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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

**toy** *n.* a thing, typically a small model or replica of something that is played with, especially by children  
*synonym*: plaything, game, trinket  
(1) **toy** store, (2) **toy** box  
He gave his daughter a new **toy** for her birthday.

**constant** *adj.* happening repeatedly or all the time  
*synonym*: ceaseless, stable, unchanging  
(1) a **constant** wind, (2) a **constant** temperature  
**Constant** dropping wears away the stone.

**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**.

**robin** *n.* a small bird from the thrush family, typically having a red breast and found across Europe, Asia, and North America  
*synonym*: thrush, red-breast, redbird

(1) **robin** eggs, (2) **robin's** nest

I love listening to the cheerful song of the **robin** in my garden.

## imaginary

*adj.* existing only in someone's mind

*synonym*: fictional, ideal, fantastical

(1) **imaginary** number, (2) **imaginary** pregnancy

Little children tend to have **imaginary** friends.

## fuel

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

*synonym*: energy, power, gas

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

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

## endless

*adj.* having no end or conclusion; infinitely very large in size or amount

*synonym*: infinite, ceaseless, boundless

(1) **endless** possibilities, (2) **endless** hours

He looked out the window at the **endless** stream of people.

## adventure

*n.* a journey or a series of events that is unusual, exciting, or dangerous

*synonym*: experience, happening, incident

(1) gastronomic **adventures**, (2) **adventure** film

He sailed the Atlantic Ocean multiple times during his **adventures**.

## innocent

*adj.* not guilty of a crime, offense, etc.; not having an evil mind or knowledge

*synonym*: blameless, honest, harmless

(1) an **innocent** child, (2) thousands of **innocent** people

My husband was found **innocent** of any crime.

## introductory

*adj.* intended as an introduction or preliminary; serving as a base or starting point

*synonym*:

beginning, preliminary, initial

(1) **introductory** biology text, (2) product **introductory** sale  
The **introductory** class was designed to give students a basic understanding of the subject.

## recognition

*n.* the action or process of recognizing or being recognized, especially by remembering; an agreement that something is true or legal

*synonym*: acknowledgement, identification, credit

(1) **recognition** award, (2) joint **recognition**

He was given **recognition** for his outstanding work in the field of medicine.

## harvest

*n.* yields of plants in a single growing season; the period of the year when gathering occurs on a farm

*synonym*: crop, reaping, yield

(1) a scanty **harvest**, (2) reap a **harvest**

During **harvest**, farmers are incredibly busy.

## mass

*n.* a large amount of a substance with no definite shape or form; a large number of people or things grouped or crowded together

*synonym*: abundance, crowd, mob

(1) a **mass** of molten rock, (2) critical **mass**

The **mass** of people who do not own property is politically impotent.

## alarm

*n.* a loud noise or an automatic signal that warns people of danger; a device that signals the occurrence of some undesirable event or particular danger

*synonym*: notice, warning, panic

(1) give the **alarm**, (2) an **alarm** clock

The **alarm** announcing an enemy attack went off this morning.

## consume

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

*synonym* : absorb, ingest, use up

(1) **consume** a large of alcohol, (2) **consume** electricity

A smaller car will **consume** less fuel.

## device

*n.* a piece of equipment, tool, or technology that serves a particular purpose or function, often mechanical or electronic

*synonym* : gadget, instrument, tool

(1) electronic **device**, (2) tracking **device**

I always carry a backup **device** in case my phone runs out of battery.

## vacuum

*n.* a space empty of matter; a device or tool used for cleaning or removing debris by creating suction

*synonym* : void, emptiness, gap

(1) **vacuum** cleaner, (2) **vacuum** packing

Please use the **vacuum** to clean up the mess on the floor.

## investigate

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

*synonym* : examine, analyze, look into

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

The committee **investigated** several apparent inconsistencies.

## loyal

*adj.* giving or remaining firm and constant support to a person, institution, product, etc.;

*synonym* : dedicated, devoted, faithful

(1) a **loyal** friend, (2) become a **loyal** customer

Enemy armies are **loyal** to their monarch.

## download

*v.* to transfer data or files from the Internet or computer network to a user's computer or device; (noun) the process of transferring data or information from a remote

or central computer to a local computer or device

*synonym* : load, save, transfer

(1) **download** files from the Internet, (2) **download** the assignment from the website

I need to **download** the latest update for my computer's operating system.

## app

*n.* (abbreviation for application) software designed to run on smartphones and other mobile devices or inside a web browser on a PC

*synonym* : application, software

(1) killer **app**, (2) cannot log in to the **app**

The discovery of a critical bug caused the company to delay the **app's** release.

## feat

*n.* a notable or impressive achievement, especially one that requires great skill or bravery

*synonym* : achievement, accomplishment, exploit

(1) intellectual **feat**, (2) **feat** accomplishment

It is an incredible **feat** to climb Mount Everest, the highest mountain in the world.

## par

*n.* a state of being equal to someone or something

*synonym* : equality, standard, balance

(1) above **par** performance, (2) not up to **par**

Shares in the company finally fell below their **par** value.

## consent

*n.* permission or agreement to do something, especially given by somebody in authority

*synonym* : approval, authorization, concession

(1) **consent** for surgery, (2) give silent **consent**

She gave her **consent** to the company's proposal.

## advertise

*v.* to draw attention to something such as a product, service, or event in public to encourage people to buy, use, or attend it

*synonym* :

publicize, announce, promote

(1) **advertise** the campaign, (2) **advertise** on social media

We want to **advertise** our company through your media.

## smartphone

*n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet

(1) **smartphone** app developer, (2) **smartphone** addict

Internet traffic volumes have increased significantly with the advent of **smartphones**.

## distance

*n.* the amount of space between two points, measured in units such as miles, meters, or kilometers; the extent, scope, or range between two things, such as distance or emotional distance

*synonym*: space, gap, span

(1) driving **distance**, (2) social **distance**

The marathon runner covered a long **distance** in a short amount of time.

## confront

*v.* to face, meet or deal with a problem or difficult situation or person

*synonym*: engage, encounter, contend

(1) **confront** a global warming, (2) **confront** the issue

He finally decided to **confront** problems directly.

## breach

*n.* a break or opening, often in a wall or barrier, which enables passage or entry; a violation or infraction of a law, agreement, or duty, often resulting in legal action or punishment

*synonym*: violation, infraction, trespass

(1) security **breach**, (2) **breach** of privacy

The company's data **breach** compromised thousands of customers' personal information.

## hack

*v.* to hit and cut somebody or something roughly and violently; to find a bug in a computer program and break into their systems or networks

*synonym* : cut, chop, crack

(1) **hack** through the jungle, (2) **hack** into the program

This blog offers a variety of tips for **hacking** everyday life.

## equip

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

*synonym* : prepare, furnish, provide

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

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

## transmit

v. to send or forward an electronic signal; to pass something from one person or thing to another

*synonym* : convey, share, dispatch

(1) **transmit** the disease, (2) **transmit** information

Parents often **transmit** their characteristics to their children.

## doll

n. a child's toy that typically represents a human figure, especially a young girl; an attractive woman; a woman who is subservient or passive

*synonym* : puppet, dolly, toy

(1) plastic **doll**, (2) rag **doll**

The antique **doll** was worth thousands of dollars.

## illustrate

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

*synonym* : demonstrate, explain, exemplify

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

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

## colleague

n. one of a group of a coworker, especially in a profession or a business

*synonym* : coworker, associate, fellow

(1) collaborate with **colleagues**, (2) former **colleague**

I decided to seek counseling on the advice of my **colleague**.

## creepy

*adj.* causing an uneasy feeling of fear or unease

*synonym* : eerie, unsettling, spooky

(1) feel **creepy**, (2) **creepy** atmosphere

The old, abandoned house was **creepy** and gave me the chills.

## password

*n.* a secret word or phrase that must be used to gain admission to a place or service

*synonym* : passphrase, secret code, key

(1) **password** recovery, (2) **password** reset

I forgot my sign-in **password** and couldn't log in to my account.

## circumvent

*v.* to go around, avoid, or bypass something, often to achieve an intended goal or objective; to outmaneuver or outsmart a person or obstacle

*synonym* : evade, bypass, outsmart

(1) **circumvent** rules, (2) **circumvent** authority

I took a back road to work on time to **circumvent** the traffic jam.

## expose

*v.* to show something by uncovering it; to make something accessible to some action or influence

*synonym* : disclose, reveal, uncover

(1) **expose** a crime, (2) **expose** a person to risks

That newspaper **exposed** a political scandal in a big way.

## flaw

*n.* a fault, mistake, or weakness that causes something not to be perfect

*synonym* : defect, fault, imperfection

(1) a minor **flaw**, (2) the **flaw** in the legislation

Even the slightest design **flaw** in an aircraft can lead to a fatal accident.



## problematic

*adj.* full of difficulties; difficult to deal with or solve  
*synonym*: inappropriate, inconvenient, worrisome

(1) a **problematic** situation, (2) seems to be highly **problematic**

Direct democracy is effective in quickly resolving **problematic** situations within a community.

## ban

*v.* to officially or legally forbid or refuse to allow something  
*synonym*: forbid, prohibit, restrict

(1) **ban** gender-related job discrimination, (2) **ban** any type of cloning

We should **ban** mildly violent video games from a child's development perspective.

## peaceful

*adj.* not involving violence, conflict, or war  
*synonym*: friendly, pacific, amicable

(1) **peaceful** country, (2) **peaceful** coexistence

Plutonium has limited **peaceful** applications.

## germ

*n.* a very tiny living that causes the disease; a piece of something such as an organism, concept, etc., capable of growing into a new one or part of one

*synonym*: bacterium, microbe, pathogen

(1) antibiotic-resistant **germ**, (2) a **germ-free** environment

The **germ** of his idea came from watching birds flying in flocks.

## spy

*n.* a person who is employed or trained to observe or gather information in secret, often for military or political purposes; a person who secretly or illegally gathers information about a private individual or organization

*synonym*: agent, undercover operative

(1) **spy** cameras, (2) digital **spy** tools

The government recruited a **spy** to gather information on a suspected terrorist cell

## uncover

*v.* to remove the cover from something; to discover something previously unseen or hidden

*synonym*: disclose, reveal, unveil

(1) **uncover** a potential problem, (2) **uncover** the truth

He continued his investigation and soon **uncovered** another crime.

## prop

*n.* a piece of wood, metal, etc., placed beneath or against something to support it or keep it in position; a system, institution, or person that gives help or support to someone or something

*synonym*: support, buttress, column

(1) emotional **prop**, (2) **prop** stick

We have finally lost our last **prop**.

## enforce

*v.* to make sure that people obey a particular law, rule, or situation

*synonym*: execute, implement, administer

(1) **enforce** the law, (2) **enforce** a contract

Governments make rules, and police **enforce** them.

## privacy

*n.* someone's right to keep their personal matters and relationships not watched or interrupted by other people

*synonym*: seclusion, aloneness, solitariness

(1) **privacy** abuse, (2) trespass on a person's **privacy**

This conduct would be an invasion of **privacy**.

## take-it-or-leave-it

*adj.* indicating that an offer or proposition is not negotiable and must be accepted or rejected entirely as is

*synonym*: non-negotiable, uncompromising, inflexible

(1) **take-it-or-leave-it** policy, (2) a **take-it-or-leave-it** attitude

I'm giving you a **take-it-or-leave-it** offer - this is the best I can do.

## convenient

*adj.* useful, helpful, or quick to do

*synonym*: timely, fortunate, suitable

(1) **convenient** way, (2) **convenient** location  
The airport offers five **convenient** access routes.

**lull** *n.* a period of calm or quiet; a temporary cessation of activity, noise, or music; a soothing sound or movement that induces sleep or relaxation  
*synonym*: calm, stillness, tranquility

(1) **lull** in the battle, (2) the **lull** before the storm  
The waves crashing against the shore had a soothing **lull** on the listeners.

**tick** *n.* a light, sharp, repetitive sound or action; a mark indicating that something is correct or has been done; any of two families of small parasitic arachnids with barbed proboscis  
*synonym*: sound, noise, beat

(1) **tick** of the clock, (2) **tick** fever  
I always put a **tick** mark next to the items on my grocery list after buying them.

**battery** *n.* a device that is placed inside a car, gadget, equipment, etc. and that provides electrical power to them  
*synonym*: electric cell, array, batch

(1) a dry **battery**, (2) **battery** charging  
The engine did not start because the **battery** was flat.

**imbalance** *n.* a situation in which two or more things are not equal or equally treated  
*synonym*: inequality, asymmetry, instability

(1) trade **imbalance**, (2) symptoms of hormonal **imbalance**  
An **imbalance** in certain substances causes problems with brain function.

**decide** *v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options  
*synonym*: choose, determine, settle

(1) **decide** a question, (2) **decide** on a course of action

She couldn't **decide** whether to order the pizza or the pasta for dinner.

## realistic

*adj.* having or showing a sensible and practical idea that is possible to achieve

*synonym*: practical, pragmatic, down-to-earth

(1) a **realistic** goal, (2) a **realistic** goal

That story was so **realistic**, and it was scary.

## stream

*n.* a small, narrow river; a continuous flow of something, such as liquid, gas, people, vehicles, etc.

*synonym*: flow, current, brook

(1) the **stream** of time, (2) an endless **stream** of cars

Jet **streams** are the common name for air currents that form high in the atmosphere.

## experiment

*n.* the scientific test conducted to observe what happens and gain new knowledge

*synonym*: experimentation, investigation

(1) **experiment** design, (2) series of **experiments**

His **experiments** showed highly positive results.

## marathon

*n.* a long-distance race of 42.195 kilometers

*synonym*: endurance, race, event

(1) run a **marathon**, (2) watch a **marathon**

She successfully completed her first **marathon** with a personal best time.

## harry

*v.* to persistently harass, badger, or bother someone or something; to persistently attack or pursue an opposing force or target

*synonym*: bother, pester, annoy

(1) **harry** the ship all night, (2) **harry** a suspect

I need to **harry** my coworkers to finish the project on time.

## potter

*n.* a person who makes pottery, objects that are made of clay and then fired in a kiln to make them hard and

lasting; (verb, also putter) to occupy oneself in a leisurely or casual way, often with no particular goal or aim in mind

*synonym*: shape, form, mold

(1) **potter's** studio, (2) **potter** around in the garden

The ancient Egyptians were skilled **potters** and left behind many beautiful artifacts.

## godfather

*n.* a male godparent who witnesses a child's baptism and accepts a spiritual responsibility for their upbringing; a trusted mentor or advisor who has significant influence and offers support and guidance in personal or professional matters

*synonym*: sponsor, mentor, protector

(1) political **godfather**, (2) be my **godfather** at my christening

The wealthy businessman acted as a **godfather** to his protege, helping him to succeed in his career.

## combine

*v.* to join or merge to form a single thing or group

*synonym*: coalesce, cohere, blend

(1) **combine** chemically with another substance,

(2) **combine** augmented reality

Hydrogen and oxygen **combine** to form water.

## argue

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

*synonym*: debate, dispute, quarrel

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

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

## regulate

*v.* to control something, especially by means of rules or laws

*synonym*: control, restrain, handle

(1) **regulate** blood sugar levels, (2) **regulate** our conduct

We must manage to **regulate** our expenditure.

## 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.

## burden

*n.* a duty, responsibility, etc. that is oppressive or worrisome; a load, typically a heavy one that is difficult to carry

*synonym*: obligation, duty, load

(1) carry a **burden**, (2) **burden** of disease

That car has a low environmental **burden**.

## responsible

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

*synonym*: accountable, answerable, liable

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

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

## industrious

*adj.* hardworking, diligent, and persistent in effort

*synonym*: diligent, hardworking, assiduous

(1) **industrious** worker, (2) **industrious** student

He was known to be very **industrious** and would often work late into the night.

## intimate

*adj.* having a very close friendship, personal

*synonym*: close, tight, friendly

(1) my **intimate** affairs, (2) **intimate** relationship

He has an **intimate** knowledge of American history.

## snoop

*v.* to investigate or pry into something in a stealthy or nosy manner; to snoop through someone else's possessions

or property

*synonym* : spy, pry, eavesdrop

(1) **snoop** around the house, (2) **snoop** for information

The nosy neighbor liked to **snoop** around and eavesdrop on other people's conversations.

## thorough

*adj.* done completely; significantly careful and accurate

*synonym* : complete, comprehensive, meticulous

(1) **thorough** investigation, (2) provide **thorough** analysis

A **thorough** brushing helps to keep your mouth fresh.

## 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.

## discovery

*n.* the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known

*synonym* : finding, uncovering, detection

(1) a scientific **discovery**, (2) the great **discovery** of the century

Her research team made an important **discovery**.

## complicated

*adj.* involving a lot of different things or parts in a way that is difficult to understand or analyze

*synonym* : complex, convoluted, intricate

(1) a **complicated** process, (2) become increasingly **complicated**

He did **complicated** pen-and-ink drawings in just a few days.

## refer

*v.* to direct someone's attention, thoughts, or questions to another source or person; to mention, cite, or allude to something as evidence or support

*synonym* :

cite, allude, mention

(1) **refer** to a book, (2) **refer** to a map

Please **refer** to the instruction manual for further assistance.

## 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.

## automatically

*adv.* without needing a direct human control

*synonym*: mechanically, unconsciously, spontaneously

(1) record driving **automatically**, (2) **automatically** adjusted

Our subscription plan is **automatically** renewed.

## grant

*v.* to agree to give or allow somebody

*synonym*: allocate, authorize, give

(1) **grant** a new license, (2) **grant** a land

The chairperson **granted** him the right to speak.

## affiliate

*v.* to officially connect or associate with a larger, more established organization; to work or act as a subsidiary of a larger organization; (noun) a person, organization, or entity that is associated with, connected to, or officially attached to another organization or entity

*synonym*: link, associate, connect

(1) **affiliate** with a prestigious research institution,

(2) **affiliate** company

I plan to **affiliate** with a professional organization to network with others in my field.

## license

*n.* an official permission or authorization to do, use, or own something; a legal document that grants the holder the right to perform certain activities, such as driving a car, practicing a profession, or using a particular product or service



*synonym* : permit, authorization, certificate

(1) **license** renewal, (2) software **license**

Before driving, ensure you have a valid driver's **license**.

## irrevocable

*adj.* not able to be changed, reversed, or undone; final and permanent

*synonym* : irrevokable, irreversible, permanent

(1) **irrevocable** decision, (2) **irrevocable** letter of credit

Some actions can have irreparable and **irrevocable** consequences.

## perpetual

*adj.* continuing for an extended period in the same way without stopping or being interrupted

*synonym* : enduring, unchanging, incessant

(1) **perpetual** motion machine, (2) **perpetual** struggle

The company employs a **perpetual** inventory system.

## exclusive

*adj.* not divided or shared with others

*synonym* : sole, deluxe, limited

(1) **exclusive** authority, (2) **exclusive** clubs

The condo offers **exclusive** access to the beach.

## transfer

*v.* to move, pass, or change from one person, place, or situation to another

*synonym* : move, relocate, shift

(1) **transfer** a file, (2) **transfer** power

She **transferred** the money from her savings account to her checking account.

## sublicense

*v.* to grant a license for the use of one's property, rights, or technology to another party, who can then grant subsequent licenses to others

*synonym* : sublet, grant, authorize

(1) **sublicense** patent, (2) **sublicense** obligation

The company decided to **sublicense** its technology to another company for a fee.

## display

v. to exhibit or show something to others, often to attract attention or demonstrate its features, properties, or value

*synonym*: show, exhibit, present

(1) **display** merchandise, (2) **display** artwork

We need to **display** our products in an attractive way to attract customers.

## reproduce

v. to make a copy of something such as a picture, piece of text, music, etc.; to produce offspring through a sexual or asexual process

*synonym*: duplicate, breed, imitate

(1) **reproduce** the painting, (2) **reproduce** by myself

By dividing and creating copies of themselves, bacteria **reproduce**.

## adapt

v. to make fit for or change to suit a new purpose or environment

*synonym*: adjust, acclimate, accustom

(1) **adapt** fully to the environment, (2) **adapt** as needed

I advised him to **adapt** to his new surroundings.

## modify

v. to change something slightly, such as a plan, option, law, etc., especially to make it more suitable for a particular purpose

*synonym*: adjust, alter, revise

(1) genetically **modify** food, (2) **modify** my behavior

We use adverbs to **modify** verbs and adjectives.

## distribute

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

*synonym*: broadcast, disperse, hand out

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

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

## incorporate

v. to include something as a part of a larger entity

*synonym*: contain, integrate, amalgamate

(1) **incorporate** the current trends, (2) **incorporate** technology into daily life

We will attempt to **incorporate** some of your suggestions into our future strategy.

## forego

*v.* to precede or go before something in time or order; to give up, relinquish or do without something, usually by choice or obligation

*synonym* : antecede, precede, relinquish

(1) **forego** dessert, (2) **forego** the privilege

The company decided to **forego** the expensive advertising campaign and instead rely on word of mouth.

## hereafter

*adv.* from this point forward; in the future; beyond the present time or circumstance

*synonym* : henceforth, hereinafter, subsequently

(1) as **hereafter** defined, (2) mentioned **hereafter**

The author's works will be remembered **hereafter** as some of the most influential of the 21st century

## 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.

## sassy

*adj.* rude and showing a lack of respect; energetic, bold, and full of spirit

*synonym* : impudent, audacious, rude

(1) a **sassy** child, (2) talk **sassy** to the teacher

My son has been getting **sassy** recently.

## commerce

*n.* the activity of buying and selling things, especially on a large scale

*synonym* : trade, transaction, dealings

(1) interstate **commerce**, (2) the local chamber of **commerce**

This company has invested heavily in Internet **commerce**.

## browse

*v.* to shop around in a leisurely and casual way; to look through a book, magazine, Internet, etc., casually and randomly, without seeking anything in particular; (of an animal) to feed on plants

*synonym* : look around, look through, scan

(1) **browse** a website, (2) **browse** through the text

We **browsed** in a souvenir shop.

## algorithm

*n.* a set of rules or rigorous instructions typically used to solve a specific problem or to perform a computation

*synonym* : logic, method, rule

(1) the RSA **algorithm**, (2) **algorithm** for image processing

We can evaluate the performance of an **algorithm** in terms of computation time.

## mortgage

*n.* a loan secured by the collateral of a specific property, such as a house, that is repaid over a set period of time with interest; the legal agreement governing this loan

*synonym* : home loan, loan, lien

(1) **mortgage** payment, (2) fixed-rate **mortgage**

They were able to purchase their dream home with a **mortgage** from the bank.

## subconscious

*adj.* relating to or concerning the part of the mind that is not fully conscious but still influences thoughts, feelings, and behavior

*synonym* : unconscious, latent, hidden

(1) **subconscious** influence, (2) **subconscious** behavior

The **subconscious** mind is said to hold our deepest desires and fears.

## manipulate

v. to influence or control something or someone to your advantage, often in an unfair or dishonest way

*synonym*: control, exploit, abuse

(1) **manipulate** figures, (2) vulnerable to **manipulate**

Please tell me how to **manipulate** this computer.

## analyze

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

*synonym*: explore, examine, investigate

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

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

## emotion

n. a strong feeling such as love, anger, etc. deriving from one's situation, mood, or relationships with others

*synonym*: feeling, sentiment, passion

(1) control my **emotion**, (2) afraid to show **emotion**

Some **emotions** are common across cultures and backgrounds.

## vulnerable

adj. capable of being hurt or influenced physically or mentally

*synonym*: susceptible, exposed, weak

(1) a **vulnerable** bridge, (2) **vulnerable** parts of the body

Infants and pregnant women are particularly **vulnerable**.

## discriminate

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

*synonym*: show prejudice, segregate, differentiate

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

(2) **discriminate** between different things

You should not **discriminate** against minorities.

## insure

v. to provide coverage in the event of loss or damage  
*synonym*: protect, guard, safeguard

(1) **insure** my house against fire, (2) **insure** domestic tranquility

I will **insure** my car before I go on a road trip.

## coverage

n. the reporting or news of an important event, sports, subject, etc.; the amount, range, area, or quality of something that something provides

*synonym*: reportage, scope, range

(1) full- **coverage** insurance, (2) contractual **coverage**

The scandal received widespread media **coverage**.

## malign

v. to speak or write about someone or something in a harmful or critical way; (adjective) evil or harmful in nature or influence

*synonym*: defame, vilify, (adjective) evil

(1) **malign** influence, (2) **malign** the politician in the media

The article **maligned** the company's reputation with false accusations.

## policy

n. a set of rules, guidelines, principles, or procedures that govern decision-making or action, often used in the context of business or government; a course of action or plan of action adopted or followed by an organization or individual to achieve a goal or objective

*synonym*: strategy, plan, guideline

(1) health **policy**, (2) foreign **policy**

The company's new **policy** on remote work has made it a more inclusive workplace.

## complaint

n. a statement that expresses dissatisfaction or annoyance about something

*synonym*: grievance, objection, accusation

(1) **complaint** department, (2) **complaint** about price-gouging

She filed a **complaint** with the manager about the poor

service.

## haunt

v. to frequent or visit repeatedly, often in a way that is disturbing or unsettling; to occupy or fill the mind, often in a way that is unpleasant or persistent

*synonym*: stalk, spook, obsess

(1) **haunt** memories, (2) **haunt** my conscience

The crowd's boos and jeers continued to **haunt** the performer long after the show ended.

## monitor

v. to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time

*synonym*: proctor, check, observe

(1) **monitor** an exam, (2) **monitor** the data carefully

They used a special receiver to **monitor** police radio channels.

## random

adj. made, done, or happening without method, conscious decision, or any regular pattern

*synonym*: incidental, arbitrary, unanticipated

(1) a **random** choice, (2) bombs fell at **random**

To find drunk drivers, police conduct **random** tests.

## prioritize

v. to assign a higher level of importance to something compared to other things

*synonym*: rank, order, arrange

(1) **prioritize** tasks, (2) **prioritize** people over cars

The organization **prioritized** the needs of the community in its decision-making.

## loyalty

n. the quality of being devoted or faithful to someone or something

*synonym*: faithfulness, devotion, allegiance

(1) **loyalty** program, (2) earn his **loyalty**

He has always shown great **loyalty** to his friends and family.

## government

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

*synonym*: administration, regime, state

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

The federal **government** is planning to increase taxes for the next fiscal year.

## enforcement

*n.* the act of ensuring that rules, regulations, or laws are obeyed or implemented; the act of applying force or pressure to compel compliance with rules or laws

*synonym*: implementation, application, execution

(1) **enforcement** action, (2) **enforcement** officer

The **enforcement** of the new traffic laws led to a decrease in accidents.

## up-to-date

*adj.* reflecting or incorporating the latest information, methods, or ideas; current; modern

*synonym*: modern, current, contemporary

(1) **up-to-date** technology, (2) **up-to-date** information

My computer software is **up-to-date** with the latest version.



## Session 2: Spelling

1. antibiotic-resistant g\_\_m  
*n.* a very tiny living that causes the disease; a piece of something such as an organism, concept, etc., capable of growing into a new one or part of one
2. vul\_\_\_\_\_le parts of the body  
*adj.* capable of being hurt or influenced physically or mentally
3. ind\_\_\_\_\_us worker  
*adj.* hardworking, diligent, and persistent in effort
4. re\_\_\_\_\_ce by myself  
*v.* to make a copy of something such as a picture, piece of text, music, etc.; to produce offspring through a sexual or asexual process
5. sma\_\_\_\_\_ne addict  
*n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet
6. co\_\_\_\_\_e augmented reality  
*v.* to join or merge to form a single thing or group
7. talk sa\_\_y to the teacher  
*adj.* rude and showing a lack of respect; energetic, bold, and full of spirit
8. ind\_\_\_\_\_us student  
*adj.* hardworking, diligent, and persistent in effort
9. the int\_\_\_\_\_on between man and his environment  
*n.* the act of connecting with someone, mainly when working, playing, or spending time with them
10. former co\_\_\_\_\_ue  
*n.* one of a group of a coworker, especially in a profession or a business
11. inv\_\_\_\_\_te a data leak  
*v.* to conduct a systematic or formal inquiry to identify and evaluate the facts of a crime, problem, statement, etc. to establish the truth

ANSWERS: 1. germ, 2. vulnerable, 3. industrious, 4. reproduce, 5. smartphone, 6. combine, 7. sassy, 8. industrious, 9. interaction, 10. colleague, 11. investigate

12. h\_\_k through the jungle      *v.* to hit and cut somebody or something roughly and violently; to find a bug in a computer program and break into their systems or networks
13. joint rec\_\_\_\_\_on      *n.* the action or process of recognizing or being recognized, especially by remembering; an agreement that something is true or legal
14. mentioned he\_\_\_\_\_er      *adv.* from this point forward; in the future; beyond the present time or circumstance
15. give silent co\_\_\_\_\_t      *n.* permission or agreement to do something, especially given by somebody in authority
16. cir\_\_\_\_\_nt rules      *v.* to go around, avoid, or bypass something, often to achieve an intended goal or objective; to outmaneuver or outsmart a person or obstacle
17. mo\_\_\_\_\_r the data carefully      *v.* to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time
18. un\_\_\_\_\_r a potential problem      *v.* to remove the cover from something; to discover something previously unseen or hidden
19. de\_\_\_e a question      *v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options
20. gr\_\_t a new license      *v.* to agree to give or allow somebody
21. inc\_\_\_\_\_te the current trends      *v.* to include something as a part of a larger entity

ANSWERS: 12. hack, 13. recognition, 14. hereafter, 15. consent, 16. circumvent, 17. monitor, 18. uncover, 19. decide, 20. grant, 21. incorporate

22. a scientific di\_\_\_\_\_ry      *n.* the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known
23. br\_\_\_e through the text      *v.* to shop around in a leisurely and casual way; to look through a book, magazine, Internet, etc., casually and randomly, without seeking anything in particular; (of an animal) to feed on plants
24. vulnerable to man\_\_\_\_\_te      *v.* to influence or control something or someone to your advantage, often in an unfair or dishonest way
25. p\_\_p stick      *n.* a piece of wood, metal, etc., placed beneath or against something to support it or keep it in position; a system, institution, or person that gives help or support to someone or something
26. re\_\_r to a book      *v.* to direct someone's attention, thoughts, or questions to another source or person; to mention, cite, or allude to something as evidence or support
27. up-\_\_\_\_\_te information      *adj.* reflecting or incorporating the latest information, methods, or ideas; current; modern
28. po\_\_\_r's studio      *n.* a person who makes pottery, objects that are made of clay and then fired in a kiln to make them hard and durable; (verb, also putter) to occupy oneself in a leisurely or casual way, often with no particular goal or aim in mind

ANSWERS: 22. discovery, 23. browse, 24. manipulate, 25. prop, 26. refer, 27. up-to-date, 28. potter

29. gov\_\_\_\_\_nt funding *n.* the group of people with authority to control a country or state
30. en\_\_\_\_\_s possibilities *adj.* having no end or conclusion; infinitely very large in size or amount
31. gr\_\_t a land *v.* to agree to give or allow somebody
32. li\_\_\_\_\_e renewal *n.* an official permission or authorization to do, use, or own something; a legal document that grants the holder the right to perform certain activities, such as driving a car, practicing a profession, or using a particular product or service
33. aut\_\_\_\_\_lly adjusted *adv.* without needing a direct human control
34. re\_\_\_\_\_te blood sugar levels *v.* to control something, especially by means of rules or laws
35. up-\_\_\_\_\_te technology *adj.* reflecting or incorporating the latest information, methods, or ideas; current; modern
36. dis\_\_\_\_\_ate between different things *v.* to treat a person or particular group of people worse or better than another, especially in an unfair way; to recognize or perceive the difference between people or things
37. ha\_\_y a suspect *v.* to persistently harass, badger, or bother someone or something; to persistently attack or pursue an opposing force or target
38. sma\_\_\_\_\_ne app developer *n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet

ANSWERS: 29. government, 30. endless, 31. grant, 32. license, 33. automatically, 34. regulate, 35. up-to-date, 36. discriminate, 37. harry, 38. smartphone

39. exp\_\_\_\_\_nt design *n.* the scientific test conducted to observe what happens and gain new knowledge
40. inc\_\_\_\_\_te technology into daily life *v.* to include something as a part of a larger entity
41. series of exp\_\_\_\_\_nts *n.* the scientific test conducted to observe what happens and gain new knowledge
42. t\_y box *n.* a thing, typically a small model or replica of something that is played with, especially by children
43. a dry ba\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* a device that is placed inside a car, gadget, equipment, etc. and that provides electrical power to them
44. a pro\_\_\_\_\_ic situation *adj.* full of difficulties; difficult to deal with or solve
45. tr\_\_\_\_\_it the disease *v.* to send or forward an electronic signal; to pass something from one person or thing to another
46. sub\_\_\_\_\_ous influence *adj.* relating to or concerning the part of the mind that is not fully conscious but still influences thoughts, feelings, and behavior
47. software li\_\_\_\_\_e *n.* an official permission or authorization to do, use, or own something; a legal document that grants the holder the right to perform certain activities, such as driving a car, practicing a profession, or using a particular product or service
48. con\_\_\_\_\_nt location *adj.* useful, helpful, or quick to do

ANSWERS: 39. experiment, 40. incorporate, 41. experiment, 42. toy, 43. battery, 44. problematic, 45. transmit, 46. subconscious, 47. license, 48. convenient

49. af\_\_\_\_\_te with a prestigious research institution      *v.* to officially connect or associate with a larger, more established organization; to work or act as a subsidiary of a larger organization; (noun) a person, organization, or entity that is associated with, connected to, or officially attached to another organization or entity
50. ad\_\_t as needed      *v.* to make fit for or change to suit a new purpose or environment
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
52. a m\_\_s of molten rock      *n.* a large amount of a substance with no definite shape or form; a large number of people or things grouped or crowded together
53. symptoms of hormonal im\_\_\_\_\_ce      *n.* a situation in which two or more things are not equal or equally treated
54. sn\_\_p for information      *v.* to investigate or pry into something in a stealthy or nosy manner; to snoop through someone else's possessions or property
55. res\_\_\_\_\_le action      *adj.* answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management
56. pe\_\_\_\_\_ul coexistence      *adj.* not involving violence, conflict, or war
57. provide th\_\_\_\_\_gh analysis      *adj.* done completely; significantly careful and accurate

ANSWERS: 49. affiliate, 50. adapt, 51. achieve, 52. mass, 53. imbalance, 54. snoop, 55. responsible, 56. peaceful, 57. thorough

58. b\_n gender-related job discrimination v. to officially or legally forbid or refuse to allow something
59. mo\_\_\_\_\_r an exam v. to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time
60. mo\_\_\_\_\_ge payment n. a loan secured by the collateral of a specific property, such as a house, that is repaid over a set period of time with interest; the legal agreement governing this loan
61. ill\_\_\_\_\_te a key point v. to provide pictures, photographs, diagrams, etc. in a book or something for explanation
62. man\_\_\_\_\_te figures v. to influence or control something or someone to your advantage, often in an unfair or dishonest way
63. the RSA al\_\_\_\_\_hm n. a set of rules or rigorous instructions typically used to solve a specific problem or to perform a computation
64. tak\_\_\_\_\_it policy adj. indicating that an offer or proposition is not negotiable and must be accepted or rejected entirely as is
65. in\_\_\_\_\_te relationship adj. having a very close friendship, personal
66. ex\_\_\_\_\_ve clubs adj. not divided or shared with others
67. ma\_\_\_n the politician in the media v. to speak or write about someone or something in a harmful or critical way; (adjective) evil or harmful in nature or influence

ANSWERS: 58. ban, 59. monitor, 60. mortgage, 61. illustrate, 62. manipulate, 63. algorithm, 64. take-it-or-leave-it, 65. intimate, 66. exclusive, 67. malign

68. pri\_\_\_\_\_ze people over cars      *v.* to assign a higher level of importance to something compared to other things
69. ar\_\_e a case      *v.* to express differing opinions or points of view, often in a heated or contentious manner; to present a case or reasoning to persuade or convince others
70. a co\_\_\_\_\_nt temperature      *adj.* happening repeatedly or all the time
71. b\_n any type of cloning      *v.* to officially or legally forbid or refuse to allow something
72. int\_\_\_\_\_on among human beings      *n.* the act of connecting with someone, mainly when working, playing, or spending time with them
73. int\_\_\_\_\_ory biology text      *adj.* intended as an introduction or preliminary; serving as a base or starting point
74. af\_\_\_\_\_te company      *v.* to officially connect or associate with a larger, more established organization; to work or act as a subsidiary of a larger organization; (noun) a person, organization, or entity that is associated with, connected to, or officially attached to another organization or entity
75. ma\_\_\_\_n influence      *v.* to speak or write about someone or something in a harmful or critical way; (adjective) evil or harmful in nature or influence
76. po\_\_\_\_r around in the garden      *n.* a person who makes pottery, objects that are made of clay and then fired in a kiln to make them hard and durable; (verb, also putter) to occupy oneself in a leisurely or casual way, often with no particular goal or aim in mind

ANSWERS: 68. prioritize, 69. argue, 70. constant, 71. ban, 72. interaction, 73. introductory, 74. affiliate, 75. malign, 76. potter



77. en\_\_\_\_e the law *v.* to make sure that people obey a particular law, rule, or situation
78. plastic d\_\_l *n.* a child's toy that typically represents a human figure, especially a young girl; an attractive woman; a woman who is subservient or passive
79. collaborate with co\_\_\_\_ues *n.* one of a group of a coworker, especially in a profession or a business
80. security br\_\_\_\_h *n.* a break or opening, often in a wall or barrier, which enables passage or entry; a violation or infraction of a law, agreement, or duty, often resulting in legal action or punishment
81. pr\_\_\_\_y abuse *n.* someone's right to keep their personal matters and relationships not watched or interrupted by other people
82. irr\_\_\_\_le letter of credit *adj.* not able to be changed, reversed, or undone; final and permanent
83. al\_\_\_\_hm for image processing *n.* a set of rules or rigorous instructions typically used to solve a specific problem or to perform a computation
84. sn\_\_p around the house *v.* to investigate or pry into something in a stealthy or nosy manner; to snoop through someone else's possessions or property
85. s\_y cameras *n.* a person who is employed or trained to observe or gather information in secret, often for military or political purposes; a person who secretly or illegally gathers information about a private individual or organization

ANSWERS: 77. enforce, 78. doll, 79. colleague, 80. breach, 81. privacy, 82. irrevocable, 83. algorithm, 84. snoop, 85. spy

86. reap a ha\_\_\_\_t *n.* yields of plants in a single growing season; the period of the year when gathering occurs on a farm
87. co\_\_\_\_\_nt department *n.* a statement that expresses dissatisfaction or annoyance about something
88. carry a bu\_\_\_\_n *n.* a duty, responsibility, etc. that is oppressive or worrisome; a load, typically a heavy one that is difficult to carry
89. sub\_\_\_\_\_ous behavior *adj.* relating to or concerning the part of the mind that is not fully conscious but still influences thoughts, feelings, and behavior
90. interstate co\_\_\_\_\_ce *n.* the activity of buying and selling things, especially on a large scale
91. ro\_\_n eggs *n.* a small bird from the thrush family, typically having a red breast and found across Europe, Asia, and North America
92. ha\_\_t memories *v.* to frequent or visit repeatedly, often in a way that is disturbing or unsettling; to occupy or fill the mind, often in a way that is unpleasant or persistent
93. bombs fell at ra\_\_\_\_m *adj.* made, done, or happening without method, conscious decision, or any regular pattern
94. trade im\_\_\_\_\_ce *n.* a situation in which two or more things are not equal or equally treated

ANSWERS: 86. harvest, 87. complaint, 88. burden, 89. subconscious, 90. commerce, 91. robin, 92. haunt, 93. random, 94. imbalance

95. ex\_\_\_e a person to risks *v.* to show something by uncovering it; to make something accessible to some action or influence
96. cir\_\_\_\_\_nt authority *v.* to go around, avoid, or bypass something, often to achieve an intended goal or objective; to outmaneuver or outsmart a person or obstacle
97. health po\_\_\_y *n.* a set of rules, guidelines, principles, or procedures that govern decision-making or action, often used in the context of business or government; a course of action or plan of action adopted or followed by an organization or individual to achieve a goal or objective
98. 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
99. eq\_\_\_p an army *v.* to provide a person or a place with the things that are needed for a particular purpose or activity
100. smokeless f\_\_\_l *n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
101. the l\_\_\_l before the storm *n.* a period of calm or quiet; a temporary cessation of activity, noise, or music; a soothing sound or movement that induces sleep or relaxation
102. an al\_\_\_m clock *n.* a loud noise or an automatic signal that warns people of danger; a device that signals the occurrence of some undesirable event or particular danger

ANSWERS: 95. expose, 96. circumvent, 97. policy, 98. purity, 99. equip, 100. fuel, 101. lull, 102. alarm

103. co\_\_\_\_\_t for surgery *n.* permission or agreement to do something, especially given by somebody in authority
104. in\_\_\_\_\_e my house against fire *v.* to provide coverage in the event of loss or damage
105. va\_\_\_\_\_m cleaner *n.* a space empty of matter; a device or tool used for cleaning or removing debris by creating suction
106. br\_\_\_\_\_h of privacy *n.* a break or opening, often in a wall or barrier, which enables passage or entry; a violation or infraction of a law, agreement, or duty, often resulting in legal action or punishment
107. killer a\_p *n.* (abbreviation for application) software designed to run on smartphones and other mobile devices or inside a web browser on a PC
108. give the al\_\_\_\_m *n.* a loud noise or an automatic signal that warns people of danger; a device that signals the occurrence of some undesirable event or particular danger
109. co\_\_\_\_\_nt a global warming *v.* to face, meet or deal with a problem or difficult situation or person
110. run a ma\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a long-distance race of 42.195 kilometers
111. ro\_\_\_\_n's nest *n.* a small bird from the thrush family, typically having a red breast and found across Europe, Asia, and North America

ANSWERS: 103. consent, 104. insure, 105. vacuum, 106. breach, 107. app, 108. alarm, 109. confront, 110. marathon, 111. robin

112. re\_\_\_\_\_ce the painting      *v.* to make a copy of something such as a picture, piece of text, music, etc.; to produce offspring through a sexual or asexual process
113. product int\_\_\_\_\_ory sale      *adj.* intended as an introduction or preliminary; serving as a base or starting point
114. gov\_\_\_\_\_nt bureaucracy      *n.* the group of people with authority to control a country or state
115. di\_\_\_\_\_y artwork      *v.* to exhibit or show something to others, often to attract attention or demonstrate its features, properties, or value
116. en\_\_\_\_\_e a contract      *v.* to make sure that people obey a particular law, rule, or situation
117. contractual co\_\_\_\_\_ge      *n.* the reporting or news of an important event, sports, subject, etc.; the amount, range, area, or quality of something that something provides
118. pa\_\_\_\_\_rd reset      *n.* a secret word or phrase that must be used to gain admission to a place or service
119. pri\_\_\_\_\_ze tasks      *v.* to assign a higher level of importance to something compared to other things
120. social di\_\_\_\_\_ce      *n.* the amount of space between two points, measured in units such as miles, meters, or kilometers; the extent, scope, or range between two things, such as distance or emotional distance
121. re\_\_r to a map      *v.* to direct someone's attention, thoughts, or questions to another source or person; to mention, cite, or allude to something as evidence or support

ANSWERS: 112. reproduce, 113. introductory, 114. government, 115. display, 116. enforce, 117. coverage, 118. password, 119. prioritize, 120. distance, 121. refer

122. de\_\_\_e on a course of action      *v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options
123. my in\_\_\_\_\_te affairs      *adj.* having a very close friendship, personal
124. a tak\_\_\_\_\_it attitude      *adj.* indicating that an offer or proposition is not negotiable and must be accepted or rejected entirely as is
125. a vul\_\_\_\_\_le bridge      *adj.* capable of being hurt or influenced physically or mentally
126. do\_\_\_\_\_ad the assignment from the website      *v.* to transfer data or files from the Internet or computer network to a user's computer or device; (noun) the process of transferring data or information from a remote or central computer to a local computer or device
127. co\_\_\_\_\_nt about price-gouging      *n.* a statement that expresses dissatisfaction or annoyance about something
128. un\_\_\_\_\_r the truth      *v.* to remove the cover from something; to discover something previously unseen or hidden
129. a g\_\_m-free environment      *n.* a very tiny living that causes the disease; a piece of something such as an organism, concept, etc., capable of growing into a new one or part of one
130. irr\_\_\_\_\_le decision      *adj.* not able to be changed, reversed, or undone; final and permanent
131. an endless st\_\_\_m of cars      *n.* a small, narrow river; a continuous flow of something, such as liquid, gas, people, vehicles, etc.

ANSWERS: 122. decide, 123. intimate, 124. take-it-or-leave-it, 125. vulnerable, 126. download, 127. complaint, 128. uncover, 129. germ, 130. irrevocable, 131. stream

132. an\_\_\_\_\_e your real motives *v.* to think about in-depth and evaluate to discover essential features or meaning
133. be my go\_\_\_\_\_er at my christening *n.* a male godparent who witnesses a child's baptism and accepts a spiritual responsibility for their upbringing; a trusted mentor or advisor who has significant influence and offers support and guidance in personal or professional matters
134. l\_\_l in the battle *n.* a period of calm or quiet; a temporary cessation of activity, noise, or music; a soothing sound or movement that induces sleep or relaxation
135. pe\_\_\_\_\_al motion machine *adj.* continuing for an extended period in the same way without stopping or being interrupted
136. rec\_\_\_\_\_on award *n.* the action or process of recognizing or being recognized, especially by remembering; an agreement that something is true or legal
137. pe\_\_\_\_\_ul country *adj.* not involving violence, conflict, or war
138. enf\_\_\_\_\_nt action *n.* the act of ensuring that rules, regulations, or laws are obeyed or implemented; the act of applying force or pressure to compel compliance with rules or laws
139. an\_\_\_\_\_e a chemical compound *v.* to think about in-depth and evaluate to discover essential features or meaning
140. digital s\_y tools *n.* a person who is employed or trained to observe or gather information in secret, often for military or political purposes; a person who secretly or illegally gathers information about a private individual or organization

ANSWERS: 132. analyze, 133. godfather, 134. lull, 135. perpetual, 136. recognition, 137. peaceful, 138. enforcement, 139. analyze, 140. spy

141. do\_\_\_\_\_ad files from the Internet      *v.* to transfer data or files from the Internet or computer network to a user's computer or device; (noun) the process of transferring data or information from a remote or central computer to a local computer or device
142. emotional p\_\_p      *n.* a piece of wood, metal, etc., placed beneath or against something to support it or keep it in position; a system, institution, or person that gives help or support to someone or something
143. dis\_\_\_\_\_te wealth evenly      *v.* to give something to a large number of individuals, or to spread or furnish something
144. ill\_\_\_\_\_te a story      *v.* to provide pictures, photographs, diagrams, etc. in a book or something for explanation
145. ad\_\_t fully to the environment      *v.* to make fit for or change to suit a new purpose or environment
146. sub\_\_\_\_\_se patent      *v.* to grant a license for the use of one's property, rights, or technology to another party, who can then grant subsequent licenses to others
147. in\_\_\_e domestic tranquility      *v.* to provide coverage in the event of loss or damage
148. thousands of in\_\_\_\_\_nt people      *adj.* not guilty of a crime, offense, etc.; not having an evil mind or knowledge
149. cannot log in to the a\_p      *n.* (abbreviation for application) software designed to run on smartphones and other mobile devices or inside a web browser on a PC

ANSWERS: 141. download, 142. prop, 143. distribute, 144. illustrate, 145. adapt, 146. sublicense, 147. insure, 148. innocent, 149. app



150. 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
151. genetically mo\_\_\_y food      *v.* to change something slightly, such as a plan, option, law, etc., especially to make it more suitable for a particular purpose
152. cr\_\_\_y atmosphere      *adj.* causing an uneasy feeling of fear or unease
153. dis\_\_\_\_\_ate against women employees      *v.* to treat a person or particular group of people worse or better than another, especially in an unfair way; to recognize or perceive the difference between people or things
154. tr\_\_\_\_\_er power      *v.* to move, pass, or change from one person, place, or situation to another
155. the local chamber of co\_\_\_\_\_ce      *n.* the activity of buying and selling things, especially on a large scale
156. ex\_\_\_\_\_ve authority      *adj.* not divided or shared with others
157. not up to p\_r      *n.* a state of being equal to someone or something
158. gastronomic ad\_\_\_\_\_res      *n.* a journey or a series of events that is unusual, exciting, or dangerous
159. drinking co\_\_\_\_\_ons      *n.* a person or an animal with whom you spend a lot of time, or you travel
160. im\_\_\_\_\_ry number      *adj.* existing only in someone's mind

ANSWERS: 150. relate, 151. modify, 152. creepy, 153. discriminate, 154. transfer, 155. commerce, 156. exclusive, 157. par, 158. adventure, 159. companion, 160. imaginary

161. become a lo\_\_l customer *adj.* giving or remaining firm and constant support to a person, institution, product, etc.;
162. ha\_\_t my conscience *v.* to frequent or visit repeatedly, often in a way that is disturbing or unsettling; to occupy or fill the mind, often in a way that is unpleasant or persistent
163. ad\_\_\_\_\_se the campaign *v.* to draw attention to something such as a product, service, or event in public to encourage people to buy, use, or attend it
164. ha\_\_y the ship all night *v.* to persistently harass, badger, or bother someone or something; to persistently attack or pursue an opposing force or target
165. watch a ma\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a long-distance race of 42.195 kilometers
166. an in\_\_\_\_\_nt child *adj.* not guilty of a crime, offense, etc.; not having an evil mind or knowledge
167. a co\_\_\_\_\_nt wind *adj.* happening repeatedly or all the time
168. afraid to show em\_\_\_\_\_n *n.* a strong feeling such as love, anger, etc. deriving from one's situation, mood, or relationships with others
169. as he\_\_\_\_\_er defined *adv.* from this point forward; in the future; beyond the present time or circumstance
170. co\_\_\_\_\_e a large of alcohol *v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
171. full-co\_\_\_\_\_ge insurance *n.* the reporting or news of an important event, sports, subject, etc.; the amount, range, area, or quality of something that something provides

ANSWERS: 161. loyal, 162. haunt, 163. advertise, 164. harry, 165. marathon, 166. innocent, 167. constant, 168. emotion, 169. hereafter, 170. consume, 171. coverage

172. co\_\_\_\_\_e electricity      *v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
173. a ra\_\_\_\_m choice      *adj.* made, done, or happening without method, conscious decision, or any regular pattern
174. sub\_\_\_\_\_se obligation      *v.* to grant a license for the use of one's property, rights, or technology to another party, who can then grant subsequent licenses to others
175. a lo\_\_l friend      *adj.* giving or remaining firm and constant support to a person, institution, product, etc.;
176. biomass f\_\_l      *n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
177. eq\_\_p our children with some special skills      *v.* to provide a person or a place with the things that are needed for a particular purpose or activity
178. fo\_\_\_\_o dessert      *v.* to precede or go before something in time or order; to give up, relinquish or do without something, usually by choice or obligation
179. im\_\_\_\_\_ry pregnancy      *adj.* existing only in someone's mind
180. pe\_\_\_\_\_al struggle      *adj.* continuing for an extended period in the same way without stopping or being interrupted
181. a re\_\_\_\_\_ic goal      *adj.* having or showing a sensible and practical idea that is possible to achieve
182. con\_\_\_\_\_nt way      *adj.* useful, helpful, or quick to do

ANSWERS: 172. consume, 173. random, 174. sublicense, 175. loyal, 176. fuel, 177. equip, 178. forego, 179. imaginary, 180. perpetual, 181. realistic, 182. convenient

183. foreign po\_\_\_y      *n.* a set of rules, guidelines, principles, or procedures that govern decision-making or action, often used in the context of business or government; a course of action or plan of action adopted or followed by an organization or individual to achieve a goal or objective
184. electronic de\_\_\_e      *n.* a piece of equipment, tool, or technology that serves a particular purpose or function, often mechanical or electronic
185. the st\_\_\_m of time      *n.* a small, narrow river; a continuous flow of something, such as liquid, gas, people, vehicles, etc.
186. the great di\_\_\_\_\_ry of the century      *n.* the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known
187. seems to be highly pro\_\_\_\_\_ic      *adj.* full of difficulties; difficult to deal with or solve
188. t\_\_k of the clock      *n.* a light, sharp, repetitive sound or action; a mark indicating that something is correct or has been done; any of two families of small parasitic arachnids with barbed proboscis
189. rag d\_\_l      *n.* a child's toy that typically represents a human figure, especially a young girl; an attractive woman; a woman who is subservient or passive
190. a working co\_\_\_\_\_on      *n.* a person or an animal with whom you spend a lot of time, or you travel

ANSWERS: 183. policy, 184. device, 185. stream, 186. discovery, 187. problematic, 188. tick, 189. doll, 190. companion

191. 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
192. t\_y store *n.* a thing, typically a small model or replica of something that is played with, especially by children
193. the f\_\_w in the legislation *n.* a fault, mistake, or weakness that causes something not to be perfect
194. intellectual f\_\_t *n.* a notable or impressive achievement, especially one that requires great skill or bravery
195. co\_\_\_\_\_e chemically with another substance *v.* to join or merge to form a single thing or group
196. di\_\_\_\_\_y merchandise *v.* to exhibit or show something to others, often to attract attention or demonstrate its features, properties, or value
197. a com\_\_\_\_\_ed process *adj.* involving a lot of different things or parts in a way that is difficult to understand or analyze
198. enf\_\_\_\_\_nt officer *n.* the act of ensuring that rules, regulations, or laws are obeyed or implemented; the act of applying force or pressure to compel compliance with rules or laws
199. a minor f\_\_w *n.* a fault, mistake, or weakness that causes something not to be perfect
200. va\_\_\_m packing *n.* a space empty of matter; a device or tool used for cleaning or removing debris by creating suction

ANSWERS: 191. purity, 192. toy, 193. flaw, 194. feat, 195. combine, 196. display, 197. complicated, 198. enforcement, 199. flaw, 200. vacuum

201. dis\_\_\_\_\_te video content      *v.* to give something to a large number of individuals, or to spread or furnish something
202. f\_\_t accomplishment      *n.* a notable or impressive achievement, especially one that requires great skill or bravery
203. bu\_\_\_n of disease      *n.* a duty, responsibility, etc. that is oppressive or worrisome; a load, typically a heavy one that is difficult to carry
204. ar\_\_e passionately      *v.* to express differing opinions or points of view, often in a heated or contentious manner; to present a case or reasoning to persuade or convince others
205. ba\_\_\_\_\_y charging      *n.* a device that is placed inside a car, gadget, equipment, etc. and that provides electrical power to them
206. 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
207. inv\_\_\_\_\_te the matter      *v.* to conduct a systematic or formal inquiry to identify and evaluate the facts of a crime, problem, statement, etc. to establish the truth
208. tr\_\_\_\_\_er a file      *v.* to move, pass, or change from one person, place, or situation to another
209. fo\_\_\_o the privilege      *v.* to precede or go before something in time or order; to give up, relinquish or do without something, usually by choice or obligation

ANSWERS: 201. distribute, 202. feat, 203. burden, 204. argue, 205. battery, 206. relate, 207. investigate, 208. transfer, 209. forego

210. re\_\_\_\_\_te our conduct  
*v.* to control something, especially by means of rules or laws
211. a sa\_\_y child  
*adj.* rude and showing a lack of respect; energetic, bold, and full of spirit
212. en\_\_\_\_\_s hours  
*adj.* having no end or conclusion; infinitely very large in size or amount
213. ad\_\_\_\_\_re film  
*n.* a journey or a series of events that is unusual, exciting, or dangerous
214. 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
215. feel cr\_\_\_y  
*adj.* causing an uneasy feeling of fear or unease
216. th\_\_\_\_\_gh investigation  
*adj.* done completely; significantly careful and accurate
217. tr\_\_\_\_\_it information  
*v.* to send or forward an electronic signal; to pass something from one person or thing to another
218. ad\_\_\_\_\_se on social media  
*v.* to draw attention to something such as a product, service, or event in public to encourage people to buy, use, or attend it
219. driving di\_\_\_\_\_ce  
*n.* the amount of space between two points, measured in units such as miles, meters, or kilometers; the extent, scope, or range between two things, such as distance or emotional distance
220. control my em\_\_\_\_\_n  
*n.* a strong feeling such as love, anger, etc. deriving from one's situation, mood, or relationships with others

ANSWERS: 210. regulate, 211. sassy, 212. endless, 213. adventure, 214. achieve, 215. creepy, 216. thorough, 217. transmit, 218. advertise, 219. distance, 220. emotion

221. a scanty ha\_\_\_\_t                    *n.* yields of plants in a single growing season; the period of the year when gathering occurs on a farm
222. co\_\_\_\_nt the issue                *v.* to face, meet or deal with a problem or difficult situation or person
223. lo\_\_\_\_y program                   *n.* the quality of being devoted or faithful to someone or something
224. earn his lo\_\_\_\_y                   *n.* the quality of being devoted or faithful to someone or something
225. tracking de\_\_\_\_e                   *n.* a piece of equipment, tool, or technology that serves a particular purpose or function, often mechanical or electronic
226. above p\_r performance           *n.* a state of being equal to someone or something
227. trespass on a person's pr\_\_\_\_y   *n.* someone's right to keep their personal matters and relationships not watched or interrupted by other people
228. fixed-rate mo\_\_\_\_ge               *n.* a loan secured by the collateral of a specific property, such as a house, that is repaid over a set period of time with interest; the legal agreement governing this loan
229. t\_\_k fever                           *n.* a light, sharp, repetitive sound or action; a mark indicating that something is correct or has been done; any of two families of small parasitic arachnids with barbed proboscis
230. h\_\_k into the program             *v.* to hit and cut somebody or something roughly and violently; to find a bug in a computer program and break into their systems or networks

ANSWERS: 221. harvest, 222. confront, 223. loyalty, 224. loyalty, 225. device, 226. par, 227. privacy, 228. mortgage, 229. tick, 230. hack



231. br\_\_\_e a website      *v.* to shop around in a leisurely and casual way; to look through a book, magazine, Internet, etc., casually and randomly, without seeking anything in particular; (of an animal) to feed on plants
232. pa\_\_\_\_\_rd recovery      *n.* a secret word or phrase that must be used to gain admission to a place or service
233. mo\_\_\_y my behavior      *v.* to change something slightly, such as a plan, option, law, etc., especially to make it more suitable for a particular purpose
234. res\_\_\_\_\_le for a customer service      *adj.* answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management
235. critical m\_\_s      *n.* a large amount of a substance with no definite shape or form; a large number of people or things grouped or crowded together
236. ex\_\_\_e a crime      *v.* to show something by uncovering it; to make something accessible to some action or influence
237. become increasingly com\_\_\_\_\_ed      *adj.* involving a lot of different things or parts in a way that is difficult to understand or analyze
238. record driving aut\_\_\_\_\_lly      *adv.* without needing a direct human control
239. political go\_\_\_\_\_er      *n.* a male godparent who witnesses a child's baptism and accepts a spiritual responsibility for their upbringing; a trusted mentor or advisor who has significant influence and offers support and guidance in personal or professional matters

ANSWERS: 231. browse, 232. password, 233. modify, 234. responsible, 235. mass, 236. expose, 237. complicated, 238. automatically, 239. godfather

ANSWERS:

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. 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
2. She \_\_\_\_\_ the money from her savings account to her checking account.  
*v.* to move, pass, or change from one person, place, or situation to another
3. Please \_\_\_\_\_ to the instruction manual for further assistance.  
*v.* to direct someone's attention, thoughts, or questions to another source or person; to mention, cite, or allude to something as evidence or support
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ of his idea came from watching birds flying in flocks.  
*n.* a very tiny living that causes the disease; a piece of something such as an organism, concept, etc., capable of growing into a new one or part of one
5. My son has been getting \_\_\_\_\_ recently.  
*adj.* rude and showing a lack of respect; energetic, bold, and full of spirit
6. The old, abandoned house was \_\_\_\_\_ and gave me the chills.  
*adj.* causing an uneasy feeling of fear or unease
7. The company employs a \_\_\_\_\_ inventory system.  
*adj.* continuing for an extended period in the same way without stopping or being interrupted
8. Please tell me how to \_\_\_\_\_ this computer.  
*v.* to influence or control something or someone to your advantage, often in an unfair or dishonest way

ANSWERS: 1. interaction, 2. transferred, 3. refer, 4. germ, 5. sassy, 6. creepy, 7. perpetual, 8. manipulate

9. He gave his daughter a new \_\_\_\_ for her birthday.
- n.* a thing, typically a small model or replica of something that is played with, especially by children
10. I decided to seek counseling on the advice of my \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* one of a group of a coworker, especially in a profession or a business
11. He was given \_\_\_\_\_ for his outstanding work in the field of medicine.
- n.* the action or process of recognizing or being recognized, especially by remembering; an agreement that something is true or legal
12. The antique \_\_\_\_ was worth thousands of dollars.
- n.* a child's toy that typically represents a human figure, especially a young girl; an attractive woman; a woman who is subservient or passive
13. The nosy neighbor liked to \_\_\_\_ around and eavesdrop on other people's conversations.
- v.* to investigate or pry into something in a stealthy or nosy manner; to snoop through someone else's possessions or property
14. I plan to \_\_\_\_\_ with a professional organization to network with others in my field.
- v.* to officially connect or associate with a larger, more established organization; to work or act as a subsidiary of a larger organization; (noun) a person, organization, or entity that is associated with, connected to, or officially attached to another organization or entity
15. The government recruited a \_\_\_\_ to gather information on a suspected terrorist cell
- n.* a person who is employed or trained to observe or gather information in secret, often for military or political purposes; a person who secretly or illegally gathers information about a private individual or organization

ANSWERS: 9. toy, 10. colleague, 11. recognition, 12. doll, 13. snoop, 14. affiliate, 15. spy

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

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

17. The engine did not start because the \_\_\_\_\_ was flat.

*n.* a device that is placed inside a car, gadget, equipment, etc. and that provides electrical power to them

18. The ancient Egyptians were skilled \_\_\_\_\_ and left behind many beautiful artifacts.

*n.* a person who makes pottery, objects that are made of clay and then fired in a kiln to make them hard and durable; (verb, also putter) to occupy oneself in a leisurely or casual way, often with no particular goal or aim in mind

19. My computer software is \_\_\_\_\_ with the latest version.

*adj.* reflecting or incorporating the latest information, methods, or ideas; current; modern

20. The company's new \_\_\_\_\_ on remote work has made it a more inclusive workplace.

*n.* a set of rules, guidelines, principles, or procedures that govern decision-making or action, often used in the context of business or government; a course of action or plan of action adopted or followed by an organization or individual to achieve a goal or objective

21. We need to \_\_\_\_\_ our products in an attractive way to attract customers.

*v.* to exhibit or show something to others, often to attract attention or demonstrate its features, properties, or value

22. During \_\_\_\_\_ farmers are incredibly busy.

*n.* yields of plants in a single growing season; the period of the year when gathering occurs on a farm

ANSWERS: 16. consume, 17. battery, 18. potters, 19. up-to-date, 20. policy, 21. display, 22. harvest,

23. You should not \_\_\_\_\_ against minorities.
- v.* to treat a person or particular group of people worse or better than another, especially in an unfair way; to recognize or perceive the difference between people or things
24. Please use the \_\_\_\_\_ to clean up the mess on the floor.
- n.* a space empty of matter; a device or tool used for cleaning or removing debris by creating suction
25. The \_\_\_\_\_ scarcity most severely impacted the manufacturing sector
- n.* a substance that is typically burned to generate heat or energy
26. This conduct would be an invasion of \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* someone's right to keep their personal matters and relationships not watched or interrupted by other people
27. We \_\_\_\_\_ in a souvenir shop.
- v.* to shop around in a leisurely and casual way; to look through a book, magazine, Internet, etc., casually and randomly, without seeking anything in particular; (of an animal) to feed on plants
28. That story was so \_\_\_\_\_ and it was scary.
- adj.* having or showing a sensible and practical idea that is possible to achieve
29. Little children tend to have \_\_\_\_\_ friends.
- adj.* existing only in someone's mind
30. That newspaper \_\_\_\_\_ a political scandal in a big way.
- v.* to show something by uncovering it; to make something accessible to some action or influence

ANSWERS: 23. discriminate, 24. vacuum, 25. fuel, 26. privacy, 27. browsed, 28. realistic, 29. imaginary, 30. exposed

31. The teacher attempted to \_\_\_\_\_ the root cause of our mistake.  
*v.* to think about in-depth and evaluate to discover essential features or meaning
32. We should \_\_\_\_ mildly violent video games from a child's development perspective.  
*v.* to officially or legally forbid or refuse to allow something
33. The chairperson \_\_\_\_\_ him the right to speak.  
*v.* to agree to give or allow somebody
34. \_\_\_\_\_ dropping wears away the stone.  
*adj.* happening repeatedly or all the time
35. They were able to purchase their dream home with a \_\_\_\_\_ from the bank.  
*n.* a loan secured by the collateral of a specific property, such as a house, that is repaid over a set period of time with interest; the legal agreement governing this loan
36. The waves crashing against the shore had a soothing \_\_\_\_\_ on the listeners.  
*n.* a period of calm or quiet; a temporary cessation of activity, noise, or music; a soothing sound or movement that induces sleep or relaxation
37. The company decided to \_\_\_\_\_ the expensive advertising campaign and instead rely on word of mouth.  
*v.* to precede or go before something in time or order; to give up, relinquish or do without something, usually by choice or obligation
38. He was known to be very \_\_\_\_\_ and would often work late into the night.  
*adj.* hardworking, diligent, and persistent in effort

ANSWERS: 31. analyze, 32. ban, 33. granted, 34. Constant, 35. mortgage, 36. lull, 37. forego, 38. industrious

39. The company's data \_\_\_\_\_ compromised thousands of customers' personal information.
- n.* a break or opening, often in a wall or barrier, which enables passage or entry; a violation or infraction of a law, agreement, or duty, often resulting in legal action or punishment
40. I'm giving you a \_\_\_\_\_ offer - this is the best I can do.
- adj.* indicating that an offer or proposition is not negotiable and must be accepted or rejected entirely as is
41. Even the slightest design \_\_\_\_\_ in an aircraft can lead to a fatal accident.
- n.* a fault, mistake, or weakness that causes something not to be perfect
42. He looked out the window at the \_\_\_\_\_ stream of people.
- adj.* having no end or conclusion; infinitely very large in size or amount
43. That car has a low environmental \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* a duty, responsibility, etc. that is oppressive or worrisome; a load, typically a heavy one that is difficult to carry
44. Direct democracy is effective in quickly resolving \_\_\_\_\_ situations within a community.
- adj.* full of difficulties; difficult to deal with or solve
45. The construction company \_\_\_\_\_ the building with an earthquake-resistant device.
- v.* to provide a person or a place with the things that are needed for a particular purpose or activity
46. He has always shown great \_\_\_\_\_ to his friends and family.
- n.* the quality of being devoted or faithful to someone or something

ANSWERS: 39. breach, 40. take-it-or-leave-it, 41. flaw, 42. endless, 43. burden, 44. problematic, 45. equipped, 46. loyalty



47. The scandal received widespread media \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the reporting or news of an important event, sports, subject, etc.; the amount, range, area, or quality of something that something provides
48. Governments make rules, and police \_\_\_\_\_ them.
- v.* to make sure that people obey a particular law, rule, or situation
49. She couldn't \_\_\_\_\_ whether to order the pizza or the pasta for dinner.
- v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options
50. Some actions can have irreparable and \_\_\_\_\_ consequences.
- adj.* not able to be changed, reversed, or undone; final and permanent
51. I always put a \_\_\_\_\_ mark next to the items on my grocery list after buying them.
- n.* a light, sharp, repetitive sound or action; a mark indicating that something is correct or has been done; any of two families of small parasitic arachnids with barbed proboscis
52. I need to \_\_\_\_\_ the latest update for my computer's operating system.
- v.* to transfer data or files from the Internet or computer network to a user's computer or device; (noun) the process of transferring data or information from a remote or central computer to a local computer or device
53. The \_\_\_\_\_ mind is said to hold our deepest desires and fears.
- adj.* relating to or concerning the part of the mind that is not fully conscious but still influences thoughts, feelings, and behavior
54. I advised him to \_\_\_\_\_ to his new surroundings.
- v.* to make fit for or change to suit a new purpose or environment

ANSWERS: 47. coverage, 48. enforce, 49. decide, 50. irrevocable, 51. tick, 52. download, 53. subconscious, 54. adapt

55. He finally decided to \_\_\_\_\_ problems directly.  
*v.* to face, meet or deal with a problem or difficult situation or person
56. The \_\_\_\_\_ announcing an enemy attack went off this morning.  
*n.* a loud noise or an automatic signal that warns people of danger; a device that signals the occurrence of some undesirable event or particular danger
57. An \_\_\_\_\_ in certain substances causes problems with brain function.  
*n.* a situation in which two or more things are not equal or equally treated
58. We must manage to \_\_\_\_\_ our expenditure.  
*v.* to control something, especially by means of rules or laws
59. Infants and pregnant women are particularly \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* capable of being hurt or influenced physically or mentally
60. Hydrogen and oxygen \_\_\_\_\_ to form water.  
*v.* to join or merge to form a single thing or group
61. Her research team made an important \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known
62. We will attempt to \_\_\_\_\_ some of your suggestions into our future strategy.  
*v.* to include something as a part of a larger entity
63. Parents often \_\_\_\_\_ their characteristics to their children.  
*v.* to send or forward an electronic signal; to pass something from one person or thing to another

ANSWERS: 55. confront, 56. alarm, 57. imbalance, 58. regulate, 59. vulnerable, 60. combine, 61. discovery, 62. incorporate, 63. transmit

64. The condo offers \_\_\_\_\_ access to the beach.

*adj.* not divided or shared with others

65. Jet \_\_\_\_\_ are the common name for air currents that form high in the atmosphere.

*n.* a small, narrow river; a continuous flow of something, such as liquid, gas, people, vehicles, etc.

66. To find drunk drivers, police conduct \_\_\_\_\_ tests.

*adj.* made, done, or happening without method, conscious decision, or any regular pattern

67. Some \_\_\_\_\_ are common across cultures and backgrounds.

*n.* a strong feeling such as love, anger, etc. deriving from one's situation, mood, or relationships with others

68. I need to \_\_\_\_\_ my coworkers to finish the project on time.

*v.* to persistently harass, badger, or bother someone or something; to persistently attack or pursue an opposing force or target

69. They used a special receiver to \_\_\_\_\_ police radio channels.

*v.* to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time

70. We have finally lost our last \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a piece of wood, metal, etc., placed beneath or against something to support it or keep it in position; a system, institution, or person that gives help or support to someone or something

71. By dividing and creating copies of themselves, bacteria \_\_\_\_\_.

*v.* to make a copy of something such as a picture, piece of text, music, etc.; to produce offspring through a sexual or asexual process

ANSWERS: 64. exclusive, 65. streams, 66. random, 67. emotions, 68. harr, 69. monitor, 70. prop, 71. reproduce

72. Plutonium has limited \_\_\_\_\_ applications.

*adj.* not involving violence, conflict, or war

73. The company's financial records \_\_\_\_\_ how successful it has been.

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

74. A \_\_\_\_\_ brushing helps to keep your mouth fresh.

*adj.* done completely; significantly careful and accurate

75. I love listening to the cheerful song of the \_\_\_\_\_ in my garden.

*n.* a small bird from the thrush family, typically having a red breast and found across Europe, Asia, and North America

76. The \_\_\_\_\_ class was designed to give students a basic understanding of the subject.

*adj.* intended as an introduction or preliminary; serving as a base or starting point

77. This blog offers a variety of tips for \_\_\_\_\_ everyday life.

*v.* to hit and cut somebody or something roughly and violently; to find a bug in a computer program and break into their systems or networks

78. He sailed the Atlantic Ocean multiple times during his \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a journey or a series of events that is unusual, exciting, or dangerous

79. The organization \_\_\_\_\_ the needs of the community in its decision-making.

*v.* to assign a higher level of importance to something compared to other things

ANSWERS: 72. peaceful, 73. illustrate, 74. thorough, 75. robin, 76. introductory, 77. hacking, 78. adventures, 79. prioritized

80. The discovery of a critical bug caused the company to delay the \_\_\_\_\_ release.

*n.* (abbreviation for application) software designed to run on smartphones and other mobile devices or inside a web browser on a PC

81. She successfully completed her first \_\_\_\_\_ with a personal best time.

*n.* a long-distance race of 42.195 kilometers

82. The marathon runner covered a long \_\_\_\_\_ in a short amount of time.

*n.* the amount of space between two points, measured in units such as miles, meters, or kilometers; the extent, scope, or range between two things, such as distance or emotional distance

83. 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

84. I forgot my sign-in \_\_\_\_\_ and couldn't log in to my account.

*n.* a secret word or phrase that must be used to gain admission to a place or service

85. 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

86. The author's works will be remembered \_\_\_\_\_ as some of the most influential of the 21st century

*adv.* from this point forward; in the future; beyond the present time or circumstance

87. Enemy armies are \_\_\_\_\_ to their monarch.

*adj.* giving or remaining firm and constant support to a person, institution, product, etc.;

ANSWERS: 80. app's, 81. marathon, 82. distance, 83. purity, 84. password, 85. achieve, 86. hereafter, 87. loyal

88. Our subscription plan is \_\_\_\_\_ renewed.

*adv.* without needing a direct human control

89. 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

90. Shares in the company finally fell below their \_\_\_\_ value.

*n.* a state of being equal to someone or something

91. She's a \_\_\_\_\_ pet owner who ensures her dog gets enough exercise and a healthy diet.

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

92. The article \_\_\_\_\_ the company's reputation with false accusations.

*v.* to speak or write about someone or something in a harmful or critical way; (adjective) evil or harmful in nature or influence

93. This company has invested heavily in Internet \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* the activity of buying and selling things, especially on a large scale

94. The couple began to \_\_\_\_\_ over which restaurant to go to for dinner.

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

95. We can evaluate the performance of an \_\_\_\_\_ in terms of computation time.

*n.* a set of rules or rigorous instructions typically used to solve a specific problem or to perform a computation

ANSWERS: 88. automatically, 89. relate, 90. par, 91. responsible, 92. maligned, 93. commerce, 94. argue, 95. algorithm

96. He continued his investigation and soon \_\_\_\_\_ another crime.
- v.* to remove the cover from something; to discover something previously unseen or hidden
97. I always carry a backup \_\_\_\_\_ in case my phone runs out of battery.
- n.* a piece of equipment, tool, or technology that serves a particular purpose or function, often mechanical or electronic
98. The wealthy businessman acted as a \_\_\_\_\_ to his protege, helping him to succeed in his career.
- n.* a male godparent who witnesses a child's baptism and accepts a spiritual responsibility for their upbringing; a trusted mentor or advisor who has significant influence and offers support and guidance in personal or professional matters
99. Before driving, ensure you have a valid driver's \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* an official permission or authorization to do, use, or own something; a legal document that grants the holder the right to perform certain activities, such as driving a car, practicing a profession, or using a particular product or service
100. The company decided to \_\_\_\_\_ its technology to another company for a fee.
- v.* to grant a license for the use of one's property, rights, or technology to another party, who can then grant subsequent licenses to others
101. She filed a \_\_\_\_\_ with the manager about the poor service.
- n.* a statement that expresses dissatisfaction or annoyance about something
102. He has an \_\_\_\_\_ knowledge of American history.
- adj.* having a very close friendship, personal

ANSWERS: 96. uncovered, 97. device, 98. godfather, 99. license, 100. sublicense, 101. complaint, 102. intimate

103. The \_\_\_\_\_ of people who do not own property is politically impotent.
- n.* a large amount of a substance with no definite shape or form; a large number of people or things grouped or crowded together
104. I took a back road to work on time to \_\_\_\_\_ the traffic jam.
- v.* to go around, avoid, or bypass something, often to achieve an intended goal or objective; to outmaneuver or outsmart a person or obstacle
105. His \_\_\_\_\_ showed highly positive results.
- n.* the scientific test conducted to observe what happens and gain new knowledge
106. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the new traffic laws led to a decrease in accidents.
- n.* the act of ensuring that rules, regulations, or laws are obeyed or implemented; the act of applying force or pressure to compel compliance with rules or laws
107. The committee \_\_\_\_\_ several apparent inconsistencies.
- v.* to conduct a systematic or formal inquiry to identify and evaluate the facts of a crime, problem, statement, etc. to establish the truth
108. We use adverbs to \_\_\_\_\_ verbs and adjectives.
- v.* to change something slightly, such as a plan, option, law, etc., especially to make it more suitable for a particular purpose
109. The airport offers five \_\_\_\_\_ access routes.
- adj.* useful, helpful, or quick to do
110. She gave her \_\_\_\_\_ to the company's proposal.
- n.* permission or agreement to do something, especially given by somebody in authority

ANSWERS: 103. mass, 104. circumvent, 105. experiments, 106. enforcement, 107. investigated, 108. modify, 109. convenient, 110. consent



111. My husband was found \_\_\_\_\_ of any crime.

*adj.* not guilty of a crime, offense, etc.; not having an evil mind or knowledge

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

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

113. He did \_\_\_\_\_ pen-and-ink drawings in just a few days.

*adj.* involving a lot of different things or parts in a way that is difficult to understand or analyze

114. It is an incredible \_\_\_\_\_ to climb Mount Everest, the highest mountain in the world.

*n.* a notable or impressive achievement, especially one that requires great skill or bravery

115. I will \_\_\_\_\_ my car before I go on a road trip.

*v.* to provide coverage in the event of loss or damage

116. The federal \_\_\_\_\_ is planning to increase taxes for the next fiscal year.

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

117. Internet traffic volumes have increased significantly with the advent of \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet

118. We want to \_\_\_\_\_ our company through your media.

*v.* to draw attention to something such as a product, service, or event in public to encourage people to buy, use, or attend it

ANSWERS: 111. innocent, 112. distributed, 113. complicated, 114. feat, 115. insure, 116. government, 117. smartphones, 118. advertise

119. Her dog is her excellent \_\_\_\_\_.

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

120. The crowd's boos and jeers continued to \_\_\_\_\_ the performer long after the show ended.

*v.* to frequent or visit repeatedly, often in a way that is disturbing or unsettling; to occupy or fill the mind, often in a way that is unpleasant or persistent

ANSWERS: 119. companion, 120. haunt