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Session 1: Word List

animate

v. to make something full of interest and energy

synonym: invigorate, energize, enliven

(1) **animate** the body, (2) **animate** his soul

The positive attitude of the supervisor **animated** the discussion.

dye

v. to color a textile or hair by immersing it in a colored liquid or substance

synonym: color, tint, stain

(1) **dye** a T-shirt red, (2) **dye** patterns

She **dyed** her hair purple for a change.

compose

v. to write music, poetry, or formal writing; to constitute or make up a whole, or a specified part of it

synonym: compile, constitute, build

(1) **compose** an essay, (2) **compose** my thoughts

The structure is **composed** of three main components.

experimental

adj. relating to or based on new ideas, forms, methods, etc. that have not been tried before, usually to find out what effect they have

synonym: empirical, exploratory, observed

(1) **experimental** data, (2) **experimental** design

The product is still in the **experimental** stage.

animation

- n.* the technique of photographing successive drawings or positions of puppets or models to create an illusion of movement when the film is shown as a sequence; enthusiasm and energy in the way you look or behave

synonym : motion, movement, liveliness

(1) **animation** studio, (2) **animation** film

The **animation** of the characters in the movie was so realistic, and it was as if they were there.

spin

- v.* to cause something to rotate rapidly; to cause someone to feel dizzy or disoriented

synonym : rotate, twirl, swirl

(1) **spin** a top, (2) **spin** thread out of cotton

The tornado is **spinning** across the countryside, destroying everything in its path.

slit

- n.* a narrow cut or opening, often made by a sharp instrument or tool; (verb) to cut or make a long, narrow opening or incision in something, typically with a sharp instrument such as a knife or scissors

synonym : slash, incision, cut

(1) **slit** pocket, (2) **slit** the fabric

He made a small **slit** in the paper to fit it in the envelope.

fellowship

- n.* an association of people who share common interests or goals, typically involving research, study, or a specific profession

synonym : association, society, group

(1) research **fellowship**, (2) postdoctoral **fellowship**

The **fellowship** of scientists worked together to conduct research and make important discoveries.

explode

- v.* to burst or break open violently and noisily; to cause something to burst or break open

synonym : detonate, blast, rupture

(1) **explode** in anger, (2) **explode** in popularity
The old building **exploded** in a fiery inferno.

cuisine

n. the style of cooking characteristic of a particular country, region, or establishment

synonym: meal, cooking, gastronomy

(1) bistro-style **cuisine**, (2) **cuisine** taste

Italian **cuisine** is known for its use of fresh ingredients and bold flavors.

strip

v. to remove the surface from something; (noun) a sizeable narrow piece of something such as paper, metal, cloth, etc., or area of land, sea, etc.

synonym: deprive, undress, (noun) ribbon

(1) **strip** a tire off, (2) coast **strip**

The doctor advised him to **strip** down for a check.

ink-jet

adj. of or relating to a type of printing technology commonly used in printers and other imaging devices that is a method of producing hard copies of digital images or documents by propelling tiny droplets of ink onto paper or other printable surfaces

(1) **ink-jet** printing, (2) **ink-jet** droplet

The printer used **ink-jet** technology for high-quality prints.

invention

n. the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation; the act of inventing

synonym: creation, design, innovation

(1) the **invention** of new techniques, (2) common **invention**

Necessity is the mother of **invention**.

replace

v. to take the place of something

synonym: substitute, supersede, displace

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

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

exciting

adj. causing a lot of interest or excitement

synonym : exhilarating, stimulating, thrilling

(1) **exciting** football player, (2) **exciting** news

The findings of the experiment were both **exciting** and unexpected.

sculpture

n. the art of creating three-dimensional objects or forms, typically by carving, modeling, or casting in a variety of materials such as stone, wood, metal, or clay

synonym : statuary, carving, modeling

(1) create **sculpture**, (2) abstract **sculpture**

The ancient Greek **sculptures** are known for their realism and attention to detail.

studio

n. a room or building where creative or artistic work is produced; a television or radio production company

synonym : workshop, atelier, room

(1) a photo **studio**, (2) music **studio**

She works at a recording **studio** in Los Angeles.

plastered

adj. made smooth by applying a sticky or glossy substance; very drunk

synonym : coated, smeared, drunk

(1) **plastered** walls, (2) get absolutely **plastered**

The wall was **plastered** with posters and graffiti.

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**.

symbiosis

n. a close, prolonged association between two or more different species of organisms, typically to the advantage of all

synonym : cooperation, interdependence, mutualism

(1) industrial **symbiosis**, (2) **symbiosis** establishment
The **symbiosis** between the coral and the algae is an important example of mutualism.

translate

v. to convert or change words into another language
synonym: convert, transcribe, render

(1) **translate** a document into English, (2) **translate** the emotion to a movement

Translate the text from Italian into English.

immerse

v. to become fully involved in a particular activity; to dip or submerge in a liquid, especially so that they or it are entirely covered

synonym: dip, inundate, submerge

(1) **immerse** the cloth in the dye, (2) completely **immerse** the ingredient

He **immersed** himself in his research.

tunnel

n. an underground or underwater passage, typically for trains or cars

synonym: passageway, underground passage

(1) **tunnel** construction work, (2) **tunnel** disease

The workers had to dig through solid rock to create the vehicular **tunnel** allowing the cars to pass through the mountain.

handheld

adj. designed to be held in one hand; portable, and compact enough to be carried or used on the go

synonym: portable, mobile, compact

(1) **handheld** device, (2) **handheld** camera

The technician used a **handheld** tool to fix the machine.

strobe

n. a device that produces a rapid series of intense flashes of light, often used in photography or entertainment; an instrument for studying the motion of a rapidly moving object by flashing a light on it at regular intervals

synonym: flash, flicker

(1) **strobe** flash, (2) **strobe** effect

A **strobe** light lit up the party, creating a pulsing and energetic atmosphere.

flashlight

n. a portable electric light with a handle and a switch that can be turned on and off

synonym: torch, lamp, beacon

(1) **flashlight** beam, (2) **flashlight** batteries

He used a backup **flashlight** to find his way through the dark cave.

prototype

n. a first or preliminary example of something such as a device or vehicle from which other forms are developed

synonym: mock-up, precursor, model

(1) complete a **prototype** product, (2) early **prototype**

The flying car is presently in the **prototype** stage.

stick

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

synonym: pierce, adhere, stay

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

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

sequence

n. a series of related events, actions, numbers, etc., which have a particular order

synonym: arrangement, succession, series

(1) the **sequence** of the seasons, (2) the DNA **sequence**

We do move forward with those tasks in **sequence** next week.

medical

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

synonym: health, disease, treatment

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

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

diagnose

v. to determine or distinguish the nature of a problem or an illness through a careful analysis

synonym: identify, analyze, interpret

(1) **diagnose** the problem, (2) **diagnose** with CT scans

This device is used to **diagnose** brain cancer and other tumors.

degenerate

v. (of a person, animal, or plant) to become worse in health or physical condition

synonym: deteriorate, decline, decay

(1) **degenerate** into a disagreement, (2) **degenerate** into recession

The once-thriving city has **degenerated** into a crime-ridden slum.

retina

n. the innermost light-sensitive membrane covering the back wall of the eyeball

(1) **retinal** cells, (2) **retina** scanner

Damage to the **retina** may play a role in the development of glaucoma.

vision

n. the ability to think about or see the future with imagination and intelligence; the faculty of being able to see

synonym: sight, image, concept

(1) a prodigious **vision**, (2) telescopic **vision**

Driving is difficult for me because of my poor **vision**.

implant

v. to insert or fix an artificial device in a person's body; to put an idea, attitude, etc., firmly in the mind

synonym: insert, fix, place

(1) **implant** genes in the animals, (2) **implant** into the uterus

The doctor will **implant** a pacemaker to regulate his heart rate.

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.

magnify

v. to make something look bigger than it really is, especially by looking at it through a lens; to make something bigger, stronger, or louder

synonym : enlarge, elaborate, intensify

(1) **magnify** the danger, (2) **magnify** the image for display

Terrorists often attempt to **magnify** the economic impact of their acts of destruction.

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.

optic

adj. relating to vision or the eyes; relating to or involving light or optics

synonym : visual, ocular, visualized

(1) **optic** fiber, (2) **optic** illusion

The campaign ad was designed with bright colors and bold fonts for maximum **optic** impact.

nervous

adj. worried and anxious about something; relating to the nerves

synonym : neural, anxious, uneasy

(1) development of the **nervous** system, (2) get **nervous**

He suffers from **nervous** breakdowns.

miniature

adj. being on a very small scale

synonym : mini, scaled-down, pint-sized

(1) **miniature** camera, (2) **miniature** version

He did complicated pen-and-ink drawings like medieval **miniatures**.

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**.

leap

v. to jump or spring into the air, often with the feet leaving the ground or a surface below; to move quickly or suddenly, often forward or upward

synonym : jump, bound, hop

(1) **leap** to a conclusion, (2) **leap** of faith

The athlete was able to **leap** over the hurdle with ease.

deploy

v. to move troops or weapons into a position or military action; to bring into something in an effective way

synonym : set up, expand, launch

(1) **deploy** troops for battle, (2) **deploy** safety measures

This country **deployed** its weapons in the east region.

fiction

n. the type of book or story, especially novels, that describes imaginary events and people; anything made up or imagined that is not true

synonym : fantasy, fable, invention

(1) stuff of science **fiction**, (2) non- **fiction** bestseller

Truth is stranger than **fiction**.

fantasy

n. a fiction with a large amount of imagination in it; a pleasant situation that you imagine but that is unlikely to happen

synonym : fiction, illusion, fabrication

(1) **fantasy** novel, (2) confuse **fantasy** with reality

Composition by artificial intelligence is no longer a **fantasy**.

incurable

adj. not able to be cured, healed, or remedied; beyond recovery or redemption

synonym : unrecoverable, irreparable, hopeless

(1) **incurable** patient, (2) **incurable** romantic

The patient was diagnosed with an **incurable** disease and given only a few months to live.

disorder

n. an untidy state or a lack of organization; a physical condition or illness that causes problems with how a section of the body or brain functions

synonym : chaos, disturbance, disease

(1) the files are in complete **disorder**, (2) people with bipolar **disorder**

The doctor prescribed some medicine for the mental **disorder**.

buzz

v. to make a continuous, low humming sound such as the one a bee makes; an exciting and active atmosphere

synonym : hum, murmur, whisper

(1) the **buzz** of a cicada, (2) **buzz** marketing

I heard the **buzz** of conversation from the next room.

therapy

n. the act of caring for someone through medication, remedial training, etc.

synonym : antidote, medicine, treatment

(1) **therapy** for a patient, (2) field of gene **therapy**

I underwent aversion **therapy** for my addiction to alcohol.

administrator

n. a person or organization responsible for managing and directing the affairs of a business, institution, government agency, or other organization; someone who administers, regulates, or supervises

synonym : manager, executive, supervisor

(1) school **administrator**, (2) network **administrator**

The university's **administrator** announced new policies regarding campus safety.

unhealthy

adj. not conducive to good health; detrimental to physical or mental well-being

synonym : unwholesome, detrimental, insalubrious

(1) **unhealthy** diet, (2) **unhealthy** habit

Sitting for long hours in front of the computer is considered **unhealthy**.

virus

n. a tiny infectious organic material that causes disease in people, animals, and plants

synonym : bacterium, germ, ailment

(1) spread of the **virus**, (2) a strain of **virus**

An infected person in the hospital will likely pass the **virus** to others.

fluffy

adj. soft and light, often with a texture that resembles feathers or fur

synonym : soft, feathery, puffy

(1) **fluffy** clouds, (2) **fluffy** blanket

The kitten had **fluffy** fur that was soft to the touch.

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.

threaten

v. to utter intentions of injury or punishment against someone

synonym : endanger, terrorize, intimidate

(1) **threaten** a healthy relationship, (2) **threaten** national security

Various artificially induced causes are **threatening** our ecosystem.

invasive

adj. spreading very quickly, and often aggressively, and difficult to stop

synonym : aggressive, rampant, spreading

(1) **invasive** breast cancer, (2) **invasive** species

The **invasive** disease can spread quickly and potentially cause a global pandemic.

disconnect

v. to unfasten or disjoin something, especially to break the connection between a supply of gas, water, or electricity and a piece of equipment

synonym: unplug, detach, take apart

(1) **disconnect** a plug, (2) **disconnect** the water supply

She finally decided to **disconnect** herself from the company.

sealed

adj. closed or secured with

synonym: closed, impenetrable

(1) **sealed** orders, (2) **sealed** jar

We packed and shipped the product in **sealed** containers.

automobile

n. a road vehicle that has four wheels and is powered by an engine, used for transporting people or goods

synonym: car, vehicle, motorcar

(1) driverless **automobile**, (2) **automobile** insurance

The **automobile** industry is a major contributor to air pollution in cities.

visual

adj. relating to seeing or sight

synonym: optical, graphical, visible

(1) **visual** navigation, (2) field of **visual** arts

The building makes a remarkable **visual** impact.

intensive

adj. involving a lot of work or activity in a short time

synonym: thorough, comprehensive, in-depth

(1) **intensive** agriculture, (2) **intensive** care

The construction industry is labor **intensive**, although it has been somewhat automated by introducing large machinery.

process

n. a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or

approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products

synonym : procedure, method, system

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

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

primarily

adv. mainly

synonym : largely, mainly, mostly

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

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

outdoors

adv. in or into the open air; outside a building or structure

synonym : outside, al fresco, in the open air

(1) exhausted **outdoors**, (2) sleep **outdoors**

She loves to hike **outdoors** and explore nature.

landscape

n. an expanse of scenery that can be seen in a single view; a large area of land, especially in the country and relating to its appearance

synonym : geography, terrain, topography

(1) a peaceful **landscape**, (2) **landscape** painting

Recent electoral shocks have shaken the political **landscape** in Europe.

grab

v. to take hold of something or someone suddenly with a hand, especially in a violent way

synonym : clutch, snatch, grasp

(1) **grab** an audience, (2) **grab** an opportunity

Shall we **grab** a bite to eat?

canyon

n. a large deep valley with very steep sides of rock and usually formed by a river

synonym : gorge, valley, ravine

(1) twisty **canyon** road, (2) **canyon** of skyscrapers
The Grand **Canyon** has an awe-inspiring sight.

devoid

adj. completely lacking or free from something

synonym: empty, lacking, void

(1) **devoid** of life, (2) air **devoid** of pollution

The room was **devoid** of any furniture or decorations.

movement

n. a group of people working together to achieve a shared goal, especially a political, social, or artistic one; the process of moving or being moved, physically or figuratively

synonym: motion, progression, action

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

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

perspective

n. a confident attitude toward something; a particular style of thinking about something

synonym: viewpoint, standpoint, outlook

(1) a **perspective** view, (2) the **perspective** of the battle

His father's death changed his whole **perspective** on life.

mud

n. a soft, wet, sticky earth or clay

synonym: muck, sludge, ooze

(1) **mud** wall, (2) **mud** volcano

The **mud** of the swamp made it difficult to walk through the field.

cave

n. a large hole in the side of a hill, cliff, mountain, or under the ground

synonym: cavern, grotto, burrow

(1) domiciliary **caves**, (2) the mouth of the **cave**

Bats reside in sheltered **caves**.

photograph

n. a picture or image that is produced by a camera; a visual representation or record of a person, object, or

scene that has been captured electronically or on film
synonym : photo, picture, snapshot

(1) **photograph** album, (2) **photograph** memories

I found an old **photograph** of my grandparents from their wedding day.

multilayer

n. something that consists of multiple layers or levels
synonym : lamination, layering, strata

(1) **multilayer** alloy, (2) **multilayer** film

A cake with a **multilayer** filling is a delicious treat.

panorama

n. an unobstructed and wide view of an area or surrounding, typically seen from a high point or distance; a comprehensive or panoramic survey or presentation of a subject or topic

synonym : view, vista, landscape

(1) 360-degree **panorama**, (2) stunning **panorama**

The top of the hill offered a breathtaking **panorama** of the city below.

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.

artwork

n. the pieces of art, such as pictures and photographs used in books, magazines, etc.

synonym : painting, picture, graphics

(1) ancient **artwork**, (2) **artwork** conservation

Videos documenting the process of creating this pencil **artwork** have been popular worldwide.

eternal

adj. being without beginning or end; lasting forever

synonym : endless, everlasting, undying

(1) the hope of **eternal** life, (2) **eternal** quarreling
In every civilization, rulers have tried everything possible to obtain **eternal** life.

sculpt

v. to create a work of art by carving, casting, or other shaping techniques

synonym: carve, mold, shape

(1) **sculpt** an image, (2) **sculpt** prototype

He spent hours every day **sculpting** figures out of clay.

pace

n. the speed at which someone or something moves, or the rate at which something happens or changes

synonym: gait, rate, speed

(1) at your own **pace**, (2) the runner's **pace**

The economy is growing at a supercharged **pace**.

suffer

v. to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant

synonym: endure, undergo, tolerate

(1) **suffer** a setback, (2) **suffer** bad grades

The older man **suffers** from arthritis and finds it difficult to move around.

leukemia

n. a type of cancer that affects the blood and bone marrow, in which abnormal white blood cells are produced and grow uncontrollably

synonym: blood cancer

(1) childhood **leukemia**, (2) acute **leukemia**

The symptoms of **leukemia** may include fatigue, weakness, and fever.

infection

n. a condition in which pathogenic microorganisms or viruses have entered the body

synonym: contagion, disease, transmission

(1) a bacterial **infection**, (2) treat the **infection** with antibiotics

Hospitals must meet various standards to prevent nosocomial **infections**.

strike

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

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

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

individual

n. a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
synonym : person, being, self

(1) a private **individual**, (2) **individual** freedom

As an **individual**, he had the right to make his own decisions and live his life as he saw fit.

finite

adj. having a limit or restriction of size, time, etc.
synonym : delimited, defined, limited

(1) **finite** resources, (2) **finite** decimal

Human beings have a **finite** lifespan, so we yearn for the idea of immortality.

ongoing

adj. continuing to exist or develop, or currently happening
synonym : continuous, current, proceeding

(1) still **ongoing**, (2) **ongoing** support

The new prime minister has vowed to take measures against the **ongoing** economic crisis.

cycle

n. an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle

synonym : revolution, rotation, bike

(1) the **cycle** of the seasons, (2) go to the workplace by **cycle**

The food chain causes a material **cycle**.

tribute

n. a payment, gift, or other forms of recognition made in honor of or submission to another person or entity

synonym: honor, accolade, recognition

(1) pay **tribute**, (2) **tribute** album

The statue was built as a **tribute** to the soldiers who died in the war.

mentor

n. a person who helps and advises a younger or less experienced person over time, usually at work or school

synonym: adviser, coach, tutor

(1) **mentor** for life, (2) fashion **mentor**

As a **mentor**, he helped me realize my career.

presence

n. the fact or state that someone or something exists, occurs, or is present

synonym: existence, actuality, fact

(1) the evidence of the **presence**, (2) his majestic **presence**

The path to a solid online **presence** necessitates a high technical ability.

luxury

n. a state of great comfort or sophistication, mainly provided by expensive and beautiful things

synonym: extravagance, indulgence, opulence

(1) get into the **luxury** car market, (2) **luxury** hotel

His anti- **luxury** practices were quite strict.

necessity

n. the state or fact of being needed; anything indispensable

synonym: need, essentiality, prerequisite

(1) in great **necessity**, (2) the **necessity** of the concrete measure

He emphasized the **necessity** of immediate action.

bark

n. the hard outer layer of a tree; a sound made by dogs or some other animals

synonym: skin, husk, crust

(1) trees with rough **bark**, (2) **bark** at the moon

He removed the **bark** from the tree.

develop

- v. to grow or expand; to improve or refine through a process of progress and refinement, often to achieve greater sophistication or complexity; to elaborate or add detail to something that is in the process of being created

synonym: evolve, progress, advance

(1) **develop** a strategy, (2) **develop** a skill

We must **develop** a new system to streamline our workflow and increase efficiency.

Session 2: Spelling

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8. music st___o *n.* a room or building where creative or artistic work is produced; a television or radio production company

ANSWERS: 1. ongoing, 2. eternal, 3. panorama, 4. exciting, 5. outdoors, 6. strip, 7. process, 8. studio

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20. im_____t genes in the animals *v.* to insert or fix an artificial device in a person's body; to put an idea, attitude, etc., firmly in the mind
21. exp_____tal design *adj.* relating to or based on new ideas, forms, methods, etc. that have not been tried before, usually to find out what effect they have
22. in_____t droplet *adj.* of or relating to a type of printing technology commonly used in printers and other imaging devices that is a method of producing hard copies of digital images or documents by propelling tiny droplets of ink onto paper or other printable surfaces
23. cu_____e taste *n.* the style of cooking characteristic of a particular country, region, or establishment
24. air de____d of pollution *adj.* completely lacking or free from something
25. temporary me_____l treatment *adj.* relating to the treatment of illness or injuries; relating to the practice of medicine
26. mi_____re camera *adj.* being on a very small scale
27. im_____t into the uterus *v.* to insert or fix an artificial device in a person's body; to put an idea, attitude, etc., firmly in the mind

ANSWERS: 19. magnify, 20. implant, 21. experimental, 22. ink-jet, 23. cuisine, 24. devoid, 25. medical, 26. miniature, 27. implant

28. the cy__e of the seasons *n.* an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle
29. ancient ar____k *n.* the pieces of art, such as pictures and photographs used in books, magazines, etc.
30. mo____r an exam *v.* to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time
31. in great ne____ty *n.* the state or fact of being needed; anything indispensable
32. de____d of life *adj.* completely lacking or free from something
33. ad____re film *n.* a journey or a series of events that is unusual, exciting, or dangerous
34. re____al cells *n.* the innermost light-sensitive membrane covering the back wall of the eyeball
35. in____ve species *adj.* spreading very quickly, and often aggressively, and difficult to stop
36. in____ve breast cancer *adj.* spreading very quickly, and often aggressively, and difficult to stop
37. fl____y blanket *adj.* soft and light, often with a texture that resembles feathers or fur
38. ca____n of skyscrapers *n.* a large deep valley with very steep sides of rock and usually formed by a river
39. g__b an opportunity *v.* to take hold of something or someone suddenly with a hand, especially in a violent way

ANSWERS: 28. cycle, 29. artwork, 30. monitor, 31. necessity, 32. devoid, 33. adventure, 34. retina, 35. invasive, 36. invasive, 37. fluffy, 38. canyon, 39. grab

40. s__t the fabric *n.* a narrow cut or opening, often made by a sharp instrument or tool; (verb) to cut or make a long, narrow opening or incision in something, typically with a sharp instrument such as a knife or scissors
41. early pr_____pe *n.* a first or preliminary example of something such as a device or vehicle from which other forms are developed
42. dis_____ct the water supply *v.* to unfasten or disjoin something, especially to break the connection between a supply of gas, water, or electricity and a piece of equipment
43. get absolutely pl_____ed *adj.* made smooth by applying a sticky or glossy substance; very drunk
44. driverless aut_____le *n.* a road vehicle that has four wheels and is powered by an engine, used for transporting people or goods
45. b__z marketing *v.* to make a continuous, low humming sound such as the one bee makes; an exciting and active atmosphere
46. mo_____r the data carefully *v.* to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time
47. un_____hy habit *adj.* not conducive to good health; detrimental to physical or mental well-being
48. in_____ve care *adj.* involving a lot of work or activity in a short time

ANSWERS: 40. slit, 41. prototype, 42. disconnect, 43. plastered, 44. automobile, 45. buzz, 46. monitor, 47. unhealthy, 48. intensive

49. s__t pocket *n.* a narrow cut or opening, often made by a sharp instrument or tool; (verb) to cut or make a long, narrow opening or incision in something, typically with a sharp instrument such as a knife or scissors
50. th_____en a healthy relationship *v.* to utter intentions of injury or punishment against someone
51. exp_____tal data *adj.* relating to or based on new ideas, forms, methods, etc. that have not been tried before, usually to find out what effect they have
52. an_____on film *n.* the technique of photographing successive drawings or positions of puppets or models to create an illusion of movement when the film is shown as a sequence; enthusiasm and energy in the way you look or behave
53. de_____p a strategy *v.* to grow or expand; to improve or refine through a process of progress and refinement, often to achieve greater sophistication or complexity; to elaborate or add detail to something that is in the process of being created
54. bistro-style cu_____e *n.* the style of cooking characteristic of a particular country, region, or establishment
55. sy_____is establishment *n.* a close, prolonged association between two or more different species of organisms, typically to the advantage of all

ANSWERS: 49. slit, 50. threaten, 51. experimental, 52. animation, 53. develop, 54. cuisine, 55. symbiosis

56. pay tr_____e *n.* a payment, gift, or other forms of recognition made in honor of or submission to another person or entity
57. an_____on studio *n.* the technique of photographing successive drawings or positions of puppets or models to create an illusion of movement when the film is shown as a sequence; enthusiasm and energy in the way you look or behave
58. electronic de_____e *n.* a piece of equipment, tool, or technology that serves a particular purpose or function, often mechanical or electronic
59. a private ind_____al *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
60. in_____le romantic *adj.* not able to be cured, healed, or remedied; beyond recovery or redemption
61. tracking de_____e *n.* a piece of equipment, tool, or technology that serves a particular purpose or function, often mechanical or electronic
62. non-fi_____n bestseller *n.* the type of book or story, especially novels, that describes imaginary events and people; anything made up or imagined that is not true
63. im_____ry pregnancy *adj.* existing only in someone's mind
64. the se_____ce of the seasons *n.* a series of related events, actions, numbers, etc., which have a particular order

ANSWERS: 56. tribute, 57. animation, 58. device, 59. individual, 60. incurable, 61. device, 62. fiction, 63. imaginary, 64. sequence

65. ma____y the danger *v.* to make something look bigger than it really is, especially by looking at it through a lens; to make something bigger, stronger, or louder
66. get into the lu____y car market *n.* a state of great comfort or sophistication, mainly provided by expensive and beautiful things
67. twisty ca____n road *n.* a large deep valley with very steep sides of rock and usually formed by a river
68. field of gene th____y *n.* the act of caring for someone through medication, remedial training, etc.
69. de____y troops for battle *v.* to move troops or weapons into a position or military action; to bring into something in an effective way
70. mul____er film *n.* something that consists of multiple layers or levels
71. trees with rough b__k *n.* the hard outer layer of a tree; a sound made by dogs or some other animals
72. ex____ng news *adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement
73. pl____ed walls *adj.* made smooth by applying a sticky or glossy substance; very drunk
74. 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
75. at your own p__e *n.* the speed at which someone or something moves, or the rate at which something happens or changes

ANSWERS: 65. magnify, 66. luxury, 67. canyon, 68. therapy, 69. deploy, 70. multilayer, 71. bark, 72. exciting, 73. plastered, 74. discovery, 75. pace

76. re_____ a phone *v.* to take the place of something
77. vi___l navigation *adj.* relating to seeing or sight
78. st___e up a conversation *v.* to wallop somebody or something with the hand, fist, or weapon; to have an emotional or cognitive impact upon
79. the in_____on of new techniques *n.* the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation; the act of inventing
80. ind_____al freedom *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
81. sc___t an image *v.* to create a work of art by carving, casting, or other shaping techniques
82. im_____e the cloth in the dye *v.* to become fully involved in a particular activity; to dip or submerge in a liquid, especially so that they or it are entirely covered
83. sleep ou_____rs *adv.* in or into the open air; outside a building or structure
84. a me_____l opinion *adj.* relating to the treatment of illness or injuries; relating to the practice of medicine
85. in_____ve agriculture *adj.* involving a lot of work or activity in a short time
86. the runner's p___e *n.* the speed at which someone or something moves, or the rate at which something happens or changes
87. ar_____k conservation *n.* the pieces of art, such as pictures and photographs used in books, magazines, etc.

ANSWERS: 76. replace, 77. visual, 78. strike, 79. invention, 80. individual, 81. sculpt, 82. immerse, 83. outdoors, 84. medical, 85. intensive, 86. pace, 87. artwork

88. st___e effect *n.* a device that produces a rapid series of intense flashes of light, often used in photography or entertainment; an instrument for studying the motion of a rapidly moving object by flashing a light on it at regular intervals
89. et____l quarreling *adj.* being without beginning or end; lasting forever
90. un____hy diet *adj.* not conducive to good health; detrimental to physical or mental well-being
91. an____e his soul *v.* to make something full of interest and energy
92. mi____re version *adj.* being on a very small scale
93. confuse fa____y with reality *n.* a fiction with a large amount of imagination in it; a pleasant situation that you imagine but that is unlikely to happen
94. the per____ve of the battle *n.* a confident attitude toward something; a particular style of thinking about something
95. treat the in____on with antibiotics *n.* a condition in which pathogenic microorganisms or viruses have entered the body
96. on____g support *adj.* continuing to exist or develop, or currently happening
97. l__p to a conclusion *v.* to jump or spring into the air, often with the feet leaving the ground or a surface below; to move quickly or suddenly, often forward or upward

ANSWERS: 88. strobe, 89. eternal, 90. unhealthy, 91. animate, 92. miniature, 93. fantasy, 94. perspective, 95. infection, 96. ongoing, 97. leap

98. se___d orders *adj.* closed or secured with
99. tr_____te a document into English *v.* to convert or change words into another language
100. pho_____ph album *n.* a picture or image that is produced by a camera; a visual representation or record of a person, object, or scene that has been captured electronically or on film
101. re___a scanner *n.* the innermost light-sensitive membrane covering the back wall of the eyeball
102. mo_____nt of troops *n.* a group of people working together to achieve a shared goal, especially a political, social, or artistic one; the process of moving or being moved, physically or figuratively
103. dis_____ct a plug *v.* to unfasten or disjoin something, especially to break the connection between a supply of gas, water, or electricity and a piece of equipment
104. aut_____le insurance *n.* a road vehicle that has four wheels and is powered by an engine, used for transporting people or goods
105. common in_____on *n.* the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation; the act of inventing
106. a photo st___o *n.* a room or building where creative or artistic work is produced; a television or radio production company
107. di_____se the problem *v.* to determine or distinguish the nature of a problem or an illness through a careful analysis

ANSWERS: 98. sealed, 99. translate, 100. photograph, 101. retina, 102. movement, 103. disconnect, 104. automobile, 105. invention, 106. studio, 107. diagnose

108. ex_____e in popularity *v.* to burst or break open violently and noisily; to cause something to burst or break open
109. an_____e the body *v.* to make something full of interest and energy
110. fi____e resources *adj.* having a limit or restriction of size, time, etc.
111. acute le_____ia *n.* a type of cancer that affects the blood and bone marrow, in which abnormal white blood cells are produced and grow uncontrollably
112. the files are in complete di_____er *n.* an untidy state or a lack of organization; a physical condition or illness that causes problems with how a section of the body or brain functions
113. the ne_____ty of the concrete measure *n.* the state or fact of being needed; anything indispensable
114. a prodigious vi____n *n.* the ability to think about or see the future with imagination and intelligence; the faculty of being able to see
115. abstract sc_____re *n.* the art of creating three-dimensional objects or forms, typically by carving, modeling, or casting in a variety of materials such as stone, wood, metal, or clay
116. completely im_____e the ingredient *v.* to become fully involved in a particular activity; to dip or submerge in a liquid, especially so that they or it are entirely covered

ANSWERS: 108. explode, 109. animate, 110. finite, 111. leukemia, 112. disorder, 113. necessity, 114. vision, 115. sculpture, 116. immerse

117. pho_____ph memories *n.* a picture or image that is produced by a camera; a visual representation or record of a person, object, or scene that has been captured electronically or on film
118. b__k at the moon *n.* the hard outer layer of a tree; a sound made by dogs or some other animals
119. sc___t prototype *v.* to create a work of art by carving, casting, or other shaping techniques
120. fla_____ht batteries *n.* a portable electric light with a handle and a switch that can be turned on and off
121. development of the ne_____s system *adj.* worried and anxious about something; relating to the nerves
122. la_____pe painting *n.* an expanse of scenery that can be seen in a single view; a large area of land, especially in the country and relating to its appearance
123. m_d volcano *n.* a soft, wet, sticky earth or clay
124. fa_____y novel *n.* a fiction with a large amount of imagination in it; a pleasant situation that you imagine but that is unlikely to happen
125. tr_____te the emotion to a movement *v.* to convert or change words into another language
126. tr_____e album *n.* a payment, gift, or other forms of recognition made in honor of or submission to another person or entity

ANSWERS: 117. photograph, 118. bark, 119. sculpt, 120. flashlight, 121. nervous, 122. landscape, 123. mud, 124. fantasy, 125. translate, 126. tribute

127. st___e a blow *v.* to wallop somebody or something with the hand, fist, or weapon; to have an emotional or cognitive impact upon
128. 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
129. fashion me___r *n.* a person who helps and advises a younger or less experienced person over time, usually at work or school
130. mul_____er alloy *n.* something that consists of multiple layers or levels
131. postdoctoral fel_____ip *n.* an association of people who share common interests or goals, typically involving research, study, or a specific profession
132. network adm_____tor *n.* a person or organization responsible for managing and directing the affairs of a business, institution, government agency, or other organization; someone who administers, regulates, or supervises
133. spread of the vi___s *n.* a tiny infectious organic material that causes disease in people, animals, and plants
134. coast st__p *v.* to remove the surface from something; (noun) a sizeable narrow piece of something such as paper, metal, cloth, etc., or area of land, sea, etc.
135. the mouth of the c___e *n.* a large hole in the side of a hill, cliff, mountain, or under the ground

ANSWERS: 127. strike, 128. discovery, 129. mentor, 130. multilayer, 131. fellowship, 132. administrator, 133. virus, 134. strip, 135. cave

136. fl___y clouds *adj.* soft and light, often with a texture that resembles feathers or fur
137. a peaceful la_____pe *n.* an expanse of scenery that can be seen in a single view; a large area of land, especially in the country and relating to its appearance
138. th_____en national security *v.* to utter intentions of injury or punishment against someone
139. op__c fiber *adj.* relating to vision or the eyes; relating to or involving light or optics
140. su___r a setback *v.* to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant
141. ex_____e in anger *v.* to burst or break open violently and noisily; to cause something to burst or break open
142. a circular mo_____nt *n.* a group of people working together to achieve a shared goal, especially a political, social, or artistic one; the process of moving or being moved, physically or figuratively
143. domiciliary c__es *n.* a large hole in the side of a hill, cliff, mountain, or under the ground
144. st___e flash *n.* a device that produces a rapid series of intense flashes of light, often used in photography or entertainment; an instrument for studying the motion of a rapidly moving object by flashing a light on it at regular intervals

ANSWERS: 136. fluffy, 137. landscape, 138. threaten, 139. optic, 140. suffer, 141. explode, 142. movement, 143. cave, 144. strobe

145. di____se with CT scans *v.* to determine or distinguish the nature of a problem or an illness through a careful analysis
146. go to the workplace by cy__e *n.* an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle
147. create sc_____re *n.* the art of creating three-dimensional objects or forms, typically by carving, modeling, or casting in a variety of materials such as stone, wood, metal, or clay
148. se___d jar *adj.* closed or secured with
149. a strain of vi__s *n.* a tiny infectious organic material that causes disease in people, animals, and plants
150. people with bipolar di_____er *n.* an untidy state or a lack of organization; a physical condition or illness that causes problems with how a section of the body or brain functions
151. in_____t printing *adj.* of or relating to a type of printing technology commonly used in printers and other imaging devices that is a method of producing hard copies of digital images or documents by propelling tiny droplets of ink onto paper or other printable surfaces
152. st__k a key in a lock *v.* to put something, usually a sharp object, into something; to restrict yourself to doing or using one certain thing and not change; (noun) a thin piece of wood or other material

ANSWERS: 145. diagnose, 146. cycle, 147. sculpture, 148. sealed, 149. virus, 150. disorder, 151. ink-jet, 152. stick

153. fi___e decimal *adj.* having a limit or restriction of size, time, etc.
154. telescopic vi___n *n.* the ability to think about or see the future with imagination and intelligence; the faculty of being able to see
155. field of vi___l arts *adj.* relating to seeing or sight
156. s___n thread out of cotton *v.* to cause something to rotate rapidly; to cause someone to feel dizzy or disoriented
157. fire st___k *v.* to put something, usually a sharp object, into something; to restrict yourself to doing or using one certain thing and not change; (noun) a thin piece of wood or other material
158. decision-making pr____s *n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products
159. g___b an audience *v.* to take hold of something or someone suddenly with a hand, especially in a violent way
160. pr____ly affect adults *adv.* mainly
161. in____le patient *adj.* not able to be cured, healed, or remedied; beyond recovery or redemption

ANSWERS: 153. finite, 154. vision, 155. visual, 156. spin, 157. stick, 158. process, 159. grab, 160. primarily, 161. incurable

162. d_e a T-shirt red *v.* to color a textile or hair by immersing it in a colored liquid or substance
163. tu___l disease *n.* an underground or underwater passage, typically for trains or cars
164. de___y safety measures *v.* to move troops or weapons into a position or military action; to bring into something in an effective way
165. co_____e my thoughts *v.* to write music, poetry, or formal writing; to constitute or make up a whole, or a specified part of it
166. gastronomic ad_____res *n.* a journey or a series of events that is unusual, exciting, or dangerous
167. re_____e one word with another *v.* to take the place of something
168. deg_____te into recession *v.* (of a person, animal, or plant) to become worse in health or physical condition
169. a per_____ve view *n.* a confident attitude toward something; a particular style of thinking about something
170. the evidence of the pr_____ce *n.* the fact or state that someone or something exists, occurs, or is present
171. su___r bad grades *v.* to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant
172. l__p of faith *v.* to jump or spring into the air, often with the feet leaving the ground or a surface below; to move quickly or suddenly, often forward or upward

ANSWERS: 162. dye, 163. tunnel, 164. deploy, 165. compose, 166. adventure, 167. replace, 168. degenerate, 169. perspective, 170. presence, 171. suffer, 172. leap

173. school adm_____tor *n.* a person or organization responsible for managing and directing the affairs of a business, institution, government agency, or other organization; someone who administers, regulates, or supervises
174. deg_____te into a disagreement *v.* (of a person, animal, or plant) to become worse in health or physical condition
175. th_____y for a patient *n.* the act of caring for someone through medication, remedial training, etc.
176. s__n a top *v.* to cause something to rotate rapidly; to cause someone to feel dizzy or disoriented
177. industrial sy_____is *n.* a close, prolonged association between two or more different species of organisms, typically to the advantage of all
178. de_____p a skill *v.* to grow or expand; to improve or refine through a process of progress and refinement, often to achieve greater sophistication or complexity; to elaborate or add detail to something that is in the process of being created
179. tu____l construction work *n.* an underground or underwater passage, typically for trains or cars
180. op__c illusion *adj.* relating to vision or the eyes; relating to or involving light or optics
181. feel cr____y *adj.* causing an uneasy feeling of fear or unease

ANSWERS: 173. administrator, 174. degenerate, 175. therapy, 176. spin, 177. symbiosis, 178. develop, 179. tunnel, 180. optic, 181. creepy

182. the b__z of a cicada
v. to make a continuous, low humming sound such as the one bee makes; an exciting and active atmosphere
183. ha_____ld device
adj. designed to be held in one hand; portable, and compact enough to be carried or used on the go
184. a bacterial in_____on
n. a condition in which pathogenic microorganisms or viruses have entered the body
185. co_____e an essay
v. to write music, poetry, or formal writing; to constitute or make up a whole, or a specified part of it
186. im_____ry number
adj. existing only in someone's mind
187. research fel_____ip
n. an association of people who share common interests or goals, typically involving research, study, or a specific profession
188. intended pr_____ly for young people
adv. mainly
189. the DNA se_____ce
n. a series of related events, actions, numbers, etc., which have a particular order
190. me___r for life
n. a person who helps and advises a younger or less experienced person over time, usually at work or school
191. fla_____ht beam
n. a portable electric light with a handle and a switch that can be turned on and off

ANSWERS: 182. buzz, 183. handheld, 184. infection, 185. compose, 186. imaginary, 187. fellowship, 188. primarily, 189. sequence, 190. mentor, 191. flashlight

192. cr___y atmosphere

adj. causing an uneasy feeling of fear or
unease

ANSWERS: 192. creepy

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The athlete was able to _____ over the hurdle with ease.
v. to jump or spring into the air, often with the feet leaving the ground or a surface below; to move quickly or suddenly, often forward or upward
2. We packed and shipped the product in _____ containers.
adj. closed or secured with
3. The old building _____ in a fiery inferno.
v. to burst or break open violently and noisily; to cause something to burst or break open
4. He sailed the Atlantic Ocean multiple times during his _____.
n. a journey or a series of events that is unusual, exciting, or dangerous
5. Damage to the _____ may play a role in the development of glaucoma.
n. the innermost light-sensitive membrane covering the back wall of the eyeball
6. We must _____ a new system to streamline our workflow and increase efficiency.
v. to grow or expand; to improve or refine through a process of progress and refinement, often to achieve greater sophistication or complexity; to elaborate or add detail to something that is in the process of being created
7. The construction industry is labor _____ although it has been somewhat automated by introducing large machinery.
adj. involving a lot of work or activity in a short time

ANSWERS: 1. leap, 2. sealed, 3. exploded, 4. adventures, 5. retina, 6. develop, 7. intensive,

8. Videos documenting the process of creating this pencil _____ have been popular worldwide.
n. the pieces of art, such as pictures and photographs used in books, magazines, etc.
9. He emphasized the _____ of immediate action.
n. the state or fact of being needed; anything indispensable
10. The _____ between the coral and the algae is an important example of mutualism.
n. a close, prolonged association between two or more different species of organisms, typically to the advantage of all
11. In every civilization, rulers have tried everything possible to obtain _____ life.
adj. being without beginning or end; lasting forever
12. The ____ of the swamp made it difficult to walk through the field.
n. a soft, wet, sticky earth or clay
13. _____ the text from Italian into English.
v. to convert or change words into another language
14. The _____ of scientists worked together to conduct research and make important discoveries.
n. an association of people who share common interests or goals, typically involving research, study, or a specific profession
15. The building makes a remarkable _____ impact.
adj. relating to seeing or sight

ANSWERS: 8. artwork, 9. necessity, 10. symbiosis, 11. eternal, 12. mud, 13. Translate, 14. fellowship, 15. visual

16. Hospitals must meet various standards to prevent nosocomial _____.
- n.* a condition in which pathogenic microorganisms or viruses have entered the body
17. He _____ himself in his research.
- v.* to become fully involved in a particular activity; to dip or submerge in a liquid, especially so that they or it are entirely covered
18. The patient was diagnosed with an _____ disease and given only a few months to live.
- adj.* not able to be cured, healed, or remedied; beyond recovery or redemption
19. The campaign ad was designed with bright colors and bold fonts for maximum _____ impact.
- adj.* relating to vision or the eyes; relating to or involving light or optics
20. The _____ of the dancers on stage was graceful and elegant.
- n.* a group of people working together to achieve a shared goal, especially a political, social, or artistic one; the process of moving or being moved, physically or figuratively
21. Eventually, the new design will _____ all older models.
- v.* to take the place of something
22. The ancient Greek _____ are known for their realism and attention to detail.
- n.* the art of creating three-dimensional objects or forms, typically by carving, modeling, or casting in a variety of materials such as stone, wood, metal, or clay

ANSWERS: 16. infections, 17. immersed, 18. incurable, 19. optic, 20. movement, 21. replace, 22. sculptures

23. Sitting for long hours in front of the computer is considered _____.
adj. not conducive to good health; detrimental to physical or mental well-being
24. The older man _____ from arthritis and finds it difficult to move around.
v. to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant
25. The once-thriving city has _____ into a crime-ridden slum.
v. (of a person, animal, or plant) to become worse in health or physical condition
26. He removed the _____ from the tree.
n. the hard outer layer of a tree; a sound made by dogs or some other animals
27. A cake with a _____ filling is a delicious treat.
n. something that consists of multiple layers or levels
28. As a _____ he helped me realize my career.
n. a person who helps and advises a younger or less experienced person over time, usually at work or school
29. I underwent aversion _____ for my addiction to alcohol.
n. the act of caring for someone through medication, remedial training, etc.
30. The new prime minister has vowed to take measures against the _____ economic crisis.
adj. continuing to exist or develop, or currently happening
31. Recent electoral shocks have shaken the political _____ in Europe.
n. an expanse of scenery that can be seen in a single view; a large area of land, especially in the country and relating to its appearance

ANSWERS: 23. unhealthy, 24. suffers, 25. degenerated, 26. bark, 27. multilayer, 28. mentor, 29. therapy, 30. ongoing, 31. landscape

32. The statue was built as a _____ to the soldiers who died in the war.
n. a payment, gift, or other forms of recognition made in honor of or submission to another person or entity
33. Shall we _____ a bite to eat?
v. to take hold of something or someone suddenly with a hand, especially in a violent way
34. The _____ industry is a major contributor to air pollution in cities.
n. a road vehicle that has four wheels and is powered by an engine, used for transporting people or goods
35. I heard the _____ of conversation from the next room.
v. to make a continuous, low humming sound such as the one bee makes; an exciting and active atmosphere
36. The positive attitude of the supervisor _____ the discussion.
v. to make something full of interest and energy
37. 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
38. He spent hours every day _____ figures out of clay.
v. to create a work of art by carving, casting, or other shaping techniques
39. The path to a solid online _____ necessitates a high technical ability.
n. the fact or state that someone or something exists, occurs, or is present

ANSWERS: 32. tribute, 33. grab, 34. automobile, 35. buzz, 36. animated, 37. device, 38. sculpting, 39. presence

40. He suffers from _____ breakdowns.

adj. worried and anxious about something; relating to the nerves

41. The flying car is presently in the _____ stage.

n. a first or preliminary example of something such as a device or vehicle from which other forms are developed

42. The room was _____ of any furniture or decorations.

adj. completely lacking or free from something

43. He did complicated pen-and-ink drawings like medieval _____.

adj. being on a very small scale

44. The workers had to dig through solid rock to create the vehicular _____ allowing the cars to pass through the mountain.

n. an underground or underwater passage, typically for trains or cars

45. He used a backup _____ to find his way through the dark cave.

n. a portable electric light with a handle and a switch that can be turned on and off

46. Various artificially induced causes are _____ our ecosystem.

v. to utter intentions of injury or punishment against someone

47. The top of the hill offered a breathtaking _____ of the city below.

n. an unobstructed and wide view of an area or surrounding, typically seen from a high point or distance; a comprehensive or panoramic survey or presentation of a subject or topic

48. 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

ANSWERS: 40. nervous, 41. prototype, 42. devoid, 43. miniatures, 44. tunnel, 45. flashlight, 46. threatening, 47. panorama, 48. monitor

49. 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

50. An infected person in the hospital will likely pass the _____ to others.

- n.* a tiny infectious organic material that causes disease in people, animals, and plants

51. The technician used a _____ tool to fix the machine.

- adj.* designed to be held in one hand; portable, and compact enough to be carried or used on the go

52. The structure is _____ of three main components.

- v.* to write music, poetry, or formal writing; to constitute or make up a whole, or a specified part of it

53. The tornado is _____ across the countryside, destroying everything in its path.

- v.* to cause something to rotate rapidly; to cause someone to feel dizzy or disoriented

54. We _____ to achieve more wages and safer working conditions.

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

55. The wall was _____ with posters and graffiti.

- adj.* made smooth by applying a sticky or glossy substance; very drunk

56. The doctor advised him to _____ down for a check.

- v.* to remove the surface from something; (noun) a sizeable narrow piece of something such as paper, metal, cloth, etc., or area of land, sea, etc.

ANSWERS: 49. discovery, 50. virus, 51. handheld, 52. composed, 53. spinning, 54. strike, 55. plastered, 56. strip

57. Driving is difficult for me because of my poor _____.

- n.* the ability to think about or see the future with imagination and intelligence; the faculty of being able to see

58. She finally decided to _____ herself from the company.

- v.* to unfasten or disjoin something, especially to break the connection between a supply of gas, water, or electricity and a piece of equipment

59. The _____ of the characters in the movie was so realistic, and it was as if they were there.

- n.* the technique of photographing successive drawings or positions of puppets or models to create an illusion of movement when the film is shown as a sequence; enthusiasm and energy in the way you look or behave

60. The economy is growing at a supercharged _____.

- n.* the speed at which someone or something moves, or the rate at which something happens or changes

61. She _____ her hair purple for a change.

- v.* to color a textile or hair by immersing it in a colored liquid or substance

62. The product is still in the _____ stage.

- adj.* relating to or based on new ideas, forms, methods, etc. that have not been tried before, usually to find out what effect they have

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

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

ANSWERS: 57. vision, 58. disconnect, 59. animation, 60. pace, 61. dyed, 62. experimental, 63. stick

64. Little children tend to have _____ friends.

adj. existing only in someone's mind

65. We do move forward with those tasks in _____ next week.

n. a series of related events, actions, numbers, etc., which have a particular order

66. I found an old _____ of my grandparents from their wedding day.

n. a picture or image that is produced by a camera; a visual representation or record of a person, object, or scene that has been captured electronically or on film

67. The kitten had _____ fur that was soft to the touch.

adj. soft and light, often with a texture that resembles feathers or fur

68. All peaceful cooperation is based _____ on mutual trust.

adv. mainly

69. The doctor prescribed some medicine for the mental _____.

n. an untidy state or a lack of organization; a physical condition or illness that causes problems with how a section of the body or brain functions

70. The _____ disease can spread quickly and potentially cause a global pandemic.

adj. spreading very quickly, and often aggressively, and difficult to stop

71. The _____ for applying for a visa can be lengthy and complicated.

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

ANSWERS: 64. imaginary, 65. sequence, 66. photograph, 67. fluffy, 68. primarily, 69. disorder, 70. invasive, 71. process

72. The university's _____ announced new policies regarding campus safety.
- n.* a person or organization responsible for managing and directing the affairs of a business, institution, government agency, or other organization; someone who administers, regulates, or supervises
73. She loves to hike _____ and explore nature.
- adv.* in or into the open air; outside a building or structure
74. His anti-_____ practices were quite strict.
- n.* a state of great comfort or sophistication, mainly provided by expensive and beautiful things
75. Italian _____ is known for its use of fresh ingredients and bold flavors.
- n.* the style of cooking characteristic of a particular country, region, or establishment
76. The Grand _____ has an awe-inspiring sight.
- n.* a large deep valley with very steep sides of rock and usually formed by a river
77. The old, abandoned house was _____ and gave me the chills.
- adj.* causing an uneasy feeling of fear or unease
78. The _____ team worked quickly to save the patient's life.
- adj.* relating to the treatment of illness or injuries; relating to the practice of medicine
79. Truth is stranger than _____.
- n.* the type of book or story, especially novels, that describes imaginary events and people; anything made up or imagined that is not true

ANSWERS: 72. administrator, 73. outdoors, 74. luxury, 75. cuisine, 76. Canyon, 77. creepy, 78. medical, 79. fiction

80. This device is used to _____ brain cancer and other tumors.
- v.* to determine or distinguish the nature of a problem or an illness through a careful analysis
81. She works at a recording _____ in Los Angeles.
- n.* a room or building where creative or artistic work is produced; a television or radio production company
82. Necessity is the mother of _____.
- n.* the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation; the act of inventing
83. Composition by artificial intelligence is no longer a _____.
- n.* a fiction with a large amount of imagination in it; a pleasant situation that you imagine but that is unlikely to happen
84. Terrorists often attempt to _____ the economic impact of their acts of destruction.
- v.* to make something look bigger than it really is, especially by looking at it through a lens; to make something bigger, stronger, or louder
85. He made a small _____ in the paper to fit it in the envelope.
- n.* a narrow cut or opening, often made by a sharp instrument or tool; (verb) to cut or make a long, narrow opening or incision in something, typically with a sharp instrument such as a knife or scissors
86. The symptoms of _____ may include fatigue, weakness, and fever.
- n.* a type of cancer that affects the blood and bone marrow, in which abnormal white blood cells are produced and grow uncontrollably

ANSWERS: 80. diagnose, 81. studio, 82. invention, 83. fantasy, 84. magnify, 85. slit, 86. leukemia

87. His father's death changed his whole _____ on life.
- n.* a confident attitude toward something; a particular style of thinking about something
88. The doctor will _____ a pacemaker to regulate his heart rate.
- v.* to insert or fix an artificial device in a person's body; to put an idea, attitude, etc., firmly in the mind
89. The food chain causes a material _____.
- n.* an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle
90. Bats reside in sheltered _____.
- n.* a large hole in the side of a hill, cliff, mountain, or under the ground
91. The findings of the experiment were both _____ and unexpected.
- adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement
92. A _____ light lit up the party, creating a pulsing and energetic atmosphere.
- n.* a device that produces a rapid series of intense flashes of light, often used in photography or entertainment; an instrument for studying the motion of a rapidly moving object by flashing a light on it at regular intervals
93. This country _____ its weapons in the east region.
- v.* to move troops or weapons into a position or military action; to bring into something in an effective way
94. As an _____ he had the right to make his own decisions and live his life as he saw fit.
- n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group

ANSWERS: 87. perspective, 88. implant, 89. cycle, 90. caves, 91. exciting, 92. strobe, 93. deployed, 94. individual,

95. Human beings have a _____ lifespan, so we yearn for the idea of immortality.

adj. having a limit or restriction of size, time, etc.

96. The printer used _____ technology for high-quality prints.

adj. of or relating to a type of printing technology commonly used in printers and other imaging devices that is a method of producing hard copies of digital images or documents by propelling tiny droplets of ink onto paper or other printable surfaces

ANSWERS: 95. finite, 96. ink-jet