolution

*n.* a gradual process of transformation of living things

*synonym*: elaboration, expansion, transition

(1) human **evolution**, (2) **evolution** theory

They study the **evolution** of the universe.

## contribution

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

*synonym*: donation, gift, offering

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

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

## trio

*n.* a group or set of three people or things, especially musicians playing together

*synonym*: set, group, threesome

(1) **trio** sonata, (2) jazz **trio**

The piano, violin, and cello formed a beautiful **trio** for the classical concert.

## conduct

*v.* to organize and carry out a particular activity

*synonym*: behave, lead, carry on

(1) **conduct** a background check, (2) **conduct** research

Police will **conduct** random breath testing for drunk driving.

## extensive

*adj.* covering a large area; having a wide range

*synonym*: ample, comprehensive, vast

(1) **extensive** experience, (2) have **extensive** vocabulary

The incident attracted **extensive** media coverage throughout the world.

## crossbreeding

*n.* the process of breeding two different species or breeds to produce offspring that share characteristics of both

*synonym*: hybridization, interbreeding

(1) selective **crossbreeding**, (2) **crossbreeding** plant species

The new breed of dog was developed through careful **crossbreeding** of different species.

## genetic

*adj.* of or relating to genes (= parts of the DNA in cells) or the science of genes

*synonym*: hereditary, genetical, inborn

(1) have **genetic** testing, (2) a **genetic** disorder

Understanding protein folding is a vital step in deciphering the **genetic** code.

## inheritance

*n.* the money, property, etc., that someone gives you when they die; (genetics) attributes acquired via biological heredity from ancestors

*synonym*: legacy, estate, heritage

(1) paternal **inheritance**, (2) **inheritance** tax

His vast **inheritance** was equitably divided among the brothers.

## diversity

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

*synonym*: variety, multiplicity, variousness

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

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

## distinct

*adj.* noticeable from something else of a similar type

*synonym*: different, special, characteristic

(1) **distinct** difference, (2) **distinct** from each other

It is essential to keep these two issues **distinct**.

## genotype

*n.* the genetic constitution of an individual organism; the inherited collection of genes that determine an organism's traits and characteristics

*synonym* : genetic constitution

(1) **genotype** frequency, (2) heterozygous **genotype**

The baby's **genotype** is determined by the combination of genes inherited from its parents.

## numerous

*adj.* amounting to a large indefinite number

*synonym* : many, considerable, countless

(1) **numerous** countries, (2) as **numerous** as the sand

These descriptions are based on a number of **numerous** assumptions.

## shift

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

*synonym* : transition, change, modification

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

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

## industrial

*adj.* of or relating to or resulting from industry

*synonym* : manufacturing, mechanical

(1) beginning of the **industrial** revolution, (2) **industrial** alcohol

**Industrial** design has become more focused on human nature aspect than ever before.

## footprint

*n.* a mark of a foot, shoe, or animal's foot left on a surface

*synonym* : footmark, imprint, impression

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

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

## free-range

*adj.* referring to animals that are allowed to roam and forage freely instead of being confined to a small space

*synonym* : open-range, cage-free, free-roaming

(1) **free-range** farming, (2) **free-range** chickens

Many consumers prefer to buy **free-range** eggs to support ethical farming practices.

## environment

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

*synonym*: atmosphere, surroundings, climate

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

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

## gladiator

*n.* a person who fought in ancient Rome's public contests, typically armed with weapons and wearing armor to entertain audiences

*synonym*: fighter, warrior, combatant

(1) act like a **gladiator**, (2) the Christian **gladiator**

The **gladiator's** training regimen included physical conditioning, weapons training, and strategy.

## companion

*n.* a person or an animal with whom you spend a lot of time, or you travel

*synonym*: affiliate, fellow, mate

(1) a working **companion**, (2) drinking **companions**

Her dog is her excellent **companion**.

## proverb

*n.* a short saying that expresses a truth or gives advice based on practical experience

*synonym*: adage, saying, maxim

(1) a hackneyed **proverb**, (2) ancient **proverb**

The famous **proverb** "actions speak louder than words" reminds us to focus on deeds instead of words.

## fascinating

*adj.* extremely interesting

*synonym*: alluring, intriguing, captivating

(1) **fascinating** story, (2) completely **fascinating** to me

The museum houses a **fascinating** collection of Celtic artifacts.



## Session 2: Spelling

1. second co\_\_\_c velocity *adj.* relating to the universe or cosmos; vast or limitless
2. nu\_\_\_\_us countries *adj.* amounting to a large indefinite number
3. a nightly fe\_\_t *n.* a large meal, typically one served on a special occasion
4. st\_\_\_e hard to get *v.* to try very hard to do, achieve, or obtain something
5. ob\_\_\_\_e a tradition *v.* to watch or notice something carefully, often to gather information or insights; to take note of something or someone; to celebrate or commemorate a special event or occasion
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7. ancient or\_\_\_e *n.* a person or agency regarded as a source of wisdom, knowledge, or prophecy; an utterance, often ambiguous or obscure, that is considered to have prophetic or wise significance
8. di\_\_\_\_ct difference *adj.* noticeable from something else of a similar type
9. ancient pr\_\_\_\_b *n.* a short saying that expresses a truth or gives advice based on practical experience
10. an\_\_\_\_t stories *adj.* relating to the long ago, particularly the historical period preceding the fall of the Western Roman Empire; very old

ANSWERS: 1. cosmic, 2. numerous, 3. feast, 4. strive, 5. observe, 6. fascinating, 7. oracle, 8. distinct, 9. proverb, 10. ancient

11. es\_\_\_\_\_al commodities of life      *adj.* indispensable; fundamental
12. s\_\_r a momentum of economic growth      *n.* a thing that encourages someone to do something; any sharply pointed projection; (verb) to incite or stimulate someone or something
13. drinking co\_\_\_\_\_ons      *n.* a person or an animal with whom you spend a lot of time, or you travel
14. oc\_\_\_y his time      *v.* to consume all of someone's space, attention, or time
15. a ge\_\_\_\_\_c disorder      *adj.* of or relating to genes (= parts of the DNA in cells) or the science of genes
16. mil\_\_\_\_\_um bottle of wine      *n.* a span of 1000 years, or the 1000th anniversary (plural: millennia)
17. the Christian gl\_\_\_\_\_or      *n.* a person who fought in ancient Rome's public contests, typically armed with weapons and wearing armor to entertain audiences
18. br\_\_d suspicion      *v.* to keep animals for producing offspring in a regulated manner
19. have ex\_\_\_\_\_ve vocabulary      *adj.* covering a large area; having a wide range
20. na\_\_\_\_\_ly regenerated forest      *adv.* as might be expected; by natural manners
21. score an ad\_\_\_\_\_ge      *n.* a condition or circumstance that puts one in a favorable or superior position; a beneficial feature or asset that someone or something has
22. ex\_\_\_\_\_t a security hole      *v.* to make full use of and gain an advantage from resources, opportunities, etc.

ANSWERS: 11. essential, 12. spur, 13. companion, 14. occupy, 15. genetic, 16. millennium, 17. gladiator, 18. breed, 19. extensive, 20. naturally, 21. advantage, 22. exploit

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31. fre\_\_\_\_\_ge chickens *adj.* referring to animals that are allowed to roam and forage freely instead of being confined to a small space

ANSWERS: 23. extensive, 24. marvelous, 25. naturally, 26. phenomenon, 27. process, 28. observe, 29. clutch, 30. struggle, 31. free-range

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40. li\_\_\_\_\_ck industry     *n.* farm animals and birds such as cows, sheep, and chickens
41. soda a\_h     *n.* the powdery residue left after the burning of a substance, typically containing minerals and other impurities; the solid remains of a dead person after cremation

ANSWERS: 32. advantage, 33. menagerie, 34. distinct, 35. culinary, 36. contribution, 37. basis, 38. native, 39. occupy, 40. livestock, 41. ash

42. chaotic env\_\_\_\_\_nt *n.* the natural world such as air, water, and land in which humans, animals, and plants live
43. live an ab\_\_\_\_\_nt life *adj.* present in great quantity
44. sy\_\_\_\_l color *n.* something visible that is used to represent something else
45. morning ri\_\_\_\_l *n.* any customary observance or practice; any prescribed procedure for conducting religious ceremonies
46. beginning of the ind\_\_\_\_\_al revolution *adj.* of or relating to or resulting from industry
47. a working co\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a person or an animal with whom you spend a lot of time, or you travel
48. achieve the hi\_\_\_\_\_ic feat *adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so
49. the most re\_\_\_\_\_d President *v.* highly respected or admired, often because of moral or spiritual qualities
50. source of ins\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* something that motivates or encourages someone to create or achieve something, or a feeling of excitement or creativity
51. an op\_\_\_\_d analgesic *n.* substances that have an effect similar to opium, such as morphine, used in medicines to treat severe pain, but some people take them illegally for pleasure and become addicted
52. an ab\_\_\_\_\_nt supply of water *adj.* present in great quantity
53. make a positive con\_\_\_\_\_ion *n.* the act of giving something, especially money, to a particular cause or organization; a voluntary gift as of money or service or ideas made to some worthwhile cause

ANSWERS: 42. environment, 43. abundant, 44. symbol, 45. ritual, 46. industrial, 47. companion, 48. historic, 49. revered, 50. inspiration, 51. opioid, 52. abundant, 53. contribution

54. li\_\_\_\_\_ck agriculture *n.* farm animals and birds such as cows, sheep, and chickens
55. major paradigm sh\_\_t *n.* a slight transition in position, direction, or trend
56. intended pr\_\_\_\_\_ly for young people *adv.* mainly
57. lingual di\_\_\_\_\_ty *n.* the quality or fact of many different types of things or people being included in something; a range of different things or people
58. ev\_\_\_e *v.* to develop gradually, or to cause the development of something or someone gradually
59. human ev\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a gradual process of transformation of living things
60. ge\_\_\_\_\_pe frequency *n.* the genetic constitution of an individual organism; the inherited collection of genes that determine an organism's traits and characteristics
61. de\_\_\_\_\_d by elevator *v.* to move downward and lower; to come from, or to be connected by a relationship of blood
62. the tr\_\_d away from television *n.* a general direction in which something is changing or developing
63. an indomitable sp\_\_\_t *n.* the part of a person which is the seat of their mind, feelings, and character rather than their physical body; the general atmosphere of a place or situation and the effect that it has on people

ANSWERS: 54. livestock, 55. shift, 56. primarily, 57. diversity, 58. evolve, 59. evolution, 60. genotype, 61. descend, 62. trend, 63. spirit

64. sp\_\_\_t and the letter of the law      *n.* the part of a person which is the seat of their mind, feelings, and character rather than their physical body; the general atmosphere of a place or situation and the effect that it has on people
65. imperial co\_\_\_\_\_st      *n.* the act or process of taking control of a country, area, or situation
66. pre-mo\_\_\_n agricultural society      *adj.* of or belonging to the present time or recent times
67. me\_\_\_\_\_nt bank      *n.* a person who buys and sells a large number of goods, especially one who imports and exports goods
68. a ro\_\_l palace      *adj.* relating to or belonging to the king or queen or a member of their family
69. heterozygous ge\_\_\_\_\_pe      *n.* the genetic constitution of an individual organism; the inherited collection of genes that determine an organism's traits and characteristics
70. ma\_\_\_\_\_e stars      *adj.* enormous amount; very heavy and solid
71. f\_\_e abroad      *v.* to leave by running away, especially out of fear or danger
72. co\_\_\_\_\_ze for cultivation      *v.* to establish a colony in or on a specific place; to settle or occupy in large numbers
73. fre\_\_\_\_\_ge farming      *adj.* referring to animals that are allowed to roam and forage freely instead of being confined to a small space
74. de\_\_\_\_\_d a steep hill      *v.* to move downward and lower; to come from, or to be connected by a relationship of blood

ANSWERS: 64. spirit, 65. conquest, 66. modern, 67. merchant, 68. royal, 69. genotype, 70. massive, 71. flee, 72. colonize, 73. free-range, 74. descend

75. va\_\_\_y bottom *n.* a long depression on the surface of the land, which typically contains a river
76. ev\_\_\_e over the past decade *v.* to develop gradually, or to cause the development of something or someone gradually
77. self-int\_\_\_\_\_ion *n.* a preliminary explanation or remarks given before the start of a text, performance, or event; the act of bringing something new into existence or introducing something to a wider audience or new market
78. co\_\_\_\_\_ze planets *v.* to establish a colony in or on a specific place; to settle or occupy in large numbers
79. selective cro\_\_\_\_\_ing *n.* the process of breeding two different species or breeds to produce offspring that share characteristics of both
80. me\_\_\_\_\_ie keeper *n.* a collection of wild animals, especially exotic ones, kept for display
81. hi\_\_\_\_\_ic accomplishment *adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so
82. regularly co\_\_\_\_\_t with a doctor *v.* to seek or get advice or information from a person, book, or other source having special knowledge on a particular subject
83. co\_\_\_c background radiation *adj.* relating to the universe or cosmos; vast or limitless
84. na\_\_\_e to Africa *adj.* connecting with or describing someone's birth country or place of birth, or someone born in a specific country or place

ANSWERS: 75. valley, 76. evolve, 77. introduction, 78. colonize, 79. crossbreeding, 80. menagerie, 81. historic, 82. consult, 83. cosmic, 84. native



85. in\_\_\_\_te terrorism in developing countries      *v.* to keep warm and protected, especially to hatch eggs; to develop and nurture
86. a fe\_\_t for the eyes      *n.* a large meal, typically one served on a special occasion
87. f\_\_e their homes      *v.* to leave by running away, especially out of fear or danger
88. co\_\_\_\_t a background check      *v.* to organize and carry out a particular activity
89. cro\_\_\_\_\_ing plant species      *n.* the process of breeding two different species or breeds to produce offspring that share characteristics of both
90. inh\_\_\_\_\_ce tax      *n.* the money, property, etc., that someone gives you when they die; (genetics) attributes acquired via biological heredity from ancestors
91. op\_\_\_\_d receptor      *n.* substances that have an effect similar to opium, such as morphine, used in medicines to treat severe pain, but some people take them illegally for pleasure and become addicted
92. historical phe\_\_\_\_\_on      *n.* something that exists and can be perceptible, especially one that is not fully understood
93. fo\_\_\_\_\_ll the end of the world      *v.* to predict or reveal something that will happen in the future
94. an elegant ent\_\_\_\_\_ent      *n.* public shows, films, television, or other performances or activities of enjoying people
95. prince ro\_\_l      *adj.* relating to or belonging to the king or queen or a member of their family

ANSWERS: 85. incubate, 86. feast, 87. flee, 88. conduct, 89. crossbreeding, 90. inheritance, 91. opioid, 92. phenomenon, 93. foretell, 94. entertainment, 95. royal

96. act like a gl\_\_\_\_\_or  
*n.* a person who fought in ancient Rome's public contests, typically armed with weapons and wearing armor to entertain audiences
97. re\_\_\_\_\_on sociology  
*n.* a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny
98. pre-Christian an\_\_\_\_\_t  
*adj.* relating to the long ago, particularly the historical period preceding the fall of the Western Roman Empire; very old
99. chemical tr\_\_\_\_t  
*n.* a particular feature of your nature
100. as nu\_\_\_\_\_us as the sand  
*adj.* amounting to a large indefinite number
101. re\_\_\_\_e a story  
*v.* to establish a connection or association between two or more things; to narrate or tell about an event, experience, or relationship; to empathize or feel sympathy with someone or something
102. do on a con\_\_\_\_\_nt basis  
*adj.* always behaving or happening in the same way, or having the same thoughts, standards, etc.
103. re\_\_\_\_\_d figure  
*v.* highly respected or admired, often because of moral or spiritual qualities
104. a hackneyed pr\_\_\_\_\_b  
*n.* a short saying that expresses a truth or gives advice based on practical experience
105. co\_\_\_\_\_t my wallet  
*v.* to seek or get advice or information from a person, book, or other source having special knowledge on a particular subject

ANSWERS: 96. gladiator, 97. religion, 98. ancient, 99. trait, 100. numerous, 101. relate, 102. consistent, 103. revered, 104. proverb, 105. consult

106. ca\_\_\_\_e a glimpse *v.* to catch a person or an animal and confine them in an area which they cannot escape
107. personality tr\_\_ts *n.* a particular feature of your nature
108. dom\_\_\_\_\_te the plant *v.* to take control of animals or plants to provide food, power, or company
109. s\_\_r of the moment *n.* a thing that encourages someone to do something; any sharply pointed projection; (verb) to incite or stimulate someone or something
110. bantam ro\_\_\_\_r *n.* a male chicken, especially one that is adult; a bird that has a distinctive red comb, wattle, and crowing call
111. fo\_\_\_\_\_nts in the snow *n.* a mark of a foot, shoe, or animal's foot left on a surface
112. agricultural me\_\_\_\_nt *n.* a person who buys and sells a large number of goods, especially one who imports and exports goods
113. ba\_\_s for calculation *n.* the most important facts, ideas, or events from which something is developed; the way how things are organized or arranged
114. ac\_\_\_\_\_ny a chicken dish *v.* to go somewhere or travel with someone or something
115. cu\_\_\_\_ry tradition *adj.* of or relating to cooking and the kitchen
116. jazz t\_\_o *n.* a group or set of three people or things, especially musicians playing together
117. ev\_\_\_\_\_on theory *n.* a gradual process of transformation of living things

ANSWERS: 106. capture, 107. trait, 108. domesticate, 109. spur, 110. rooster, 111. footprint, 112. merchant, 113. basis, 114. accompany, 115. culinary, 116. trio, 117. evolution

118. easy to dom\_\_\_\_\_te                    *v.* to take control of animals or plants to provide food, power, or company
119. a mi\_\_\_\_\_ry operation                *adj.* relating to or characteristic of members of the armed forces; of or relating to war or warfare
120. an international tr\_\_d                    *n.* a general direction in which something is changing or developing
121. st\_\_\_\_\_le to get the job                *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
122. a flight of fa\_\_y                            *v.* to want to do or have something; (noun) something that many people believe but that is false, or that does not exist; imagination or fantasy
123. a mi\_\_\_\_\_ry leader                    *adj.* relating to or characteristic of members of the armed forces; of or relating to war or warfare
124. get ins\_\_\_\_\_on from nature            *n.* something that motivates or encourages someone to create or achieve something, or a feeling of excitement or creativity
125. mo\_\_\_\_n poetry                            *adj.* of or belonging to the present time or recent times
126. st\_\_\_e for excellence                    *v.* to try very hard to do, achieve, or obtain something
127. re\_\_\_e a message                        *v.* to establish a connection or association between two or more things; to narrate or tell about an event, experience, or relationship; to empathize or feel sympathy with someone or something

ANSWERS: 118. domesticate, 119. military, 120. trend, 121. struggle, 122. fancy, 123. military, 124. inspiration, 125. modern, 126. strive, 127. relate

128. br\_\_d horses *v.* to keep animals for producing offspring in a regulated manner
129. the di\_\_\_\_\_ty policy of the university *n.* the quality or fact of many different types of things or people being included in something; a range of different things or people
130. or\_\_\_e predictions *n.* a person or agency regarded as a source of wisdom, knowledge, or prophecy; an utterance, often ambiguous or obscure, that is considered to have prophetic or wise significance
131. the fo\_\_\_\_\_nts of an earlier civilization *n.* a mark of a foot, shoe, or animal's foot left on a surface
132. ex\_\_\_\_\_t a valuable opportunity *v.* to make full use of and gain an advantage from resources, opportunities, etc.
133. fo\_\_\_\_\_ll the attack *v.* to predict or reveal something that will happen in the future
134. an introductory ch\_\_\_\_\_r *n.* a separate section of a written work usually numbered and titled
135. an agg\_\_\_\_\_ve war *adj.* behaving in an angry, energetic, or threatening way towards another person; tending to spread quickly
136. ba\_\_\_o flooring *n.* a fast-growing plant that has long, hollow stems and is widely used as a building material, food source, and decorative element, especially in Asian cultures

ANSWERS: 128. breed, 129. diversity, 130. oracle, 131. footprint, 132. exploit, 133. foretell, 134. chapter, 135. aggressive, 136. bamboo

137. decision-making pr\_\_\_\_\_s      *n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products
138. genic com\_\_\_\_\_ons      *n.* a collection of things that have been combined; an assemblage of separate parts or qualities
139. ca\_\_\_\_\_e customers' hearts      *v.* to catch a person or an animal and confine them in an area which they cannot escape
140. an agg\_\_\_\_\_ve tumor      *adj.* behaving in an angry, energetic, or threatening way towards another person; tending to spread quickly
141. sy\_\_\_\_l for happiness      *n.* something visible that is used to represent something else
142. have ge\_\_\_\_\_c testing      *adj.* of or relating to genes (= parts of the DNA in cells) or the science of genes
143. env\_\_\_\_\_nt affairs      *n.* the natural world such as air, water, and land in which humans, animals, and plants live
144. pr\_\_\_\_\_ly affect adults      *adv.* mainly
145. co\_\_\_\_\_t research      *v.* to organize and carry out a particular activity
146. paternal inh\_\_\_\_\_ce      *n.* the money, property, etc., that someone gives you when they die; (genetics) attributes acquired via biological heredity from ancestors

ANSWERS: 137. process, 138. combination, 139. capture, 140. aggressive, 141. symbol, 142. genetic, 143. environment, 144. primarily, 145. conduct, 146. inheritance

147. ac\_\_\_\_\_ny the book      *v.* to go somewhere or travel with someone or something
148. com\_\_\_\_\_on number      *n.* a collection of things that have been combined; an assemblage of separate parts or qualities
149. ro\_\_\_\_\_r fight      *n.* a male chicken, especially one that is adult; a bird that has a distinctive red comb, wattle, and crowing call
150. ba\_\_\_o crafts      *n.* a fast-growing plant that has long, hollow stems and is widely used as a building material, food source, and decorative element, especially in Asian cultures
151. fas\_\_\_\_\_ng story      *adj.* extremely interesting
152. freedom of re\_\_\_\_\_on      *n.* a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny
153. t\_\_o sonata      *n.* a group or set of three people or things, especially musicians playing together
154. a\_h tree      *n.* the powdery residue left after the burning of a substance, typically containing minerals and other impurities; the solid remains of a dead person after cremation
155. fa\_\_y a cup of coffee      *v.* to want to do or have something; (noun) something that many people believe but that is false, or that does not exist; imagination or fantasy
156. get con\_\_\_\_\_nt results      *adj.* always behaving or happening in the same way, or having the same thoughts, standards, etc.

ANSWERS: 147. accompany, 148. combination, 149. rooster, 150. bamboo, 151. fascinating, 152. religion, 153. trio, 154. ash, 155. fancy, 156. consistent

157. ma\_\_\_\_\_e amounts *adj.* enormous amount; very heavy and solid
158. in\_\_\_\_\_te an idea *v.* to keep warm and protected, especially to hatch eggs; to develop and nurture
159. cl\_\_\_\_h at any straw *v.* to grasp and hold somebody or something tightly
160. hour of ent\_\_\_\_\_ent *n.* public shows, films, television, or other performances or activities of enjoying people
161. basin-shaped va\_\_\_\_y *n.* a long depression on the surface of the land, which typically contains a river
162. past mil\_\_\_\_\_um *n.* a span of 1000 years, or the 1000th anniversary (plural: millennia)
163. make a co\_\_\_\_\_st *n.* the act or process of taking control of a country, area, or situation
164. ma\_\_\_\_\_us performance *adj.* causing wonder or astonishment; excellent
165. int\_\_\_\_\_ion education *n.* a preliminary explanation or remarks given before the start of a text, performance, or event; the act of bringing something new into existence or introducing something to a wider audience or new market
166. ind\_\_\_\_\_al alcohol *adj.* of or relating to or resulting from industry
167. ch\_\_\_\_\_r of a political party *n.* a separate section of a written work usually numbered and titled
168. a ri\_\_\_\_l dance *n.* any customary observance or practice; any prescribed procedure for conducting religious ceremonies

ANSWERS: 157. massive, 158. incubate, 159. clutch, 160. entertainment, 161. valley, 162. millennium, 163. conquest, 164. marvelous, 165. introduction, 166. industrial, 167. chapter, 168. ritual



169. es\_\_\_\_\_al amino acid

*adj.* indispensable; fundamental

170. Doppler sh\_\_t

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

ANSWERS: 169. essential, 170. shift

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. Eyeless fish \_\_\_\_\_ in dark caves.
  - v.* to develop gradually, or to cause the development of something or someone gradually
  
2. This evidence will form the \_\_\_\_\_ for our discussion.
  - n.* the most important facts, ideas, or events from which something is developed; the way how things are organized or arranged
  
3. Many consumers prefer to buy \_\_\_\_\_ eggs to support ethical farming practices.
  - adj.* referring to animals that are allowed to roam and forage freely instead of being confined to a small space
  
4. We choose transportation that has a smaller carbon \_\_\_\_\_.
  - n.* a mark of a foot, shoe, or animal's foot left on a surface
  
5. They study the \_\_\_\_\_ of the universe.
  - n.* a gradual process of transformation of living things
  
6. They \_\_\_\_\_ to make their dream come true.
  - v.* to try very hard to do, achieve, or obtain something
  
7. Every human is responsible for taking care of the Earth's \_\_\_\_\_.
  - n.* the natural world such as air, water, and land in which humans, animals, and plants live
  
8. Could you help me \_\_\_\_\_ some furniture?
  - n.* a slight transition in position, direction, or trend

ANSWERS: 1. evolved, 2. basis, 3. free-range, 4. footprint, 5. evolution, 6. strived, 7. environment, 8. shift

9. The woman of the house does the holy \_\_\_\_\_ of lighting two candles.  
*n.* any customary observance or practice; any prescribed procedure for conducting religious ceremonies
10. They have been living near water since \_\_\_\_\_ times.  
*adj.* relating to the long ago, particularly the historical period preceding the fall of the Western Roman Empire; very old
11. The country has \_\_\_\_\_ oil and natural gas resources.  
*adj.* present in great quantity
12. We \_\_\_\_\_ cows to gain milk and meat.  
*v.* to take control of animals or plants to provide food, power, or company
13. The \_\_\_\_\_ for applying for a visa can be lengthy and complicated.  
*n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products
14. The royal \_\_\_\_\_ celebrated the harvest, and the community enjoyed it.  
*n.* a large meal, typically one served on a special occasion
15. I don't \_\_\_\_\_ acting in such an important role.  
*v.* to want to do or have something; (noun) something that many people believe but that is false, or that does not exist; imagination or fantasy
16. Her dog is her excellent \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a person or an animal with whom you spend a lot of time, or you travel

ANSWERS: 9. ritual, 10. ancient, 11. abundant, 12. domesticate, 13. process, 14. feast, 15. fancy, 16. companion

17. His \_\_\_\_\_ to the charity was a generous donation of money.  
*n.* the act of giving something, especially money, to a particular cause or organization; a voluntary gift as of money or service or ideas made to some worthwhile cause
18. Understanding protein folding is a vital step in deciphering the \_\_\_\_\_ code.  
*adj.* of or relating to genes (= parts of the DNA in cells) or the science of genes
19. She was \_\_\_\_\_ from an old Italian noble family.  
*v.* to move downward and lower; to come from, or to be connected by a relationship of blood
20. Our world is in the third \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a span of 1000 years, or the 1000th anniversary (plural: millennia)
21. It is important to \_\_\_\_\_ safety procedures in the workplace to prevent accidents.  
*v.* to watch or notice something carefully, often to gather information or insights; to take note of something or someone; to celebrate or commemorate a special event or occasion
22. Despite their tragic loss, the family is showing great \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the part of a person which is the seat of their mind, feelings, and character rather than their physical body; the general atmosphere of a place or situation and the effect that it has on people
23. He found \_\_\_\_\_ in the works of his favorite authors.  
*n.* something that motivates or encourages someone to create or achieve something, or a feeling of excitement or creativity

ANSWERS: 17. contribution, 18. genetic, 19. descended, 20. millennium, 21. observe, 22. spirit, 23. inspiration

24. A rainbow is a natural \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* something that exists and can be perceptible, especially one that is not fully understood
25. The baby's \_\_\_\_\_ is determined by the combination of genes inherited from its parents.
- n.* the genetic constitution of an individual organism; the inherited collection of genes that determine an organism's traits and characteristics
26. She is willing to give up her position in the \_\_\_\_\_ family to marry him.
- adj.* relating to or belonging to the king or queen or a member of their family
27. The young prince will soon \_\_\_\_\_ the throne.
- v.* to consume all of someone's space, attention, or time
28. The famous \_\_\_\_\_ "actions speak louder than words" reminds us to focus on deeds instead of words.
- n.* a short saying that expresses a truth or gives advice based on practical experience
29. Always \_\_\_\_\_ a lawyer before launching a business.
- v.* to seek or get advice or information from a person, book, or other source having special knowledge on a particular subject
30. The \_\_\_\_\_ crow woke up the farmer every morning at sunrise.
- n.* a male chicken, especially one that is adult; a bird that has a distinctive red comb, wattle, and crowing call
31. The piano, violin, and cello formed a beautiful \_\_\_\_\_ for the classical concert.
- n.* a group or set of three people or things, especially musicians playing together

ANSWERS: 24. phenomenon, 25. genotype, 26. royal, 27. occupy, 28. proverb, 29. consult, 30. rooster's, 31. trio

32. The boy \_\_\_\_\_ his mother's hand tightly as they walked in the dark.  
*v.* to grasp and hold somebody or something tightly
33. He continued to grow his empire through \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the act or process of taking control of a country, area, or situation
34. The \_\_\_\_\_ to the safe was a secret.  
*n.* a collection of things that have been combined; an assemblage of separate parts or qualities
35. \_\_\_\_\_ feed is made from fodder crops.  
*n.* farm animals and birds such as cows, sheep, and chickens
36. The museum houses a \_\_\_\_\_ collection of Celtic artifacts.  
*adj.* extremely interesting
37. The oil price continued their downward \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a general direction in which something is changing or developing
38. The new breed of dog was developed through careful \_\_\_\_\_ of different species.  
*n.* the process of breeding two different species or breeds to produce offspring that share characteristics of both
39. His vast \_\_\_\_\_ was equitably divided among the brothers.  
*n.* the money, property, etc., that someone gives you when they die; (genetics) attributes acquired via biological heredity from ancestors
40. I was able to \_\_\_\_\_ the moment on film.  
*v.* to catch a person or an animal and confine them in an area which they cannot escape

ANSWERS: 32. clutched, 33. conquest, 34. combination, 35. Livestock, 36. fascinating, 37. trend, 38. crossbreeding, 39. inheritance, 40. capture

41. \_\_\_\_\_ rays are high-energy particles that originate from outside the solar system.

*adj.* relating to the universe or cosmos; vast or limitless

42. He was impressed by the range and \_\_\_\_\_ of the collection.

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

43. All peaceful cooperation is based \_\_\_\_\_ on mutual trust.

*adv.* mainly

44. \_\_\_\_\_ design has become more focused on human nature aspect than ever before.

*adj.* of or relating to or resulting from industry

45. 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

46. The recent economic downturn has resulted in \_\_\_\_\_ layoffs.

*adj.* enormous amount; very heavy and solid

47. The circus had a \_\_\_\_\_ of animals, including elephants, lions, and monkeys.

*n.* a collection of wild animals, especially exotic ones, kept for display

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

*adj.* indispensable; fundamental

ANSWERS: 41. Cosmic, 42. diversity, 43. primarily, 44. Industrial, 45. struggle, 46. massive, 47. menagerie, 48. essential

49. The volcanic \_\_\_\_ covered the island after the eruption.

- n.* the powdery residue left after the burning of a substance, typically containing minerals and other impurities; the solid remains of a dead person after cremation

50. We \_\_\_\_\_ our mining resources to strengthen our national power.

- v.* to make full use of and gain an advantage from resources, opportunities, etc.

51. Please let me know if you want to \_\_\_\_\_ me to my hometown.

- v.* to go somewhere or travel with someone or something

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

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

53. The stalks of \_\_\_\_\_ can grow up to a foot per day in optimal conditions.

- n.* a fast-growing plant that has long, hollow stems and is widely used as a building material, food source, and decorative element, especially in Asian cultures

54. He tried to \_\_\_\_\_ his experience to the group, but they couldn't understand.

- v.* to establish a connection or association between two or more things; to narrate or tell about an event, experience, or relationship; to empathize or feel sympathy with someone or something

55. This animal \_\_\_\_\_ in northern latitudes.

- v.* to keep animals for producing offspring in a regulated manner

56. The \_\_\_\_\_ had received a mild snowfall the previous week.

- n.* a long depression on the surface of the land, which typically contains a river

ANSWERS: 49. ash, 50. exploit, 51. accompany, 52. native, 53. bamboo, 54. relate, 55. breeds, 56. valley



57. Multiple genes may influence behavioral \_\_\_\_\_ concurrently.

*n.* a particular feature of your nature

58. Their \_\_\_\_\_ strictly prohibits them from drinking or gambling.

*n.* a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny

59. The \_\_\_\_\_ to the new class was informative and engaging.

*n.* a preliminary explanation or remarks given before the start of a text, performance, or event; the act of bringing something new into existence or introducing something to a wider audience or new market

60. 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

61. The incident attracted \_\_\_\_\_ media coverage throughout the world.

*adj.* covering a large area; having a wide range

62. These descriptions are based on a number of \_\_\_\_\_ assumptions.

*adj.* amounting to a large indefinite number

63. Treatment for \_\_\_\_\_ dependence may be a long-term process.

*n.* substances that have an effect similar to opium, such as morphine, used in medicines to treat severe pain, but some people take them illegally for pleasure and become addicted

64. The view from the top of the mountain was \_\_\_\_\_.

*adj.* causing wonder or astonishment; excellent

ANSWERS: 57. traits, 58. religion, 59. introduction, 60. military, 61. extensive, 62. numerous, 63. opioid, 64. marvelous

65. It is a basic instinct to \_\_\_\_\_ from a dangerous situation.  
*v.* to leave by running away, especially out of fear or danger
66. The \_\_\_\_\_ teacher was loved by her students.  
*v.* highly respected or admired, often because of moral or spiritual qualities
67. The dragon is considered a \_\_\_\_\_ of bravery.  
*n.* something visible that is used to represent something else
68. The company's CEO was considered the \_\_\_\_\_ of strategic decision-making, with a track record of successful business moves.  
*n.* a person or agency regarded as a source of wisdom, knowledge, or prophecy; an utterance, often ambiguous or obscure, that is considered to have prophetic or wise significance
69. The \_\_\_\_\_ arts program at the school was highly regarded for its innovative curriculum.  
*adj.* of or relating to cooking and the kitchen
70. The Chinese people have accomplished several \_\_\_\_\_ feats.  
*adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so
71. One of the main \_\_\_\_\_ of the new product is its increased efficiency.  
*n.* a condition or circumstance that puts one in a favorable or superior position; a beneficial feature or asset that someone or something has
72. The final \_\_\_\_\_ provides a summary of the discussion.  
*n.* a separate section of a written work usually numbered and titled

ANSWERS: 65. flee, 66. revered, 67. symbol, 68. oracle, 69. culinary, 70. historic, 71. advantages, 72. chapter

73. This shipping company has several hundred \_\_\_\_\_ ships.  
*n.* a person who buys and sells a large number of goods, especially one who imports and exports goods
74. The \_\_\_\_\_ training regimen included physical conditioning, weapons training, and strategy.  
*n.* a person who fought in ancient Rome's public contests, typically armed with weapons and wearing armor to entertain audiences
75. The scientists decided to \_\_\_\_\_ the eggs for further study.  
*v.* to keep warm and protected, especially to hatch eggs; to develop and nurture
76. It is essential to keep these two issues \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* noticeable from something else of a similar type
77. An \_\_\_\_\_ tide wrecked the ship.  
*adj.* behaving in an angry, energetic, or threatening way towards another person; tending to spread quickly
78. European powers \_\_\_\_\_ much of the Americas in the 16th and 17th centuries.  
*v.* to establish a colony in or on a specific place; to settle or occupy in large numbers
79. He was \_\_\_\_\_ gifted.  
*adv.* as might be expected; by natural manners
80. The fortune teller was able to \_\_\_\_\_ the future by reading tarot cards.  
*v.* to predict or reveal something that will happen in the future

ANSWERS: 73. merchant, 74. gladiator's, 75. incubate, 76. distinct, 77. aggressive, 78. colonized, 79. naturally, 80. foretell

81. You are not \_\_\_\_\_ in your behavior.

*adj.* always behaving or happening in the same way, or having the same thoughts, standards, etc.

82. The hotel is famous for its \_\_\_\_\_ including the casino.

*n.* public shows, films, television, or other performances or activities of enjoying people

83. Their headquarters are in a \_\_\_\_\_ skyscraper.

*adj.* of or belonging to the present time or recent times

84. Police will \_\_\_\_\_ random breath testing for drunk driving.

*v.* to organize and carry out a particular activity

85. The threat of losing his job was the \_\_\_\_\_ he needed to work harder.

*n.* a thing that encourages someone to do something; any sharply pointed projection; (verb) to incite or stimulate someone or something

ANSWERS: 81. consistent, 82. entertainment, 83. modern, 84. conduct, 85. spur