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Session 1: Word List

- ape** *n.* a large animal with long arms, no tail, and usually a lot of body hair, including gorillas, chimpanzees, orangutans, and gibbons
synonym : monkey, primate, simian
(1) jungle **ape**, (2) play the **ape**
The scientist studied the behavior of **apes** in the wild.
- orphan** *n.* a child whose parents are dead or have abandoned them
synonym : waif, stray, fatherless child
(1) **orphan** care, (2) asylum for **orphan** children
The little girl was a war **orphan** and lived in a group home.
- nonhuman** *adj.* not human; belonging to or characteristic of animals or things rather than people
synonym : inhuman, animal, artificial
(1) **nonhuman** species, (2) **nonhuman** intelligence
The experiment was conducted on **nonhuman** primates.
- synonymous** *adj.* having the same or a similar meaning as another word or phrase
synonym : equivalent, interchangeable, similar

(1) **synonymous** terms, (2) non- **synonymous** mutation
The phrase "big shot" and "important person" are **synonymous**.

humming

adj. producing a continuous, low, vibrating sound like that of the bee

synonym: buzzing, droning, vibrating

(1) **humming** sound, (2) **humming** bird

The **humming** of the bees filled the air as she walked through the garden.

alas

adv. (also exclamation) an expression of grief, condolence, or regret that is used to acknowledge a situation or outcome that is unfortunate or disappointing

synonym: alack, regrettably, unluckily

(1) **alas**, we did not win the game, (2) **alas**, I cannot attend the party

Alas, I realized I had left my keys at home and couldn't enter the building.

idol

n. an image or representation of a god or goddess, or a person or thing that is greatly admired, loved, or revered

synonym: icon, hero, legend

(1) **idol** worship, (2) **idol** singer

He was an **idol** to his fans, who looked up to him as a role model.

mosque

n. a Muslim place of worship that usually has a minaret (= slender tower with balconies)

(1) domed **mosque**, (2) the sacred **mosque**

Jumeirah **Mosque** is one of the most beautiful buildings in the United Arab Emirates.

voiceless

adj. without a voice or the ability to speak

synonym: mute, silent, speechless

(1) **voiceless** consonant, (2) **voiceless** minority

The **voiceless** screams of the victims could be heard in the distance.

pessimistic

adj. tending to see the worst aspect of things or expecting the worst possible outcome

synonym: cynical, defeatist, despairing

(1) take a **pessimistic** view of life, (2) **pessimistic** for our survival

She was unduly **pessimistic** about her future.

litigate

v. to initiate or engage in legal proceedings, typically to settle a dispute or enforce a legal right

synonym: argue, contest, sue

(1) **litigate** a contract dispute, (2) **litigate** a copyright

The two parties will have to **litigate** their disagreements in court.

kidnapping

n. the act of taking somebody away illegally and holding them captive

synonym: abduction, snatch, kidnap

(1) **kidnapping** attempt, (2) mass **kidnapping**

She received a year's imprisonment for aggravated **kidnapping**.

scot

n. a tax or payment, particularly a share or portion of something; a person from Scotland or a Scottish immigrant

synonym: tax, charge, toll

(1) pay annual **scot**, (2) traditional **Scot** attire

The **scot-free** suspect was later apprehended for a different crime.

baptize

v. to make someone officially a member of the Christian Church by baptism (= a form of Christian ritual purification)

synonym: purify, immerse

(1) **baptize** a baby, (2) **baptize** with water

The priest **baptized** my father on his deathbed.

godparent

n. a person who sponsors a child at baptism, taking on the responsibility of providing moral or spiritual guidance; an individual chosen by parents to be a guardian or mentor to their child

synonym: sponsor, guardian

(1) baptismal **godparent**, (2) supportive **godparent**

The tradition of **godparent** gifts is a way to show appreciation for their commitment.

godfather

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

synonym: sponsor, mentor, protector

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

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

confrontation

n. the act of facing or dealing with something directly and openly; a direct and often hostile encounter or disagreement

synonym: face-off, conflict, competition

(1) violent **confrontation**, (2) verbal **confrontation**

The **confrontation** between the two nations escalated into a full-blown war.

enrage

v. to make someone extremely angry

synonym: anger, incense, infuriate

(1) **enrage** the international community, (2) **enrage** critics

The news of the betrayal **enraged** him.

canvass

n. to solicit or seek opinions, votes, or support from individuals; to examine or survey an area, group, or

situation thoroughly; (noun) the act of gathering public opinion or support through discussions or surveys

synonym : poll, solicit, inquiry

(1) **canvass** a thousand households, (2) political **canvass**

The campaign team went door-to-door to **canvass** voters before the election.

doom

n. death, destruction, or some other terrible situation that cannot be avoided

synonym : judgment, destiny, fate

(1) economic **doom**, (2) prophet of **doom**

Everyone was aware of the impending **doom** but was unable to prevent it.

writ

n. a written legal order or command

synonym : legal document, order, legal process

(1) a **writ** of summons, (2) issue a **writ**

He was served with a **writ** of eviction, giving him the notice to vacate the property.

detain

v. to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving

synonym : hold, keep, detainment

(1) **detain** a terrorist, (2) **detain** for investigation

The police **detained** the suspect for questioning.

deprive

v. to take away something from someone

synonym : deny, take away, divest

(1) **deprive** others of profit, (2) **deprive** him of his status

He was **deprived** of his freedom when sentenced to life in prison.

odious

adj. arousing intense dislike or disgust

synonym : loathsome, repugnant, revolting

(1) **odious** task, (2) **odious** character

The **odious** smell of rotting garbage filled the alley.

transubstantiate

v. to change from one substance to another, especially in a religious context, such as the transformation of bread and wine into the body and blood of Christ during the Eucharist

synonym: transmute, transform, metamorphose

(1) **transubstantiate** matter, (2) **transubstantiate** her innermost thoughts

Catholics believe the bread and wine **transubstantiate** into the body and blood of Christ during mass.

courtroom

n. a room in which a court of law is held

synonym: law court, tribunal

(1) **courtroom** drama, (2) **courtroom** trial

The eyewitness took the stand in the **courtroom** and gave testimony crucial to the case.

imbibe

v. to consume or absorb something, especially an alcoholic beverage; to accept ideas or information

synonym: drink, consume, absorb

(1) **imbibe** the idea, (2) **imbibe** alcohol

She **imbibed** the culture and traditions of the country during her visit.

entitle

v. to give someone the right to have or do something; to give a title to someone or something

synonym: allow, permit, enable

(1) **entitle** him to a pension, (2) **entitle** the company to use the logo

The employee was **entitled** to a week of vacation time.

lifesaving

n. the act or process of rescuing someone else's life, especially from drowning

(1) **lifesaving** efforts, (2) **lifesaving** device

The patient needs a **lifesaving** transplant operation.

enslave

v. to make someone a slave; to deprive someone of their freedom of choice or action

synonym : coerce, deprive, imprison

(1) **enslave** poor peasants, (2) **enslave** indigenous people
Her beauty **enslaved** me completely.

chimpanzee

n. a small, very intelligent ape found in west and central Africa with black or brown fur

synonym : ape, chimp, pan troglodytes

(1) **chimpanzee** behavior, (2) **chimpanzee** society

Many zoos have **chimpanzee** exhibits, allowing visitors to observe these intelligent primates up close.

cognition

n. the psychological process of perception and learning and reasoning; the mental action or process by which knowledge and understanding are developed in the mind

synonym : awareness, understanding, comprehension

(1) social **cognition**, (2) **cognition** disorder

The professor focused on the research of infant **cognition**.

affidavit

n. a written statement made under oath, which is used as evidence in a legal proceeding

synonym : declaration, statement, testimony

(1) sign an **affidavit**, (2) file an **affidavit**

I must submit an **affidavit** to the court stating my version of events.

imprison

v. to confine a person to a prison, a detention facility, or a place of involuntary confinement

synonym : incarcerate, detain, confine

(1) **imprison** illegal immigrant, (2) **imprison** myself within the room

He was **imprisoned** for embezzlement.

spontaneously

adv. in a way that is natural, not planned or forced, and often sudden

synonym : impromptu, automatically, immediately

(1) recover **spontaneously** after five days, (2) this shift

occurs **spontaneously**

The electrical cord **spontaneously** combusted.

numeration

n. the act or process of numbering or counting; the system, method, or practice of assigning numbers to objects or individuals to establish a sequence or identify them

synonym: numbering, tallying, counting

(1) the skill of **numeration**, (2) decimal **numeration**

The **numeration** system used in most Western countries is called the Hindu-Arabic numeration system.

referential

adj. containing or relating to a reference to something or someone else; indicating, representing, or denoting something else

synonym: allusive, alluding

(1) **referential** database, (2) **referential** language

The **referential** footnote provided additional information about the source of the data.

ivory

n. a hard, creamy-white substance that comes from the tusks of elephants, walruses, and some other animals and is used to make ornaments and other decorative items

synonym: elephant tusk, bone, tooth

(1) tower of **ivory**, (2) **ivory** carving

The intricate carvings on the **ivory** tusk were a work of art.

smashing

adj. very successful or impressive; causing something to be broken or destroyed

synonym: great, wonderful, breaking

(1) a **smashing** blow, (2) give **smashing** results

The band's new album was a **smashing** success, reaching the top of the charts.

excavate

v. to dig or remove earth, rocks, or other materials from the ground or a site, often to uncover or discover something

synonym: dig, unearth, extract

(1) **excavate** a deep hole, (2) **excavate** soil

The archaeologists **excavated** the ruins of an ancient city buried under the desert sands.

herculean

adj. requiring great strength, effort, or endurance; of or relating to the legendary strength of the ancient Greek hero Hercules

synonym : challenging, formidable, strenuous

(1) **herculean** effort, (2) make **herculean** progress

Completing this project in such a short amount of time will be a **herculean** task.

biomedical

adj. relating to the application of the natural sciences, especially biology, and physiology, to clinical medicine and healthcare

synonym : medical, clinical, health-related

(1) **biomedical** assay, (2) cutting-edge **biomedical**

Biomedical engineering focuses on developing new medical technologies and innovations to improve patient health outcomes.

anatomical

adj. of or relating to the structure of the body and its parts

synonym : physical, bodily, structural

(1) **anatomical** structure, (2) **anatomical** elements

The **anatomical** model of the human body was used to teach medical students.

brook

n. a small stream

synonym : stream, creek, rivulet

(1) music of the **brook**, (2) **brook** trout

A **brook** babbled through the woods.

Session 2: Spelling

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| 1. co_____on disorder | <i>n.</i> the psychological process of perception and learning and reasoning; the mental action or process by which knowledge and understanding are developed in the mind |
| 2. a w__t of summons | <i>n.</i> a written legal order or command |
| 3. or___n care | <i>n.</i> a child whose parents are dead or have abandoned them |
| 4. this shift occurs spo_____sly | <i>adv.</i> in a way that is natural, not planned or forced, and often sudden |
| 5. asylum for or___n children | <i>n.</i> a child whose parents are dead or have abandoned them |
| 6. political go_____er | <i>n.</i> a male godparent who witnesses a child's baptism and accepts a spiritual responsibility for their upbringing; a trusted mentor or advisor who has significant influence and offers support and guidance in personal or professional matters |
| 7. pay annual s__t | <i>n.</i> a tax or payment, particularly a share or portion of something; a person from Scotland or a Scottish immigrant |
| 8. im___e the idea | <i>v.</i> to consume or absorb something, especially an alcoholic beverage; to accept ideas or information |
| 9. violent con_____ion | <i>n.</i> the act of facing or dealing with something directly and openly; a direct and often hostile encounter or disagreement |

ANSWERS: 1. cognition, 2. writ, 3. orphan, 4. spontaneously, 5. orphan, 6. godfather, 7. scot, 8. imbibe, 9. confrontation

10. ex_____te a deep hole
v. to dig or remove earth, rocks, or other materials from the ground or a site, often to uncover or discover something
11. supportive go_____nt
n. a person who sponsors a child at baptism, taking on the responsibility of providing moral or spiritual guidance; an individual chosen by parents to be a guardian or mentor to their child
12. vo_____ss consonant
adj. without a voice or the ability to speak
13. syn_____us terms
adj. having the same or a similar meaning as another word or phrase
14. no_____an species
adj. not human; belonging to or characteristic of animals or things rather than people
15. a__s, we did not win the game
adv. (also exclamation) an expression of grief, condolence, or regret that is used to acknowledge a situation or outcome that is unfortunate or disappointing
16. take a pes_____ic view of life
adj. tending to see the worst aspect of things or expecting the worst possible outcome
17. hu_____g sound
adj. producing a continuous, low, vibrating sound like that of the bee
18. play the a_e
n. a large animal with long arms, no tail, and usually a lot of body hair, including gorillas, chimpanzees, orangutans, and gibbons
19. od___s character
adj. arousing intense dislike or disgust

ANSWERS: 10. excavate, 11. godparent, 12. voiceless, 13. synonymous, 14. nonhuman, 15. alas, 16. pessimistic, 17. humming, 18. ape, 19. odious

20. be my go_____er at my christening *n.* a male godparent who witnesses a child's baptism and accepts a spiritual responsibility for their upbringing; a trusted mentor or advisor who has significant influence and offers support and guidance in personal or professional matters
21. kid_____ng attempt *n.* the act of taking somebody away illegally and holding them captive
22. a sm_____ng blow *adj.* very successful or impressive; causing something to be broken or destroyed
23. de____n a terrorist *v.* to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving
24. ana_____al elements *adj.* of or relating to the structure of the body and its parts
25. en____e the international community *v.* to make someone extremely angry
26. co_____om drama *n.* a room in which a court of law is held
27. im____e alcohol *v.* to consume or absorb something, especially an alcoholic beverage; to accept ideas or information
28. ref_____al language *adj.* containing or relating to a reference to something or someone else; indicating, representing, or denoting something else
29. tra_____ate matter *v.* to change from one substance to another, especially in a religious context, such as the transformation of bread and wine into the body and blood of Christ during the Eucharist

ANSWERS: 20. godfather, 21. kidnapping, 22. smashing, 23. detain, 24. anatomical, 25. enrage, 26. courtroom, 27. imbibe, 28. referential, 29. transubstantiate

30. non-syn_____us mutation *adj.* having the same or a similar meaning as another word or phrase
31. im_____on myself within the room *v.* to confine a person to a prison, a detention facility, or a place of involuntary confinement
32. li_____te a copyright *v.* to initiate or engage in legal proceedings, typically to settle a dispute or enforce a legal right
33. li_____te a contract dispute *v.* to initiate or engage in legal proceedings, typically to settle a dispute or enforce a legal right
34. bio_____al assay *adj.* relating to the application of the natural sciences, especially biology, and physiology, to clinical medicine and healthcare
35. ba_____e with water *v.* to make someone officially a member of the Christian Church by baptism (= a form of Christian ritual purification)
36. de_____e him of his status *v.* to take away something from someone
37. en_____e him to a pension *v.* to give someone the right to have or do something; to give a title to someone or something
38. ex_____te soil *v.* to dig or remove earth, rocks, or other materials from the ground or a site, often to uncover or discover something
39. economic d__m *n.* death, destruction, or some other terrible situation that cannot be avoided
40. traditional S__t attire *n.* a tax or payment, particularly a share or portion of something; a person from Scotland or a Scottish immigrant

ANSWERS: 30. synonymous, 31. imprison, 32. litigate, 33. litigate, 34. biomedical, 35. baptize, 36. deprive, 37. entitle, 38. excavate, 39. doom, 40. scot

41. the skill of num_____on *n.* the act or process of numbering or counting; the system, method, or practice of assigning numbers to objects or individuals to establish a sequence or identify them
42. the sacred mo____e *n.* a Muslim place of worship that usually has a minaret (= slender tower with balconies)
43. en_____e indigenous people *v.* to make someone a slave; to deprive someone of their freedom of choice or action
44. tower of iv__y *n.* a hard, creamy-white substance that comes from the tusks of elephants, walruses, and some other animals and is used to make ornaments and other decorative items
45. verbal con_____ion *n.* the act of facing or dealing with something directly and openly; a direct and often hostile encounter or disagreement
46. jungle a_e *n.* a large animal with long arms, no tail, and usually a lot of body hair, including gorillas, chimpanzees, orangutans, and gibbons
47. en____e critics *v.* to make someone extremely angry
48. br__k trout *n.* a small stream
49. co_____om trial *n.* a room in which a court of law is held
50. prophet of d__m *n.* death, destruction, or some other terrible situation that cannot be avoided

ANSWERS: 41. numeration, 42. mosque, 43. enslave, 44. ivory, 45. confrontation, 46. ape, 47. enrage, 48. brook, 49. courtroom, 50. doom

51. ref_____al database *adj.* containing or relating to a reference to something or someone else; indicating, representing, or denoting something else
52. de_____e others of profit *v.* to take away something from someone
53. vo_____ss minority *adj.* without a voice or the ability to speak
54. domed mo_____e *n.* a Muslim place of worship that usually has a minaret (= slender tower with balconies)
55. chi_____ee behavior *n.* a small, very intelligent ape found in west and central Africa with black or brown fur
56. i__l singer *n.* an image or representation of a god or goddess, or a person or thing that is greatly admired, loved, or revered
57. im_____on illegal immigrant *v.* to confine a person to a prison, a detention facility, or a place of involuntary confinement
58. cutting-edge bio_____al *adj.* relating to the application of the natural sciences, especially biology, and physiology, to clinical medicine and healthcare
59. mass kid_____ng *n.* the act of taking somebody away illegally and holding them captive
60. lif_____ng efforts *n.* the act or process of rescuing someone else's life, especially from drowning
61. en_____e the company to use the logo *v.* to give someone the right to have or do something; to give a title to someone or something

ANSWERS: 51. referential, 52. deprive, 53. voiceless, 54. mosque, 55. chimpanzee, 56. idol, 57. imprison, 58. biomedical, 59. kidnapping, 60. lifesaving, 61. entitle

62. iv__y carving *n.* a hard, creamy-white substance that comes from the tusks of elephants, walruses, and some other animals and is used to make ornaments and other decorative items
63. de___n for investigation *v.* to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving
64. he_____an effort *adj.* requiring great strength, effort, or endurance; of or relating to the legendary strength of the ancient Greek hero Hercules
65. issue a w__t *n.* a written legal order or command
66. social co_____on *n.* the psychological process of perception and learning and reasoning; the mental action or process by which knowledge and understanding are developed in the mind
67. en_____e poor peasants *v.* to make someone a slave; to deprive someone of their freedom of choice or action
68. recover spo_____sly after five days *adv.* in a way that is natural, not planned or forced, and often sudden
69. ana_____al structure *adj.* of or relating to the structure of the body and its parts
70. make he_____an progress *adj.* requiring great strength, effort, or endurance; of or relating to the legendary strength of the ancient Greek hero Hercules
71. decimal num_____on *n.* the act or process of numbering or counting; the system, method, or practice of assigning numbers to objects or individuals to establish a sequence or identify them

ANSWERS: 62. ivory, 63. detain, 64. herculean, 65. writ, 66. cognition, 67. enslave, 68. spontaneously, 69. anatomical, 70. herculean, 71. numeration

72. no_____an intelligence *adj.* not human; belonging to or characteristic of animals or things rather than people
73. lif_____ng device *n.* the act or process of rescuing someone else's life, especially from drowning
74. file an af_____it *n.* a written statement made under oath, which is used as evidence in a legal proceeding
75. baptismal go_____nt *n.* a person who sponsors a child at baptism, taking on the responsibility of providing moral or spiritual guidance; an individual chosen by parents to be a guardian or mentor to their child
76. i__l worship *n.* an image or representation of a god or goddess, or a person or thing that is greatly admired, loved, or revered
77. sign an af_____it *n.* a written statement made under oath, which is used as evidence in a legal proceeding
78. give sm_____ng results *adj.* very successful or impressive; causing something to be broken or destroyed
79. ba_____e a baby *v.* to make someone officially a member of the Christian Church by baptism (= a form of Christian ritual purification)
80. hu_____g bird *adj.* producing a continuous, low, vibrating sound like that of the bee
81. chi_____ee society *n.* a small, very intelligent ape found in west and central Africa with black or brown fur

ANSWERS: 72. nonhuman, 73. lifesaving, 74. affidavit, 75. godparent, 76. idol, 77. affidavit, 78. smashing, 79. baptize, 80. humming, 81. chimpanzee

82. pes_____ic for our survival *adj.* tending to see the worst aspect of things or expecting the worst possible outcome
83. od___s task *adj.* arousing intense dislike or disgust
84. political ca_____s *n.* to solicit or seek opinions, votes, or support from individuals; to examine or survey an area, group, or situation thoroughly; (noun) the act of gathering public opinion or support through discussions or surveys
85. ca_____s a thousand households *n.* to solicit or seek opinions, votes, or support from individuals; to examine or survey an area, group, or situation thoroughly; (noun) the act of gathering public opinion or support through discussions or surveys
86. tra_____ate her innermost thoughts *v.* to change from one substance to another, especially in a religious context, such as the transformation of bread and wine into the body and blood of Christ during the Eucharist
87. music of the br__k *n.* a small stream
88. a__s, I cannot attend the party *adv.* (also exclamation) an expression of grief, condolence, or regret that is used to acknowledge a situation or outcome that is unfortunate or disappointing

ANSWERS: 82. pessimistic, 83. odious, 84. canvass, 85. canvass, 86. transubstantiate, 87. brook, 88. alas

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The _____ of the bees filled the air as she walked through the garden.
adj. producing a continuous, low, vibrating sound like that of the bee
2. He was an _____ to his fans, who looked up to him as a role model.
n. an image or representation of a god or goddess, or a person or thing that is greatly admired, loved, or revered
3. The phrase "big shot" and "important person" are _____.
adj. having the same or a similar meaning as another word or phrase
4. She received a year's imprisonment for aggravated _____.
n. the act of taking somebody away illegally and holding them captive
5. The band's new album was a _____ success, reaching the top of the charts.
adj. very successful or impressive; causing something to be broken or destroyed
6. The campaign team went door-to-door to _____ voters before the election.
n. to solicit or seek opinions, votes, or support from individuals; to examine or survey an area, group, or situation thoroughly; (noun) the act of gathering public opinion or support through discussions or surveys
7. The _____ system used in most Western countries is called the Hindu-Arabic numeration system.
n. the act or process of numbering or counting; the system, method, or practice of assigning numbers to objects or individuals to establish a sequence or identify them

ANSWERS: 1. humming, 2. idol, 3. synonymous, 4. kidnapping, 5. smashing, 6. canvass, 7. numeration

8. The scientist studied the behavior of _____ in the wild.
- n.* a large animal with long arms, no tail, and usually a lot of body hair, including gorillas, chimpanzees, orangutans, and gibbons
9. Many zoos have _____ exhibits, allowing visitors to observe these intelligent primates up close.
- n.* a small, very intelligent ape found in west and central Africa with black or brown fur
10. The tradition of _____ gifts is a way to show appreciation for their commitment.
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11. The patient needs a _____ transplant operation.
- n.* the act or process of rescuing someone else's life, especially from drowning
12. He was _____ of his freedom when sentenced to life in prison.
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13. She _____ the culture and traditions of the country during her visit.
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ANSWERS: 8. apes, 9. chimpanzee, 10. godparent, 11. lifesaving, 12. deprived, 13. imbibed, 14. baptized, 15. godfather

16. The _____ between the two nations escalated into a full-blown war.
n. the act of facing or dealing with something directly and openly; a direct and often hostile encounter or disagreement
17. The _____ screams of the victims could be heard in the distance.
adj. without a voice or the ability to speak
18. The _____ footnote provided additional information about the source of the data.
adj. containing or relating to a reference to something or someone else; indicating, representing, or denoting something else
19. Everyone was aware of the impending _____ but was unable to prevent it.
n. death, destruction, or some other terrible situation that cannot be avoided
20. The professor focused on the research of infant _____.
n. the psychological process of perception and learning and reasoning; the mental action or process by which knowledge and understanding are developed in the mind
21. The experiment was conducted on _____ primates.
adj. not human; belonging to or characteristic of animals or things rather than people
22. He was served with a _____ of eviction, giving him the notice to vacate the property.
n. a written legal order or command
23. A _____ babbled through the woods.
n. a small stream

ANSWERS: 16. confrontation, 17. voiceless, 18. referential, 19. doom, 20. cognition, 21. nonhuman, 22. writ, 23. brook

24. The police _____ the suspect for questioning.
v. to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving
25. The news of the betrayal _____ him.
v. to make someone extremely angry
26. The employee was _____ to a week of vacation time.
v. to give someone the right to have or do something; to give a title to someone or something
27. I must submit an _____ to the court stating my version of events.
n. a written statement made under oath, which is used as evidence in a legal proceeding
28. Jumeirah _____ is one of the most beautiful buildings in the United Arab Emirates.
n. a Muslim place of worship that usually has a minaret (= slender tower with balconies)
29. The _____ model of the human body was used to teach medical students.
adj. of or relating to the structure of the body and its parts
30. _____ I realized I had left my keys at home and couldn't enter the building.
adv. (also exclamation) an expression of grief, condolence, or regret that is used to acknowledge a situation or outcome that is unfortunate or disappointing
31. _____ engineering focuses on developing new medical technologies and innovations to improve patient health outcomes.
adj. relating to the application of the natural sciences, especially biology, and physiology, to clinical medicine and healthcare

ANSWERS: 24. detained, 25. enraged, 26. entitled, 27. affidavit, 28. Mosque, 29. anatomical, 30. Alas, 31. Biomedical

32. Her beauty _____ me completely.

- v.* to make someone a slave; to deprive someone of their freedom of choice or action

33. The eyewitness took the stand in the _____ and gave testimony crucial to the case.

- n.* a room in which a court of law is held

34. The intricate carvings on the _____ tusk were a work of art.

- n.* a hard, creamy-white substance that comes from the tusks of elephants, walruses, and some other animals and is used to make ornaments and other decorative items

35. The archaeologists _____ the ruins of an ancient city buried under the desert sands.

- v.* to dig or remove earth, rocks, or other materials from the ground or a site, often to uncover or discover something

36. Catholics believe the bread and wine _____ into the body and blood of Christ during mass.

- v.* to change from one substance to another, especially in a religious context, such as the transformation of bread and wine into the body and blood of Christ during the Eucharist

37. Completing this project in such a short amount of time will be a _____ task.

- adj.* requiring great strength, effort, or endurance; of or relating to the legendary strength of the ancient Greek hero Hercules

38. The electrical cord _____ combusted.

- adv.* in a way that is natural, not planned or forced, and often sudden

ANSWERS: 32. enslaved, 33. courtroom, 34. ivory, 35. excavated, 36. transubstantiate, 37. herculean, 38. spontaneously

39. She was unduly _____ about her future.

adj. tending to see the worst aspect of things or expecting the worst possible outcome

40. The two parties will have to _____ their disagreements in court.

v. to initiate or engage in legal proceedings, typically to settle a dispute or enforce a legal right

41. He was _____ for embezzlement.

v. to confine a person to a prison, a detention facility, or a place of involuntary confinement

42. The little girl was a war _____ and lived in a group home.

n. a child whose parents are dead or have abandoned them

43. The _____ smell of rotting garbage filled the alley.

adj. arousing intense dislike or disgust

44. The _____ suspect was later apprehended for a different crime.

n. a tax or payment, particularly a share or portion of something; a person from Scotland or a Scottish immigrant

ANSWERS: 39. pessimistic, 40. litigate, 41. imprisoned, 42. orphan, 43. odious, 44. scot-free