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Session 1: Word List

clap

v. to hit your hands together and make a short and loud noise, mainly to show your approval or praise

synonym: applaud, spat, acclaim

(1) **clap** my hands, (2) **clap** a book shut

We **clapped** along with the singer's song.

trombone

n. a musical instrument in the brass family that is played by sliding a telescoping tube in and out to change the pitch while blowing air through the mouthpiece

synonym: horn, brass instrument, bugle

(1) play the **trombone**, (2) a jazz **trombone** player

The jazz band featured a spectacular **trombone** solo during the performance.

saxophone

n. a musical instrument of the woodwind family with a single-reed mouthpiece and a curved metal or brass body; known for its mellow and smooth tone

synonym: sax, sopranino, alto

(1) **saxophone** player, (2) **saxophone** music

The **saxophone** solo was the highlight of the concert.

singe

v. to burn something slightly or superficially, usually by mistake

synonym : sear, char, burn

(1) **singe** off the hair over the flames, (2) **singe** the edges of a fabric

I didn't realize the iron was still hot and **singed** my dress.

snare

n. a trap or device used to catch animals by means of a noose or wire loop; a type of drum consisting of a head stretched over a hollow shell, usually played with drumsticks

synonym : trap, noose, entanglement

(1) **snare** drum, (2) fall into a **snare**

The thief was caught in a **snare** set by the police.

derrick

n. a tall tower-like structure or framework used for hoisting and moving heavy objects, especially in the context of oil drilling or in shipyards

synonym : crane, hoist, lift

(1) **derrick** crane, (2) oil **derrick**

The company invested in a hydraulic **derrick** system to speed up its construction projects.

moss

n. a small, soft plant that grows in a low, compact layer, often on the ground or on rocks

synonym : plant, foliage, greenery

(1) green **moss**, (2) **moss** garden

Moss grows in damp, shaded areas and is often found on the forest floor.

Session 2: Spelling

1. si__e the edges of a fabric *v.* to burn something slightly or superficially, usually by mistake
2. m__s garden *n.* a small, soft plant that grows in a low, compact layer, often on the ground or on rocks
3. oil de____k *n.* a tall tower-like structure or framework used for hoisting and moving heavy objects, especially in the context of oil drilling or in shipyards
4. c__p my hands *v.* to hit your hands together and make a short and loud noise, mainly to show your approval or praise
5. fall into a sn__e *n.* a trap or device used to catch animals by means of a noose or wire loop; a type of drum consisting of a head stretched over a hollow shell, usually played with drumsticks
6. play the tr____ne *n.* a musical instrument in the brass family that is played by sliding a telescoping tube in and out to change the pitch while blowing air through the mouthpiece
7. sa____ne player *n.* a musical instrument of the woodwind family with a single-reed mouthpiece and a curved metal or brass body; known for its mellow and smooth tone
8. de____k crane *n.* a tall tower-like structure or framework used for hoisting and moving heavy objects, especially in the context of oil drilling or in shipyards

ANSWERS: 1. singe, 2. moss, 3. derrick, 4. clap, 5. snare, 6. trombone, 7. saxophone, 8. derrick

9. green m__s *n.* a small, soft plant that grows in a low, compact layer, often on the ground or on rocks
10. sn__e drum *n.* a trap or device used to catch animals by means of a noose or wire loop; a type of drum consisting of a head stretched over a hollow shell, usually played with drumsticks
11. si__e off the hair over the flames *v.* to burn something slightly or superficially, usually by mistake
12. c__p a book shut *v.* to hit your hands together and make a short and loud noise, mainly to show your approval or praise
13. sa_____ne music *n.* a musical instrument of the woodwind family with a single-reed mouthpiece and a curved metal or brass body; known for its mellow and smooth tone
14. a jazz tr_____ne player *n.* a musical instrument in the brass family that is played by sliding a telescoping tube in and out to change the pitch while blowing air through the mouthpiece

ANSWERS: 9. moss, 10. snare, 11. singe, 12. clap, 13. saxophone, 14. trombone

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The _____ solo was the highlight of the concert.
 - n.* a musical instrument of the woodwind family with a single-reed mouthpiece and a curved metal or brass body; known for its mellow and smooth tone

2. The thief was caught in a _____ set by the police.
 - n.* a trap or device used to catch animals by means of a noose or wire loop; a type of drum consisting of a head stretched over a hollow shell, usually played with drumsticks

3. I didn't realize the iron was still hot and _____ my dress.
 - v.* to burn something slightly or superficially, usually by mistake

4. The jazz band featured a spectacular _____ solo during the performance.
 - n.* a musical instrument in the brass family that is played by sliding a telescoping tube in and out to change the pitch while blowing air through the mouthpiece

5. The company invested in a hydraulic _____ system to speed up its construction projects.
 - n.* a tall tower-like structure or framework used for hoisting and moving heavy objects, especially in the context of oil drilling or in shipyards

6. We _____ along with the singer's song.
 - v.* to hit your hands together and make a short and loud noise, mainly to show your approval or praise

7. _____ grows in damp, shaded areas and is often found on the forest floor.
 - n.* a small, soft plant that grows in a low, compact layer, often on the ground or on rocks

ANSWERS: 1. saxophone, 2. snare, 3. singed, 4. trombone, 5. derrick, 6. clapped, 7. Moss

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