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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### patriarchal

*adj.* relating to or characteristic of a society or system in which men hold the dominant roles and positions of power; male-dominated

*synonym*: male-dominated, paternalistic

(1) **patriarchal** society, (2) **patriarchal** government

The **patriarchal** system that many societies have is outdated and unfair to women.

### tribal

*adj.* relating to a social group or tribe, especially a preliterate society

*synonym*: indigenous, ethnic, traditional

(1) **tribal** culture, (2) **tribal** community

The **tribal** leaders gathered for a summit to discuss important issues.

### nation

*n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture

*synonym*: country, state, sovereign entity

(1) **nation-state**, (2) a seafaring **nation**

The **nation** of Japan is known for its unique culture and advanced technology.

## glance

*v.* to give a quick or brief look; to hit something at an angle  
*synonym* : glimpse, peek, flash

(1) **glance** around nervously, (2) **glance** at him miserably  
I casually **glanced** into the small hut.

## injustice

*n.* a violation of the rights of others or the laws of a society  
*synonym* : unfairness, bias, discrimination

(1) gross **injustice**, (2) **injustice** system

The **injustice** of the court's decision angered many people and led to protests.

## inequality

*n.* the unfairness of a society in which some people have more opportunity, money, etc. than others;  
(mathematics) relation between two values when they are different

*synonym* : imbalance, prejudice, unfairness

(1) **inequality** in salary, (2) algebraic **inequality**

There are several causes of economic **inequality** within societies.

## violent

*adj.* involving or caused by physical force or aggression against someone or something

*synonym* : aggressive, intense, turbulent

(1) victim of a **violent** crime, (2) **violent** incident

The protesters became **violent** when the police tried to disperse them.

## exploitation

*n.* the process of making some area of land or water more profitable or productive or useful

*synonym* : victimization, development, using

(1) sexual **exploitation**, (2) the **exploitation** of fossil resources

Strategic **exploitation** of cutting-edge technology would be a sure formula for success.

## celebrated

*adj.* renowned for possessing admirable attributes

*synonym* : acclaimed, notable, prominent

(1) **celebrated** artist, (2) **celebrated** paper

Three **celebrated** tenors performed during the president's inauguration.

## **congratulation**

*n.* the act of expressing that someone has an occasion for celebration or the expression of pleasure at the success or good fortune of another

*synonym*: praise, compliment, felicitation

(1) **congratulation** on a promotion, (2) a matter for **congratulation**

The **congratulations** from her friends and family were overwhelming after she won the championship.

## **uncomfortable**

*adj.* providing or feeling physical discomfort or slight pain

*synonym*: comfortless, discomforting, painful

(1) an **uncomfortable** silence, (2) with an **uncomfortable** face

His abusive words made me **uncomfortable**.

## **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.

## **guilty**

*adj.* feeling responsible for or having done something wrong or criminal

*synonym*: culpable, blameworthy, at fault

(1) feel a bit **guilty**, (2) **guilty** verdict

After much contemplation, the suspect decided to plead **guilty** to the theft charge.

## **criminal**

*n.* a person who has committed a crime

*synonym*: offender, lawbreaker, delinquent

(1) wanted **criminal**, (2) **criminal** investigation

The police are searching for the **criminal** who stole the jewels.

## 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.

## butterfly

*n.* a diurnal insect typically has a slender body with knobbed antennae and broad, colorful wings

(1) **butterfly** effect, (2) the life cycle of a **butterfly**

He enjoys collecting **butterfly** specimens.

## forbidden

*adj.* not permitted or allowed by rules or laws

*synonym*: prohibited, banned, illegal

(1) **forbidden** words, (2) **forbidden** love

Taking photographs inside the museum is **forbidden**.

## escort

*n.* a person or group of people accompanying someone for protection, guidance, or courtesy; a companion or attendant; a service or a person providing a service for accompanying someone or something to or from a destination

*synonym*: chaperone, guardian, attendant

(1) **escort** for VIPs, (2) personal **escort**

An **escort** of bodyguards surrounded the celebrity to keep fans safe.

## confine

*v.* to restrict the movement of someone or something

*synonym*: restrict, limit, contain

(1) **confine** themselves solely, (2) **confine** the scope of use

The animal was **confined** in a small cage.

## 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.

## transgress

v. to break the law or moral code; to go beyond or exceed the limits or boundaries of something

*synonym*: trespass, violate, infringe

(1) **transgress** boundaries, (2) **transgress** against the rules

The company was fined for **transgressing** environmental regulations.

## migrate

v. to move from one country or region to another and settle there; to move from one place to another periodically or seasonally

*synonym*: relocate, emigrate, roam

(1) **migrate** across borders, (2) **migrate** a service

Many Germans **migrated** to South America in the mid-19th century.

## gulf

n. a large ocean inlet or deep bay that is partially enclosed by land

*synonym*: chasm, divide, abyss

(1) **gulf** war, (2) **gulf** stream

The **Gulf** of Mexico is a body of water in the southern United States.

## humiliate

v. to cause someone to feel ashamed, embarrassed, or degraded, especially in public or through revealing personal information

*synonym*: shame, embarrass, degrade

(1) **humiliate** him publicly, (2) **humiliate** the heckler in the audience

The boss **humiliated** her employee by belittling her in front of her colleagues.

## livelihood

n. a means of earning money people need to pay for food, a place to live, clothing, etc.

*synonym* : occupation, living, income

(1) a means of **livelihood**, (2) **livelihood** assistance

I could no longer earn my own **livelihood**.

## sacrifice

*n.* the act of killing an animal or person or surrendering a possession as an offering to a deity; (verb) to give up something important or valuable to help another person or get or do something that seems more important

*synonym* : forfeit, immolation, gift

(1) small **sacrifice** for a great cause, (2) **sacrifice** anything to get ahead

You cannot accomplish great things without a **sacrifice** of your time or money.

## norm

*n.* something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard

*synonym* : criterion, mean, standard

(1) **norm** of action, (2) cultural **norm**

The systems we have developed has accepted as industry **norms**.

## obedient

*adj.* willing to do what someone in authority tells you to do

*synonym* : compliant, submissive, dutiful

(1) grow to be **obedient**, (2) **obedient** dog

The **obedient** dog followed its owner's commands.

## suppose

*v.* to think that something is likely to be actual or possible

*synonym* : guess, assume, presume

(1) **suppose** you're right, (2) **suppose** beforehand

What do you **suppose** the culprit's motive was?

## humble

*adj.* having or showing a modest or low estimate of one's quality or importance

*synonym* : modest, unpretentious, abject

(1) a **humble** cottage, (2) **humble** opinion

The nobler, the more **humble**.

## submissive

*adj.* inclined or willing to submit or yield to authority, domination, or direction; obedient or compliant; meek or passive

*synonym* : compliant, obedient, docile

(1) **submissive** behavior, (2) a **submissive** personality  
The **submissive** dog cowered and trembled in fear when approached by its owner.

## criteria

*n.* (plural of criterion) standards or conditions by which something may be judged or decided

*synonym* : bars, benchmarks, standards

(1) **criteria** for action, (2) consistency **criteria**  
He didn't meet all the **criteria**, but he was hired anyway.

## silent

*adj.* without any or little sound

*synonym* : quiet, hushed, mute

(1) **silent** reading, (2) give **silent** consent  
The politician remained **silent** despite intense media scrutiny.

## decision

*n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options

*synonym* : choice, determination, judgment

(1) **decision** authority, (2) a selfish **decision**  
She was struggling to make a **decision** between two job offers.

## dub

*v.* to give someone or something an unofficial name or nickname; to provide movies with a voice of a foreign language

*synonym* : name, designate, nickname

(1) **dub** the film in English, (2) **dub** data  
We **dubbed** him Ironman because of his toughness.

## disobedient

*adj.* refusing to follow the rules or orders, often deliberately or defiantly; showing a lack of respect for authority or established norms

*synonym* : insubordinate, unruly, defiant

(1) **disobedient** attitude, (2) **disobedient** dog

The **disobedient** child refused to clean up after themselves despite constant requests from their parents.

## poet

*n.* a person who writes poetry

*synonym* : versifier, rhymer, writer

(1) a court **poet**, (2) a **poet** of sorts

She is a talented **poet** who has been recognized for her work.

## wed

*v.* to marry someone

*synonym* : marry, get hitched with

(1) **wed** my intended, (2) **wed** the rich man

The couple will **wed** after the tenth anniversary.

## irony

*n.* the expression of one's meaning by using language that usually signifies the opposite, typically for humorous or rhetorical effect

*synonym* : sarcasm, cynicism, wit

(1) bitter **irony**, (2) **irony** humor

The **irony** of the situation is that he won the lottery on the day he lost his job.

## vicious

*adj.* having or showing a desire to cause harm to others; having the nature of vice

*synonym* : malicious, spiteful, malevolent

(1) **vicious** attack, (2) **vicious** deflationary spiral

The **vicious** dog barked and growled at anyone who came near its territory.

## plight

*n.* a difficult or unfortunate situation

*synonym* : crisis, predicament, trouble

(1) miserable **plight**, (2) the **plight** of the poor

The government has ignored the **plight** of the homeless population.



## 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.

## abolish

- v. to do away with completely; to put an end to

*synonym*: cancel, repeal, annul

- (1) **abolish** slavery, (2) **abolish** censorship

The government voted to **abolish** the outdated law.

## discriminate

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

*synonym*: show prejudice, segregate, differentiate

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

- (2) **discriminate** between different things

You should not **discriminate** against minorities.

## fascinate

- v. to attract and hold the attention of someone deeply and irresistibly

*synonym*: captivate, intrigue, mesmerize

- (1) **fascinate** the public, (2) **fascinate** the young

The magic tricks **fascinated** the children.

## heroic

- adj.* courageous and daring; having or displaying qualities appropriate for legendary figures that is courage and daring

*synonym*: brave, courageous, daring

- (1) a **heroic** poem, (2) **heroic** explorers

The **heroic** actions of individuals are now easily spread worldwide by SNS.

## legendary

*adj.* famous or well-known, especially through long-standing popular stories or tradition

*synonym* : mythical, fabled, storied

(1) **legendary** actor, (2) achieve a **legendary** status

The **legendary** stories of King Arthur have been passed down for centuries.

## cousin

*n.* the child of your aunt or uncle

*synonym* : relative

(1) cross- **cousin** marriage, (2) **cousin's** family

I used to play with my younger male **cousins** when I was a little girl.

## coincidence

*n.* an occasion when two or more similar things happen at the same time by chance, in a surprising way

*synonym* : co-occurrence, concurrency, accident

(1) the **coincidence** of an opinion, (2) by a strange

**coincidence**

It was a pure **coincidence** that we met her in the library.

## trace

*v.* to find or discover someone or something that was lost

*synonym* : seek, follow, depict

(1) **trace** a telephone call, (2) **trace** back to medieval times

Let's **trace** the origins of some familiar foreign words.

## 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.

## mention

*v.* to speak or write about something or someone briefly

*synonym* : reference, allude, cite

(1) **mention** name, (2) **mention** in a report

I **mentioned** to him that I had seen his sister at the grocery store earlier that day.

## grant

v. to agree to give or allow somebody

*synonym*: allocate, authorize, give

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

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

## enroll

v. to officially register or sign up for something, particularly a course of study, an organization, or a service

*synonym*: register, enlist, join

(1) **enroll** at a college, (2) **enroll** in a school

I need to **enroll** in a cooking class to improve my culinary skills.

## recognition

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

*synonym*: acknowledgement, identification, credit

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

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

## identity

n. the fact of being who or what somebody or something is; the features, emotions, or ideas that distinguish persons from one another

*synonym*: character, personality, individuality

(1) mistaken **identity**, (2) **identity** as an individual

The terrorist's **identity** remains unknown.

## admission

n. the act of allowing someone to enter or become a member of a group, organization, institution, or place; the act of acknowledging or confessing something, often a truth or a wrongdoing

*synonym*: entry, entrance, acceptance

(1) **admission** fee, (2) gain **admission**

She received her college **admission** letter in the mail today.

## aspiration

n. a strong desire to achieve something; the action or process of drawing breath

*synonym* : ambition, inhalation, intake

(1) no **aspiration** for fame, (2) **aspiration** into the lungs  
He has an **aspiration** to become a doctor.

## astonished

*adj.* extremely surprised and upset

*synonym* : amazed, dumbfounded, flabbergasted

(1) **astonished** at the success, (2) cast **astonished** eyes  
She was **astonished** by the news and could hardly believe it.

## visa

*n.* an endorsement or authorization placed in a passport or travel document that allows the holder to enter or leave a particular country for a specific period of time; the process of applying for and obtaining such authorization

*synonym* : permit, authorization

(1) work **visa**, (2) student **visa**

I must apply for a **visa** to travel to India for my friend's wedding.

## recall

*v.* to remember something

*synonym* : remember, retrieve, recollect

(1) **recall** the incident, (2) **recall** his name

She vividly **recalls** getting laid off several years ago.

## surname

*n.* the family name passed down through generations; a person's last name

*synonym* : last name, family name

(1) **surname** history, (2) family **surname**

When filling out a form, include your full **surname**, not just your first name.

## appreciate

*v.* to value and acknowledge the worth of someone or something; to be grateful for something or someone

*synonym* : acknowledge, admire, enjoy

(1) **appreciate** her feedback, (2) **appreciate** the value

We would **appreciate** an early reply.

## intelligence

*n.* the ability to learn, comprehend, or make judgments or conclusions based on reasons

*synonym*: brains, brightness, cleverness

(1) an **intelligence** test, (2) field of artificial **intelligence**

In terms of **intelligence**, he was head and shoulders above his classmates.

## brilliance

*n.* the quality of being very clever or talented; the quality of being very bright or shining

*synonym*: splendor, glory, luster

(1) **brilliance** of diamond, (2) economic **brilliance**

The scientist's **brilliance** led to many groundbreaking discoveries in his field.

## encourage

*v.* to give someone support, confidence, or hope; to persuade someone to do or continue to do something by making it easier for them and making them believe it is a good thing to do

*synonym*: facilitate, persuade, stimulate

(1) **encourage** a sense of affinity, (2) **encourage** antisocial behavior

They **encouraged** customers with a premium for loyal patronage.

## inculcate

*v.* to impress upon someone an idea or attitude through repetition and persistent urging

*synonym*: instill, impress, imbue

(1) **inculcate** discipline, (2) **inculcate** good habits

As a parent, it is important to **inculcate** good values and morals in your children from an early age.

## impart

*v.* to expose or inform; to provide a portion of

*synonym*: pass on, give, bestow

(1) **impart** a secret, (2) **impart** basic knowledge

She had knowledge she couldn't wait to **impart**.

## emancipation

*n.* the act or process of setting someone free from control or influence

*synonym*: liberation, freedom, release

(1) self- **emancipation**, (2) history of **emancipation**

His **emancipation** from his parents was a defining moment and gave him newfound freedom.

## pseudo

*adj.* (meaning "false" or "not genuine") indicating something that is similar to or resembling something else but is not that thing

*synonym*: quasi, false, fake

(1) **pseudo** code, (2) **pseudo** name

His story was full of **pseudo-philosophical** jargon meant to impress rather than inform.

## honor

*n.* high regard or great respect for someone; the quality of having and doing based on a keen sense of morality; (verb) to show respect towards someone

*synonym*: integrity, virtue, acclaim

(1) womanly **honor**, (2) **honor** our ancestors

I claim on my **honor** that it is true.

## strive

*v.* to try very hard to do, achieve, or obtain something

*synonym*: preserve, endure, persist

(1) **strive** hard to get, (2) **strive** for excellence

They **strived** to make their dream come true.

## struggle

*v.* to make a great effort to do something when it is difficult, or there are a lot of problems; to use force or violence to break away from restraint or constriction

*synonym*: toil, strive, compete

(1) **struggle** against discrimination, (2) **struggle** to get the job

He could not **struggle** against temptation.

## 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**.

## lethal

*adj.* causing or capable of causing death; extremely dangerous

*synonym* : destructive, fatal, brutal

(1) **lethal** injection, (2) **lethal** weapon

Malignant hypertension is the most **lethal** form of hypertension.

## negation

*n.* the act of denying or contradicting something; the absence or opposite of something

*synonym* : denial, contradiction, refusal

(1) logical **negation**, (2) complete **negation**

The **negation** of the proposal was a blow to the team's morale.

## participate

*v.* to take part in something

*synonym* : take part, partake, enter

(1) **participate** fully in conversation, (2) **participate** in the program

The majority of students actively **participated** in the college's intramural sports program.

## 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.

## prohibit

*v.* to officially stop something from being done or used, especially by enforcing the law

*synonym* : ban, forbid, refuse

(1) **prohibit** destructive activities, (2) **prohibit** the use of

phone

Congress passed a law to **prohibit** the disposal of nuclear waste.

**veil** *n.* a piece of fine cloth worn by women to cover or conceal the face; (verb) to cover, conceal, or obscure  
*synonym*: cover, mask, (verb) conceal  
(1) **veil** of mystery, (2) **veil** her face  
He lifted her **veil** with both hands.

**flog** *v.* to beat or whip, usually as a form of punishment; to repeatedly hit or strike someone or something violently; to promote or sell aggressively, often with excessive enthusiasm or pressure  
*synonym*: whip, beat, lash  
(1) **flog** a car, (2) **flog** a dead horse  
The teacher threatened to **flog** the misbehaving student if he didn't settle down.

**scare** *v.* to frighten a person or animal, or to become frightened  
*synonym*: frighten, spook, intimidate  
(1) **scare** off her attacker by screaming, (2) **scare** the birds away  
We hit the ground to **scare** out the rabbits.

**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.

**documentary** *n.* a film or a radio or television program that gives facts and information about a subject; of or derived from official documents  
*synonym*: film, broadcast, doco  
(1) a **documentary** film, (2) **documentary** proof



He won an award for that short **documentary**.

## platform

*n.* the raised flat space close to the track at a train station where passengers get on or off the train; (technology) a computational or digital environment in which a piece of software is executed

*synonym* : stage, podium, forum

(1) an arrival **platform**, (2) a digital **platform** for enterprise

The speaker mounted the **platform** and started to speak.

## crescendo

*n.* a gradual increase in volume or intensity, often about a musical piece or performance; figuratively, a gradual buildup or intensification of a feeling, emotion, or action

*synonym* : escalation, apex, zenith

(1) **crescendo** of applause, (2) a rising **crescendo** of voices

The band's music reached a **crescendo** during the concert's final song.

## tolerate

*v.* to allow something to exist or happen, even if it is disliked or opposed

*synonym* : endure, put up with, bear

(1) **tolerate** his disrespectful behavior, (2) **tolerate**

ambiguity

I can't **tolerate** spicy food, and it always gives me heartburn

## blank

*adj.* without any writing or printing; empty or devoid of ideas, information, or meaning; unable to remember or recall information

*synonym* : empty, void, barren

(1) **blank** expression, (2) **blank** paper

The computer screen displayed nothing but a **blank** white screen

## doomsday

*n.* the last day of the world when Christians believe that God will judge everyone; an unpleasant or disastrous event

*synonym* : Day of Judgment, Last Judgement

(1) **doomsday** scenario, (2) economic **doomsday**  
This task is going to take me till **doomsday**.

## verge

*n.* the point at which something is about to happen or where something begins; the edge or margin of something, particularly a physical boundary or border  
*synonym*: brink, edge, margin

(1) **verge** of bankruptcy, (2) on the **verge** of tears  
He stood on the **verge** of a major discovery.

## whisper

*v.* to speak very quietly to somebody using the breath rather than the voice so that only those close to you can hear you

*synonym*: murmur, rumor, mutter

(1) answer in a **whisper**, (2) the **whisper** of the leaves  
He took me aside and **whispered** in my ear.

## blame

*v.* to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad

*synonym*: condemn, rebuke, find fault with

(1) **blame** circumstances for the failure, (2) **blame** the lack of knowledge

We **blamed** our impeded progress on lack of money.

## abrupt

*adj.* sudden and unexpected

*synonym*: sudden, unexpected, quick

(1) **abrupt** departure, (2) speak in an **abrupt** manner

The sudden, **abrupt** change in weather caught everyone by surprise.

## stake

*n.* a share or financial investment in something such as a business; a wooden or metal post set up to mark something

*synonym*: share, interest, post

(1) execution by burning at a **stake**, (2) buy the company's **stake**

The **stake** of the company is too high nowadays.

## inspire

*v.* to make somebody fill with the desire, confidence, or enthusiasm, especially to do something creative

*synonym* : boost, encourage, enlighten

(1) **inspire** a feeling of curiosity, (2) **inspire** him to write a novel

The unique style of this martial arts **inspired** many action film producers.

## severe

*adj.* extremely serious or bad in feeling, manner, or strict and harsh; extremely strong or vigorous

*synonym* : harsh, relentless, powerful

(1) **severe** heat, (2) a **severe** case of pneumonia

The senator received **severe** criticism from his opponent.

## headache

*n.* pain in the head; someone or something that causes anxiety or trouble

*synonym* : concern, difficulty, problem

(1) **headache** accompanied by fever, (2) bit of a **headache**

This pill will relieve your **headaches** immediately.

## facial

*adj.* of or relating to a person's face

*synonym* : forward, front, surface

(1) **facial** nerve, (2) **facial** expressions

**Facial** profiling is a new form of airport security.

## 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.

## shadow

*n.* a dark area or shape cast by an object blocking the passage of light; an area in darkness or shade; a reflected image or copy of something; a person, activity, or influence that follows or accompanies someone or

something closely and persistently, often in a secretive or ominous manner

*synonym* : shade, silhouette, outline

(1) **shadow** cast, (2) **shadow** puppetry

The tree cast a **shadow** over the picnic area, providing relief from the sun.

## complain

*v.* to say dissatisfaction or annoyance about something or somebody

*synonym* : gripe, claim, denounce

(1) **complain** about a job, (2) call and **complain** frequently

Our users are often **complaining** about the slow application.

## crooked

*adj.* not straight or aligned; bent or curved to one side; not honest or fair; characterized by deception, fraud, or wrongdoing; irregular, uneven, or jagged in shape or form

*synonym* : bent, curved, twisted

(1) **crooked** smile, (2) **crooked** line

The table leg was **crooked**, causing all the cups to slide to one side.

## numb

*adj.* unable to feel physical sensation and movement; not showing human feeling or sensitivity

*synonym* : dazed, insensitive, emotionless

(1) **numb** with cold, (2) a **numb** mind

My left arm became **numb**.

## solace

*n.* comfort or consolation in a time of distress, sadness, or disappointment; (verb) to comfort or console someone in a time of distress, loss, or suffering

*synonym* : comfort, condolence, peace

(1) **solace** in music, (2) offer **solace**

The grieving widow found **solace** in reading her late husband's letters.

## console

*v.* to provide emotional support or encouragement to someone; (noun) a type of table that is meant to be displayed against a wall; a control panel or unit that houses the controls for a particular piece of equipment

*synonym* : soothe, calm, pacify

(1) **console** her for the loss of her son, (2) **console** the spirits of the victims

She **consoled** her crying friend with words of encouragement.

## resilient

*adj.* able to withstand or recover quickly from difficult conditions

*synonym* : robust, sturdy, tough

(1) a hard and **resilient** steel, (2) **resilient** population

She is a **resilient** person and has always bounced back from setbacks.

## icon

*n.* a picture or statue of a holy person considered to be a sacred thing; a little icon on the screen of a computer or smartphone that denotes an application or a file

*synonym* : figure, hero, idol

(1) **icon** for young people, (2) television **icon**

Some comic book characters are considered gay **icons**.

## incomplete

*adj.* not having all the necessary or appropriate parts; not yet finished

*synonym* : undone, unfinished, insufficient

(1) **incomplete** information, (2) customer with **incomplete** credit histories

The researcher criticized the study due to **incomplete** data.

## quarrel

*n.* an argument or dispute between two or more people

*synonym* : argument, dispute, disagreement

(1) family **quarrel**, (2) heated **quarrel**

The two friends had a minor **quarrel** but quickly made up and resumed their conversation.

## mentorship

*n.* a relationship in which a more experienced or more knowledgeable person helps to guide a less experienced or less knowledgeable person

*synonym* : guidance, coaching, tutorship

(1) **mentorship** program, (2) under his **mentorship**

He was grateful for the **mentorship** opportunity given to him by his supervisor.

## bold

*adj.* brave, daring, and confident; not frightened of danger or afraid to say what you feel or to take risks

*synonym* : brave, courageous, fearless

(1) a **bold** design, (2) big, **bold** piano sounds

The effort to alleviate climate change needs **bold** action.

## courageous

*adj.* able to face and deal with danger or fear without flinching

*synonym* : brave, valiant, fearless

(1) make a **courageous** decision, (2) **courageous** rescue attempt

He was a **courageous** soldier who had served his country with honor.

## 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**.

## Session 2: Spelling

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|---------------------------|--|
| 1. cel_____ed paper       | <i>adj.</i> renowned for possessing admirable attributes   |
| 2. a doc_____ry film      | <i>n.</i> a film or a radio or television program that gives facts and information about a subject; of or derived from official documents                        |
| 3. history of ema_____ion | <i>n.</i> the act or process of setting someone free from control or influence   |
| 4. ve__e of bankruptcy    | <i>n.</i> the point at which something is about to happen or where something begins; the edge or margin of something, particularly a physical boundary or border |
| 5. me_____n in a report   | <i>v.</i> to speak or write about something or someone briefly   |
| 6. bri_____ce of diamond  | <i>n.</i> the quality of being very clever or talented; the quality of being very bright or shining  |
| 7. my vo_____er work      | <i>n.</i> a person who performs or offers to perform a job or service without being paid for or forced to do   |
| 8. a private ind_____al   | <i>n.</i> a single person or thing, as distinct from a group   |
| 9. an eco_____al meal     | <i>adj.</i> providing a satisfactory return on the money, time, or effort; not using more money, fuel, etc. than necessary                                       |

ANSWERS: 1. celebrated, 2. documentary, 3. emancipation, 4. verge, 5. mention, 6. brilliance, 7. volunteer, 8. individual, 9. economical

10. under his men\_\_\_\_\_ip                      *n.* a relationship in which a more experienced or more knowledgeable person helps to guide a less experienced or less knowledgeable person
11. ir\_\_y humor                                      *n.* the expression of one's meaning by using language that usually signifies the opposite, typically for humorous or rhetorical effect
12. a hard and re\_\_\_\_\_nt steel                *adj.* able to withstand or recover quickly from difficult conditions
13. hu\_\_\_e opinion                                  *adj.* having or showing a modest or low estimate of one's quality or importance
14. sc\_\_e off her attacker by screaming        *v.* to frighten a person or animal, or to become frightened
15. cel\_\_\_\_\_ed artist                              *adj.* renowned for possessing admirable attributes
16. g\_\_f stream                                      *n.* a large ocean inlet or deep bay that is partially enclosed by land
17. 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
18. ob\_\_\_\_\_nt dog                                *adj.* willing to do what someone in authority tells you to do
19. ps\_\_\_o code                                      *adj.* (meaning "false" or "not genuine") indicating something that is similar to or resembling something else but is not that thing

ANSWERS: 10. mentorship, 11. irony, 12. resilient, 13. humble, 14. scare, 15. celebrated, 16. gulf, 17. clip, 18. obedient, 19. pseudo





31. es\_\_\_t for VIPs *n.* a person or group of people accompanying someone for protection, guidance, or courtesy; a companion or attendant; a service or a person providing a service for accompanying someone or something to or from a destination
32. ad\_\_\_\_\_on fee *n.* the act of allowing someone to enter or become a member of a group, organization, institution, or place; the act of acknowledging or confessing something, often a truth or a wrongdoing
33. personal es\_\_\_t *n.* a person or group of people accompanying someone for protection, guidance, or courtesy; a companion or attendant; a service or a person providing a service for accompanying someone or something to or from a destination
34. family su\_\_\_\_\_e *n.* the family name passed down through generations; a person's last name
35. pat\_\_\_\_\_al society *adj.* relating to or characteristic of a society or system in which men hold the dominant roles and positions of power; male-dominated
36. dis\_\_\_\_\_nt attitude *adj.* refusing to follow the rules or orders, often deliberately or defiantly; showing a lack of respect for authority or established norms

ANSWERS: 31. escort, 32. admission, 33. escort, 34. surname, 35. patriarchal, 36. disobedient

37. an\_\_\_\_or language *n.* a person from whom one is descended; a forefather
38. tra\_\_\_\_\_ss boundaries *v.* to break the law or moral code; to go beyond or exceed the limits or boundaries of something
39. app\_\_\_\_\_te the value *v.* to value and acknowledge the worth of someone or something; to be grateful for something or someone
40. an unc\_\_\_\_\_ble silence *adj.* providing or feeling physical discomfort or slight pain
41. gl\_\_\_e at him miserably *v.* to give a quick or brief look; to hit something at an angle
42. a matter for con\_\_\_\_\_ion *n.* the act of expressing that someone has an occasion for celebration or the expression of pleasure at the success or good fortune of another
43. answer in a wh\_\_\_\_r *v.* to speak very quietly to somebody using the breath rather than the voice so that only those close to you can hear you
44. n\_\_b with cold *adj.* unable to feel physical sensation and movement; not showing human feeling or sensitivity
45. in\_\_\_\_\_te discipline *v.* to impress upon someone an idea or attitude through repetition and persistent urging
46. tr\_\_e back to medieval times *v.* to find or discover someone or something that was lost
47. en\_\_\_l at a college *v.* to officially register or sign up for something, particularly a course of study, an organization, or a service

ANSWERS: 37. ancestor, 38. transgress, 39. appreciate, 40. uncomfortable, 41. glance, 42. congratulation, 43. whisper, 44. numb, 45. inculcate, 46. trace, 47. enroll

48. en\_\_\_\_\_ge antisocial behavior      *v.* to give someone support, confidence, or hope; to persuade someone to do or continue to do something by making it easier for them and making them believe it is a good thing to do
49. offer so\_\_\_\_e      *n.* comfort or consolation in a time of distress, sadness, or disappointment; *(verb)* to comfort or console someone in a time of distress, loss, or suffering
50. ab\_\_\_\_\_h slavery      *v.* to do away with completely; to put an end to
51. d\_b data      *v.* to give someone or something an unofficial name or nickname; to provide movies with a voice of a foreign language
52. de\_\_\_\_\_on authority      *n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options
53. su\_\_\_\_\_e history      *n.* the family name passed down through generations; a person's last name
54. to\_\_\_\_\_te ambiguity      *v.* to allow something to exist or happen, even if it is disliked or opposed
55. an int\_\_\_\_\_nce test      *n.* the ability to learn, comprehend, or make judgments or conclusions based on reasons
56. victim of a vi\_\_\_\_\_t crime      *adj.* involving or caused by physical force or aggression against someone or something

ANSWERS: 48. encourage, 49. solace, 50. abolish, 51. dub, 52. decision, 53. surname, 54. tolerate, 55. intelligence, 56. violent

57. i\_\_n for young people *n.* a picture or statue of a holy person considered to be a sacred thing; a little icon on the screen of a computer or smartphone that denotes an application or a file
58. earliest human an\_\_\_\_or *n.* a person from whom one is descended; a forefather
59. cr\_\_\_\_do of applause *n.* a gradual increase in volume or intensity, often about a musical piece or performance; figuratively, a gradual buildup or intensification of a feeling, emotion, or action
60. self-ema\_\_\_\_ion *n.* the act or process of setting someone free from control or influence
61. he\_\_\_c explorers *adj.* courageous and daring; having or displaying qualities appropriate for legendary figures that is courage and daring
62. le\_\_\_l injection *adj.* causing or capable of causing death; extremely dangerous
63. no asp\_\_\_\_on for fame *n.* a strong desire to achieve something; the action or process of drawing breath
64. call and co\_\_\_\_in frequently *v.* to say dissatisfaction or annoyance about something or somebody
65. mistaken id\_\_\_\_ty *n.* the fact of being who or what somebody or something is; the features, emotions, or ideas that distinguish persons from one another
66. feel a bit gu\_\_\_y *adj.* feeling responsible for or having done something wrong or criminal

ANSWERS: 57. icon, 58. ancestor, 59. crescendo, 60. emancipation, 61. heroic, 62. lethal, 63. aspiration, 64. complain, 65. identity, 66. guilty

67. im\_\_\_t basic knowledge      *v.* to expose or inform; to provide a portion of
68. v\_\_l her face      *n.* a piece of fine cloth worn by women to cover or conceal the face; (verb) to cover, conceal, or obscure
69. give si\_\_\_t consent      *adj.* without any or little sound
70. v\_\_l of mystery      *n.* a piece of fine cloth worn by women to cover or conceal the face; (verb) to cover, conceal, or obscure
71. re\_\_\_\_\_nt population      *adj.* able to withstand or recover quickly from difficult conditions
72. st\_\_\_e hard to get      *v.* to try very hard to do, achieve, or obtain something
73. in\_\_\_\_\_ce system      *n.* a violation of the rights of others or the laws of a society
74. bitter ir\_\_y      *n.* the expression of one's meaning by using language that usually signifies the opposite, typically for humorous or rhetorical effect
75. development of the ne\_\_\_\_\_s system      *adj.* worried and anxious about something; relating to the nerves
76. a selfish de\_\_\_\_\_on      *n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options
77. sexual exp\_\_\_\_\_ion      *n.* the process of making some area of land or water more profitable or productive or useful

ANSWERS: 67. impart, 68. veil, 69. silent, 70. veil, 71. resilient, 72. strive, 73. injustice, 74. irony, 75. nervous, 76. decision, 77. exploitation

78. make a cou\_\_\_\_\_us decision      *adj.* able to face and deal with danger or fear without flinching
79. gross in\_\_\_\_\_ce      *n.* a violation of the rights of others or the laws of a society
80. execution by burning at a st\_\_e      *n.* a share or financial investment in something such as a business; a wooden or metal post set up to mark something
81. tra\_\_\_\_\_ss against the rules      *v.* to break the law or moral code; to go beyond or exceed the limits or boundaries of something
82. a hu\_\_\_e cottage      *adj.* having or showing a modest or low estimate of one's quality or importance
83. vi\_\_\_\_\_t incident      *adj.* involving or caused by physical force or aggression against someone or something
84. tr\_\_\_l community      *adj.* relating to a social group or tribe, especially a preliterate society
85. co\_\_\_\_\_in about a job      *v.* to say dissatisfaction or annoyance about something or somebody
86. complete ne\_\_\_\_\_on      *n.* the act of denying or contradicting something; the absence or opposite of something
87. family qu\_\_\_\_\_l      *n.* an argument or dispute between two or more people
88. historical phe\_\_\_\_\_on      *n.* something that exists and can be perceptible, especially one that is not fully understood
89. fo\_\_\_\_\_en love      *adj.* not permitted or allowed by rules or laws

ANSWERS: 78. courageous, 79. injustice, 80. stake, 81. transgress, 82. humble, 83. violent, 84. tribal, 85. complain, 86. negation, 87. quarrel, 88. phenomenon, 89. forbidden

90. par\_\_\_\_\_te in the program      *v.* to take part in something
91. id\_\_\_\_\_ty as an individual      *n.* the fact of being who or what somebody or something is; the features, emotions, or ideas that distinguish persons from one another
92. asp\_\_\_\_\_on into the lungs      *n.* a strong desire to achieve something; the action or process of drawing breath
93. co\_\_\_\_\_e her for the loss of her son      *v.* to provide emotional support or encouragement to someone; (noun) a type of table that is meant to be displayed against a wall; a control panel or unit that houses the controls for a particular piece of equipment
94. hu\_\_\_\_\_te the heckler in the audience      *v.* to cause someone to feel ashamed, embarrassed, or degraded, especially in public or through revealing personal information
95. 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
96. bu\_\_\_\_\_ly effect      *n.* a diurnal insect typically has a slender body with knobbed antennae and broad, colorful wings
97. me\_\_\_\_\_n name      *v.* to speak or write about something or someone briefly
98. liv\_\_\_\_\_od assistance      *n.* a means of earning money people need to pay for food, a place to live, clothing, etc.
99. 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

ANSWERS: 90. participate, 91. identity, 92. aspiration, 93. console, 94. humiliate, 95. economical, 96. butterfly, 97. mention, 98. livelihood, 99. develop



100. big, b\_\_d piano sounds *adj.* brave, daring, and confident; not frightened of danger or afraid to say what you feel or to take risks
101. with an unc\_\_\_\_\_ble face *adj.* providing or feeling physical discomfort or slight pain
102. fa\_\_\_l expressions *adj.* of or relating to a person's face
103. g\_\_f war *n.* a large ocean inlet or deep bay that is partially enclosed by land
104. st\_\_\_\_\_le to get the job *v.* to make a great effort to do something when it is difficult, or there are a lot of problems; to use force or violence to break away from restraint or constriction
105. economic bri\_\_\_\_\_ce *n.* the quality of being very clever or talented; the quality of being very bright or shining
106. 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
107. death from sh\_\_k *n.* a strong feeling or physical reaction to a sudden and unexpected event or experience, especially something unpleasant
108. cr\_\_\_\_\_d line *adj.* not straight or aligned; bent or curved to one side; not honest or fair; characterized by deception, fraud, or wrongdoing; irregular, uneven, or jagged in shape or form
109. su\_\_\_r a setback *v.* to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant

ANSWERS: 100. bold, 101. uncomfortable, 102. facial, 103. gulf, 104. struggle, 105. brilliance, 106. clip, 107. shock, 108. crooked, 109. suffer

110. dis\_\_\_\_\_nt dog *adj.* refusing to follow the rules or orders, often deliberately or defiantly; showing a lack of respect for authority or established norms
111. tr\_\_\_l culture *adj.* relating to a social group or tribe, especially a preliterate society
112. small sa\_\_\_\_\_ce for a great cause *n.* the act of killing an animal or person or surrendering a possession as an offering to a deity; (verb) to give up something important or valuable to help another person or get or do something that seems more important
113. w\_d the rich man *v.* to marry someone
114. cultural n\_\_m *n.* something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard
115. mi\_\_\_\_\_e a service *v.* to move from one country or region to another and settle there; to move from one place to another periodically or seasonally
116. a se\_\_\_e case of pneumonia *adj.* extremely serious or bad in feeling, manner, or strict and harsh; extremely strong or vigorous
117. a he\_\_\_c poem *adj.* courageous and daring; having or displaying qualities appropriate for legendary figures that is courage and daring
118. a means of liv\_\_\_\_\_od *n.* a means of earning money people need to pay for food, a place to live, clothing, etc.

ANSWERS: 110. disobedient, 111. tribal, 112. sacrifice, 113. wed, 114. norm, 115. migrate, 116. severe, 117. heroic, 118. livelihood

119. grow to be ob\_\_\_\_nt *adj.* willing to do what someone in authority tells you to do
120. su\_\_\_\_e you're right *v.* to think that something is likely to be actual or possible
121. d\_b the film in English *v.* to give someone or something an unofficial name or nickname; to provide movies with a voice of a foreign language
122. customer with inc\_\_\_\_te credit histories *adj.* not having all the necessary or appropriate parts; not yet finished
123. to\_\_\_\_te his disrespectful behavior *v.* to allow something to exist or happen, even if it is disliked or opposed
124. cr\_\_\_\_d smile *adj.* not straight or aligned; bent or curved to one side; not honest or fair; characterized by deception, fraud, or wrongdoing; irregular, uneven, or jagged in shape or form
125. fa\_\_\_\_l nerve *adj.* of or relating to a person's face
126. economic do\_\_\_\_ay *n.* the last day of the world when Christians believe that God will judge everyone; an unpleasant or disastrous event
127. heated qu\_\_\_\_l *n.* an argument or dispute between two or more people
128. ast\_\_\_\_ed at the success *adj.* extremely surprised and upset
129. field of artificial int\_\_\_\_nce *n.* the ability to learn, comprehend, or make judgments or conclusions based on reasons

ANSWERS: 119. obedient, 120. suppose, 121. dub, 122. incomplete, 123. tolerate, 124. crooked, 125. facial, 126. doomsday, 127. quarrel, 128. astonished, 129. intelligence

130. do\_\_\_\_\_ay scenario *n.* the last day of the world when Christians believe that God will judge everyone; an unpleasant or disastrous event
131. an arrival pl\_\_\_\_\_rm *n.* the raised flat space close to the track at a train station where passengers get on or off the train; (technology) a computational or digital environment in which a piece of software is executed
132. con\_\_\_\_\_ion on a promotion *n.* the act of expressing that someone has an occasion for celebration or the expression of pleasure at the success or good fortune of another
133. sa\_\_\_\_\_ce anything to get ahead *n.* the act of killing an animal or person or surrendering a possession as an offering to a deity; (verb) to give up something important or valuable to help another person or get or do something that seems more important
134. par\_\_\_\_\_te fully in conversation *v.* to take part in something
135. he\_\_\_\_\_he accompanied by fever *n.* pain in the head; someone or something that causes anxiety or trouble
136. bl\_\_k expression *adj.* without any writing or printing; empty or devoid of ideas, information, or meaning; unable to remember or recall information
137. wanted cr\_\_\_\_\_al *n.* a person who has committed a crime
138. ind\_\_\_\_\_al freedom *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group

ANSWERS: 130. doomsday, 131. platform, 132. congratulation, 133. sacrifice, 134. participate, 135. headache, 136. blank, 137. criminal, 138. individual

139. in\_\_\_\_\_te good habits      *v.* to impress upon someone an idea or attitude through repetition and persistent urging
140. sub\_\_\_\_\_ve behavior      *adj.* inclined or willing to submit or yield to authority, domination, or direction; obedient or compliant; meek or passive
141. en\_\_\_l in a school      *v.* to officially register or sign up for something, particularly a course of study, an organization, or a service
142. vi\_\_\_\_\_s attack      *adj.* having or showing a desire to cause harm to others; having the nature of vice
143. dis\_\_\_\_\_ate between different things      *v.* to treat a person or particular group of people worse or better than another, especially in an unfair way; to recognize or perceive the difference between people or things
144. so\_\_\_e in music      *n.* comfort or consolation in a time of distress, sadness, or disappointment; *(verb)* to comfort or console someone in a time of distress, loss, or suffering
145. men\_\_\_\_\_ip program      *n.* a relationship in which a more experienced or more knowledgeable person helps to guide a less experienced or less knowledgeable person
146. the life cycle of a bu\_\_\_\_\_ly      *n.* a diurnal insect typically has a slender body with knobbed antennae and broad, colorful wings
147. in\_\_\_\_\_e a feeling of curiosity      *v.* to make somebody fill with the desire, confidence, or enthusiasm, especially to do something creative

ANSWERS: 139. inculcate, 140. submissive, 141. enroll, 142. vicious, 143. discriminate, 144. solace, 145. mentorship, 146. butterfly, 147. inspire

148. buy the company's st\_\_e *n.* a share or financial investment in something such as a business; a wooden or metal post set up to mark something
149. a digital pl\_\_\_\_\_rm for enterprise *n.* the raised flat space close to the track at a train station where passengers get on or off the train; (technology) a computational or digital environment in which a piece of software is executed
150. se\_\_\_e heat *adj.* extremely serious or bad in feeling, manner, or strict and harsh; extremely strong or vigorous
151. pr\_\_\_\_\_it the use of phone *v.* to officially stop something from being done or used, especially by enforcing the law
152. tr\_\_e a telephone call *v.* to find or discover someone or something that was lost
153. a n\_\_b mind *adj.* unable to feel physical sensation and movement; not showing human feeling or sensitivity
154. cr\_\_\_\_\_ia for action *n.* (plural of criterion) standards or conditions by which something may be judged or decided
155. on the ve\_\_e of tears *n.* the point at which something is about to happen or where something begins; the edge or margin of something, particularly a physical boundary or border
156. the pl\_\_\_t of the poor *n.* a difficult or unfortunate situation

ANSWERS: 148. stake, 149. platform, 150. severe, 151. prohibit, 152. trace, 153. numb, 154. criteria, 155. verge, 156. plight

157. the wh\_\_\_\_\_r of the leaves      *v.* to speak very quietly to somebody using the breath rather than the voice so that only those close to you can hear you
158. bl\_\_k paper      *adj.* without any writing or printing; empty or devoid of ideas, information, or meaning; unable to remember or recall information
159. mi\_\_\_\_\_e across borders      *v.* to move from one country or region to another and settle there; to move from one place to another periodically or seasonally
160. a p\_\_t of sorts      *n.* a person who writes poetry
161. ab\_\_\_t departure      *adj.* sudden and unexpected
162. cross-co\_\_\_n marriage      *n.* the child of your aunt or uncle
163. gain ad\_\_\_\_\_on      *n.* the act of allowing someone to enter or become a member of a group, organization, institution, or place; the act of acknowledging or confessing something, often a truth or a wrongdoing
164. co\_\_\_n's family      *n.* the child of your aunt or uncle
165. gl\_\_\_e around nervously      *v.* to give a quick or brief look; to hit something at an angle
166. cou\_\_\_\_\_us rescue attempt      *adj.* able to face and deal with danger or fear without flinching
167. st\_\_\_e for excellence      *v.* to try very hard to do, achieve, or obtain something

ANSWERS: 157. whisper, 158. blank, 159. migrate, 160. poet, 161. abrupt, 162. cousin, 163. admission, 164. cousin, 165. glance, 166. courageous, 167. strive

168. ho\_\_r our ancestors *n.* high regard or great respect for someone; the quality of having and doing based on a keen sense of morality; (verb) to show respect towards someone
169. womanly ho\_\_r *n.* high regard or great respect for someone; the quality of having and doing based on a keen sense of morality; (verb) to show respect towards someone
170. f\_\_g a dead horse *v.* to beat or whip, usually as a form of punishment; to repeatedly hit or strike someone or something violently; to promote or sell aggressively, often with excessive enthusiasm or pressure
171. ps\_\_\_o name *adj.* (meaning "false" or "not genuine") indicating something that is similar to or resembling something else but is not that thing
172. rec\_\_\_\_\_on award *n.* the action or process of recognizing or being recognized, especially by remembering; an agreement that something is true or legal
173. co\_\_\_\_\_e the spirits of the victims *v.* to provide emotional support or encouragement to someone; (noun) a type of table that is meant to be displayed against a wall; a control panel or unit that houses the controls for a particular piece of equipment
174. re\_\_\_l the incident *v.* to remember something

ANSWERS: 168. honor, 169. honor, 170. flog, 171. pseudo, 172. recognition, 173. console, 174. recall



175. cr\_\_\_\_al investigation *n.* a person who has committed a crime
176. gr\_\_t a new license *v.* to agree to give or allow somebody
177. miserable pl\_\_\_\_t *n.* a difficult or unfortunate situation
178. fa\_\_\_\_\_te the young *v.* to attract and hold the attention of someone deeply and irresistibly
179. gu\_\_\_\_y verdict *adj.* feeling responsible for or having done something wrong or criminal
180. sh\_\_k-resistant *n.* a strong feeling or physical reaction to a sudden and unexpected event or experience, especially something unpleasant
181. by a strange coi\_\_\_\_\_ce *n.* an occasion when two or more similar things happen at the same time by chance, in a surprising way
182. natural phe\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* something that exists and can be perceptible, especially one that is not fully understood
183. work v\_\_a *n.* an endorsement or authorization placed in a passport or travel document that allows the holder to enter or leave a particular country for a specific period of time; the process of applying for and obtaining such authorization
184. sc\_\_e the birds away *v.* to frighten a person or animal, or to become frightened
185. na\_\_\_\_n-state *n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture

ANSWERS: 175. criminal, 176. grant, 177. plight, 178. fascinate, 179. guilty, 180. shock, 181. coincidence, 182. phenomenon, 183. visa, 184. scare, 185. nation

186. a sub\_\_\_\_\_ve personality *adj.* inclined or willing to submit or yield to authority, domination, or direction; obedient or compliant; meek or passive
187. f\_\_g a car *v.* to beat or whip, usually as a form of punishment; to repeatedly hit or strike someone or something violently; to promote or sell aggressively, often with excessive enthusiasm or pressure
188. pat\_\_\_\_\_al government *adj.* relating to or characteristic of a society or system in which men hold the dominant roles and positions of power; male-dominated
189. in\_\_\_\_\_e him to write a novel *v.* to make somebody fill with the desire, confidence, or enthusiasm, especially to do something creative
190. bl\_\_e circumstances for the failure *v.* to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad
191. the exp\_\_\_\_\_ion of fossil resources *n.* the process of making some area of land or water more profitable or productive or useful
192. a b\_\_d design *adj.* brave, daring, and confident; not frightened of danger or afraid to say what you feel or to take risks
193. vi\_\_\_\_\_s deflationary spiral *adj.* having or showing a desire to cause harm to others; having the nature of vice
194. achieve a le\_\_\_\_\_ry status *adj.* famous or well-known, especially through long-standing popular stories or tradition

ANSWERS: 186. submissive, 187. flog, 188. patriarchal, 189. inspire, 190. blame, 191. exploitation, 192. bold, 193. vicious, 194. legendary

195. ab\_\_\_\_h censorship *v.* to do away with completely; to put an end to
196. su\_\_\_\_e beforehand *v.* to think that something is likely to be actual or possible
197. sh\_\_\_w puppetry *n.* a dark area or shape cast by an object blocking the passage of light; an area in darkness or shade; a reflected image or copy of something; a person, activity, or influence that follows or accompanies someone or something closely and persistently, often in a secretive or ominous manner
198. consistency cr\_\_\_\_ia *n.* (plural of criterion) standards or conditions by which something may be judged or decided
199. bit of a he\_\_\_\_he *n.* pain in the head; someone or something that causes anxiety or trouble
200. co\_\_\_\_e themselves solely *v.* to restrict the movement of someone or something
201. pr\_\_\_\_it destructive activities *v.* to officially stop something from being done or used, especially by enforcing the law
202. get ne\_\_\_\_s *adj.* worried and anxious about something; relating to the nerves
203. gr\_\_t a land *v.* to agree to give or allow somebody
204. bl\_\_e the lack of knowledge *v.* to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad

ANSWERS: 195. abolish, 196. suppose, 197. shadow, 198. criteria, 199. headache, 200. confine, 201. prohibit, 202. nervous, 203. grant, 204. blame

205. algebraic ine\_\_\_\_\_ty *n.* the unfairness of a society in which some people have more opportunity, money, etc. than others; (mathematics) relation between two values when they are different
206. su\_\_\_\_r bad grades *v.* to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant
207. 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
208. re\_\_\_\_l his name *v.* to remember something
209. a court p\_\_t *n.* a person who writes poetry
210. speak in an ab\_\_\_\_t manner *adj.* sudden and unexpected
211. joint rec\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the action or process of recognizing or being recognized, especially by remembering; an agreement that something is true or legal
212. seek vo\_\_\_\_\_ers *n.* a person who performs or offers to perform a job or service without being paid for or forced to do
213. n\_\_m of action *n.* something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard
214. fa\_\_\_\_\_te the public *v.* to attract and hold the attention of someone deeply and irresistibly

ANSWERS: 205. inequality, 206. suffer, 207. develop, 208. recall, 209. poet, 210. abrupt, 211. recognition, 212. volunteer, 213. norm, 214. fascinate

215. television i\_\_n *n.* a picture or statue of a holy person considered to be a sacred thing; a little icon on the screen of a computer or smartphone that denotes an application or a file
216. fo\_\_\_\_\_en words *adj.* not permitted or allowed by rules or laws
217. dis\_\_\_\_\_ate against women employees *v.* to treat a person or particular group of people worse or better than another, especially in an unfair way; to recognize or perceive the difference between people or things
218. student v\_\_a *n.* an endorsement or authorization placed in a passport or travel document that allows the holder to enter or leave a particular country for a specific period of time; the process of applying for and obtaining such authorization
219. si\_\_\_t reading *adj.* without any or little sound
220. a rising cr\_\_\_\_\_do of voices *n.* a gradual increase in volume or intensity, often about a musical piece or performance; figuratively, a gradual buildup or intensification of a feeling, emotion, or action
221. st\_\_\_\_\_le against discrimination *v.* to make a great effort to do something when it is difficult, or there are a lot of problems; to use force or violence to break away from restraint or constriction
222. w\_d my intended *v.* to marry someone

ANSWERS: 215. icon, 216. forbidden, 217. discriminate, 218. visa, 219. silent, 220. crescendo, 221. struggle, 222. wed

223. le\_\_\_\_\_ry actor      *adj.* famous or well-known, especially through long-standing popular stories or tradition
224. doc\_\_\_\_\_ry proof      *n.* a film or a radio or television program that gives facts and information about a subject; of or derived from official documents
225. sh\_\_\_w cast      *n.* a dark area or shape cast by an object blocking the passage of light; an area in darkness or shade; a reflected image or copy of something; a person, activity, or influence that follows or accompanies someone or something closely and persistently, often in a secretive or ominous manner
226. logical ne\_\_\_\_\_on      *n.* the act of denying or contradicting something; the absence or opposite of something

ANSWERS: 223. legendary, 224. documentary, 225. shadow, 226. negation

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The researcher criticized the study due to \_\_\_\_\_ data.  
*adj.* not having all the necessary or appropriate parts; not yet finished
2. It was a pure \_\_\_\_\_ that we met her in the library.  
*n.* an occasion when two or more similar things happen at the same time by chance, in a surprising way
3. Congress passed a law to \_\_\_\_\_ the disposal of nuclear waste.  
*v.* to officially stop something from being done or used, especially by enforcing the law
4. The company was fined for \_\_\_\_\_ environmental regulations.  
*v.* to break the law or moral code; to go beyond or exceed the limits or boundaries of something
5. Taking photographs inside the museum is \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* not permitted or allowed by rules or laws
6. We \_\_\_\_\_ him Ironman because of his toughness.  
*v.* to give someone or something an unofficial name or nickname; to provide movies with a voice of a foreign language
7. The teacher threatened to \_\_\_\_\_ the misbehaving student if he didn't settle down.  
*v.* to beat or whip, usually as a form of punishment; to repeatedly hit or strike someone or something violently; to promote or sell aggressively, often with excessive enthusiasm or pressure

ANSWERS: 1. incomplete, 2. coincidence, 3. prohibit, 4. transgressing, 5. forbidden, 6. dubbed, 7. flog

8. The couple will \_\_\_\_ after the tenth anniversary.  
*v.* to marry someone
9. He won an award for that short \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a film or a radio or television program that gives facts and information about a subject; of or derived from official documents
10. The magic tricks \_\_\_\_\_ the children.  
*v.* to attract and hold the attention of someone deeply and irresistibly
11. She received her college \_\_\_\_\_ letter in the mail today.  
*n.* the act of allowing someone to enter or become a member of a group, organization, institution, or place; the act of acknowledging or confessing something, often a truth or a wrongdoing
12. He has an \_\_\_\_\_ to become a doctor.  
*n.* a strong desire to achieve something; the action or process of drawing breath
13. I used to play with my younger male \_\_\_\_\_ when I was a little girl.  
*n.* the child of your aunt or uncle
14. Strategic \_\_\_\_\_ of cutting-edge technology would be a sure formula for success.  
*n.* the process of making some area of land or water more profitable or productive or useful
15. After much contemplation, the suspect decided to plead \_\_\_\_\_ to the theft charge.  
*adj.* feeling responsible for or having done something wrong or criminal

ANSWERS: 8. wed, 9. documentary, 10. fascinated, 11. admission, 12. aspiration, 13. cousins, 14. exploitation, 15. guilty



16. His story was full of \_\_\_\_\_ jargon meant to impress rather than inform.  
*adj.* (meaning "false" or "not genuine") indicating something that is similar to or resembling something else but is not that thing
17. When filling out a form, include your full \_\_\_\_\_ not just your first name.  
*n.* the family name passed down through generations; a person's last name
18. The government voted to \_\_\_\_\_ the outdated law.  
*v.* to do away with completely; to put an end to
19. What do you \_\_\_\_\_ the culprit's motive was?  
*v.* to think that something is likely to be actual or possible
20. The \_\_\_\_\_ stories of King Arthur have been passed down for centuries.  
*adj.* famous or well-known, especially through long-standing popular stories or tradition
21. She is a talented \_\_\_\_\_ who has been recognized for her work.  
*n.* a person who writes poetry
22. The computer screen displayed nothing but a \_\_\_\_\_ white screen  
*adj.* without any writing or printing; empty or devoid of ideas, information, or meaning; unable to remember or recall information
23. The animal was \_\_\_\_\_ in a small cage.  
*v.* to restrict the movement of someone or something
24. The \_\_\_\_\_ actions of individuals are now easily spread worldwide by SNS.  
*adj.* courageous and daring; having or displaying qualities appropriate for legendary figures that is courage and daring

ANSWERS: 16. pseudo-philosophical, 17. surname, 18. abolish, 19. suppose, 20. legendary, 21. poet, 22. blank, 23. confined, 24. heroic

25. Some comic book characters are considered gay \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* a picture or statue of a holy person considered to be a sacred thing; a little icon on the screen of a computer or smartphone that denotes an application or a file
26. Three \_\_\_\_\_ tenors performed during the president's inauguration.
- adj.* renowned for possessing admirable attributes
27. 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
28. The protesters became \_\_\_\_\_ when the police tried to disperse them.
- adj.* involving or caused by physical force or aggression against someone or something
29. He was a \_\_\_\_\_ soldier who had served his country with honor.
- adj.* able to face and deal with danger or fear without flinching
30. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the company is too high nowadays.
- n.* a share or financial investment in something such as a business; a wooden or metal post set up to mark something
31. An \_\_\_\_\_ of bodyguards surrounded the celebrity to keep fans safe.
- n.* a person or group of people accompanying someone for protection, guidance, or courtesy; a companion or attendant; a service or a person providing a service for accompanying someone or something to or from a destination
32. Malignant hypertension is the most \_\_\_\_\_ form of hypertension.
- adj.* causing or capable of causing death; extremely dangerous

ANSWERS: 25. icons, 26. celebrated, 27. suffers, 28. violent, 29. courageous, 30. stake, 31. escort, 32. lethal

33. He got an electric \_\_\_\_\_ at work.

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

34. I could no longer earn my own \_\_\_\_\_.

- n.* a means of earning money people need to pay for food, a place to live, clothing, etc.

35. He could not \_\_\_\_\_ against temptation.

- v.* to make a great effort to do something when it is difficult, or there are a lot of problems; to use force or violence to break away from restraint or constriction

36. She was struggling to make a \_\_\_\_\_ between two job offers.

- n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options

37. He was given \_\_\_\_\_ for his outstanding work in the field of medicine.

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

38. In terms of \_\_\_\_\_ he was head and shoulders above his classmates.

- n.* the ability to learn, comprehend, or make judgments or conclusions based on reasons

39. The tree cast a \_\_\_\_\_ over the picnic area, providing relief from the sun.

- n.* a dark area or shape cast by an object blocking the passage of light; an area in darkness or shade; a reflected image or copy of something; a person, activity, or influence that follows or accompanies someone or something closely and persistently, often in a secretive or ominous manner

ANSWERS: 33. shock, 34. livelihood, 35. struggle, 36. decision, 37. recognition, 38. intelligence, 39. shadow

40. We would \_\_\_\_\_ an early reply.

- v. to value and acknowledge the worth of someone or something; to be grateful for something or someone

41. The \_\_\_\_\_ leaders gathered for a summit to discuss important issues.

- adj. relating to a social group or tribe, especially a preliterate society

42. We hit the ground to \_\_\_\_\_ out the rabbits.

- v. to frighten a person or animal, or to become frightened

43. The \_\_\_\_\_ system that many societies have is outdated and unfair to women.

- adj. relating to or characteristic of a society or system in which men hold the dominant roles and positions of power; male-dominated

44. They \_\_\_\_\_ customers with a premium for loyal patronage.

- v. to give someone support, confidence, or hope; to persuade someone to do or continue to do something by making it easier for them and making them believe it is a good thing to do

45. The sudden, \_\_\_\_\_ change in weather caught everyone by surprise.

- adj. sudden and unexpected

46. She \_\_\_\_\_ her crying friend with words of encouragement.

- v. to provide emotional support or encouragement to someone; (noun) a type of table that is meant to be displayed against a wall; a control panel or unit that houses the controls for a particular piece of equipment

47. As a parent, it is important to \_\_\_\_\_ good values and morals in your children from an early age.

- v. to impress upon someone an idea or attitude through repetition and persistent urging

ANSWERS: 40. appreciate, 41. tribal, 42. scare, 43. patriarchal, 44. encouraged, 45. abrupt, 46. consoled, 47. inculcate

48. The chairperson \_\_\_\_\_ him the right to speak.  
*v.* to agree to give or allow somebody
49. \_\_\_\_\_ profiling is a new form of airport security.  
*adj.* of or relating to a person's face
50. You cannot accomplish great things without a \_\_\_\_\_ of your time or money.  
*n.* the act of killing an animal or person or surrendering a possession as an offering to a deity; (verb) to give up something important or valuable to help another person or get or do something that seems more important
51. The nobler, the more \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* having or showing a modest or low estimate of one's quality or importance
52. I need to \_\_\_\_\_ in a cooking class to improve my culinary skills.  
*v.* to officially register or sign up for something, particularly a course of study, an organization, or a service
53. Our users are often \_\_\_\_\_ about the slow application.  
*v.* to say dissatisfaction or annoyance about something or somebody
54. I can't \_\_\_\_\_ spicy food, and it always gives me heartburn  
*v.* to allow something to exist or happen, even if it is disliked or opposed
55. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the proposal was a blow to the team's morale.  
*n.* the act of denying or contradicting something; the absence or opposite of something
56. I \_\_\_\_\_ to him that I had seen his sister at the grocery store earlier that day.  
*v.* to speak or write about something or someone briefly

ANSWERS: 48. granted, 49. Facial, 50. sacrifice, 51. humble, 52. enroll, 53. complaining, 54. tolerate, 55. negation, 56. mentioned

57. She vividly \_\_\_\_\_ getting laid off several years ago.

*v.* to remember something

58. His abusive words made me \_\_\_\_\_.

*adj.* providing or feeling physical discomfort or slight pain

59. She was \_\_\_\_\_ by the news and could hardly believe it.

*adj.* extremely surprised and upset

60. The scientist's \_\_\_\_\_ led to many groundbreaking discoveries in his field.

*n.* the quality of being very clever or talented; the quality of being very bright or shining

61. You should not \_\_\_\_\_ against minorities.

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

62. I casually \_\_\_\_\_ into the small hut.

*v.* to give a quick or brief look; to hit something at an angle

63. My remote \_\_\_\_\_ immigrated to the United States from Ireland in the 1800s.

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

64. She is a \_\_\_\_\_ person and has always bounced back from setbacks.

*adj.* able to withstand or recover quickly from difficult conditions

65. The \_\_\_\_\_ dog cowered and trembled in fear when approached by its owner.

*adj.* inclined or willing to submit or yield to authority, domination, or direction; obedient or compliant; meek or passive

ANSWERS: 57. recalls, 58. uncomfortable, 59. astonished, 60. brilliance, 61. discriminate, 62. glanced, 63. ancestor, 64. resilient, 65. submissive

66. The \_\_\_\_\_ dog followed its owner's commands.

*adj.* willing to do what someone in authority tells you to do

67. The effort to alleviate climate change needs \_\_\_\_\_ action.

*adj.* brave, daring, and confident; not frightened of danger or afraid to say what you feel or to take risks

68. He lifted her \_\_\_\_\_ with both hands.

*n.* a piece of fine cloth worn by women to cover or conceal the face; (verb) to cover, conceal, or obscure

69. 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

70. 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

71. 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

72. A rainbow is a natural \_\_\_\_\_.

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

73. The unique style of this martial arts \_\_\_\_\_ many action film producers.

*v.* to make somebody fill with the desire, confidence, or enthusiasm, especially to do something creative

ANSWERS: 66. obedient, 67. bold, 68. veil, 69. volunteer, 70. economical, 71. develop, 72. phenomenon, 73. inspired

74. This task is going to take me till \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the last day of the world when Christians believe that God will judge everyone; an unpleasant or disastrous event
75. 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
76. He stood on the \_\_\_\_\_ of a major discovery.
- n.* the point at which something is about to happen or where something begins; the edge or margin of something, particularly a physical boundary or border
77. The \_\_\_\_\_ of Japan is known for its unique culture and advanced technology.
- n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture
78. They \_\_\_\_\_ to make their dream come true.
- v.* to try very hard to do, achieve, or obtain something
79. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the court's decision angered many people and led to protests.
- n.* a violation of the rights of others or the laws of a society
80. My left arm became \_\_\_\_\_.
- adj.* unable to feel physical sensation and movement; not showing human feeling or sensitivity
81. There are several causes of economic \_\_\_\_\_ within societies.
- n.* the unfairness of a society in which some people have more opportunity, money, etc. than others; (mathematics) relation between two values when they are different

ANSWERS: 74. doomsday, 75. individual, 76. verge, 77. nation, 78. strived, 79. injustice, 80. numb, 81. inequality



82. The \_\_\_\_\_ child refused to clean up after themselves despite constant requests from their parents.  
*adj.* refusing to follow the rules or orders, often deliberately or defiantly; showing a lack of respect for authority or established norms
83. He suffers from \_\_\_\_\_ breakdowns.  
*adj.* worried and anxious about something; relating to the nerves
84. The \_\_\_\_\_ from her friends and family were overwhelming after she won the championship.  
*n.* the act of expressing that someone has an occasion for celebration or the expression of pleasure at the success or good fortune of another
85. I claim on my \_\_\_\_\_ that it is true.  
*n.* high regard or great respect for someone; the quality of having and doing based on a keen sense of morality; (verb) to show respect towards someone
86. 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
87. The table leg was \_\_\_\_\_ causing all the cups to slide to one side.  
*adj.* not straight or aligned; bent or curved to one side; not honest or fair; characterized by deception, fraud, or wrongdoing; irregular, uneven, or jagged in shape or form
88. The \_\_\_\_\_ dog barked and growled at anyone who came near its territory.  
*adj.* having or showing a desire to cause harm to others; having the nature of vice
89. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the situation is that he won the lottery on the day he lost his job.  
*n.* the expression of one's meaning by using language that usually signifies the opposite, typically for humorous or rhetorical effect

ANSWERS: 82. disobedient, 83. nervous, 84. congratulations, 85. honor, 86. clip, 87. crooked, 88. vicious, 89. irony

90. The \_\_\_\_\_ of Mexico is a body of water in the southern United States.  
*n.* a large ocean inlet or deep bay that is partially enclosed by land
91. The speaker mounted the \_\_\_\_\_ and started to speak.  
*n.* the raised flat space close to the track at a train station where passengers get on or off the train; (technology) a computational or digital environment in which a piece of software is executed
92. The senator received \_\_\_\_\_ criticism from his opponent.  
*adj.* extremely serious or bad in feeling, manner, or strict and harsh; extremely strong or vigorous
93. The majority of students actively \_\_\_\_\_ in the college's intramural sports program.  
*v.* to take part in something
94. Many Germans \_\_\_\_\_ to South America in the mid-19th century.  
*v.* to move from one country or region to another and settle there; to move from one place to another periodically or seasonally
95. The government has ignored the \_\_\_\_\_ of the homeless population.  
*n.* a difficult or unfortunate situation
96. The boss \_\_\_\_\_ her employee by belittling her in front of her colleagues.  
*v.* to cause someone to feel ashamed, embarrassed, or degraded, especially in public or through revealing personal information
97. He took me aside and \_\_\_\_\_ in my ear.  
*v.* to speak very quietly to somebody using the breath rather than the voice so that only those close to you can hear you

ANSWERS: 90. Gulf, 91. platform, 92. severe, 93. participated, 94. migrated, 95. plight, 96. humiliated, 97. whispered

98. This pill will relieve your \_\_\_\_\_ immediately.  
*n.* pain in the head; someone or something that causes anxiety or trouble
99. Let's \_\_\_\_\_ the origins of some familiar foreign words.  
*v.* to find or discover someone or something that was lost
100. He was grateful for the \_\_\_\_\_ opportunity given to him by his supervisor.  
*n.* a relationship in which a more experienced or more knowledgeable person helps to guide a less experienced or less knowledgeable person
101. The police are searching for the \_\_\_\_\_ who stole the jewels.  
*n.* a person who has committed a crime
102. His \_\_\_\_\_ from his parents was a defining moment and gave him newfound freedom.  
*n.* the act or process of setting someone free from control or influence
103. I must apply for a \_\_\_\_\_ to travel to India for my friend's wedding.  
*n.* an endorsement or authorization placed in a passport or travel document that allows the holder to enter or leave a particular country for a specific period of time; the process of applying for and obtaining such authorization
104. The two friends had a minor \_\_\_\_\_ but quickly made up and resumed their conversation.  
*n.* an argument or dispute between two or more people
105. He didn't meet all the \_\_\_\_\_ but he was hired anyway.  
*n.* (plural of criterion) standards or conditions by which something may be judged or decided

ANSWERS: 98. headaches, 99. trace, 100. mentorship, 101. criminal, 102. emancipation, 103. visa, 104. quarrel, 105. criteria,

106. The systems we have developed has accepted as industry \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard
107. The politician remained \_\_\_\_\_ despite intense media scrutiny.  
*adj.* without any or little sound
108. The terrorist's \_\_\_\_\_ remains unknown.  
*n.* the fact of being who or what somebody or something is; the features, emotions, or ideas that distinguish persons from one another
109. She had knowledge she couldn't wait to \_\_\_\_\_.  
*v.* to expose or inform; to provide a portion of
110. The band's music reached a \_\_\_\_\_ during the concert's final song.  
*n.* a gradual increase in volume or intensity, often about a musical piece or performance; figuratively, a gradual buildup or intensification of a feeling, emotion, or action
111. We \_\_\_\_\_ our impeded progress on lack of money.  
*v.* to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad
112. The grieving widow found \_\_\_\_\_ in reading her late husband's letters.  
*n.* comfort or consolation in a time of distress, sadness, or disappointment; (verb) to comfort or console someone in a time of distress, loss, or suffering
113. He enjoys collecting \_\_\_\_\_ specimens.  
*n.* a diurnal insect typically has a slender body with knobbed antennae and broad, colorful wings

ANSWERS: 106. norms, 107. silent, 108. identity, 109. impart, 110. crescendo, 111. blamed, 112. solace, 113. butterfly

ANSWERS: