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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### religion

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

*synonym* : faith, creed, belief

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

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

### 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**.

### charm

*n.* the power or quality of pleasing or fascinating people

*synonym* : allure, appeal, beauty

(1) masculine **charm**, (2) **charm** against bad luck

These are significantly more exquisite than typical **charm** bracelets.

### dashboard

*n.* a control panel set within the central console of a vehicle or small aircraft; a diagram that depicts critical information, typically one that provides a business

### overview

*synonym* : control panel

(1) auto **dashboard**, (2) business **dashboard**

He noticed that the oil warning light on the **dashboard** of his car had turned on.

### betray

*v.* to reveal or deliver to an enemy by treachery or disloyalty; to reveal something unintentionally

*synonym* : fail, denounce, display

(1) **betray** a friend, (2) **betray** confidence

He felt **betrayed** when his best friend revealed their secret to the enemy.

### accident

*n.* an unfortunate event, especially one causing damage or injury

*synonym* : calamity, casualty, chance

(1) cause an **accident**, (2) injury in a car **accident**

The **accident** partially destroyed my vehicle.

### statistics

*n.* the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data

(1) **statistics** for cancer, (2) official **statistics**

The **statistics** demonstrate that poverty and unemployment are genuine problems.

### alcohol

*n.* a clear liquid that can make people drunk and is used in medicines, cleaning products, etc.

*synonym* : booze, liquor, ethanol

(1) stop drinking **alcohol**, (2) diluted **alcohol**

There is a clear association between **alcohol** consumption and cognitive decline.

### highway

*n.* a main road, especially one connecting major towns or cities

*synonym* : road, expressway, freeway

(1) **highway** system, (2) an interstate **highway**

I'm going to take the **highway** to get to my destination faster.

## brake

*n.* a device used to slow or stop a moving vehicle, typically by applying pressure to the wheels

*synonym*: damper, restraint, check

(1) apply the **brake**, (2) **brake** pedal

The results of that election put a **brake** on political reform.

## slam

*v.* to shut a door or window noisily; to strike something violently or noisily

*synonym*: bang, crash, shut

(1) **slam** the door, (2) **slam** the book against a wall

She **slammed** the door shut, angry at the person on the other side.

## deploy

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

*synonym*: set up, expand, launch

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

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

## fortunate

*adj.* having good luck or lucky

*synonym*: fortuitous, lucky, blessed

(1) **fortunate** situation, (2) less **fortunate** person

He was pretty **fortunate** to pass the exam.

## transform

*v.* to change in outward structure or looks;

*synonym*: alter, convert, change

(1) **transform** an education system, (2) **transform** heat into power

My father's death **transformed** my life completely.

## bubble

*n.* a thin, round, and often transparent mass of gas that is surrounded by a thin layer of liquid; a state of economic or social prosperity that is unsustainable and eventually collapses

*synonym*: blob, balloon, mania

(1) **bubble** in the champagne glass, (2) economic **bubble**  
Many people worry that the current real estate market is a **bubble** that could burst soon.

### extended

*adj.* longer than usual or anticipated  
*synonym*: extensive, prolonged, elongated

(1) **extended** vacation, (2) **extended** payment

The **extended** airport runways may accommodate larger jets.

### navigate

*v.* to plan and direct the way that a ship, plane, etc. will travel, often by using a map

*synonym*: guide, helm, voyage

(1) **navigate** the Pacific, (2) **navigate** through a document

Our knowledge helps **navigate** our clients successfully.

### partial

*adj.* not complete; fragmentary; favoring somebody or something very much

*synonym*: limited, incomplete, partisan

(1) **partial** withdrawal, (2) **partial** knowledge

Although some progress had been made, the study's findings were **partial**.

### roadway

*n.* the part of a thoroughfare or highway that is used by vehicles for driving, including the hard surface and shoulders

*synonym*: highway, street, thoroughfare

(1) busy **roadway**, (2) **roadway** asphalt

Cyclists are not allowed on the highway **roadway** for safety reasons.

### giant

*adj.* enormous; much bigger or more important than similar items usually are

*synonym*: big, gigantic, huge

(1) **giant** trees, (2) **giant** tech company

The **giant** jets gradually dominate the world's airlines.

## lane

*n.* a narrow road in the countryside; a well-defined track or path for someone such as a swimmer or driver

*synonym* : roadway, street, artery

(1) **lane** change, (2) first **lane**

We walked along a muddy **lane** to reach the farm.

## blind

*adj.* unable to see; unable or unwilling to perceive or understand the true nature of something

*synonym* : sightless, unseeing, random

(1) **blind** to the beauties, (2) **blind** spot

She was nearly **blind** due to severe diabetes.

## spot

*n.* a particular location or place; a small round or roundish area, differing in color or feels from the surface around it

*synonym* : dot, mark, place

(1) beauty **spot**, (2) a **spot** on his honor

This remote **spot** is rarely visited.

## fantastic

*adj.* extremely good; excellent

*synonym* : incredible, unbelievable, marvelous

(1) a **fantastic** dress, (2) absolutely **fantastic** event

The new amusement park ride was **fantastic**, with twists, turns, and drops that left riders screaming with excitement.

## attend

*v.* to be present at an event, to go to a place

*synonym* : go, be present, accompany

(1) **attend** a meeting, (2) **attend** service

We must **attend** to this matter.

## occasionally

*adv.* now and then; sometimes but not often

*synonym* : periodically, sometimes, from time to time

(1) **occasionally** dine with friends, (2) **occasionally** change the routine

She still **occasionally** writes a short romance novel.

## countless

*adj.* too numerous to be counted or very many

*synonym*: innumerable, myriad, numerous

(1) **countless** hours, (2) answer **countless** questions

There are **countless** methods for dealing with stress.

## improve

*v.* to make or become better

*synonym*: enhance, ameliorate, enrich

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

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

## exchange

*v.* to give something and receive something else in return, often with the implication that the items being traded are of equal or comparable value; (noun) the act of giving or taking something in return for something else; a place or system where goods or services can be bought, sold, or traded

*synonym*: trade, swap, interchange

(1) **exchange** rate, (2) **exchange** a few friendly words

My sister and I frequently **exchange** books, as we love reading.

## velocity

*n.* the rate of change of an object's position with respect to time, often measured in meters per second (m/s)

*synonym*: speed, rapidity, swiftness

(1) initial **velocity**, (2) high **velocity**

The **velocity** of the car was too fast for the road conditions.

## computation

*n.* the act or process of calculating something, especially an answer or amount, by using a machine or calculator

*synonym*: calculation, estimation, arithmetic

(1) parallel **computation**, (2) theory of **computation**

The researcher demonstrated the superiority of quantum **computation** in several mathematical tasks.

## algorithm

*n.* a set of rules or rigorous instructions typically used to solve a specific problem or to perform a computation

*synonym*: logic, method, rule

(1) the RSA **algorithm**, (2) **algorithm** for image processing  
We can evaluate the performance of an **algorithm** in terms of computation time.

## predict

*v.* to state beforehand that something will happen in the future, mainly based on knowledge or experience

*synonym*: forecast, anticipate, foresee

(1) **predict** the future, (2) **predict** when she will arrive

It's notoriously challenging to **predict** birth rates.

## dimension

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

*synonym*: extent, measurement, size

(1) new **dimension**, (2) the crosswise **dimension**

Overall **dimensions** are approximately 400x200mm.

## prediction

*n.* the act of predicting the future by reasoning; a statement made about the future

*synonym*: forecast, anticipation, foretelling

(1) make my **predictions**, (2) gloomy **predictions**

These results muddied the **prediction**.

## motorcycle

*n.* a two-wheeled vehicle that is driven by an engine and has no pedals

*synonym*: bike, motor

(1) **motorcycle** gangster, (2) electric **motorcycle**

He had his **motorcycle** license revoked for drunken driving.

## split

*v.* to divide, or to make something divide into two or more parts, especially along a particular line

*synonym*: break, divide, break apart

(1) **split** a bill, (2) **split** a reward equally

Companies often **split** their shares to lower the stock price and encourage investors to buy.

## nowhere

*adv.* not in, at, or to any place; not anywhere

(1) **nowhere** else to go, (2) come out of **nowhere**  
I've been thinking all day and getting **nowhere**.

## estimate

v. to guess or calculate the cost, size, value, etc. of something

*synonym*: calculate, gauge, evaluate

(1) **estimate** a fair value, (2) **estimate** this chicken to weigh three pounds

We **estimated** the season's total trade deficit at \$50 billion.

## 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.

## Newtonian

*adj.* relating to Sir Isaac Newton or his laws of motion and universal gravitation

*synonym*: classical, physics, mechanics

(1) **Newtonian** physics, (2) **Newtonian** mechanics

The motion of planets can be described using **Newtonian** mechanics.

## precise

*adj.* sharply exact or accurate or delimited

*synonym*: accurate, exact, distinct

(1) **precise** analyses, (2) estimate **precise** costs

The content is **precise** and informative for me.

## vision

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

*synonym*: sight, image, concept

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

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



## vague

*adj.* not clearly expressed or understood

*synonym* : ambiguous, imprecise, dim

(1) **vague** idea, (2) make a **vague** answer

The **vague** rumor turned out to be false.

## bob

*v.* to move up and down quickly and repeatedly, often in a short, jerky motion; to cut, trim, or shorten hair, especially by repeatedly snipping with scissors; (noun) a hairstyle in which the hair is cut short and even all around, usually above the shoulders

*synonym* : bobble, bounce, wag

(1) **bob** a quick curtsy, (2) **bob** on the surface of the water

I need to **bob** my head to the beat of the music.

## fuzzy

*adj.* having a soft and indistinct outline or covered with fine, soft, and hairlike fibers

*synonym* : hazy, blurry, indistinct

(1) **fuzzy** logic, (2) **fuzzy** memory

The picture was **fuzzy** because it was taken with an old camera.

## combine

*v.* to join or merge to form a single thing or group

*synonym* : coalesce, cohere, blend

(1) **combine** chemically with another substance,

(2) **combine** augmented reality

Hydrogen and oxygen **combine** to form water.

## traffic

*n.* the movement of vehicles, people, or goods along a route or through a transport system; the amount of such movement in a particular place or at a particular time

*synonym* : congestion, jam, flow

(1) **traffic** jam, (2) heavy **traffic**

We decided to take a detour to avoid the construction **traffic** on the main road.

## laser

*n.* a device that emits powerful and narrow light that can be used as a tool to cut metal through a process of optical

amplification

*synonym* : beam, bar, ray

(1) **laser** printer, (2) pulse **laser**

The company holds patents on core components of **laser** jet printers.

**attach**

*v.* to fasten, join, or connect one thing to another

*synonym* : fix, fasten, bind

(1) **attach** firmly, (2) **attach** a file to an e-mail

He does not **attach** importance to these rumors.

**discrete**

*adj.* separate and distinct; not continuous; individually distinguishable

*synonym* : separate, distinct, individual

(1) **discrete** metric space, (2) **discrete** variable

The company divided the tasks into **discrete** segments to increase efficiency.

**short-range**

*adj.* limited in extent, scope, or distance; designed or intended to operate or be effective only over a short distance or period of time

*synonym* : close-range, limited-range, near-range

(1) **short-range** plan, (2) **short-range** communication

The missile system was designed for **short-range** attacks on enemy territory.

**communicate**

*v.* to share or exchange information with others by speaking, writing, moving your body, or using other signals

*synonym* : convey, share, transmit

(1) **communicate** his anxieties to the psychiatrist,

(2) **communicate** well with my advisor

Dolphins use sound to **communicate** with each other.

**encounter**

*v.* to face something, particularly something unpleasant or difficult, while attempting to do something else; to meet,

especially unexpectedly

*synonym* : meet, run into, come across

(1) **encounter** a crisis, (2) **encounter** a storm

I'm prepared to **encounter** challenges throughout this adventure.

## process

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

*synonym* : procedure, method, system

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

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

## packet

*n.* a small container or envelope that holds one or more items typically used for storing or transporting items like food, medicine, or marketing materials

*synonym* : package, parcel, bundle

(1) **packet** delivery, (2) **packet** data network

I need to buy a **packet** of biscuits from the store.

## prioritize

*v.* to assign a higher level of importance to something compared to other things

*synonym* : rank, order, arrange

(1) **prioritize** tasks, (2) **prioritize** people over cars

The organization **prioritized** the needs of the community in its decision-making.

## trajectory

*n.* the curved path followed by an object moving through space

*synonym* : course, curve, orbit

(1) career **trajectory**, (2) a **trajectory** missile

The company has shown an excellent growth **trajectory** over the years.

## alert

v. to warn or arouse to a sense of danger; (adjective) paying close attention or being in a state of readiness for action

*synonym*: warn, inform, (adjective) vigilant

(1) **alert** consumers to the dangers, (2) **alert** system

The company's cybersecurity team **alerted** the CEO to potential threats.

## react

v. to take action in response to something

*synonym*: respond, reply, oppose

(1) **react** at a high temperature, (2) **react** against his way of thinking

How did he **react** to your idea?

## emergency

n. a sudden unforeseen crisis usually involving danger that requires immediate action

*synonym*: crisis, trouble, difficulty

(1) **emergency** action, (2) acute **emergency**

The president declared a state of **emergency**.

## separate

v. to force, take, or pull apart; mark as different

*synonym*: disunite, isolate, ramify

(1) **separate** video into chapter, (2) **separate** cream from milk

We need to **separate** the aspect of his personality from the part of his competence when making an investment decision.

## detect

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

*synonym*: catch, observe, notice

(1) **detect** a bad event, (2) **detect** smuggling across borders

The security camera has **detected** four intruders.

## calculate

v. to judge or find out the amount or number of something by using mathematics

*synonym*: compute, figure, estimate

(1) **calculate** the distance, (2) **calculate** his credit score  
He couldn't **calculate** the actual value of the artwork.

## fundamental

*adj.* forming an essential base or core from which everything else develops or is affected

*synonym*: basic, essential, entire

(1) **fundamental** education, (2) **fundamental** rights  
Human behavior has **fundamental** characteristics.

## willingness

*n.* the state of being ready or inclined to do something

*synonym*: readiness, eagerness, enthusiasm

(1) **willingness** to help, (2) indicate a **willingness** to change

Her **willingness** to help others earned her many friends.

## disconcert

*v.* to cause confusion, uncertainty, or embarrassment in someone; to make someone feel uneasy or uncertain

*synonym*: unsettle, perturb, discomfit

(1) **disconcert** his plans, (2) **disconcert** the enthusiast  
His sudden departure **disconcerted** the team.

## gossip

*n.* conversation or discussion about other people's personal affairs, often of a trivial or idle nature involving sharing rumors, hearsay, or speculation about the lives of others

*synonym*: rumor, chitchat, tittle-tattle

(1) **gossip** magazine, (2) celebrity **gossip**

I heard some juicy **gossip** about our co-worker at the water cooler.

## privacy

*n.* someone's right to keep their personal matters and relationships not watched or interrupted by other people

*synonym*: seclusion, aloneness, solitariness

(1) **privacy** abuse, (2) trespass on a person's **privacy**  
This conduct would be an invasion of **privacy**.

## license

*n.* an official permission or authorization to do, use, or own something; a legal document that grants the holder the right to perform certain activities, such as driving a car, practicing a profession, or using a particular product or service

*synonym*: permit, authorization, certificate

(1) **license** renewal, (2) software **license**

Before driving, ensure you have a valid driver's **license**.

## distracted

*adj.* having one's attention diverted or divided; being unable to concentrate because of being preoccupied or worried

*synonym*: preoccupied, inattentive, absent-minded

(1) get **distracted** by an urgent matter, (2) **distracted** by a conversation

I was so **distracted** by my phone that I nearly walked into a lamppost.

## Session 2: Spelling

1. ca\_\_\_\_\_te his credit score  
*v.* to judge or find out the amount or number of something by using mathematics
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7. pa\_\_\_\_t data network  
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72. sp\_\_t a bill *v.* to divide, or to make something divide into two or more parts, especially along a particular line
73. de\_\_\_y troops for battle *v.* to move troops or weapons into a position or military action; to bring into something in an effective way
74. em\_\_\_\_\_cy action *n.* a sudden unforeseen crisis usually involving danger that requires immediate action
75. re\_\_t at a high temperature *v.* to take action in response to something
76. masculine ch\_\_m *n.* the power or quality of pleasing or fascinating people
77. al\_\_\_\_\_hm for image processing *n.* a set of rules or rigorous instructions typically used to solve a specific problem or to perform a computation
78. di\_\_\_\_\_te variable *adj.* separate and distinct; not continuous; individually distinguishable

ANSWERS: 68. attach, 69. brake, 70. fuzzy, 71. whisper, 72. split, 73. deploy, 74. emergency, 75. react, 76. charm, 77. algorithm, 78. discrete

79. se\_\_\_\_te cream from milk      *v.* to force, take, or pull apart; mark as different
80. occ\_\_\_\_\_lly dine with friends      *adv.* now and then; sometimes but not often
81. occ\_\_\_\_\_lly change the routine      *adv.* now and then; sometimes but not often
82. economic bu\_\_\_\_e      *n.* a thin, round, and often transparent mass of gas that is surrounded by a thin layer of liquid; a state of economic or social prosperity that is unsustainable and eventually collapses
83. go\_\_\_\_p magazine      *n.* conversation or discussion about other people's personal affairs, often of a trivial or idle nature involving sharing rumors, hearsay, or speculation about the lives of others
84. software li\_\_\_\_e      *n.* an official permission or authorization to do, use, or own something; a legal document that grants the holder the right to perform certain activities, such as driving a car, practicing a profession, or using a particular product or service
85. co\_\_\_\_\_e augmented reality      *v.* to join or merge to form a single thing or group
86. less fo\_\_\_\_\_te person      *adj.* having good luck or lucky
87. s\_\_m the book against a wall      *v.* to shut a door or window noisily; to strike something violently or noisily
88. telescopic vi\_\_\_\_n      *n.* the ability to think about or see the future with imagination and intelligence; the faculty of being able to see

ANSWERS: 79. separate, 80. occasionally, 81. occasionally, 82. bubble, 83. gossip, 84. license, 85. combine, 86. fortunate, 87. slam, 88. vision

89. re\_\_\_\_\_on sociology *n.* a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny
90. co\_\_\_\_\_e chemically with another substance *v.* to join or merge to form a single thing or group
91. be\_\_\_\_y a friend *v.* to reveal or deliver to an enemy by treachery or disloyalty; to reveal something unintentionally
92. freedom of re\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny
93. injury in a car ac\_\_\_\_\_nt *n.* an unfortunate event, especially one causing damage or injury
94. gloomy pre\_\_\_\_\_ons *n.* the act of predicting the future by reasoning; a statement made about the future
95. hi\_\_\_\_\_y system *n.* a main road, especially one connecting major towns or cities
96. stop drinking al\_\_\_\_\_l *n.* a clear liquid that can make people drunk and is used in medicines, cleaning products, etc.
97. na\_\_\_\_\_te the Pacific *v.* to plan and direct the way that a ship, plane, etc. will travel, often by using a map
98. se\_\_\_\_\_te video into chapter *v.* to force, take, or pull apart; mark as different
99. pr\_\_\_\_\_y abuse *n.* someone's right to keep their personal matters and relationships not watched or interrupted by other people
100. li\_\_\_\_\_e renewal *n.* an official permission or authorization to do, use, or own something; a legal document that grants the holder the right to perform certain activities, such as driving a car, practicing a profession, or using a particular product or service

ANSWERS: 89. religion, 90. combine, 91. betray, 92. religion, 93. accident, 94. prediction, 95. highway, 96. alcohol, 97. navigate, 98. separate, 99. privacy, 100. license



101. tr\_\_\_\_c jam *n.* the movement of vehicles, people, or goods along a route or through a transport system; the amount of such movement in a particular place or at a particular time
102. de\_\_\_\_t smuggling across borders *v.* to find or recognize something, especially something difficult to see, hear, etc.
103. a prodigious vi\_\_\_\_n *n.* the ability to think about or see the future with imagination and intelligence; the faculty of being able to see
104. al\_\_t system *v.* to warn or arouse to a sense of danger; (adjective) paying close attention or being in a state of readiness for action
105. Ne\_\_\_\_\_an physics *adj.* relating to Sir Isaac Newton or his laws of motion and universal gravitation
106. di\_\_\_\_te metric space *adj.* separate and distinct; not continuous; individually distinguishable
107. pr\_\_\_\_t when she will arrive *v.* to state beforehand that something will happen in the future, mainly based on knowledge or experience
108. ca\_\_\_\_\_te the distance *v.* to judge or find out the amount or number of something by using mathematics
109. l\_\_e change *n.* a narrow road in the countryside; a well-defined track or path for someone such as a swimmer or driver
110. en\_\_\_\_\_er a crisis *v.* to face something, particularly something unpleasant or difficult, while attempting to do something else; to meet, especially unexpectedly

ANSWERS: 101. traffic, 102. detect, 103. vision, 104. alert, 105. Newtonian, 106. discrete, 107. predict, 108. calculate, 109. lane, 110. encounter

111. pri\_\_\_\_\_ze people over cars      *v.* to assign a higher level of importance to something compared to other things
112. b\_b on the surface of the water      *v.* to move up and down quickly and repeatedly, often in a short, jerky motion; to cut, trim, or shorten hair, especially by repeatedly snipping with scissors; (noun) a hairstyle in which the hair is cut short and even all around, usually above the shoulders
113. first l\_\_e      *n.* a narrow road in the countryside; a well-defined track or path for someone such as a swimmer or driver
114. 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
115. de\_\_\_y safety measures      *v.* to move troops or weapons into a position or military action; to bring into something in an effective way
116. make my pre\_\_\_\_\_ons      *n.* the act of predicting the future by reasoning; a statement made about the future
117. ex\_\_\_\_\_ed payment      *adj.* longer than usual or anticipated
118. at\_\_\_d service      *v.* to be present at an event, to go to a place
119. pr\_\_\_\_\_t the future      *v.* to state beforehand that something will happen in the future, mainly based on knowledge or experience
120. b\_b a quick curtsy      *v.* to move up and down quickly and repeatedly, often in a short, jerky motion; to cut, trim, or shorten hair, especially by repeatedly snipping with scissors; (noun) a hairstyle in which the hair is cut short and even all around, usually above the shoulders

ANSWERS: 111. prioritize, 112. bob, 113. lane, 114. whisper, 115. deploy, 116. prediction, 117. extended, 118. attend, 119. predict, 120. bob

121. a fa\_\_\_\_\_ic dress *adj.* extremely good; excellent
122. decision-making pr\_\_\_\_\_s *n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products
123. sp\_\_t a reward equally *v.* to divide, or to make something divide into two or more parts, especially along a particular line
124. pa\_\_\_\_\_l knowledge *adj.* not complete; fragmentary; favoring somebody or something very much
125. an interstate hi\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* a main road, especially one connecting major towns or cities
126. bl\_\_d spot *adj.* unable to see; unable or unwilling to perceive or understand the true nature of something
127. the crosswise di\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length
128. theory of com\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the act or process of calculating something, especially an answer or amount, by using a machine or calculator
129. 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

ANSWERS: 121. fantastic, 122. process, 123. split, 124. partial, 125. highway, 126. blind, 127. dimension, 128. computation, 129. icon

130. ex\_\_\_\_\_ed vacation *adj.* longer than usual or anticipated
131. fun\_\_\_\_\_al education *adj.* forming an essential base or core from which everything else develops or is affected
132. va\_\_e idea *adj.* not clearly expressed or understood
133. sho\_\_\_\_\_ge plan *adj.* limited in extent, scope, or distance; designed or intended to operate or be effective only over a short distance or period of time
134. dis\_\_\_\_\_rt his plans *v.* to cause confusion, uncertainty, or embarrassment in someone; to make someone feel uneasy or uncertain
135. at\_\_\_h a file to an e-mail *v.* to fasten, join, or connect one thing to another
136. indicate a wil\_\_\_\_\_ss to change *n.* the state of being ready or inclined to do something
137. s\_\_m the door *v.* to shut a door or window noisily; to strike something violently or noisily
138. pa\_\_\_\_\_l withdrawal *adj.* not complete; fragmentary; favoring somebody or something very much
139. mot\_\_\_\_\_le gangster *n.* a two-wheeled vehicle that is driven by an engine and has no pedals
140. im\_\_\_\_\_e a process *v.* to make or become better
141. no\_\_\_\_\_e else to go *adv.* not in, at, or to any place; not anywhere
142. es\_\_\_\_\_te this chicken to weigh three pounds *v.* to guess or calculate the cost, size, value, etc. of something

ANSWERS: 130. extended, 131. fundamental, 132. vague, 133. short-range, 134. disconcert, 135. attach, 136. willingness, 137. slam, 138. partial, 139. motorcycle, 140. improve, 141. nowhere, 142. estimate

ANSWERS:

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. This country \_\_\_\_\_ its weapons in the east region.
  - v.* to move troops or weapons into a position or military action; to bring into something in an effective way
  
2. The researcher demonstrated the superiority of quantum \_\_\_\_\_ in several mathematical tasks.
  - n.* the act or process of calculating something, especially an answer or amount, by using a machine or calculator
  
3. Her \_\_\_\_\_ to help others earned her many friends.
  - n.* the state of being ready or inclined to do something
  
4. I'm going to take the \_\_\_\_\_ to get to my destination faster.
  - n.* a main road, especially one connecting major towns or cities
  
5. 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
  
6. These results muddied the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - n.* the act of predicting the future by reasoning; a statement made about the future
  
7. The motion of planets can be described using \_\_\_\_\_ mechanics.
  - adj.* relating to Sir Isaac Newton or his laws of motion and universal gravitation
  
8. Hydrogen and oxygen \_\_\_\_\_ to form water.
  - v.* to join or merge to form a single thing or group

ANSWERS: 1. deployed, 2. computation, 3. willingness, 4. highway, 5. whispered, 6. prediction, 7. Newtonian, 8. combine

9. We must \_\_\_\_\_ to this matter.
- v. to be present at an event, to go to a place
10. The \_\_\_\_\_ demonstrate that poverty and unemployment are genuine problems.
- n. the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data
11. This remote \_\_\_\_\_ is rarely visited.
- n. a particular location or place; a small round or roundish area, differing in color or feels from the surface around it
12. 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
13. How did he \_\_\_\_\_ to your idea?
- v. to take action in response to something
14. The organization \_\_\_\_\_ the needs of the community in its decision-making.
- v. to assign a higher level of importance to something compared to other things
15. Our knowledge helps \_\_\_\_\_ our clients successfully.
- v. to plan and direct the way that a ship, plane, etc. will travel, often by using a map
16. My father's death \_\_\_\_\_ my life completely.
- v. to change in outward structure or looks;

ANSWERS: 9. attend, 10. statistics, 11. spot, 12. icons, 13. react, 14. prioritized, 15. navigate, 16. transformed

17. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the car was too fast for the road conditions.
- n.* the rate of change of an object's position with respect to time, often measured in meters per second (m/s)
18. This conduct would be an invasion of \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* someone's right to keep their personal matters and relationships not watched or interrupted by other people
19. I need to buy a \_\_\_\_\_ of biscuits from the store.
- n.* a small container or envelope that holds one or more items typically used for storing or transporting items like food, medicine, or marketing materials
20. I need to \_\_\_\_ my head to the beat of the music.
- v.* to move up and down quickly and repeatedly, often in a short, jerky motion; to cut, trim, or shorten hair, especially by repeatedly snipping with scissors; (noun) a hairstyle in which the hair is cut short and even all around, usually above the shoulders
21. Dolphins use sound to \_\_\_\_\_ with each other.
- v.* to share or exchange information with others by speaking, writing, moving your body, or using other signals
22. The picture was \_\_\_\_\_ because it was taken with an old camera.
- adj.* having a soft and indistinct outline or covered with fine, soft, and hairlike fibers
23. She still \_\_\_\_\_ writes a short romance novel.
- adv.* now and then; sometimes but not often
24. The company holds patents on core components of \_\_\_\_\_ jet printers.
- n.* a device that emits powerful and narrow light that can be used as a tool to cut metal through a process of optical amplification

ANSWERS: 17. velocity, 18. privacy, 19. packet, 20. bob, 21. communicate, 22. fuzzy, 23. occasionally, 24. laser



25. I've been thinking all day and getting \_\_\_\_\_.

*adv.* not in, at, or to any place; not anywhere

26. Driving is difficult for me because of my poor \_\_\_\_\_.

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

27. Companies often \_\_\_\_\_ their shares to lower the stock price and encourage investors to buy.

*v.* to divide, or to make something divide into two or more parts, especially along a particular line

28. The \_\_\_\_\_ for applying for a visa can be lengthy and complicated.

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

29. The missile system was designed for \_\_\_\_\_ attacks on enemy territory.

*adj.* limited in extent, scope, or distance; designed or intended to operate or be effective only over a short distance or period of time

30. We decided to take a detour to avoid the construction \_\_\_\_\_ on the main road.

*n.* the movement of vehicles, people, or goods along a route or through a transport system; the amount of such movement in a particular place or at a particular time

31. The \_\_\_\_\_ jets gradually dominate the world's airlines.

*adj.* enormous; much bigger or more important than similar items usually are

ANSWERS: 25. nowhere, 26. vision, 27. split, 28. process, 29. short-range, 30. traffic, 31. giant

32. The \_\_\_\_\_ partially destroyed my vehicle.  
*n.* an unfortunate event, especially one causing damage or injury
33. There are \_\_\_\_\_ methods for dealing with stress.  
*adj.* too numerous to be counted or very many
34. Although some progress had been made, the study's findings were \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* not complete; fragmentary; favoring somebody or something very much
35. There is a clear association between \_\_\_\_\_ consumption and cognitive decline.  
*n.* a clear liquid that can make people drunk and is used in medicines, cleaning products, etc.
36. He had his \_\_\_\_\_ license revoked for drunken driving.  
*n.* a two-wheeled vehicle that is driven by an engine and has no pedals
37. We want to \_\_\_\_\_ ties between our two countries.  
*v.* to make or become better
38. The \_\_\_\_\_ airport runways may accommodate larger jets.  
*adj.* longer than usual or anticipated
39. We can evaluate the performance of an \_\_\_\_\_ in terms of computation time.  
*n.* a set of rules or rigorous instructions typically used to solve a specific problem or to perform a computation
40. I heard some juicy \_\_\_\_\_ about our co-worker at the water cooler.  
*n.* conversation or discussion about other people's personal affairs, often of a trivial or idle nature involving sharing rumors, hearsay, or speculation about the lives of others

ANSWERS: 32. accident, 33. countless, 34. partial, 35. alcohol, 36. motorcycle, 37. improve, 38. extended, 39. algorithm, 40. gossip

41. The content is \_\_\_\_\_ and informative for me.

*adj.* sharply exact or accurate or delimited

42. We walked along a muddy \_\_\_\_\_ to reach the farm.

*n.* a narrow road in the countryside; a well-defined track or path for someone such as a swimmer or driver

43. Cyclists are not allowed on the highway \_\_\_\_\_ for safety reasons.

*n.* the part of a thoroughfare or highway that is used by vehicles for driving, including the hard surface and shoulders

44. I was so \_\_\_\_\_ by my phone that I nearly walked into a lamppost.

*adj.* having one's attention diverted or divided; being unable to concentrate because of being preoccupied or worried

45. The president declared a state of \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a sudden unforeseen crisis usually involving danger that requires immediate action

46. She \_\_\_\_\_ the door shut, angry at the person on the other side.

*v.* to shut a door or window noisily; to strike something violently or noisily

47. She was nearly \_\_\_\_\_ due to severe diabetes.

*adj.* unable to see; unable or unwilling to perceive or understand the true nature of something

48. He noticed that the oil warning light on the \_\_\_\_\_ of his car had turned on.

*n.* a control panel set within the central console of a vehicle or small aircraft; a diagram that depicts critical information, typically one that provides a business overview

ANSWERS: 41. precise, 42. lane, 43. roadway, 44. distracted, 45. emergency, 46. slammed, 47. blind, 48. dashboard

49. My sister and I frequently \_\_\_\_\_ books, as we love reading.

- v.* to give something and receive something else in return, often with the implication that the items being traded are of equal or comparable value; (noun) the act of giving or taking something in return for something else; a place or system where goods or services can be bought, sold, or traded

50. These are significantly more exquisite than typical \_\_\_\_\_ bracelets.

- n.* the power or quality of pleasing or fascinating people

51. Many people worry that the current real estate market is a \_\_\_\_\_ that could burst soon.

- n.* a thin, round, and often transparent mass of gas that is surrounded by a thin layer of liquid; a state of economic or social prosperity that is unsustainable and eventually collapses

52. It's notoriously challenging to \_\_\_\_\_ birth rates.

- v.* to state beforehand that something will happen in the future, mainly based on knowledge or experience

53. I'm prepared to \_\_\_\_\_ challenges throughout this adventure.

- v.* to face something, particularly something unpleasant or difficult, while attempting to do something else; to meet, especially unexpectedly

54. The security camera has \_\_\_\_\_ four intruders.

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

55. He does not \_\_\_\_\_ importance to these rumors.

- v.* to fasten, join, or connect one thing to another

56. The company divided the tasks into \_\_\_\_\_ segments to increase efficiency.

- adj.* separate and distinct; not continuous; individually distinguishable

ANSWERS: 49. exchange, 50. charm, 51. bubble, 52. predict, 53. encounter, 54. detected, 55. attach, 56. discrete

57. He felt \_\_\_\_\_ when his best friend revealed their secret to the enemy.

- v. to reveal or deliver to an enemy by treachery or disloyalty; to reveal something unintentionally

58. Their \_\_\_\_\_ strictly prohibits them from drinking or gambling.

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

59. The new amusement park ride was \_\_\_\_\_ with twists, turns, and drops that left riders screaming with excitement.

- adj. extremely good; excellent

60. His sudden departure \_\_\_\_\_ the team.

- v. to cause confusion, uncertainty, or embarrassment in someone; to make someone feel uneasy or uncertain

61. He couldn't \_\_\_\_\_ the actual value of the artwork.

- v. to judge or find out the amount or number of something by using mathematics

62. We \_\_\_\_\_ the season's total trade deficit at \$50 billion.

- v. to guess or calculate the cost, size, value, etc. of something

63. Human behavior has \_\_\_\_\_ characteristics.

- adj. forming an essential base or core from which everything else develops or is affected

64. The company's cybersecurity team \_\_\_\_\_ the CEO to potential threats.

- v. to warn or arouse to a sense of danger; (adjective) paying close attention or being in a state of readiness for action

ANSWERS: 57. betrayed, 58. religion, 59. fantastic, 60. disconcerted, 61. calculate, 62. estimated, 63. fundamental, 64. alerted

65. He was pretty \_\_\_\_\_ to pass the exam.

*adj.* having good luck or lucky

66. Overall \_\_\_\_\_ are approximately 400x200mm.

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

67. Before driving, ensure you have a valid driver's \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* an official permission or authorization to do, use, or own something; a legal document that grants the holder the right to perform certain activities, such as driving a car, practicing a profession, or using a particular product or service

68. The \_\_\_\_\_ rumor turned out to be false.

*adj.* not clearly expressed or understood

69. The results of that election put a \_\_\_\_\_ on political reform.

*n.* a device used to slow or stop a moving vehicle, typically by applying pressure to the wheels

70. We need to \_\_\_\_\_ the aspect of his personality from the part of his competence when making an investment decision.

*v.* to force, take, or pull apart; mark as different

71. The company has shown an excellent growth \_\_\_\_\_ over the years.

*n.* the curved path followed by an object moving through space

ANSWERS: 65. fortunate, 66. dimensions, 67. license, 68. vague, 69. brake, 70. separate, 71. trajectory