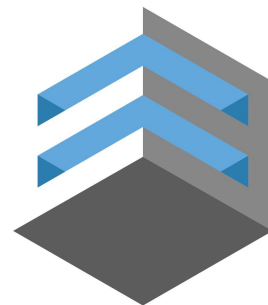


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Session 1: Word List

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.

celebrate

v. to acknowledge a memorable or good day or event with a social gathering or enjoyable activity

synonym: praise, glorify, honor

(1) **celebrate** his election, (2) **celebrate** Christmas

He **celebrated** the 10th anniversary of his tenure.

anniversary

n. the annual recurrence of a date marking a notable event; a date on which an event occurred in a previous year

synonym: commemoration, celebration, observance

(1) **anniversary** celebration, (2) a bicentennial **anniversary**

They celebrated their 10th **anniversary** with a romantic dinner.

intrepid

adj. courageous and not afraid of danger or difficulties

synonym: unfearing, courageous, dauntless

(1) **intrepid** personality, (2) **intrepid** travelers

There were still **intrepid** pioneers who planned to start their businesses

ruthless

adj. lacking in pity or compassion; willing to do whatever it takes to achieve their goals, regardless of the consequences for others

synonym : heartless, pitiless, merciless

(1) show **ruthless** behavior, (2) **ruthless** brutality

The dictator was known for his **ruthless** tactics and had no qualms about using violence to maintain power.

exploit

v. to make full use of and gain an advantage from resources, opportunities, etc.

synonym : use, abuse, control

(1) **exploit** a security hole, (2) **exploit** a valuable opportunity

We **exploit** our mining resources to strengthen our national power.

colon

n. the punctuation mark (:) used to introduce a list, summary, explanation, etc., or before reporting what someone has said; a significant part of the large intestine, the final section of the digestive system

(1) **colon** examination, (2) the **colon** at the end of the sentence

Consumption of vegetables may aid in the prevention of **colon** cancer.

slavery

n. the practice or system of owning, buying, and selling people as property and forcing them to work

synonym : bondage, servitude, enslavement

(1) **slavery** labor, (2) institution of **slavery**

The abolition of **slavery** in the United States was a major achievement in the fight for human rights.

discovery

n. the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously

not known

synonym : finding, uncovering, detection

(1) a scientific **discovery**, (2) the great **discovery** of the century

Her research team made an important **discovery**.

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?

cough

v. to expel air from the lungs suddenly and noisily, often as a reaction to irritation, illness, or some other physical condition; (noun) a sudden, forceful expulsion of air from the lungs, often accompanied by a distinctive sound

synonym : hack, clear throat, wheeze

(1) **cough** several times, (2) persistent **cough**

I can't stop **coughing** and think I might have caught a cold.

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.

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.

declare

v. to say, state, or announce something clearly, officially, or publicly

synonym : announce, state, affirm

(1) **declare** independence, (2) **declare** my love

Foreign goods from abroad must be **declared** to customs when entering a country.

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.

observe

v. to watch or notice something carefully, often to gather information or insights; to take note of something or someone; to celebrate or commemorate a special event or occasion

synonym: watch, monitor, scrutinize

(1) **observe** a tradition, (2) **observe** wildlife

It is important to **observe** safety procedures in the workplace to prevent accidents.

pity

n. a feeling of sorrow and compassion caused by the suffering or misfortunes of others; an object of contempt or disdain

synonym: sympathy, compassion, mercy

(1) allow self- **pity**, (2) **pity** speech

It is a **pity** that the concert had to be canceled due to the storm.

folk

n. people in general, especially those of a particular group or type

synonym: community, family, person

(1) **folk** art, (2) the **folk** songs of a particular district

Some seaweed was used as **folk** medicine in ancient times.

convinced

adj. completely certain about something; having a strong belief or conviction in a particular religion

synonym: confident, positive, indoctrinated

(1) **convinced** of the idea, (2) **convinced** criminal

The public is **convinced** that the prime minister has

committed fraud.

globe

n. the earth or world, mainly used to emphasize its vastness

synonym: Earth, world, sphere

(1) terrestrial **globe**, (2) around the **globe**

His final goal is to sail around the **globe**.

crazy

adj. stupid or not sensible; very angry

synonym: insane, absurd, bizarre

(1) **crazy** about cars and racing, (2) a **crazy** scheme

The rain and thunder are **crazy** today.

continent

n. one of the earth's large landmasses; (adjective) abstaining from your feelings, especially your desire to have sex

synonym: landmass, (adjective) chaste, (adjective) pure

(1) the inland of a **continent**, (2) **continent** urinary diversion

Flight across the **continent** was a daring adventure in its day.

rub

v. to move one's hand or an object over the surface of something with pressure

synonym: scrub, massage, stroke

(1) **rub** shoulders, (2) **rub** a glass window

She **rubbed** the sore spot on her leg to ease the pain.

educated

adj. having received a high standard of education

synonym: knowledgeable, erudite, enlightened

(1) **educated** adult, (2) **educated** speech

Excellent speech is a characteristic of an **educated** man.

secondly

adv. used to introduce the second point or item in a list or series of statements, considerations, etc.

synonym: in the second place, next, subsequently

(1) **secondly** connected, (2) **secondly**, it is important

Firstly, we will discuss the budget; **secondly**, we will go over

the schedule.

millennium

n. a span of 1000 years, or the 1000th anniversary (plural: millennia)

(1) past **millennium**, (2) **millennium** bottle of wine

Our world is in the third **millennium**.

settle

v. to reach an agreement of disagreement

synonym: inhabit, occupy, decide

(1) **settle** a dispute, (2) **settle** down in the town

I don't want to **settle** for second best.

cow

n. a domesticated mammal with characteristic features such as a hump, large udders, and curved horns that is raised for its milk or meat

synonym: bovine, cattle, kine

(1) **cow** herd, (2) dairy **cow**

The farmer milked the **cows** every morning before breakfast.

helmet

n. a protective covering for the head, worn for safety or as part of a uniform or ceremonial dress

synonym: headgear, head protector, safety hat

(1) **helmet** size, (2) safety **helmet**

The worker survived the impact because they were wearing sturdy **helmets**.

settlement

n. an official agreement that brings an argument to a close; the process of establishing permanent residence in a place.

synonym: agreement, accommodation, colonization

(1) the **settlement** of a dispute, (2) **settlement** in a new house

Our goal must be to achieve a peaceful **settlement**.

inspiring

adj. stimulating and motivating you to want to do something

synonym: exhilarating, encouraging, heartening

(1) **inspiring** stories, (2) awe- **inspiring** sight

An **inspiring** teacher might spark students' motivation to succeed.

settler

n. a person who moved with a group of others to live in a different country or area

synonym: frontiersperson, immigrant, emigrant

(1) new **settlers**, (2) **settlers** on some foreign shore

A large proportion of railway workers in **settler** colonies were white.

native

adj. connecting with or describing someone's birth country or place of birth, or someone born in a specific country or place

synonym: endemic, domestic, aboriginal

(1) **native** to Africa, (2) **native** language

The vegetation here is almost wholly **native**.

colony

n. a country or an area that is governed by a more powerful country that is often far away

synonym: settlement, territory, plantation

(1) plant a **colony**, (2) a **colony** of bacteria

The **colony** declared its independence and became a republic.

journal

n. a newspaper or magazine specialized in a specific topic or profession

synonym: periodical, diary, bulletin

(1) scientific **journal**, (2) **journal** articles

The physician is reading the **journals** related to medicine

conquer

v. to bring under control by force or authority

synonym: defeat, overpower, subdue

(1) **conquer** fatal disease, (2) **conquer** the world

You must **conquer** your anxiety about driving.

enslave

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

synonym : coerce, deprive, imprison

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

tribe

n. a social group made up of members who live together, sharing the same language, culture, religion, etc., especially those who do not live in towns or cities

synonym : family, clan, kinsfolk

(1) aboriginal **tribe**, (2) mountain **tribe**

The **tribe** had distinctly defined gender roles.

raid

n. a sudden short attack, usually by soldiers, ships, or aircraft

synonym : attack, invasion, aggression

(1) make a **raid** on an enemy's camp, (2) air- **raid** siren

Throughout the **raid**, the bank robbers wore masks.

captivity

n. the situation in which a person or animal is kept in prison or a space that they cannot escape from

synonym : confinement, detention, imprisonment

(1) escape from **captivity**, (2) animals in **captivity** in the zoo

Pandas rarely breed in **captivity**.

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.

warfare

n. the use of military force to achieve political, economic, or social objectives

synonym : combat, fighting, conflict

(1) **warfare** aircraft, (2) spiritual **warfare**

The country has been engaged in a prolonged conflict, with

both sides using modern **warfare** tactics.

sporadic

adj. occurring at irregular intervals or only in a few places; scattered

synonym: occasional, irregular, unpredictable

(1) **sporadic** outbreaks, (2) **sporadic** attempts

The rain was falling in **sporadic** bursts.

wipe

v. to clean or dry something by rubbing with a piece of cloth or paper or one's hand and removing dirt, food, or liquid

synonym: clean, brush, swab

(1) **Wipe** off dirt, (2) **wipe** with water

Please **wipe** your sweat with this towel.

inspiration

n. something that motivates or encourages someone to create or achieve something, or a feeling of excitement or creativity

synonym: motivation, drive, encouragement

(1) source of **inspiration**, (2) get **inspiration** from nature

He found **inspiration** in the works of his favorite authors.

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.

symbolize

v. to represent or stand for something else, particularly an abstract concept or idea; to be an emblem or sign of something

synonym: represent, signify, emblemize

(1) **symbolize** hope, (2) **symbolize** freedom

In many cultures, the color white **symbolizes** purity and innocence.

grandparent

n. a parent of one's father or mother

(1) great- **grandparent**, (2) person of **grandparent** age

She was close to her paternal **grandparents** and often spent summers with them.

deserve

v. to be worthy of or entitled to something, especially something good or valuable

synonym: merit, earn, justify

(1) **deserve** respect, (2) **deserve** this prize

The employee **deserved** the promotion for their hard work and dedication.

hero

n. a person who is admired or idealized for courage, outstanding achievements, or noble qualities; a character in literature or history who is central to the plot and who exhibits heroic qualities

synonym: champion, protagonist, savior

(1) local **hero**, (2) unsung **hero**

The soldier who sacrificed his life for his country is considered a national **hero**.

immigrant

n. a person who has come to a country where they were not born to live there permanently

synonym: settler, expatriate, emigrant

(1) **immigrant** communities, (2) an **immigrant** from the country

Police received a report of illegal **immigrants** in the area.

reserve

v. to keep something for future use or contingency; to obtain or arrange something, such as a meeting, seat, etc., in advance

synonym: keep, hold, preserve

(1) **reserve** the right, (2) **reserve** a concert ticket

You can easily **reserve** seats over the telephone.

descendant

n. children or offspring of a specific person, plant, or animal

synonym: child, offspring, heir

(1) **descendant** of a pioneer, (2) third-generation **descendant**

Those warriors' **descendants** are still skilled archers.

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.

poverty

n. the condition of being extremely poor

synonym: deprivation, destitution, poorness

(1) **poverty** alleviation, (2) the cycle of **poverty**

Many studies have investigated the relationship between **poverty** and academic achievement.

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.

judge

n. a person who makes decisions in a court of law; (verb) to determine the result of or form a critical opinion of something

synonym: arbiter, justice, (verb) deduce

(1) **judge** a competition, (2) an associate **judge**

The strict **judge** ruled in favor of the plaintiff in the case.

modern

adj. of or belonging to the present time or recent times

synonym: contemporary, stylish, current

(1) **modern** poetry, (2) pre- **modern** agricultural society

Their headquarters are in a **modern** skyscraper.

moral

adj. concerned with the principles of what is right and wrong, fairness, honesty, etc.

synonym : honest, ethical, conscientious

(1) **moral** hazard, (2) **moral** burden

Ethics deals with **moral** conduct.

govern

v. to legally control and direct a country, city, group of people, etc. and be responsible for introducing new laws, organizing and maintaining public services

synonym : control, rule, preside

(1) a nation's right to **govern**, (2) **govern** a public enterprise

The regulations **governing** medical malpractice claims are rigorous.

torture

n. the act of causing intense pain or suffering to someone to punish them, extract information from them, or for some other reason

synonym : torment, abuse, mistreatment

(1) a **torture** chamber, (2) an instrument of **torture**

The use of **torture** is strictly prohibited under international law.

mutilate

v. to cause severe damage, disfigurement, or injury, usually to a person or an animal; to destroy, alter, or damage something severely or irreparably

synonym : maim, disfigure, deform

(1) **mutilate** a document, (2) **mutilate** a body

It is cruel for anyone to **mutilate** an animal for any reason.

brutal

adj. harsh or cruel

synonym : harsh, cruel, barbarous

(1) **brutal** bully, (2) **brutal** honesty

The **brutal** attack left the victim with serious injuries.

colonist

n. a person who lives in or is sent to establish a colony (= a country or an area that is governed by a more powerful entity) a new country or area

synonym : settler, pioneer, inhabitant

(1) space **colonist**, (2) American **colonist**

The first **colonists** arrived in the New World in the early 17th century.

jail

n. a facility where criminals are kept to be punished for their crimes; a prison

synonym : prison, slammer, penitentiary

(1) county **jail**, (2) be in **jail**

The police escorted the prisoner to the **jail**.

survive

v. to live or exist despite a dangerous event or period

synonym : endure, persist, stay

(1) **survive** a blizzard, (2) **survive** a plane crash

These birds can only **survive** in temperate climates.

colonial

adj. of or relating to a colony (= a territory that is controlled by a more powerful country); to the period of time during which a country or region was a colony

synonym : imperial, immigrant, gregarious

(1) oppressive **colonial** rule, (2) **colonial** style

The city has a rich **colonial** history, with many historic buildings and landmarks.

rename

v. to give a new name to something; to change the name of something

synonym : rebrand, rechristen, re-label

(1) **rename** the street, (2) **rename** in plain English

The new owners **renamed** the restaurant to give it a fresh start.

indigenous

adj. someone or something that is native to or occurring naturally in a particular place

synonym : domestic, endemic, primitive

(1) **indigenous** crop, (2) **indigenous** peoples
The **indigenous** plants need to be pollinated by local insects.

accord

n. an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.; (verb) allow to have
synonym: alliance, pact, agreement

(1) **accord** with public opinion, (2) binational **accord**
The organization finally signed a peace **accord**.

tradition

n. a belief, custom, or way of doing something that has been passed down from generation to generation within a group or society
synonym: custom, practice, ritual

(1) a **tradition** of a culture, (2) against **tradition**
It is a **tradition** in many families to have a big Thanksgiving dinner with all their relatives.

ordinary

adj. not different, exceptional, or unexpected in any way, especially in quality, ability, size, or degree
synonym: mundane, prosaic, average

(1) an **ordinary** school, (2) **ordinary** annual revenue
The **ordinary** session of the Diet opened.

myth

n. an ancient story or set of stories accepted as history, especially explaining the worldview of a people
synonym: fable, legend, lore

(1) the **myth** of an old religion, (2) perpetuate a **myth**
With the financial bubble bursting, the **myth** of economic growth in investment banking collapsed.

delve

v. to dig or excavate deeply; to investigate or research intensively; to rummage or explore in a thorough or careful manner
synonym: dig, excavate, uncover

(1) **delve** deeper, (2) **delve** into documents
Researchers must **delve** into the intricacies of the human

brain to understand mental illness.

genocide

n. the intentional killing of a large group of people, especially those of a particular ethnic group or nation

synonym: mass murder, extermination, annihilation

(1) **genocide** victims, (2) **genocide** resolution

The international community condemned the **genocide** in the country.

villain

n. a character in a story, movie, or play which often opposes the hero, typically characterized as immoral, evil, or cruel

synonym: scoundrel, rogue, antagonist

(1) evil **villain**, (2) authoritarian **villain**

The **villain** in the movie was a complex character with a tragic backstory.

historic

adj. famous or significant in history, or potentially so

synonym: memorable, momentous, historical

(1) **historic** accomplishment, (2) achieve the **historic** feat

The Chinese people have accomplished several **historic** feats.

expand

v. to increase or to make something greater in size, number, or importance

synonym: extend, grow, boost

(1) **expand** a lineup, (2) **expand** agricultural output

They hope to **expand** their business worldwide.

evolve

v. to develop gradually, or to cause the development of something or someone gradually

synonym: develop, mature, grow

(1) **evolve**, (2) **evolve** over the past decade

Eyeless fish **evolved** in dark caves.

decide

v. to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options

synonym : choose, determine, settle

(1) **decide** a question, (2) **decide** on a course of action

She couldn't **decide** whether to order the pizza or the pasta for dinner.

Session 2: Spelling

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|-------------------------------------|---|
| 1. ann_____ry celebration | <i>n.</i> the annual recurrence of a date marking a notable event; a date on which an event occurred in a previous year |
| 2. ex_____t a valuable opportunity | <i>v.</i> to make full use of and gain an advantage from resources, opportunities, etc. |
| 3. around the gl___e | <i>n.</i> the earth or world, mainly used to emphasize its vastness |
| 4. scientific jo_____l | <i>n.</i> a newspaper or magazine specialized in a specific topic or profession |
| 5. cr___y about cars and racing | <i>adj.</i> stupid or not sensible; very angry |
| 6. po_____y alleviation | <i>n.</i> the condition of being extremely poor |
| 7. awe-in_____ng sight | <i>adj.</i> stimulating and motivating you to want to do something |
| 8. great-gra_____nt | <i>n.</i> a parent of one's father or mother |
| 9. he_____t size | <i>n.</i> a protective covering for the head, worn for safety or as part of a uniform or ceremonial dress |
| 10. sp_____ic outbreaks | <i>adj.</i> occurring at irregular intervals or only in a few places; scattered |
| 11. pre-mo___n agricultural society | <i>adj.</i> of or belonging to the present time or recent times |
| 12. su_____e a plane crash | <i>v.</i> to live or exist despite a dangerous event or period |

ANSWERS: 1. anniversary, 2. exploit, 3. globe, 4. journal, 5. crazy, 6. poverty, 7. inspiring, 8. grandparent, 9. helmet, 10. sporadic, 11. modern, 12. survive

13. the f__k songs of a particular district *n.* people in general, especially those of a particular group or type
14. co_____ed criminal *adj.* completely certain about something; having a strong belief or conviction in a particular religion
15. br___l bully *adj.* harsh or cruel
16. su___r bad grades *v.* to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant
17. re_____e a concert ticket *v.* to keep something for future use or contingency; to obtain or arrange something, such as a meeting, seat, etc., in advance
18. space co_____st *n.* a person who lives in or is sent to establish a colony (= a country or an area that is governed by a more powerful entity) a new country or area
19. terrestrial gl__e *n.* the earth or world, mainly used to emphasize its vastness
20. oppressive co_____al rule *adj.* of or relating to a colony (= a territory that is controlled by a more powerful country); to the period of time during which a country or region was a colony
21. en_____e poor peasants *v.* to make someone a slave; to deprive someone of their freedom of choice or action
22. na___e to Africa *adj.* connecting with or describing someone's birth country or place of birth, or someone born in a specific country or place

ANSWERS: 13. folk, 14. convinced, 15. brutal, 16. suffer, 17. reserve, 18. colonist, 19. globe, 20. colonial, 21. enslave, 22. native

23. se____ly, it is important *adv.* used to introduce the second point or item in a list or series of statements, considerations, etc.
24. a co____y of bacteria *n.* a country or an area that is governed by a more powerful country that is often far away
25. sy_____ze hope *v.* to represent or stand for something else, particularly an abstract concept or idea; to be an emblem or sign of something
26. in_____id travelers *adj.* courageous and not afraid of danger or difficulties
27. re____e the street *v.* to give a new name to something; to change the name of something
28. hi_____ic accomplishment *adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so
29. de__e deeper *v.* to dig or excavate deeply; to investigate or research intensively; to rummage or explore in a thorough or careful manner
30. p__y speech *n.* a feeling of sorrow and compassion caused by the suffering or misfortunes of others; an object of contempt or disdain
31. ind_____al freedom *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
32. ob_____e wildlife *v.* to watch or notice something carefully, often to gather information or insights; to take note of something or someone; to celebrate or commemorate a special event or occasion

ANSWERS: 23. secondly, 24. colony, 25. symbolize, 26. intrepid, 27. rename, 28. historic, 29. delve, 30. pity, 31. individual, 32. observe

33. 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
34. de___e a question *v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options
35. make a r__d on an enemy's camp *n.* a sudden short attack, usually by soldiers, ships, or aircraft
36. de_____e independence *v.* to say, state, or announce something clearly, officially, or publicly
37. plant a co___y *n.* a country or an area that is governed by a more powerful country that is often far away
38. sp_____ic attempts *adj.* occurring at irregular intervals or only in a few places; scattered
39. allow self-p__y *n.* a feeling of sorrow and compassion caused by the suffering or misfortunes of others; an object of contempt or disdain
40. person of gra_____nt age *n.* a parent of one's father or mother
41. mu_____te a body *v.* to cause severe damage, disfigurement, or injury, usually to a person or an animal; to destroy, alter, or damage something severely or irreparably
42. perpetuate a m__h *n.* an ancient story or set of stories accepted as history, especially explaining the worldview of a people

ANSWERS: 33. honor, 34. decide, 35. raid, 36. declare, 37. colony, 38. sporadic, 39. pity, 40. grandparent, 41. mutilate, 42. myth

43. f__k art *n.* people in general, especially those of a particular group or type
44. se_____rs on some foreign shore *n.* a person who moved with a group of others to live in a different country or area
45. ce_____te Christmas *v.* to acknowledge a memorable or good day or event with a social gathering or enjoyable activity
46. co_____r the world *v.* to bring under control by force or authority
47. air-r__d siren *n.* a sudden short attack, usually by soldiers, ships, or aircraft
48. tr___l community *adj.* relating to a social group or tribe, especially a preliterate society
49. 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
50. mu_____te a document *v.* to cause severe damage, disfigurement, or injury, usually to a person or an animal; to destroy, alter, or damage something severely or irreparably
51. the co__n at the end of the sentence *n.* the punctuation mark (:) used to introduce a list, summary, explanation, etc., or before reporting what someone has said; a significant part of the large intestine, the final section of the digestive system

ANSWERS: 43. folk, 44. settler, 45. celebrate, 46. conquer, 47. raid, 48. tribal, 49. discriminate, 50. mutilate, 51. colon

52. achieve the hi____ic feat *adj.* famous or significant in history, or potentially so
53. show ru____ss behavior *adj.* lacking in pity or compassion; willing to do whatever it takes to achieve their goals, regardless of the consequences for others
54. ed____ed speech *adj.* having received a high standard of education
55. co____nt urinary diversion *n.* one of the earth's large landmasses; (adjective) abstaining from your feelings, especially your desire to have sex
56. de____e my love *v.* to say, state, or announce something clearly, officially, or publicly
57. binational ac____d *n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.; (verb) allow to have
58. de____e this prize *v.* to be worthy of or entitled to something, especially something good or valuable
59. wa____e aircraft *n.* the use of military force to achieve political, economic, or social objectives
60. na____e language *adj.* connecting with or describing someone's birth country or place of birth, or someone born in a specific country or place
61. get ins____on from nature *n.* something that motivates or encourages someone to create or achieve something, or a feeling of excitement or creativity

ANSWERS: 52. historic, 53. ruthless, 54. educated, 55. continent, 56. declare, 57. accord, 58. deserve, 59. warfare, 60. native, 61. inspiration

62. 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
63. authoritarian vi____n *n.* a character in a story, movie, or play which often opposes the hero, typically characterized as immoral, evil, or cruel
64. a to____e chamber *n.* the act of causing intense pain or suffering to someone to punish them, extract information from them, or for some other reason
65. mo__l hazard *adj.* concerned with the principles of what is right and wrong, fairness, honesty, etc.
66. ev____e *v.* to develop gradually, or to cause the development of something or someone gradually
67. third-generation des____nt *n.* children or offspring of a specific person, plant, or animal
68. ac____d with public opinion *n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.; (verb) allow to have
69. ex____d a lineup *v.* to increase or to make something greater in size, number, or importance
70. a scientific di____ry *n.* the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known
71. ju__e a competition *n.* a person who makes decisions in a court of law; (verb) to determine the result of or form a critical opinion of something

ANSWERS: 62. struggle, 63. villain, 64. torture, 65. moral, 66. evolve, 67. descendant, 68. accord, 69. expand, 70. discovery, 71. judge

72. a bicentennial ann_____ry *n.* the annual recurrence of a date marking a notable event; a date on which an event occurred in a previous year
73. 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
74. safety he____t *n.* a protective covering for the head, worn for safety or as part of a uniform or ceremonial dress
75. ge_____de victims *n.* the intentional killing of a large group of people, especially those of a particular ethnic group or nation
76. ob_____e a tradition *v.* to watch or notice something carefully, often to gather information or insights; to take note of something or someone; to celebrate or commemorate a special event or occasion
77. dairy c_w *n.* a domesticated mammal with characteristic features such as a hump, large udders, and curved horns that is raised for its milk or meat
78. des_____nt of a pioneer *n.* children or offspring of a specific person, plant, or animal
79. cel_____ed artist *adj.* renowned for possessing admirable attributes
80. an instrument of to_____e *n.* the act of causing intense pain or suffering to someone to punish them, extract information from them, or for some other reason

ANSWERS: 72. anniversary, 73. struggle, 74. helmet, 75. genocide, 76. observe, 77. cow, 78. descendant, 79. celebrated, 80. torture

81. a cr__y scheme *adj.* stupid or not sensible; very angry
82. de__e into documents *v.* to dig or excavate deeply; to investigate or research intensively; to rummage or explore in a thorough or careful manner
83. 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
84. su_____e a blizzard *v.* to live or exist despite a dangerous event or period
85. a private ind_____al *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
86. unsung h__o *n.* a person who is admired or idealized for courage, outstanding achievements, or noble qualities; a character in literature or history who is central to the plot and who exhibits heroic qualities
87. de___e on a course of action *v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options
88. su_____e beforehand *v.* to think that something is likely to be actual or possible
89. local h__o *n.* a person who is admired or idealized for courage, outstanding achievements, or noble qualities; a character in literature or history who is central to the plot and who exhibits heroic qualities
90. the set_____nt of a dispute *n.* an official agreement that brings an argument to a close; the process of establishing permanent residence in a place.

ANSWERS: 81. crazy, 82. delve, 83. honor, 84. survive, 85. individual, 86. hero, 87. decide, 88. suppose, 89. hero, 90. settlement

91. ind_____us peoples *adj.* someone or something that is native to or occurring naturally in a particular place
92. a nation's right to go___n *v.* to legally control and direct a country, city, group of people, etc. and be responsible for introducing new laws, organizing and maintaining public services
93. co_____r fatal disease *v.* to bring under control by force or authority
94. se_____ly connected *adv.* used to introduce the second point or item in a list or series of statements, considerations, etc.
95. an associate ju__e *n.* a person who makes decisions in a court of law; (verb) to determine the result of or form a critical opinion of something
96. spiritual wa_____e *n.* the use of military force to achieve political, economic, or social objectives
97. ex___d agricultural output *v.* to increase or to make something greater in size, number, or importance
98. mo__l burden *adj.* concerned with the principles of what is right and wrong, fairness, honesty, etc.
99. mil_____um bottle of wine *n.* a span of 1000 years, or the 1000th anniversary (plural: millennia)
100. sl_____y labor *n.* the practice or system of owning, buying, and selling people as property and forcing them to work
101. se___e a dispute *v.* to reach an agreement of disagreement

ANSWERS: 91. indigenous, 92. govern, 93. conquer, 94. secondly, 95. judge, 96. warfare, 97. expand, 98. moral, 99. millennium, 100. slavery, 101. settle

102. co__h several times *v.* to expel air from the lungs suddenly and noisily, often as a reaction to irritation, illness, or some other physical condition; (noun) a sudden, forceful expulsion of air from the lungs, often accompanied by a distinctive sound
103. the m__h of an old religion *n.* an ancient story or set of stories accepted as history, especially explaining the worldview of a people
104. aboriginal tr__e *n.* a social group made up of members who live together, sharing the same language, culture, religion, etc., especially those who do not live in towns or cities
105. ev___e over the past decade *v.* to develop gradually, or to cause the development of something or someone gradually
106. im_____nt communities *n.* a person who has come to a country where they were not born to live there permanently
107. in_____id personality *adj.* courageous and not afraid of danger or difficulties
108. the inland of a co_____nt *n.* one of the earth's large landmasses; (adjective) abstaining from your feelings, especially your desire to have sex
109. r_b shoulders *v.* to move one's hand or an object over the surface of something with pressure
110. sy_____ze freedom *v.* to represent or stand for something else, particularly an abstract concept or idea; to be an emblem or sign of something

ANSWERS: 102. cough, 103. myth, 104. tribe, 105. evolve, 106. immigrant, 107. intrepid, 108. continent, 109. rub, 110. symbolize

111. the great di_____ry of the century *n.* the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known
112. en_____e indigenous people *v.* to make someone a slave; to deprive someone of their freedom of choice or action
113. be in j__l *n.* a facility where criminals are kept to be punished for their crimes; a prison
114. new se_____rs *n.* a person who moved with a group of others to live in a different country or area
115. ge_____de resolution *n.* the intentional killing of a large group of people, especially those of a particular ethnic group or nation
116. county j__l *n.* a facility where criminals are kept to be punished for their crimes; a prison
117. su____r a setback *v.* to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant
118. c_w herd *n.* a domesticated mammal with characteristic features such as a hump, large udders, and curved horns that is raised for its milk or meat
119. tr____l culture *adj.* relating to a social group or tribe, especially a preliterate society
120. 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

ANSWERS: 111. discovery, 112. enslave, 113. jail, 114. settler, 115. genocide, 116. jail, 117. suffer, 118. cow, 119. tribal, 120. discriminate

121. go___n a public enterprise *v.* to legally control and direct a country, city, group of people, etc. and be responsible for introducing new laws, organizing and maintaining public services
122. official sta_____cs *n.* the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data
123. in_____ng stories *adj.* stimulating and motivating you to want to do something
124. cel_____ed paper *adj.* renowned for possessing admirable attributes
125. a tr_____on of a culture *n.* a belief, custom, or way of doing something that has been passed down from generation to generation within a group or society
126. animals in ca_____ty in the zoo *n.* the situation in which a person or animal is kept in prison or a space that they cannot escape from
127. re_____e the right *v.* to keep something for future use or contingency; to obtain or arrange something, such as a meeting, seat, etc., in advance
128. against tr_____on *n.* a belief, custom, or way of doing something that has been passed down from generation to generation within a group or society
129. mo___n poetry *adj.* of or belonging to the present time or recent times

ANSWERS: 121. govern, 122. statistics, 123. inspiring, 124. celebrated, 125. tradition, 126. captivity, 127. reserve, 128. tradition, 129. modern

130. the cycle of po____y *n.* the condition of being extremely poor
131. co_____ed of the idea *adj.* completely certain about something; having a strong belief or conviction in a particular religion
132. ru_____ss brutality *adj.* lacking in pity or compassion; willing to do whatever it takes to achieve their goals, regardless of the consequences for others
133. ed_____ed adult *adj.* having received a high standard of education
134. se___e down in the town *v.* to reach an agreement of disagreement
135. co__n examination *n.* the punctuation mark (:) used to introduce a list, summary, explanation, etc., or before reporting what someone has said; a significant part of the large intestine, the final section of the digestive system
136. jo_____l articles *n.* a newspaper or magazine specialized in a specific topic or profession
137. r_b a glass window *v.* to move one's hand or an object over the surface of something with pressure
138. persistent co__h *v.* to expel air from the lungs suddenly and noisily, often as a reaction to irritation, illness, or some other physical condition; (noun) a sudden, forceful expulsion of air from the lungs, often accompanied by a distinctive sound
139. evil vi_____n *n.* a character in a story, movie, or play which often opposes the hero, typically characterized as immoral, evil, or cruel

ANSWERS: 130. poverty, 131. convinced, 132. ruthless, 133. educated, 134. settle, 135. colon, 136. journal, 137. rub, 138. cough, 139. villain

140. source of ins_____on *n.* something that motivates or encourages someone to create or achieve something, or a feeling of excitement or creativity
141. w__e with water *v.* to clean or dry something by rubbing with a piece of cloth or paper or one's hand and removing dirt, food, or liquid
142. an im_____nt from the country *n.* a person who has come to a country where they were not born to live there permanently
143. ce_____te his election *v.* to acknowledge a memorable or good day or event with a social gathering or enjoyable activity
144. co_____al style *adj.* of or relating to a colony (= a territory that is controlled by a more powerful country); to the period of time during which a country or region was a colony
145. past mil_____um *n.* a span of 1000 years, or the 1000th anniversary (plural: millennia)
146. institution of sl_____y *n.* the practice or system of owning, buying, and selling people as property and forcing them to work
147. W__e off dirt *v.* to clean or dry something by rubbing with a piece of cloth or paper or one's hand and removing dirt, food, or liquid
148. br____l honesty *adj.* harsh or cruel
149. re____e in plain English *v.* to give a new name to something; to change the name of something
150. American co_____st *n.* a person who lives in or is sent to establish a colony (= a country or an area that is governed by a more powerful entity) a new country or area

ANSWERS: 140. inspiration, 141. wipe, 142. immigrant, 143. celebrate, 144. colonial, 145. millennium, 146. slavery, 147. wipe, 148. brutal, 149. rename, 150. colonist

151. ind_____us crop *adj.* someone or something that is native to or occurring naturally in a particular place
152. or_____ry annual revenue *adj.* not different, exceptional, or unexpected in any way, especially in quality, ability, size, or degree
153. escape from ca_____ty *n.* the situation in which a person or animal is kept in prison or a space that they cannot escape from
154. ex_____t a security hole *v.* to make full use of and gain an advantage from resources, opportunities, etc.
155. su_____e you're right *v.* to think that something is likely to be actual or possible
156. de_____e respect *v.* to be worthy of or entitled to something, especially something good or valuable
157. sta_____cs for cancer *n.* the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data
158. set_____nt in a new house *n.* an official agreement that brings an argument to a close; the process of establishing permanent residence in a place.
159. mountain tr__e *n.* a social group made up of members who live together, sharing the same language, culture, religion, etc., especially those who do not live in towns or cities
160. an or_____ry school *adj.* not different, exceptional, or unexpected in any way, especially in quality, ability, size, or degree

ANSWERS: 151. indigenous, 152. ordinary, 153. captivity, 154. exploit, 155. suppose, 156. deserve, 157. statistics, 158. settlement, 159. tribe, 160. ordinary

ANSWERS:

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. She _____ the sore spot on her leg to ease the pain.
v. to move one's hand or an object over the surface of something with pressure
2. Excellent speech is a characteristic of an _____ man.
adj. having received a high standard of education
3. Ethics deals with _____ conduct.
adj. concerned with the principles of what is right and wrong, fairness, honesty, etc.
4. 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
5. Firstly, we will discuss the budget; _____ we will go over the schedule.
adv. used to introduce the second point or item in a list or series of statements, considerations, etc.
6. The new owners _____ the restaurant to give it a fresh start.
v. to give a new name to something; to change the name of something
7. Our world is in the third _____.
n. a span of 1000 years, or the 1000th anniversary (plural: millennia)
8. Many studies have investigated the relationship between _____ and academic achievement.
n. the condition of being extremely poor

ANSWERS: 1. rubbed, 2. educated, 3. moral, 4. suffers, 5. secondly, 6. renamed, 7. millennium, 8. poverty

9. A large proportion of railway workers in _____ colonies were white.
n. a person who moved with a group of others to live in a different country or area
10. We _____ our mining resources to strengthen our national power.
v. to make full use of and gain an advantage from resources, opportunities, etc.
11. Her research team made an important _____.
n. the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known
12. The physician is reading the _____ related to medicine
n. a newspaper or magazine specialized in a specific topic or profession
13. Their headquarters are in a _____ skyscraper.
adj. of or belonging to the present time or recent times
14. Flight across the _____ was a daring adventure in its day.
n. one of the earth's large landmasses; (adjective) abstaining from your feelings, especially your desire to have sex
15. It is a _____ that the concert had to be canceled due to the storm.
n. a feeling of sorrow and compassion caused by the suffering or misfortunes of others; an object of contempt or disdain
16. Three _____ tenors performed during the president's inauguration.
adj. renowned for possessing admirable attributes
17. Eyeless fish _____ in dark caves.
v. to develop gradually, or to cause the development of something or someone gradually

ANSWERS: 9. settler, 10. exploit, 11. discovery, 12. journals, 13. modern, 14. continent, 15. pity, 16. celebrated, 17. evolved

18. These birds can only _____ in temperate climates.

v. to live or exist despite a dangerous event or period

19. The _____ session of the Diet opened.

adj. not different, exceptional, or unexpected in any way, especially in quality, ability, size, or degree

20. The soldier who sacrificed his life for his country is considered a national _____.

n. a person who is admired or idealized for courage, outstanding achievements, or noble qualities; a character in literature or history who is central to the plot and who exhibits heroic qualities

21. He found _____ in the works of his favorite authors.

n. something that motivates or encourages someone to create or achieve something, or a feeling of excitement or creativity

22. It is important to _____ safety procedures in the workplace to prevent accidents.

v. to watch or notice something carefully, often to gather information or insights; to take note of something or someone; to celebrate or commemorate a special event or occasion

23. Those warriors' _____ are still skilled archers.

n. children or offspring of a specific person, plant, or animal

24. The regulations _____ medical malpractice claims are rigorous.

v. to legally control and direct a country, city, group of people, etc. and be responsible for introducing new laws, organizing and maintaining public services

ANSWERS: 18. survive, 19. ordinary, 20. hero, 21. inspiration, 22. observe, 23. descendants, 24. governing

25. The rain was falling in _____ bursts.

adj. occurring at irregular intervals or only in a few places; scattered

26. The vegetation here is almost wholly _____.

adj. connecting with or describing someone's birth country or place of birth, or someone born in a specific country or place

27. There were still _____ pioneers who planned to start their businesses

adj. courageous and not afraid of danger or difficulties

28. The _____ attack left the victim with serious injuries.

adj. harsh or cruel

29. The _____ had distinctly defined gender roles.

n. a social group made up of members who live together, sharing the same language, culture, religion, etc., especially those who do not live in towns or cities

30. His final goal is to sail around the _____.

n. the earth or world, mainly used to emphasize its vastness

31. Throughout the _____ the bank robbers wore masks.

n. a sudden short attack, usually by soldiers, ships, or aircraft

32. Consumption of vegetables may aid in the prevention of _____ cancer.

n. the punctuation mark (:) used to introduce a list, summary, explanation, etc., or before reporting what someone has said; a significant part of the large intestine, the final section of the digestive system

ANSWERS: 25. sporadic, 26. native, 27. intrepid, 28. brutal, 29. tribe, 30. globe, 31. raid, 32. colon

33. The use of _____ is strictly prohibited under international law.
- n.* the act of causing intense pain or suffering to someone to punish them, extract information from them, or for some other reason
34. The city has a rich _____ history, with many historic buildings and landmarks.
- adj.* of or relating to a colony (= a territory that is controlled by a more powerful country); to the period of time during which a country or region was a colony
35. 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
36. An _____ teacher might spark students' motivation to succeed.
- adj.* stimulating and motivating you to want to do something
37. Police received a report of illegal _____ in the area.
- n.* a person who has come to a country where they were not born to live there permanently
38. I can't stop _____ and think I might have caught a cold.
- v.* to expel air from the lungs suddenly and noisily, often as a reaction to irritation, illness, or some other physical condition; (noun) a sudden, forceful expulsion of air from the lungs, often accompanied by a distinctive sound
39. The _____ declared its independence and became a republic.
- n.* a country or an area that is governed by a more powerful country that is often far away
40. They celebrated their 10th _____ with a romantic dinner.
- n.* the annual recurrence of a date marking a notable event; a date on which an event occurred in a previous year

ANSWERS: 33. torture, 34. colonial, 35. honor, 36. inspiring, 37. immigrants, 38. coughing, 39. colony, 40. anniversary

41. The _____ leaders gathered for a summit to discuss important issues.
adj. relating to a social group or tribe, especially a preliterate society
42. The police escorted the prisoner to the _____.
n. a facility where criminals are kept to be punished for their crimes; a prison
43. Foreign goods from abroad must be _____ to customs when entering a country.
v. to say, state, or announce something clearly, officially, or publicly
44. The first _____ arrived in the New World in the early 17th century.
n. a person who lives in or is sent to establish a colony (= a country or an area that is governed by a more powerful entity) a new country or area
45. Please _____ your sweat with this towel.
v. to clean or dry something by rubbing with a piece of cloth or paper or one's hand and removing dirt, food, or liquid
46. The strict _____ ruled in favor of the plaintiff in the case.
n. a person who makes decisions in a court of law; (verb) to determine the result of or form a critical opinion of something
47. Pandas rarely breed in _____.
n. the situation in which a person or animal is kept in prison or a space that they cannot escape from
48. It is cruel for anyone to _____ an animal for any reason.
v. to cause severe damage, disfigurement, or injury, usually to a person or an animal; to destroy, alter, or damage something severely or irreparably

ANSWERS: 41. tribal, 42. jail, 43. declared, 44. colonists, 45. wipe, 46. judge, 47. captivity, 48. mutilate

49. 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

50. The _____ demonstrate that poverty and unemployment are genuine problems.

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

51. The Chinese people have accomplished several _____ feats.

adj. famous or significant in history, or potentially so

52. The _____ plants need to be pollinated by local insects.

adj. someone or something that is native to or occurring naturally in a particular place

53. You must _____ your anxiety about driving.

v. to bring under control by force or authority

54. 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

55. The worker survived the impact because they were wearing sturdy _____.

n. a protective covering for the head, worn for safety or as part of a uniform or ceremonial dress

56. The _____ in the movie was a complex character with a tragic backstory.

n. a character in a story, movie, or play which often opposes the hero, typically characterized as immoral, evil, or cruel

ANSWERS: 49. individual, 50. statistics, 51. historic, 52. indigenous, 53. conquer, 54. discriminate, 55. helmets, 56. villain

57. The organization finally signed a peace _____.
- n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.;
(verb) allow to have
58. Her beauty _____ me completely.
- v.* to make someone a slave; to deprive someone of their freedom of choice or action
59. The country has been engaged in a prolonged conflict, with both sides using modern _____ tactics.
- n.* the use of military force to achieve political, economic, or social objectives
60. With the financial bubble bursting, the _____ of economic growth in investment banking collapsed.
- n.* an ancient story or set of stories accepted as history, especially explaining the worldview of a people
61. The dictator was known for his _____ tactics and had no qualms about using violence to maintain power.
- adj.* lacking in pity or compassion; willing to do whatever it takes to achieve their goals, regardless of the consequences for others
62. She was close to her paternal _____ and often spent summers with them.
- n.* a parent of one's father or mother
63. The rain and thunder are _____ today.
- adj.* stupid or not sensible; very angry
64. Researchers must _____ into the intricacies of the human brain to understand mental illness.
- v.* to dig or excavate deeply; to investigate or research intensively; to rummage or explore in a thorough or careful manner

ANSWERS: 57. accord, 58. enslaved, 59. warfare, 60. myth, 61. ruthless, 62. grandparents, 63. crazy, 64. delve

65. She couldn't _____ whether to order the pizza or the pasta for dinner.
- v. to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options
66. The international community condemned the _____ in the country.
- n. the intentional killing of a large group of people, especially those of a particular ethnic group or nation
67. You can easily _____ seats over the telephone.
- v. to keep something for future use or contingency; to obtain or arrange something, such as a meeting, seat, etc., in advance
68. The farmer milked the _____ every morning before breakfast.
- n. a domesticated mammal with characteristic features such as a hump, large udders, and curved horns that is raised for its milk or meat
69. They hope to _____ their business worldwide.
- v. to increase or to make something greater in size, number, or importance
70. I don't want to _____ for second best.
- v. to reach an agreement of disagreement
71. Some seaweed was used as _____ medicine in ancient times.
- n. people in general, especially those of a particular group or type
72. It is a _____ in many families to have a big Thanksgiving dinner with all their relatives.
- n. a belief, custom, or way of doing something that has been passed down from generation to generation within a group or society

ANSWERS: 65. decide, 66. genocide, 67. reserve, 68. cows, 69. expand, 70. settle, 71. folk, 72. tradition

73. In many cultures, the color white _____ purity and innocence.
- v.* to represent or stand for something else, particularly an abstract concept or idea; to be an emblem or sign of something
74. The public is _____ that the prime minister has committed fraud.
- adj.* completely certain about something; having a strong belief or conviction in a particular religion
75. 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
76. What do you _____ the culprit's motive was?
- v.* to think that something is likely to be actual or possible
77. The employee _____ the promotion for their hard work and dedication.
- v.* to be worthy of or entitled to something, especially something good or valuable
78. The abolition of _____ in the United States was a major achievement in the fight for human rights.
- n.* the practice or system of owning, buying, and selling people as property and forcing them to work
79. Our goal must be to achieve a peaceful _____.
- n.* an official agreement that brings an argument to a close; the process of establishing permanent residence in a place.
80. He _____ the 10th anniversary of his tenure.
- v.* to acknowledge a memorable or good day or event with a social gathering or enjoyable activity

ANSWERS: 73. symbolizes, 74. convinced, 75. struggle, 76. suppose, 77. deserved, 78. slavery, 79. settlement, 80. celebrated

ANSWERS: