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Session 1: Word List

deliberately

adv. done in an intentional or slow and careful manner

synonym: intentionally, knowingly, willfully

(1) **deliberately** amateurish, (2) commit a crime

deliberately

He **deliberately** misleads others.

destroy

v. to ruin or damage severely or completely; to eradicate or eliminate completely

synonym: demolish, ruin, obliterate

(1) **destroy** the ecosystem, (2) **destroyed** evidence

The building was **destroyed** in the fire and had to be rebuilt.

heritage

n. the culture and traditions that are passed down from previous generations

synonym: legacy, tradition, inheritance

(1) **heritage** site, (2) historical **heritage**

The **heritage** of the city is reflected in its architecture.

erase

v. to remove something completely, especially by rubbing it

synonym: wipe out, delete, obliterate

(1) **erase** a memory, (2) **erased** the files

He attempted to **erase** the misspelled word.

erosion

n. the wearing away of rock, soil, or land by natural processes such as wind or water

synonym: corrosion, weathering, decay

(1) **erosion** control, (2) wind **erosion**

The **erosion** of the coastline has accelerated due to rising sea levels.

disaster

n. an unexpected event or series of events that cause widespread damage, destruction, or loss of life

synonym: catastrophe, calamity, tragedy

(1) global **disaster**, (2) **disaster** recovery

The **disaster** response team worked around the clock to aid those affected by the earthquake.

reclaim

v. to take back something previously lost, given, or paid, or ask to have it back

synonym: recoup, regain, retake

(1) **reclaim** a competitive position, (2) **reclaim** land from the sea

You may be entitled to **reclaim** some tax.

innovative

adj. introducing or using new methods, ideas, etc.

synonym: creative, ingenious, inventive

(1) use of **innovative** technology, (2) stylistically **innovative** works

The Prime Minister stressed the need to create **innovative** industries.

volunteer

n. a person who performs or offers to perform a job or service without being paid for or forced to do

synonym: unpaid worker, draftee, enlistee

(1) seek **volunteers**, (2) my **volunteer** work

The teachers make full use of **volunteer** assistance.

archaeology

n. the branch of anthropology that studies prehistoric people and their cultures

(1) the institute of **archaeology**, (2) prehistoric **archaeology**
She teaches **archaeology** at the local university.

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**.

statue

n. a sculpture of a person or animal, typically made of stone or metal, that is intended to represent the subject in a lifelike or symbolic way

synonym: sculpture, figurine, monument

(1) a beautiful **statue**, (2) the ancient Egyptian **statues**

The **statue** of the famous hero stood proudly in the town square.

artifact

n. a person-made object, especially one of historical or cultural interest

synonym: antique, relic, heirloom

(1) paleolithic **artifacts**, (2) Peruvian **artifacts**

The museum has a vast collection of Greek **artifacts**.

ancient

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

synonym: archaic, age-old, obsolete

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

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

fragment

n. a small piece or part broken off or detached

synonym: piece, shard, segment

(1) **fragment** of a text, (2) a broken **fragment**

The archaeologist carefully pieced together the tiny

fragments of pottery found at the dig site.

pose

v. to present a risk, problem, or other issues that must be addressed

synonym: present, put, position

(1) **pose** a significant threat to my company, (2) **pose** a challenge

The chemicals **pose** a massive health risk.

tunic

n. a loose, flowing garment typically worn as an outer layer by ancient Greeks and Romans, or a similar piece of clothing with a similar style or purpose

synonym: garment, robe, gown

(1) **tunic** dress, (2) embroidered **tunic**

She wore a flowy **tunic** to the beach to stay cool and comfortable in the hot weather.

representative

n. someone who speaks or acts officially on behalf of another person or group of people

synonym: spokesperson, agent, delegate

(1) an official **representative**, (2) sales **representative**

The media **representatives** had special passes.

priest

n. a person who performs religious duties and ceremonies, especially in the Christian faith

synonym: clergyman, minister, pastor

(1) **priest** in clerical garb, (2) faithful **priest**

He was ordained as a **priest** in the Catholic Church.

elaborate

adj. containing a lot of carefully prepared and organized or many complicated and detailed parts

synonym: detailed, intricate, complicated

(1) an **elaborate** hat, (2) **elaborate** Ponzi scheme

He proposed an **elaborate** program of public works.

decor

n. the arrangement and style of the furniture, art, and other items in a room or building, used to create a particular

atmosphere or aesthetic

synonym : ornamentation, embellishment, adornment

(1) tropical **decor**, (2) **decor** styles

The **decor** of the restaurant gave it a cozy and inviting feel.

religion

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

synonym : faith, creed, belief

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

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

function

n. the purpose or use of an object, system, or process; a particular activity or operation that is designed to serve a specific purpose; a mathematical concept that describes a relationship between two sets of values, called the input and output sets; (verb) to operate or work in a specific way, or to perform a particular task or purpose

synonym : purpose, mapping, job

(1) **function** properly, (2) immune **function**

The brain is an incredibly complex organ that controls the body's **function**.

preserve

v. to keep or maintain a particular quality, feature, etc., especially to prevent it from decaying, being damaged, or being destroyed

synonym : conserve, care for, maintain

(1) **preserve** my strength, (2) **preserve** a country's heritage

They worked hard to **preserve** the nature of their native lands.

invasion

n. army's act of forcibly entering another country or territory to take control of it

synonym : aggression, attack, raid

(1) the Turkish **invasion**, (2) home **invasion**

An **invasion** would most probably result in a political

catastrophe.

relocate

v. to move or move something or someone to a new place and build a house or a business there

synonym: emigrate, resettle, migrate

(1) **relocate** a company, (2) **relocate** with a new job

The university **relocated** to campuses several miles away.

release

v. to set free or allow to escape from confinement

synonym: free, let go, discharge

(1) **release** a prisoner, (2) **release** CO2 into the air

The animal rights group worked to **release** the dolphins back into the wild.

instantly

adv. immediately

synonym: immediately, right away, directly

(1) **instantly** cope with, (2) be killed **instantly**

I remembered that person **instantly** and never forgot.

viral

adj. relating to or caused by a virus

(1) fight **viral** infections, (2) detect a **viral** code

This device can more accurately detect **viral** pathogens.

clip

n. a small metal or plastic device used for holding an object or objects together or in place; a short part of electronic media, either an audio clip or video clip

synonym: buckle, hook, pin

(1) tie **clip**, (2) short video **clip**

He fastens some sheets of paper with a **clip**.

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.

Arabic

n. the Semitic language of the Arab people, widely spoken throughout the Middle East and North Africa; of or relating to Arab peoples, culture, or language

(1) **Arabic** cuisine, (2) **Arabic** language

I'm studying **Arabic** calligraphy as part of my art class.

pleasant

adj. enjoyable, attractive, friendly, or agreeable

synonym: agreeable, delightful, pleasing

(1) **pleasant** news, (2) **pleasant** odor

The hotel's staff is very **pleasant** and efficient.

sight

n. the ability to see; anything that is seen

synonym: vision, spectacle, view

(1) an unexpected **sight**, (2) dull **sight**

Many famous **sights** are within walking distance.

topple

v. to cause to lose balance and fall over, especially by pushing

synonym: overturn, capsize, upset

(1) **topple** communist rule, (2) **topple** off a ledge

The statue was old and unstable, so it easily **toppled** over.

shock

n. a strong feeling or physical reaction to a sudden and unexpected event or experience, especially something unpleasant

synonym: amazement, surprise, stunner

(1) death from **shock**, (2) **shock-resistant**

He got an electric **shock** at work.

digital

adj. processing or storing information as a succession of 1 and 0 to show that a signal is present or missing; relating to the use of computer technology, especially the internet

synonym: numerical, computerized, cyber

(1) a **digital** watch, (2) **digital** electronic signature

Sensors convert physical phenomena into **digital** signals.

preservation

n. the act of keeping something in its original state or of preventing it from being damaged

synonym : conserving, protection, conservancy

(1) wildlife **preservation**, (2) the **preservation** of food

The museum had kept the paintings in remarkable **preservation**.

crowdsourcing

n. the practice of obtaining needed services, ideas, or content by enlisting the services of a large number of people, either paid or unpaid, typically via the internet

(1) **crowdsourcing** apps, (2) **crowdsourcing** in climate policy

The company used this **crowdsourcing** platform to gather ideas for its next product.

reconstruction

n. the process of rebuilding or repairing something that has been damaged or destroyed or of restoring something to its original condition

synonym : rebuilding, remodeling, renovation

(1) **reconstruction** aid, (2) **reconstruction** aid

The government announced a plan for the **reconstruction** of the city's infrastructure.

virtual

adj. being actually such in almost every respect; existing in essence or effect though not in actual fact

synonym : practical

(1) a **virtual** image, (2) trading of **virtual** currencies

She is the **virtual** president of the company.

photogrammetry

n. a technique for creating accurate 3D models of objects or landscapes using photographs that works by analyzing the locations and angles of multiple photographs of the same object or scene and using this data to build a 3D model

synonym : 3d measurement, remote sensing, surveying

(1) **photogrammetry** software, (2) aerial **photogrammetry**

The engineers used **photogrammetry** to create a precise

blueprint for the construction project.

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**.

dimension

n. a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length

synonym: extent, measurement, size

(1) new **dimension**, (2) the crosswise **dimension**
Overall **dimensions** are approximately 400x200mm.

magic

n. beliefs and actions employed to influence supernatural beings and forces; any art or performance that invokes supernatural powers

synonym: fascination, illusion, wizardry

(1) a **magic** spell, (2) she is **magic**
He performed **magic** tricks with sophisticated moves.

detect

v. to find or recognize something, especially something difficult to see, hear, etc.

synonym: catch, observe, notice

(1) **detect** a bad event, (2) **detect** smuggling across borders
The security camera has **detected** four intruders.

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.

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.

reconstruct

v. to build or form something again that has been damaged or destroyed

synonym : rebuild, revamp, reorganize

(1) **reconstruct** an image, (2) **reconstruct** the original text

They've decided to **reconstruct** a ruined castle.

tripod

n. a three-legged stand, typically one with a platform for a camera or other equipment

synonym : three-legged stand, three-legged base, three-legged support

(1) **tripod** mic stand, (2) **tripod** mount

The photographer set up his camera on a **tripod** to take the shot.

improve

v. to make or become better

synonym : enhance, ameliorate, enrich

(1) **improve** a process, (2) **improve** the test score

We want to **improve** ties between our two countries.

spark

v. to start something or make it grow, especially suddenly; to emit a tiny piece of fire or electricity

synonym : start, inspire, provoke

(1) **spark** his interest, (2) **spark** a chain reaction

The bankruptcy of the giant conglomerate **sparked** turmoil in the stock market.

obvious

adj. easy to see, discover or understand

synonym : apparent, conspicuous, evident

(1) **obvious** reasons, (2) his conclusion was **obvious**

There are **obvious** differences between the two wine-producing regions.

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.

economical

adj. providing a satisfactory return on the money, time, or effort; not using more money, fuel, etc. than necessary

synonym: frugal, thrifty, parsimonious

(1) **economical** use of her time, (2) an **economical** meal

It is more **economical** to wash your plastic bottle and reuse it.

lab

n. a workplace for the conduct of scientific research; a laboratory

synonym: workshop, laboratory, research chamber

(1) **lab** instrument, (2) medical **lab**

The Prime Minister will pay a courtesy visit to the Nobel laureate's **lab**.

excite

v. to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager

synonym: thrill, exhilarate, animate

(1) **excite** the crowd, (2) **excite** rebellion

The news of her promotion **excited** her.

initial

adj. of or happening at the beginning; (noun) the first letter of a word, especially a person's name

synonym: basic, primary, beginning

(1) **initial** velocity, (2) an **initial** letter

They took the **initial** step toward reconciliation.

cardboard

n. a stiff, thick material made from compressed paper pulp used to make boxes and other packaging materials

synonym: corrugated board, paperboard

(1) **cardboard** box, (2) **cardboard** cutout

I made a **cardboard** box to store my winter clothes in.

tablet

n. a small flat electronic device used for browsing the internet, reading, writing, or playing games; a small, solid pill of medicine

synonym: notepad, pill, medication

(1) a multivitamin **tablet**, (2) **tablet** keyboard

The new **tablet** device has a faster processor and better graphics than its predecessor.

screenshot

n. a digital photograph or image of what is displayed on a computer or electronic screen, often used for capturing and sharing information or documenting an issue or problem

synonym: capture, screen dump

(1) **screenshot** function, (2) send a **screenshot**

I took a **screenshot** of the error message to show the tech support team.

explicit

adj. stated clearly and in detail, leaving no room for confusion or doubt

synonym: clear, unambiguous, unequivocal

(1) **explicit** content, (2) **explicit** instructions

The movie had an **explicit** sex scene that some viewers might find offensive.

destruction

n. the act of causing so much damage to something

synonym: devastation, annihilation, ruin

(1) path of **destruction**, (2) cyclonic **destruction**

The extinction of several subspecies has been linked to climate change and habitat **destruction**.

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.

straightforward

adj. easy to do or understand, or simple; free from ambiguity
synonym : honest, candid, forthright

(1) **straightforward** manner, (2) make a **straightforward** dash

The defendant gave a **straightforward** and accurate description of the accident.

addition

n. the act or process of adding something to something else; the process of adding numbers

synonym : accumulation, expansion, addendum

(1) chemical **addition**, (2) **addition** of vectors

In **addition**, private corporations provide healthcare services.

tower

n. a structure that is exceptionally high in proportion to its width and either forms part of a building or stands alone

synonym : building, belfry, edifice

(1) a bell **tower**, (2) the **tower** on a cliff

She is a **tower** of strength for our team in trouble.

tomb

n. a large stone structure or underground chamber in which the dead are buried

synonym : grave, burial site, mausoleum

(1) bury in **tomb**, (2) the ancient **tomb**

The **tomb** of the unknown soldier honored the bravery and sacrifice of those who lost their lives in battle.

exterior

adj. situated in or suitable for the outdoors or outside of something

synonym : external, outward, outer

(1) glass **exterior**, (2) new **exterior** design

Four **exterior** walls surround the courtyard.

ceiling

n. a room's top interior surface

synonym : canopy, awning, shelter

(1) **ceiling** board, (2) **ceiling** light

There was a crack in the **ceiling** that I found.

architectural

adj. of or relating to the design and construction of buildings and other structures and the features and style of such structures

synonym : structural, building, constructive

(1) study **architectural** engineering, (2) beautiful **architectural** landmarks

The **architectural** style of the building was a mix of modern and traditional.

unfortunately

adv. by bad luck; unluckily

synonym : regrettably, unluckily, alas

(1) **unfortunately** caught in a shower, (2) even more **unfortunately**

The treatments were done but, **unfortunately**, were unsuccessful.

conflict

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

synonym : clash, discord, competition

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

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

earthquake

n. a sudden and violent shaking of the ground caused by the movement of rock beneath the earth's surface

synonym : seismic activity, tremor, temblor

(1) an **earthquake** zone, (2) an **earthquake-proof**

The violent **earthquake** caused widespread damage and injuries throughout the region.

represent

v. to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute

synonym :

depict, express, describe

(1) **represent** by a diagram, (2) the characters that **represent** numbers

We elected him to **represent** us at the international conference.

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.

database

n. a large amount of data stored in a computer system in such a way that it can be searched and updated easily

(1) **database** administrator, (2) employee **database**

Each country's officials can access the central **database**.

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.

extract

n. a short passage taken from a book, piece of music, etc.; a substance obtained from something through a specific process; (verb) to obtain from something or to remove something by effort or force

synonym: excerpt, quote, distillation

(1) a brief **extract** from the book, (2) botanical **extract**

Anesthetize the gum before **extracting** the teeth.

geotag

n. a tag or label added to a digital media file, often a photograph or video that indicates the location where it

was taken or recorded

synonym : location tag

(1) **geotag** location, (2) **geotag** function

Some GPS devices allow users to add a **geotag** to their photos for easy organization.

selfie

n. a photograph that one has taken of oneself, typically one taken with a smartphone or webcam to share on social media

synonym : self-portrait, self-photo, self-snap

(1) **selfie** stick, (2) pose for a **selfie**

She took a **selfie** in front of the famous tower and shared it on the app.

phenomenon

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

synonym : marvel, wonder, splendor

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

A rainbow is a natural **phenomenon**.

fast-forward

v. to advance or move forward in time or progress, particularly in a rapid or accelerated manner; to increase the playback speed of a recording

synonym : advance, hasten, speed up

(1) **fast-forward** 10 seconds, (2) **fast-forward** to the good part

I like to **fast-forward** through commercials when watching TV shows.

ancestor

n. a person from whom one is descended; a forefather

synonym : forebear, forefather, progenitor

(1) **ancestor** language, (2) earliest human **ancestor**

My remote **ancestor** immigrated to the United States from Ireland in the 1800s.

heartbreak

n. a feeling of great sadness or disappointment

synonym: grief, sorrow, bitterness

(1) ease her **heartbreak**, (2) go through **heartbreak**

They had experienced the **heartbreak** of losing two children due to premature births.

Session 2: Spelling

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8. rec_____ion aid *n.* the process of rebuilding or repairing something that has been damaged or destroyed or of restoring something to its original condition
9. pr_____ly affect adults *adv.* mainly

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40. Ar___c language *n.* the Semitic language of the Arab people, widely spoken throughout the Middle East and North Africa; of or relating to Arab peoples, culture, or language

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ANSWERS: 41. ancient, 42. function, 43. addition, 44. tablet, 45. erosion, 46. disaster, 47. Arabic

48. earliest human an____or *n.* a person from whom one is descended; a forefather
49. an el_____te hat *adj.* containing a lot of carefully prepared and organized or many complicated and detailed parts
50. ge___g function *n.* a tag or label added to a digital media file, often a photograph or video that indicates the location where it was taken or recorded
51. 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
52. a multivitamin ta____t *n.* a small flat electronic device used for browsing the internet, reading, writing, or playing games; a small, solid pill of medicine
53. tr___d mount *n.* a three-legged stand, typically one with a platform for a camera or other equipment
54. a beautiful st____e *n.* a sculpture of a person or animal, typically made of stone or metal, that is intended to represent the subject in a lifelike or symbolic way
55. botanical ex_____t *n.* a short passage taken from a book, piece of music, etc.; a substance obtained from something through a specific process; (verb) to obtain from something or to remove something by effort or force

ANSWERS: 48. ancestor, 49. elaborate, 50. geotag, 51. photograph, 52. tablet, 53. tripod, 54. statue, 55. extract

56. an in_____l letter *adj.* of or happening at the beginning; (noun) the first letter of a word, especially a person's name
57. rec_____ct an image *v.* to build or form something again that has been damaged or destroyed
58. a di_____l watch *adj.* processing or storing information as a succession of 1 and 0 to show that a signal is present or missing; relating to the use of computer technology, especially the internet
59. er__e a memory *v.* to remove something completely, especially by rubbing it
60. ob_____s reasons *adj.* easy to see, discover or understand
61. common in_____on *n.* the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation; the act of inventing
62. re_____nt by a diagram *v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
63. ca_____rd box *n.* a stiff, thick material made from compressed paper pulp used to make boxes and other packaging materials
64. cro_____ing in climate policy *n.* the practice of obtaining needed services, ideas, or content by enlisting the services of a large number of people, either paid or unpaid, typically via the internet
65. the characters that re_____nt numbers *v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute

ANSWERS: 56. initial, 57. reconstruct, 58. digital, 59. erase, 60. obvious, 61. invention, 62. represent, 63. cardboard, 64. crowdsourcing, 65. represent

66. de__r styles *n.* the arrangement and style of the furniture, art, and other items in a room or building, used to create a particular atmosphere or aesthetic
67. a bell to__r *n.* a structure that is exceptionally high in proportion to its width and either forms part of a building or stands alone
68. an eco_____al meal *adj.* providing a satisfactory return on the money, time, or effort; not using more money, fuel, etc. than necessary
69. trading of vi_____l currencies *adj.* being actually such in almost every respect; existing in essence or effect though not in actual fact
70. medical l_b *n.* a workplace for the conduct of scientific research; a laboratory
71. the crosswise di_____on *n.* a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length
72. to___e communist rule *v.* to cause to lose balance and fall over, especially by pushing
73. immune fu_____on *n.* the purpose or use of an object, system, or process; a particular activity or operation that is designed to serve a specific purpose; a mathematical concept that describes a relationship between two sets of values, called the input and output sets; (verb) to operate or work in a specific way, or to perform a particular task or purpose
74. an ear_____ke-proof *n.* a sudden and violent shaking of the ground caused by the movement of rock beneath the earth's surface

ANSWERS: 66. decor, 67. tower, 68. economical, 69. virtual, 70. lab, 71. dimension, 72. topple, 73. function, 74. earthquake

75. Peruvian ar_____cts *n.* a person-made object, especially one of historical or cultural interest
76. ind_____us worker *adj.* hardworking, diligent, and persistent in effort
77. re_____on sociology *n.* a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny
78. he_____ge site *n.* the culture and traditions that are passed down from previous generations
79. sales rep_____ive *n.* someone who speaks or acts officially on behalf of another person or group of people
80. tie c__p *n.* a small metal or plastic device used for holding an object or objects together or in place; a short part of electronic media, either an audio clip or video clip
81. pr___t in clerical garb *n.* a person who performs religious duties and ceremonies, especially in the Christian faith
82. ce_____g light *n.* a room's top interior surface
83. beautiful arc_____ral landmarks *adj.* of or relating to the design and construction of buildings and other structures and the features and style of such structures
84. re_____m a competitive position *v.* to take back something previously lost, given, or paid, or ask to have it back
85. ind_____us student *adj.* hardworking, diligent, and persistent in effort
86. the co_____ct between good and evil *n.* a strong disagreement, argument, or a violent clash between two opposing groups or individuals

ANSWERS: 75. artifact, 76. industrious, 77. religion, 78. heritage, 79. representative, 80. clip, 81. priest, 82. ceiling, 83. architectural, 84. reclaim, 85. industrious, 86. conflict

87. a brief ex_____t from the book *n.* a short passage taken from a book, piece of music, etc.; a substance obtained from something through a specific process; (verb) to obtain from something or to remove something by effort or force
88. re_____e a prisoner *v.* to set free or allow to escape from confinement
89. aerial pho_____try *n.* a technique for creating accurate 3D models of objects or landscapes using photographs that works by analyzing the locations and angles of multiple photographs of the same object or scene and using this data to build a 3D model
90. pr_____ve a country's heritage *v.* to keep or maintain a particular quality, feature, etc., especially to prevent it from decaying, being damaged, or being destroyed
91. new di_____on *n.* a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length
92. an unexpected si__t *n.* the ability to see; anything that is seen
93. se___e stick *n.* a photograph that one has taken of oneself, typically one taken with a smartphone or webcam to share on social media
94. global di_____er *n.* an unexpected event or series of events that cause widespread damage, destruction, or loss of life

ANSWERS: 87. extract, 88. release, 89. photogrammetry, 90. preserve, 91. dimension, 92. sight, 93. selfie, 94. disaster

95. natural phe_____on *n.* something that exists and can be perceptible, especially one that is not fully understood
96. home in_____on *n.* army's act of forcibly entering another country or territory to take control of it
97. im_____e a process *v.* to make or become better
98. pho_____try software *n.* a technique for creating accurate 3D models of objects or landscapes using photographs that works by analyzing the locations and angles of multiple photographs of the same object or scene and using this data to build a 3D model
99. in_____ly cope with *adv.* immediately
100. rec_____ct the original text *v.* to build or form something again that has been damaged or destroyed
101. cyclonic des_____on *n.* the act of causing so much damage to something
102. re_____te with a new job *v.* to move or move something or someone to a new place and build a house or a business there
103. l_b instrument *n.* a workplace for the conduct of scientific research; a laboratory
104. be killed in_____ly *adv.* immediately
105. historical phe_____on *n.* something that exists and can be perceptible, especially one that is not fully understood
106. fr_____nt of a text *n.* a small piece or part broken off or detached

ANSWERS: 95. phenomenon, 96. invasion, 97. improve, 98. photogrammetry, 99. instantly, 100. reconstruct, 101. destruction, 102. relocate, 103. lab, 104. instantly, 105. phenomenon, 106. fragment

107. freedom of re_____on *n.* a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny
108. pl_____nt news *adj.* enjoyable, attractive, friendly, or agreeable
109. study arc_____ral engineering *adj.* of or relating to the design and construction of buildings and other structures and the features and style of such structures
110. glass ex_____or *adj.* situated in or suitable for the outdoors or outside of something
111. an official rep_____ive *n.* someone who speaks or acts officially on behalf of another person or group of people
112. use of inn_____ve technology *adj.* introducing or using new methods, ideas, etc.
113. fight vi___l infections *adj.* relating to or caused by a virus
114. el_____te Ponzi scheme *adj.* containing a lot of carefully prepared and organized or many complicated and detailed parts
115. str_____ard manner *adj.* easy to do or understand, or simple; free from ambiguity
116. de_____yed evidence *v.* to ruin or damage severely or completely; to eradicate or eliminate completely
117. faithful pr____t *n.* a person who performs religious duties and ceremonies, especially in the Christian faith
118. new ex_____or design *adj.* situated in or suitable for the outdoors or outside of something

ANSWERS: 107. religion, 108. pleasant, 109. architectural, 110. exterior, 111. representative, 112. innovative, 113. viral, 114. elaborate, 115. straightforward, 116. destroy, 117. priest, 118. exterior

119. pose for a se___e *n.* a photograph that one has taken of oneself, typically one taken with a smartphone or webcam to share on social media
120. sh__k-resistant *n.* a strong feeling or physical reaction to a sudden and unexpected event or experience, especially something unpleasant
121. im_____e the test score *v.* to make or become better
122. ge___g location *n.* a tag or label added to a digital media file, often a photograph or video that indicates the location where it was taken or recorded
123. sp__k a chain reaction *v.* to start something or make it grow, especially suddenly; to emit a tiny piece of fire or electricity
124. unf_____ely caught in a shower *adv.* by bad luck; unluckily
125. she is ma__c *n.* beliefs and actions employed to influence supernatural beings and forces; any art or performance that invokes supernatural powers
126. ease her hea_____ak *n.* a feeling of great sadness or disappointment
127. a broken fr_____nt *n.* a small piece or part broken off or detached
128. intended pr_____ly for young people *adv.* mainly
129. paleolithic ar_____cts *n.* a person-made object, especially one of historical or cultural interest

ANSWERS: 119. selfie, 120. shock, 121. improve, 122. geotag, 123. spark, 124. unfortunately, 125. magic, 126. heartbreak, 127. fragment, 128. primarily, 129. artifact

130. prehistoric arc_____gy *n.* the branch of anthropology that studies prehistoric people and their cultures
131. the longstanding co_____ct *n.* a strong disagreement, argument, or a violent clash between two opposing groups or individuals
132. path of des_____on *n.* the act of causing so much damage to something
133. ex___e the crowd *v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager
134. er___ed the files *v.* to remove something completely, especially by rubbing it
135. tropical de___r *n.* the arrangement and style of the furniture, art, and other items in a room or building, used to create a particular atmosphere or aesthetic
136. de___t smuggling across borders *v.* to find or recognize something, especially something difficult to see, hear, etc.
137. 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
138. stylistically inn_____ve works *adj.* introducing or using new methods, ideas, etc.
139. make a str_____ard dash *adj.* easy to do or understand, or simple; free from ambiguity
140. 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

ANSWERS: 130. archaeology, 131. conflict, 132. destruction, 133. excite, 134. erase, 135. decor, 136. detect, 137. develop, 138. innovative, 139. straightforward, 140. decide

141. re____m land from the sea *v.* to take back something previously lost, given, or paid, or ask to have it back
142. cro_____ing apps *n.* the practice of obtaining needed services, ideas, or content by enlisting the services of a large number of people, either paid or unpaid, typically via the internet
143. er_____n control *n.* the wearing away of rock, soil, or land by natural processes such as wind or water
144. sp__k his interest *v.* to start something or make it grow, especially suddenly; to emit a tiny piece of fire or electricity
145. commit a crime del_____ely *adv.* done in an intentional or slow and careful manner
146. an ear_____ke zone *n.* a sudden and violent shaking of the ground caused by the movement of rock beneath the earth's surface
147. the ancient Egyptian st____es *n.* a sculpture of a person or animal, typically made of stone or metal, that is intended to represent the subject in a lifelike or symbolic way
148. de___e a question *v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options
149. ex_____it instructions *adj.* stated clearly and in detail, leaving no room for confusion or doubt
150. even more unf_____ely *adv.* by bad luck; unluckily
151. wildlife pre_____ion *n.* the act of keeping something in its original state or of preventing it from being damaged

ANSWERS: 141. reclaim, 142. crowdsourcing, 143. erosion, 144. spark, 145. deliberately, 146. earthquake, 147. statue, 148. decide, 149. explicit, 150. unfortunately, 151. preservation

152. the to__r on a cliff *n.* a structure that is exceptionally high in proportion to its width and either forms part of a building or stands alone
153. short video c__p *n.* a small metal or plastic device used for holding an object or objects together or in place; a short part of electronic media, either an audio clip or video clip
154. the ancient t__b *n.* a large stone structure or underground chamber in which the dead are buried
155. de___t a bad event *v.* to find or recognize something, especially something difficult to see, hear, etc.
156. p__e a significant threat to my company *v.* to present a risk, problem, or other issues that must be addressed
157. the institute of arc_____gy *n.* the branch of anthropology that studies prehistoric people and their cultures
158. ce_____g board *n.* a room's top interior surface
159. intellectual f__t *n.* a notable or impressive achievement, especially one that requires great skill or bravery
160. send a scr_____ot *n.* a digital photograph or image of what is displayed on a computer or electronic screen, often used for capturing and sharing information or documenting an issue or problem
161. si__e the edges of a fabric *v.* to burn something slightly or superficially, usually by mistake
162. tr___d mic stand *n.* a three-legged stand, typically one with a platform for a camera or other equipment

ANSWERS: 152. tower, 153. clip, 154. tomb, 155. detect, 156. pose, 157. archaeology, 158. ceiling, 159. feat, 160. screenshot, 161. singe, 162. tripod

163. scr_____ot function *n.* a digital photograph or image of what is displayed on a computer or electronic screen, often used for capturing and sharing information or documenting an issue or problem
164. a ma__c spell *n.* beliefs and actions employed to influence supernatural beings and forces; any art or performance that invokes supernatural powers
165. eco_____al use of her time *adj.* providing a satisfactory return on the money, time, or effort; not using more money, fuel, etc. than necessary
166. re_____e CO2 into the air *v.* to set free or allow to escape from confinement
167. seek vo_____ers *n.* a person who performs or offers to perform a job or service without being paid for or forced to do
168. bury in t__b *n.* a large stone structure or underground chamber in which the dead are buried
169. tu__c dress *n.* a loose, flowing garment typically worn as an outer layer by ancient Greeks and Romans, or a similar piece of clothing with a similar style or purpose

ANSWERS: 163. screenshot, 164. magic, 165. economical, 166. release, 167. volunteer, 168. tomb, 169. tunic

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The treatments were done but, _____ were unsuccessful.
adv. by bad luck; unluckily
2. He was known to be very _____ and would often work late into the night.
adj. hardworking, diligent, and persistent in effort
3. The photographer set up his camera on a _____ to take the shot.
n. a three-legged stand, typically one with a platform for a camera or other equipment
4. 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
5. Some GPS devices allow users to add a _____ to their photos for easy organization.
n. a tag or label added to a digital media file, often a photograph or video that indicates the location where it was taken or recorded
6. Sensors convert physical phenomena into _____ signals.
adj. processing or storing information as a succession of 1 and 0 to show that a signal is present or missing; relating to the use of computer technology, especially the internet
7. The _____ style of the building was a mix of modern and traditional.
adj. of or relating to the design and construction of buildings and other structures and the features and style of such structures

ANSWERS: 1. unfortunately, 2. industrious, 3. tripod, 4. discovery, 5. geotag, 6. digital, 7. architectural

8. They took the _____ step toward reconciliation.

adj. of or happening at the beginning; (noun) the first letter of a word, especially a person's name

9. She took a _____ in front of the famous tower and shared it on the app.

n. a photograph that one has taken of oneself, typically one taken with a smartphone or webcam to share on social media

10. He attempted to _____ the misspelled word.

v. to remove something completely, especially by rubbing it

11. The movie had an _____ sex scene that some viewers might find offensive.

adj. stated clearly and in detail, leaving no room for confusion or doubt

12. The news of her promotion _____ her.

v. to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager

13. Each country's officials can access the central _____.

n. a large amount of data stored in a computer system in such a way that it can be searched and updated easily

14. He was ordained as a _____ in the Catholic Church.

n. a person who performs religious duties and ceremonies, especially in the Christian faith

15. He fastens some sheets of paper with a _____.

n. a small metal or plastic device used for holding an object or objects together or in place; a short part of electronic media, either an audio clip or video clip

ANSWERS: 8. initial, 9. selfie, 10. erase, 11. explicit, 12. excited, 13. database, 14. priest, 15. clip

16. 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
17. I remembered that person _____ and never forgot.
adv. immediately
18. We elected him to _____ us at the international conference.
v. to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
19. The _____ of the city is reflected in its architecture.
n. the culture and traditions that are passed down from previous generations
20. They had experienced the _____ of losing two children due to premature births.
n. a feeling of great sadness or disappointment
21. They've decided to _____ a ruined castle.
v. to build or form something again that has been damaged or destroyed
22. The bankruptcy of the giant conglomerate _____ turmoil in the stock market.
v. to start something or make it grow, especially suddenly; to emit a tiny piece of fire or electricity
23. The Prime Minister will pay a courtesy visit to the Nobel laureate's _____.
n. a workplace for the conduct of scientific research; a laboratory

ANSWERS: 16. photograph, 17. instantly, 18. represent, 19. heritage, 20. heartbreak, 21. reconstruct, 22. sparked, 23. lab

24. The chemicals _____ a massive health risk.

v. to present a risk, problem, or other issues that must be addressed

25. He proposed an _____ program of public works.

adj. containing a lot of carefully prepared and organized or many complicated and detailed parts

26. The _____ of the famous hero stood proudly in the town square.

n. a sculpture of a person or animal, typically made of stone or metal, that is intended to represent the subject in a lifelike or symbolic way

27. The teachers make full use of _____ assistance.

n. a person who performs or offers to perform a job or service without being paid for or forced to do

28. She wore a flowy _____ to the beach to stay cool and comfortable in the hot weather.

n. a loose, flowing garment typically worn as an outer layer by ancient Greeks and Romans, or a similar piece of clothing with a similar style or purpose

29. We want to _____ ties between our two countries.

v. to make or become better

30. The media _____ had special passes.

n. someone who speaks or acts officially on behalf of another person or group of people

31. He performed _____ tricks with sophisticated moves.

n. beliefs and actions employed to influence supernatural beings and forces; any art or performance that invokes supernatural powers

ANSWERS: 24. pose, 25. elaborate, 26. statue, 27. volunteer, 28. tunic, 29. improve, 30. representatives, 31. magic

32. The university _____ to campuses several miles away.
- v. to move or move something or someone to a new place and build a house or a business there
33. The _____ of the coastline has accelerated due to rising sea levels.
- n. the wearing away of rock, soil, or land by natural processes such as wind or water
34. The museum has a vast collection of Greek _____.
- n. a person-made object, especially one of historical or cultural interest
35. The archaeologist carefully pieced together the tiny _____ of pottery found at the dig site.
- n. a small piece or part broken off or detached
36. 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
37. In _____ private corporations provide healthcare services.
- n. the act or process of adding something to something else; the process of adding numbers
38. They worked hard to _____ the nature of their native lands.
- v. to keep or maintain a particular quality, feature, etc., especially to prevent it from decaying, being damaged, or being destroyed
39. I like to _____ through commercials when watching TV shows.
- v. to advance or move forward in time or progress, particularly in a rapid or accelerated manner; to increase the playback speed of a recording

ANSWERS: 32. relocated, 33. erosion, 34. artifacts, 35. fragments, 36. decide, 37. addition, 38. preserve, 39. fast-forward

40. The engineers used _____ to create a precise blueprint for the construction project.
- n.* a technique for creating accurate 3D models of objects or landscapes using photographs that works by analyzing the locations and angles of multiple photographs of the same object or scene and using this data to build a 3D model
41. I'm studying _____ calligraphy as part of my art class.
- n.* the Semitic language of the Arab people, widely spoken throughout the Middle East and North Africa; of or relating to Arab peoples, culture, or language
42. She is the _____ president of the company.
- adj.* being actually such in almost every respect; existing in essence or effect though not in actual fact
43. It is more _____ to wash your plastic bottle and reuse it.
- adj.* providing a satisfactory return on the money, time, or effort; not using more money, fuel, etc. than necessary
44. The _____ response team worked around the clock to aid those affected by the earthquake.
- n.* an unexpected event or series of events that cause widespread damage, destruction, or loss of life
45. This device can more accurately detect _____ pathogens.
- adj.* relating to or caused by a virus
46. 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

ANSWERS: 40. photogrammetry, 41. Arabic, 42. virtual, 43. economical, 44. disaster, 45. viral, 46. develop

47. The government announced a plan for the _____ of the city's infrastructure.
- n.* the process of rebuilding or repairing something that has been damaged or destroyed or of restoring something to its original condition
48. My remote _____ immigrated to the United States from Ireland in the 1800s.
- n.* a person from whom one is descended; a forefather
49. The museum had kept the paintings in remarkable _____.
- n.* the act of keeping something in its original state or of preventing it from being damaged
50. They have been living near water since _____ times.
- adj.* relating to the long ago, particularly the historical period preceding the fall of the Western Roman Empire; very old
51. There was a crack in the _____ that I found.
- n.* a room's top interior surface
52. The company used this _____ platform to gather ideas for its next product.
- n.* the practice of obtaining needed services, ideas, or content by enlisting the services of a large number of people, either paid or unpaid, typically via the internet
53. The defendant gave a _____ and accurate description of the accident.
- adj.* easy to do or understand, or simple; free from ambiguity
54. The animal rights group worked to _____ the dolphins back into the wild.
- v.* to set free or allow to escape from confinement

ANSWERS: 47. reconstruction, 48. ancestor, 49. preservation, 50. ancient, 51. ceiling, 52. crowdsourcing, 53. straightforward, 54. release

55. The extinction of several subspecies has been linked to climate change and habitat _____.
- n.* the act of causing so much damage to something
56. The violent _____ caused widespread damage and injuries throughout the region.
- n.* a sudden and violent shaking of the ground caused by the movement of rock beneath the earth's surface
57. The new _____ device has a faster processor and better graphics than its predecessor.
- n.* a small flat electronic device used for browsing the internet, reading, writing, or playing games; a small, solid pill of medicine
58. I took a _____ of the error message to show the tech support team.
- n.* a digital photograph or image of what is displayed on a computer or electronic screen, often used for capturing and sharing information or documenting an issue or problem
59. She teaches _____ at the local university.
- n.* the branch of anthropology that studies prehistoric people and their cultures
60. Their _____ strictly prohibits them from drinking or gambling.
- n.* a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny
61. You may be entitled to _____ some tax.
- v.* to take back something previously lost, given, or paid, or ask to have it back
62. All peaceful cooperation is based _____ on mutual trust.
- adv.* mainly

ANSWERS: 55. destruction, 56. earthquake, 57. tablet, 58. screenshot, 59. archaeology, 60. religion, 61. reclaim, 62. primarily

63. The _____ of the unknown soldier honored the bravery and sacrifice of those who lost their lives in battle.
- n.* a large stone structure or underground chamber in which the dead are buried
64. There are _____ differences between the two wine-producing regions.
- adj.* easy to see, discover or understand
65. He got an electric _____ at work.
- n.* a strong feeling or physical reaction to a sudden and unexpected event or experience, especially something unpleasant
66. I made a _____ box to store my winter clothes in.
- n.* a stiff, thick material made from compressed paper pulp used to make boxes and other packaging materials
67. She is a _____ of strength for our team in trouble.
- n.* a structure that is exceptionally high in proportion to its width and either forms part of a building or stands alone
68. The brain is an incredibly complex organ that controls the body's _____.
- n.* the purpose or use of an object, system, or process; a particular activity or operation that is designed to serve a specific purpose; a mathematical concept that describes a relationship between two sets of values, called the input and output sets; (verb) to operate or work in a specific way, or to perform a particular task or purpose
69. 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

ANSWERS: 63. tomb, 64. obvious, 65. shock, 66. cardboard, 67. tower, 68. function, 69. feat

70. The hotel's staff is very _____ and efficient.

adj. enjoyable, attractive, friendly, or agreeable

71. I didn't realize the iron was still hot and _____ my dress.

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

72. The building was _____ in the fire and had to be rebuilt.

v. to ruin or damage severely or completely; to eradicate or eliminate completely

73. Four _____ walls surround the courtyard.

adj. situated in or suitable for the outdoors or outside of something

74. A rainbow is a natural _____.

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

75. Anesthetize the gum before _____ the teeth.

n. a short passage taken from a book, piece of music, etc.; a substance obtained from something through a specific process; (verb) to obtain from something or to remove something by effort or force

76. He and I often had _____ not only in personality but also in ideology.

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

77. The statue was old and unstable, so it easily _____ over.

v. to cause to lose balance and fall over, especially by pushing

78. Many famous _____ are within walking distance.

n. the ability to see; anything that is seen

ANSWERS: 70. pleasant, 71. singed, 72. destroyed, 73. exterior, 74. phenomenon, 75. extracting, 76. conflicts, 77. toppled, 78. sights

79. The _____ of the restaurant gave it a cozy and inviting feel.

n. the arrangement and style of the furniture, art, and other items in a room or building, used to create a particular atmosphere or aesthetic

80. The security camera has _____ four intruders.

v. to find or recognize something, especially something difficult to see, hear, etc.

81. The Prime Minister stressed the need to create _____ industries.

adj. introducing or using new methods, ideas, etc.

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. He _____ misleads others.

adv. done in an intentional or slow and careful manner

84. Overall _____ are approximately 400x200mm.

n. a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length

85. An _____ would most probably result in a political catastrophe.

n. army's act of forcibly entering another country or territory to take control of it

ANSWERS: 79. decor, 80. detected, 81. innovative, 82. invention, 83. deliberately, 84. dimensions, 85. invasion