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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### vast

*adj.* enormous in size, number, amount, or quantity

*synonym*: expansive, extended, boundless

(1) **vast** majority, (2) **vast** desert

A **vast** audience viewed the broadcast.

### disagree

*v.* to have or express a different opinion, idea, etc.

*synonym*: discord, oppose, dissent

(1) **disagree** about a particular issue, (2) **disagree** with a plan

I **disagree** for reasons already stated above.

### reaction

*n.* a response that reveals a person's feelings or attitude; (in chemistry) a process in which one or more substances are changed into others

*synonym*: response, reply, answer

(1) chemical **reaction**, (2) trigger a **reaction**

There was a chemical **reaction** of the lime with the groundwater.

### pet

*n.* an animal that you have at home as a companion and treated kindly

(1) a **pet** bird, (2) a teacher's **pet**

I have a parrot as a **pet**.

## assume

*v.* to think or accept something to be true without having proof of it; to take or begin to have power; to begin to exhibit a specific quality or appearance

*synonym* : guess, presume, suppose

(1) **assume** a lousy attitude to his boss, (2) **assume** an important role

The following example **assumes** that the capacity of each battery is the same.

## external

*adj.* belonging to or situated outside of someone or something

*synonym* : outside, exterior, foreign

(1) **external** factors, (2) **external** commerce

When a company discloses information to the market, an **external** auditor verifies them.

## relative

*adj.* considered and evaluated through comparison with something else

*synonym* : comparative, proximate, congeneric

(1) a remote **relative**, (2) **relative** factors

Most countries prohibit sexual activity between certain close **relatives**.

## ancient

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

*synonym* : archaic, age-old, obsolete

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

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

## fluid

*n.* a substance that can flow and is not solid

*synonym* : liquid, aqua, sap

(1) plenty of **fluids**, (2) **fluid** assets

She was diagnosed with a **fluid** buildup in her lungs.

## 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**.

## humor

*n.* the quality of being amusing or funny; the liquid parts of the body

*synonym*: comedy, funniness, liquid substance

(1) sardonic **humor**, (2) vitreous **humor**

My wife seems to be in ill **humor**.

## balance

*n.* a condition in which everything has the same weight or force; something left after other parts have been taken away

*synonym*: equilibrium, counterpoise, remainder

(1) the **balance** of power, (2) asset on the company's **balance** sheet

Try to keep a **balance** between work and off.

## influence

*n.* the ability to affect someone's or something's character, growth, or behavior, or the effect itself

*synonym*: power, leverage, effect

(1) **influence** a child's future, (2) **influence** the daily life

The former emperor had a particular **influence** even after he abdicated.

## temperament

*n.* a person's nature or disposition, especially as it permanently affects their behavior

*synonym*: disposition, character, personality

(1) the **temperament** of an engineer, (2) a hysterical **temperament**

She has a calm **temperament** and never gets overly upset or angry.

## bile

*n.* a digestive fluid produced by the liver and stored in the gallbladder, which helps to break down fats in the small

intestine; bitterness or spitefulness

*synonym* : gall, bitterness, acrimony

(1) **bile** secretion, (2) **bile** duct

The doctor identified excess **bile** in the patient's bloodstream, indicating a possible liver or gallbladder issue.

## diet

*n.* the food and drink that a person, animal, or community eats and drinks regularly; a legislative assembly in certain countries, for example, Japan

*synonym* : food, dietary

(1) eat a vegetarian **diet**, (2) **Diet** approval

A balanced **diet** is more important for health than supplements.

## medical

*adj.* relating to the treatment of illness or injuries; relating to the practice of medicine

*synonym* : health, disease, treatment

(1) a **medical** opinion, (2) temporary **medical** treatment

The **medical** team worked quickly to save the patient's life.

## 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.

## resonate

*v.* to be filled with a deep echoing sound

*synonym* : echo, reverberate, resound

(1) deeply **resonate** with the consumers, (2) **resonate** in the same frequency

The sound **resonates** well in this theater.

## 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.

## clinical

*adj.* of or relating to the examination and treatment of patients rather than theoretical or laboratory studies

*synonym*: dispassionate, analytic, scientific

(1) **clinical** surgery, (2) participate in **clinical** trials

She received special **clinical** training at the hospital.

## depression

*n.* a mental condition in which a person feels very unhappy and without hope for the future; a severe recession in an economy or market

*synonym*: recession, slump, despair

(1) the Great **Depression**, (2) the root problem of her **depression**

**Depression** symptoms might include a decrease in appetite and weight loss.

## unexplained

*adj.* not able to be explained or understood, lacking explanation or justification for something unknown or mysterious

*synonym*: mysterious, inexplicable, enigmatic

(1) **unexplained** phenomenon, (2) **unexplained** disappearance

There was an **unexplained** noise coming from the attic that frightened us all.

## emotional

*adj.* relating to people's feelings

*synonym*: affecting, impactful, impressive

(1) **emotional** health, (2) **emotional** distress

Human **emotional** responses vary widely depending on the society to which they belong.

## relate

*v.* to establish a connection or association between two or more things; to narrate or tell about an event, experience, or relationship; to empathize or feel

sympathy with someone or something

*synonym*: connect, link, associate

(1) **relate** a story, (2) **relate** a message

He tried to **relate** his experience to the group, but they couldn't understand.

## brain

*n.* the organ inside the head that is responsible for one's movement, thought, memory, and feeling

*synonym*: intellect, mind, encephalon

(1) basic **brain** function, (2) permanent **brain** damage

X-rays revealed a small tumor in his **brain**.

## chemistry

*n.* the branch of the natural sciences dealing with the composition of substances and their properties and reactions

(1) professor of **chemistry**, (2) the **chemistry** of soil

He is familiar with **chemistry** and biology.

## chemical

*adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;

*synonym*: chemic, synthetic

(1) toxic **chemicals**, (2) a **chemical** compound

The firm has grown into a large **chemical** manufacturing.

## circumstance

*n.* the specific conditions or events that surround a particular situation or occurrence

*synonym*: condition, context, environment

(1) **circumstance** of birth, (2) **circumstance** of injury

She explained the **circumstances** surrounding the accident.

## 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.

## attempt

*n.* an act or effort of trying to do something, especially something difficult

*synonym*: endeavor, effort, try

(1) the **attempt** to rescue the hostages, (2) a reckless **attempt**

The third **attempt** was far more successful.

## discern

*v.* to see, perceive, or understand something that is not obvious

*synonym*: determine, distinguish, sense

(1) **discern** the big picture, (2) **discern** friend from foe

Parents need to help their children **discern** right and wrong.

## discuss

*v.* to talk about or examine in detail through conversation or debate; to exchange ideas, opinions, or information on a particular topic

*synonym*: talk about, converse, debate

(1) **discuss** options, (2) **discuss** solutions

We need to **discuss** the next steps for the project during our meeting tomorrow.

## argument

*n.* a set of statements or reasons used to support or refute a proposition or theory; a verbal or physical fight or dispute

*synonym*: debate, discourse, discussion

(1) a blazing **argument**, (2) the **argument** against capital punishment

The **argument** between the two sides over the proposed policy was heated.

## inevitable

*adj.* certain to happen and unavoidable

*synonym*: inescapable, unavoidable, sure

(1) **inevitable** changes of the seasons, (2) **inevitable** result

In times of recession, an increase in unemployment is **inevitable**.

## essential

*adj.* indispensable; fundamental

*synonym*: critical, crucial, basic

(1) **essential** amino acid, (2) **essential** commodities of life  
Trial and error is an **essential** part of education.

## melancholy

*n.* a feeling of sadness, disappointment, or boredom, often accompanied by a lack of energy or motivation

*synonym*: sadness, sorrow, gloom

(1) feel **melancholy**, (2) nostalgic **melancholy**

His **melancholy** mood was apparent to everyone who knew him.

## contend

*v.* to struggle to win or surmount something

*synonym*: compete, oppose, argue

(1) **contend** that tobacco is nonaddictive, (2) **contend** for a championship

Tobacco companies have long **contended** that their product is not addictive.

## wisdom

*n.* the quality of being wise, or the ability to use your knowledge and experience to make sensible decisions

*synonym*: sagacity, discernment, insight

(1) a fountain of **wisdom**, (2) **wisdom** literature

The community greatly respected and sought after the older adult's **wisdom**.

## masterpiece

*n.* a work of art that is exceptionally good or highly skilled; a great achievement

*synonym*: classic, chef-d'oeuvre, magnum opus

(1) literary **masterpiece**, (2) a **masterpiece** of design

The Mona Lisa is widely considered to be a **masterpiece** of art.

## anatomy

*n.* the scientific study that deals with the physical structure of humans, animals, or plants

(1) animal **anatomy**, (2) **anatomy** of a country's collapse

The professor explained the **anatomy** of the nervous system.

## sorrow

*n.* a feeling of deep sadness, grief, or regret, especially for something lost or ending

*synonym*: grief, heartache, melancholy

(1) deep **sorrow**, (2) **sorrow** for sin

The death of her best friend filled her with **sorrow**.

## romantic

*adj.* of or relating to love or a sexual relationship

*synonym*: idealistic, unrealistic, amatory

(1) **romantic** movies, (2) **romantic** breakup

It was his first **romantic** love.

## poet

*n.* a person who writes poetry

*synonym*: versifier, rhymer, writer

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

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

## profound

*adj.* extremely great; sensed or experienced very strongly; displaying a high level of knowledge or comprehension

*synonym*: deep, unsounded, far-reaching

(1) a **profound** book, (2) the **profound** depths of the sea

My mother's illness had a **profound** impact on us all.

## emotion

*n.* a strong feeling such as love, anger, etc. deriving from one's situation, mood, or relationships with others

*synonym*: feeling, sentiment, passion

(1) control my **emotion**, (2) afraid to show **emotion**

Some **emotions** are common across cultures and backgrounds.

## intelligence

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

*synonym*: brains, brightness, cleverness

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

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

## hierarchy

*n.* a system in which people or things are organized into different levels of importance from highest to lowest

*synonym* : ranking, order, scale

(1) top of the **hierarchy**, (2) **hierarchy** of folders

She has taken a step up in the organizational **hierarchy**.

## tangible

*adj.* real and concrete; able to be perceived, especially able to be touched; (of business assets) having physical substance and intrinsic monetary value

*synonym* : palpable, real, actual

(1) **tangible** assets, (2) produce **tangible** results

A problem that has been pointed out for years finally becomes **tangible**.

## evolutionary

*adj.* relating to or denoting how living things develop or change from earlier forms

*synonym* : developmental, mutative, transformative

(1) ecology and **evolutionary** biology, (2) the **evolutionary** process

**Evolutionary** algorithms can find ways to optimize that humans do not anticipate.

## withdrawn

*adj.* having retired oneself from society, company, or public life; extremely shy and quiet

*synonym* : aloof, detached, reserved

(1) **withdrawn** product, (2) become socially **withdrawn**

She was **withdrawn** and didn't want to talk to anyone after the breakup.

## origin

*n.* the first existence or beginning of something

*synonym* : root, source, ancestor

(1) **origin** of information, (2) racial **origin**

There are various hypotheses concerning the **origin** of life.

## ancestor

*n.* a person from whom one is descended; a forefather  
*synonym*: forebear, forefather, progenitor

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

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

## bond

*n.* a close emotional connection between two or more people; a certificate of debt that a government or corporation issues to raise money

*synonym*: bind, adhesion, attachment

(1) **bond** as a family, (2) global **bond** market

They had formed a friendship **bond**.

## opposed

*adj.* being completely different from something or disagreeing strongly with something

*synonym*: anti, averse, hostile

(1) two **opposed** characters, (2) absolutely **opposed** to abortion

I'm strongly **opposed** to that plan.

## violent

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

*synonym*: aggressive, intense, turbulent

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

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

## 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.

## immediately

*adv.* now or without delay

*synonym*: directly, instantly, promptly

(1) **immediately** recall a product, (2) write him an answer **immediately**

A suspension order from the court is effective **immediately**.

## communal

*adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use

*synonym*: collaborative, combined, collective

(1) **communal** swimming pool, (2) **communal** combination of funds

**Communal** elections were held in several European countries.

## thrive

*v.* to grow vigorously; to make steady progress

*synonym*: bloom, flourish, prosper

(1) **thrive** in a society, (2) **thrive** on pressure

Without investment, a business cannot **thrive**.

## 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.

## grief

*n.* a very great sadness, especially when somebody dies

*synonym*: anguish, desperation, dismay

(1) have **grief** and sorrow, (2) a lot of **grief**

Each person has a unique **grief** experience.

## probe

*n.* a tool used for testing or examining, especially for medical or scientific purposes, or an exploratory mission to a planet or other celestial body; (verb) to investigate, examine, or search into something

*synonym*: investigation, inquiry, examination

(1) a lunar **probe**, (2) **probe** for inside information

NASA sent a **probe** to study the atmosphere of Jupiter.

## weigh

*v.* to have a particular weight; to carefully evaluate things before making a conclusion

*synonym*: consider, cogitate, count

(1) **weigh** heavily on stock prices, (2) **weigh** a cargo

The baby **weighs** 1 pound 3 oz.

## anthropology

*n.* the scientific study of humanity, concerned with human behavior, human biology, cultures, societies, and linguistics in both the present and past, including past human species

(1) social **anthropology**, (2) **anthropology** of religion

The areas of **anthropology** and psychology are significantly related to one another.

## Arthurian

*adj.* relating to king Arthur and the tales and legends associated with him

(1) the **Arthurian** cycle, (2) **Arthurian** romances

The **Arthurian** legends of King Arthur and the knights of the Round Table are popular literary motifs.

## universal

*adj.* existing or affecting everywhere or everyone

*synonym*: common, broad, worldwide

(1) **universal** life, (2) principles of **universal** design

The picture earned near- **universal** acclaim from critics.

## heartbreak

*n.* a feeling of great sadness or disappointment

*synonym*: grief, sorrow, bitterness

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

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

## bruise

*n.* a mark caused by a blow, typically one that is purple or black on the skin

*synonym*: contusion, injury, wound

(1) livid **bruise**, (2) earlier emotional **bruise**

She had a **bruise** on her arm from where she fell on the

playground.

## contemporary

*adj.* belonging to the same or present time

*synonym* : modern, stylish, coetaneous

(1) field of **contemporary** art, (2) **contemporary** leaders

**Contemporary** music has gained different followers from existing music.

## eliminate

*v.* to remove or get rid of someone or something

*synonym* : wipe out, destroy, eradicate

(1) **eliminate** contestants, (2) **eliminate** sexual barriers

We can **eliminate** this possibility from those consumptions.

## genetic

*adj.* of or relating to genes (= parts of the DNA in cells) or the science of genes

*synonym* : hereditary, genetical, inborn

(1) have **genetic** testing, (2) a **genetic** disorder

Understanding protein folding is a vital step in deciphering the **genetic** code.

## engineer

*n.* a person whose job is designing, building, or maintaining something such as machines, structures, or software

*synonym* : architect, creator, builder

(1) a civil **engineer**, (2) **engineer** shortage

The **engineer** will repair my telephone tomorrow morning.

## 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.

## ecosystem

*n.* all the plants and living creatures in an area and the way they affect each other and the environment

(1) marine **ecosystem**, (2) change the **ecosystem**

Human conservation efforts often fail unexpectedly because they disturb the balance of the **ecosystem**.

## redesign

*v.* to design something again, especially in a different or modified form; (noun) the process of designing something again

*synonym*: revamp, rework, remodel

(1) **redesign** project, (2) **redesign** of lifestyle

The company is planning to **redesign** its website.

## paradise

*n.* a place or state of perfect happiness; a heaven on earth

*synonym*: heaven, Eden, utopia

(1) **paradise** island, (2) **paradise** for criminals

Hawaii is often referred to as an everlasting summer **paradise**.

## cave

*n.* a large hole in the side of a hill, cliff, mountain, or under the ground

*synonym*: cavern, grotto, burrow

(1) domiciliary **caves**, (2) the mouth of the **cave**

Bats reside in sheltered **caves**.

## articulate

*v.* to express oneself clearly and effectively in spoken or written language

*synonym*: express, state, utter

(1) **articulate** his position, (2) eloquently **articulate**

She was able to **articulate** her argument in the debate clearly.

## inexpressible

*adj.* not able to be expressed in words or language; too great or overwhelming to be adequately conveyed by any means of verbal or visual communication

*synonym*: unutterable, incommunicable, unspeakable

(1) **inexpressible** gratitude, (2) **inexpressible** pain

The beauty of the sunset was so stunning that it brought **inexpressible** joy to my heart.

## perch

- v. to sit, stand, or rest on something, particularly a narrow or elevated surface; to position oneself confidently or dominantly; to place something in a high or elevated position; (noun) a branch or other elevated place where a bird can rest or roost

*synonym*: sit, roost, squat

(1) **perch** on a ledge, (2) **perch** of a bird of prey

The bird **perched** on the branch, watching the world below.

## Session 2: Spelling

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|-----------------------------------|---|
| 1. literary mas_____ce            | <i>n.</i> a work of art that is exceptionally good or highly skilled; a great achievement   |
| 2. we__h heavily on stock prices  | <i>v.</i> to have a particular weight; to carefully evaluate things before making a conclusion  |
| 3. su___r a setback               | <i>v.</i> to experience pain, distress, or hardship; to undergo or endure something painful or unpleasant   |
| 4. an_____t stories               | <i>adj.</i> relating to the long ago, particularly the historical period preceding the fall of the Western Roman Empire; very old                   |
| 5. have gr__f and sorrow          | <i>n.</i> a very great sadness, especially when somebody dies   |
| 6. di_____s options               | <i>v.</i> to talk about or examine in detail through conversation or debate; to exchange ideas, opinions, or information on a particular topic      |
| 7. afraid to show em_____n        | <i>n.</i> a strong feeling such as love, anger, etc. deriving from one's situation, mood, or relationships with others                              |
| 8. occ_____lly dine with friends  | <i>adv.</i> now and then; sometimes but not often   |
| 9. occ_____lly change the routine | <i>adv.</i> now and then; sometimes but not often   |
| 10. trigger a re_____on           | <i>n.</i> a response that reveals a person's feelings or attitude; (in chemistry) a process in which one or more substances are changed into others |

ANSWERS: 1. masterpiece, 2. weigh, 3. suffer, 4. ancient, 5. grief, 6. discuss, 7. emotion, 8. occasionally, 9. occasionally, 10. reaction

11. domiciliary c\_\_es *n.* a large hole in the side of a hill, cliff, mountain, or under the ground
12. deep so\_\_\_w *n.* a feeling of deep sadness, grief, or regret, especially for something lost or ending
13. 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
14. cir\_\_\_\_\_nce of birth *n.* the specific conditions or events that surround a particular situation or occurrence
15. global b\_\_d market *n.* a close emotional connection between two or more people; a certificate of debt that a government or corporation issues to raise money
16. the ba\_\_\_\_\_e of power *n.* a condition in which everything has the same weight or force; something left after other parts have been taken away
17. a mas\_\_\_\_\_ce of design *n.* a work of art that is exceptionally good or highly skilled; a great achievement
18. pa\_\_\_\_\_se island *n.* a place or state of perfect happiness; a heaven on earth
19. Ar\_\_\_\_\_an romances *adj.* relating to king Arthur and the tales and legends associated with him
20. the ch\_\_\_\_\_ry of soil *n.* the branch of the natural sciences dealing with the composition of substances and their properties and reactions

ANSWERS: 11. cave, 12. sorrow, 13. tradition, 14. circumstance, 15. bond, 16. balance, 17. masterpiece, 18. paradise, 19. Arthurian, 20. chemistry

21. go through hea\_\_\_\_\_ak *n.* a feeling of great sadness or disappointment
22. su\_\_\_\_\_e a plane crash *v.* to live or exist despite a dangerous event or period
23. asset on the company's ba\_\_\_\_\_e sheet *n.* a condition in which everything has the same weight or force; something left after other parts have been taken away
24. a remote re\_\_\_\_\_ve *adj.* considered and evaluated through comparison with something else
25. ease her hea\_\_\_\_\_ak *n.* a feeling of great sadness or disappointment
26. change the ec\_\_\_\_\_em *n.* all the plants and living creatures in an area and the way they affect each other and the environment
27. b\_\_e duct *n.* a digestive fluid produced by the liver and stored in the gallbladder, which helps to break down fats in the small intestine; bitterness or spitefulness
28. temporary me\_\_\_\_\_l treatment *adj.* relating to the treatment of illness or injuries; relating to the practice of medicine
29. the tem\_\_\_\_\_nt of an engineer *n.* a person's nature or disposition, especially as it permanently affects their behavior
30. eloquently art\_\_\_\_\_te *v.* to express oneself clearly and effectively in spoken or written language
31. re\_\_\_\_\_te in the same frequency *v.* to be filled with a deep echoing sound
32. co\_\_\_\_\_al swimming pool *adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use

ANSWERS: 21. heartbreak, 22. survive, 23. balance, 24. relative, 25. heartbreak, 26. ecosystem, 27. bile, 28. medical, 29. temperament, 30. articulate, 31. resonate, 32. communal

33. as\_\_\_e an important role *v.* to think or accept something to be true without having proof of it; to take or begin to have power; to begin to exhibit a specific quality or appearance
34. el\_\_\_\_\_te contestants *v.* to remove or get rid of someone or something
35. field of con\_\_\_\_\_ary art *adj.* belonging to the same or present time
36. livid br\_\_\_e *n.* a mark caused by a blow, typically one that is purple or black on the skin
37. the Great Dep\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a mental condition in which a person feels very unhappy and without hope for the future; a severe recession in an economy or market
38. binational ac\_\_\_d *n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.; (verb) allow to have
39. re\_\_\_\_\_ve factors *adj.* considered and evaluated through comparison with something else
40. pa\_\_\_\_\_se for criminals *n.* a place or state of perfect happiness; a heaven on earth
41. ex\_\_\_\_\_al commerce *adj.* belonging to or situated outside of someone or something
42. a ch\_\_\_\_\_al compound *adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;
43. a lunar pr\_\_\_e *n.* a tool used for testing or examining, especially for medical or scientific purposes, or an exploratory mission to a planet or other celestial body; (verb) to investigate, examine, or search into something

ANSWERS: 33. assume, 34. eliminate, 35. contemporary, 36. bruise, 37. depression, 38. accord, 39. relative, 40. paradise, 41. external, 42. chemical, 43. probe

44. an int\_\_\_\_\_nce test      *n.* the ability to learn, comprehend, or make judgments or conclusions based on reasons
45. ex\_\_\_\_\_al factors      *adj.* belonging to or situated outside of someone or something
46. pr\_\_\_\_\_s improvement      *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
47. the root problem of her dep\_\_\_\_\_on      *n.* a mental condition in which a person feels very unhappy and without hope for the future; a severe recession in an economy or market
48. ine\_\_\_\_\_le result      *adj.* certain to happen and unavoidable
49. ta\_\_\_\_\_le assets      *adj.* real and concrete; able to be perceived, especially able to be touched; (of business assets) having physical substance and intrinsic monetary value
50. toxic ch\_\_\_\_\_als      *adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;
51. the mouth of the c\_\_\_e      *n.* a large hole in the side of a hill, cliff, mountain, or under the ground
52. b\_\_d as a family      *n.* a close emotional connection between two or more people; a certificate of debt that a government or corporation issues to raise money

ANSWERS: 44. intelligence, 45. external, 46. process, 47. depression, 48. inevitable, 49. tangible, 50. chemical, 51. cave, 52. bond

53. ine\_\_\_\_\_ble pain *adj.* not able to be expressed in words or language; too great or overwhelming to be adequately conveyed by any means of verbal or visual communication
54. th\_\_\_e on pressure *v.* to grow vigorously; to make steady progress
55. nostalgic mel\_\_\_\_\_ly *n.* a feeling of sadness, disappointment, or boredom, often accompanied by a lack of energy or motivation
56. eat a vegetarian d\_\_t *n.* the food and drink that a person, animal, or community eats and drinks regularly; a legislative assembly in certain countries, for example, Japan
57. co\_\_\_\_\_d for a championship *v.* to struggle to win or surmount something
58. control my em\_\_\_\_\_n *n.* a strong feeling such as love, anger, etc. deriving from one's situation, mood, or relationships with others
59. basic br\_\_n function *n.* the organ inside the head that is responsible for one's movement, thought, memory, and feeling
60. pre-Christian an\_\_\_\_\_t *adj.* relating to the long ago, particularly the historical period preceding the fall of the Western Roman Empire; very old
61. a blazing ar\_\_\_\_\_nt *n.* a set of statements or reasons used to support or refute a proposition or theory; a verbal or physical fight or dispute
62. as\_\_\_e a lousy attitude to his boss *v.* to think or accept something to be true without having proof of it; to take or begin to have power; to begin to exhibit a specific quality or appearance

ANSWERS: 53. inexpressible, 54. thrive, 55. melancholy, 56. diet, 57. contend, 58. emotion, 59. brain, 60. ancient, 61. argument, 62. assume

63. write him an answer imm\_\_\_\_\_ly      *adv.* now or without delay
64. art\_\_\_\_\_te his position      *v.* to express oneself clearly and effectively in spoken or written language
65. imm\_\_\_\_\_ly recall a product      *adv.* now or without delay
66. ro\_\_\_\_\_ic movies      *adj.* of or relating to love or a sexual relationship
67. con\_\_\_\_\_ary leaders      *adj.* belonging to the same or present time
68. earliest human an\_\_\_\_\_or      *n.* a person from whom one is descended; a forefather
69. en\_\_\_\_\_er shortage      *n.* a person whose job is designing, building, or maintaining something such as machines, structures, or software
70. deeply re\_\_\_\_\_te with the consumers      *v.* to be filled with a deep echoing sound
71. so\_\_\_\_\_w for sin      *n.* a feeling of deep sadness, grief, or regret, especially for something lost or ending
72. produce ta\_\_\_\_\_le results      *adj.* real and concrete; able to be perceived, especially able to be touched; (of business assets) having physical substance and intrinsic monetary value
73. ro\_\_\_\_\_ic breakup      *adj.* of or relating to love or a sexual relationship
74. wi\_\_\_\_\_wn product      *adj.* having retired oneself from society, company, or public life; extremely shy and quiet
75. es\_\_\_\_\_al amino acid      *adj.* indispensable; fundamental

ANSWERS: 63. immediately, 64. articulate, 65. immediately, 66. romantic, 67. contemporary, 68. ancestor, 69. engineer, 70. resonate, 71. sorrow, 72. tangible, 73. romantic, 74. withdrawn, 75. essential



86. the pr\_\_\_\_nd depths of the sea *adj.* extremely great; sensed or experienced very strongly; displaying a high level of knowledge or comprehension
87. in\_\_\_\_\_ce a child's future *n.* the ability to affect someone's or something's character, growth, or behavior, or the effect itself
88. feel mel\_\_\_\_\_ly *n.* a feeling of sadness, disappointment, or boredom, often accompanied by a lack of energy or motivation
89. earlier emotional br\_\_\_e *n.* a mark caused by a blow, typically one that is purple or black on the skin
90. une\_\_\_\_\_ed disappearance *adj.* not able to be explained or understood, lacking explanation or justification for something unknown or mysterious
91. el\_\_\_\_\_te sexual barriers *v.* to remove or get rid of someone or something
92. a lot of gr\_\_f *n.* a very great sadness, especially when somebody dies
93. ac\_\_\_d with public opinion *n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.; (verb) allow to have
94. cir\_\_\_\_\_nce of injury *n.* the specific conditions or events that surround a particular situation or occurrence
95. a ge\_\_\_\_\_c disorder *adj.* of or relating to genes (= parts of the DNA in cells) or the science of genes
96. di\_\_\_\_\_ee about a particular issue *v.* to have or express a different opinion, idea, etc.
97. une\_\_\_\_\_ed phenomenon *adj.* not able to be explained or understood, lacking explanation or justification for something unknown or mysterious

ANSWERS: 86. profound, 87. influence, 88. melancholy, 89. bruise, 90. unexplained, 91. eliminate, 92. grief, 93. accord, 94. circumstance, 95. genetic, 96. disagree, 97. unexplained

98. co\_\_\_\_al combination of funds *adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
99. em\_\_\_\_\_al health *adj.* relating to people's feelings
100. we\_\_h a cargo *v.* to have a particular weight; to carefully evaluate things before making a conclusion
101. v\_\_t majority *adj.* enormous in size, number, amount, or quantity
102. plenty of fl\_\_ds *n.* a substance that can flow and is not solid
103. absolutely op\_\_\_\_\_d to abortion *adj.* being completely different from something or disagreeing strongly with something
104. chemical re\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a response that reveals a person's feelings or attitude; (in chemistry) a process in which one or more substances are changed into others
105. the ar\_\_\_\_\_nt against capital punishment *n.* a set of statements or reasons used to support or refute a proposition or theory; a verbal or physical fight or dispute
106. animal an\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* the scientific study that deals with the physical structure of humans, animals, or plants
107. es\_\_\_\_\_al commodities of life *adj.* indispensable; fundamental
108. fl\_\_d assets *n.* a substance that can flow and is not solid
109. 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

ANSWERS: 98. communal, 99. emotional, 100. weigh, 101. vast, 102. fluid, 103. opposed, 104. reaction, 105. argument, 106. anatomy, 107. essential, 108. fluid, 109. govern

110. the at\_\_\_\_\_t to rescue the hostages     *n.* an act or effort of trying to do something, especially something difficult
111. a civil en\_\_\_\_\_er     *n.* a person whose job is designing, building, or maintaining something such as machines, structures, or software
112. the Ar\_\_\_\_\_an cycle     *adj.* relating to king Arthur and the tales and legends associated with him
113. ecology and evo\_\_\_\_\_ary biology     *adj.* relating to or denoting how living things develop or change from earlier forms
114. ant\_\_\_\_\_ogy of religion     *n.* the scientific study of humanity, concerned with human behavior, human biology, cultures, societies, and linguistics in both the present and past, including past human species
115. the evo\_\_\_\_\_ary process     *adj.* relating to or denoting how living things develop or change from earlier forms
116. a pr\_\_\_\_\_nd book     *adj.* extremely great; sensed or experienced very strongly; displaying a high level of knowledge or comprehension
117. re\_\_\_\_\_gn project     *v.* to design something again, especially in a different or modified form; (noun) the process of designing something again
118. pr\_\_e for inside information     *n.* a tool used for testing or examining, especially for medical or scientific purposes, or an exploratory mission to a planet or other celestial body; (verb) to investigate, examine, or search into something

ANSWERS: 110. attempt, 111. engineer, 112. Arthurian, 113. evolutionary, 114. anthropology, 115. evolutionary, 116. profound, 117. redesign, 118. probe

119. vitreous hu\_\_r *n.* the quality of being amusing or funny; the liquid parts of the body
120. di\_\_\_\_s solutions *v.* to talk about or examine in detail through conversation or debate; to exchange ideas, opinions, or information on a particular topic
121. in\_\_\_\_\_ce the daily life *n.* the ability to affect someone's or something's character, growth, or behavior, or the effect itself
122. have ge\_\_\_\_c testing *adj.* of or relating to genes (= parts of the DNA in cells) or the science of genes
123. 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
124. un\_\_\_\_\_al life *adj.* existing or affecting everywhere or everyone
125. pe\_\_h of a bird of prey *v.* to sit, stand, or rest on something, particularly a narrow or elevated surface; to position oneself confidently or dominantly; to place something in a high or elevated position; (noun) a branch or other elevated place where a bird can rest or roost
126. a p\_t bird *n.* an animal that you have at home as a companion and treated kindly
127. two op\_\_\_\_\_d characters *adj.* being completely different from something or disagreeing strongly with something

ANSWERS: 119. humor, 120. discuss, 121. influence, 122. genetic, 123. tradition, 124. universal, 125. perch, 126. pet, 127. opposed



140. re\_\_\_e a message *v.* to establish a connection or association between two or more things; to narrate or tell about an event, experience, or relationship; to empathize or feel sympathy with someone or something
141. cl\_\_\_\_al surgery *adj.* of or relating to the examination and treatment of patients rather than theoretical or laboratory studies
142. a me\_\_\_\_l opinion *adj.* relating to the treatment of illness or injuries; relating to the practice of medicine
143. a fountain of wi\_\_\_\_m *n.* the quality of being wise, or the ability to use your knowledge and experience to make sensible decisions
144. a teacher's p\_t *n.* an animal that you have at home as a companion and treated kindly
145. racial or\_\_\_\_n *n.* the first existence or beginning of something
146. a hysterical tem\_\_\_\_\_nt *n.* a person's nature or disposition, especially as it permanently affects their behavior
147. social ant\_\_\_\_\_ogy *n.* the scientific study of humanity, concerned with human behavior, human biology, cultures, societies, and linguistics in both the present and past, including past human species
148. become socially wi\_\_\_\_\_wn *adj.* having retired oneself from society, company, or public life; extremely shy and quiet

ANSWERS: 140. relate, 141. clinical, 142. medical, 143. wisdom, 144. pet, 145. origin, 146. temperament, 147. anthropology, 148. withdrawn

149. marine ec\_\_\_\_\_em *n.* all the plants and living creatures in an area and the way they affect each other and the environment
150. vi\_\_\_\_\_t incident *adj.* involving or caused by physical force or aggression against someone or something
151. di\_\_\_\_\_n friend from foe *v.* to see, perceive, or understand something that is not obvious
152. principles of un\_\_\_\_\_al design *adj.* existing or affecting everywhere or everyone
153. re\_\_\_\_\_gn of lifestyle *v.* to design something again, especially in a different or modified form; (noun) the process of designing something again
154. a court p\_\_t *n.* a person who writes poetry
155. top of the hi\_\_\_\_\_hy *n.* a system in which people or things are organized into different levels of importance from highest to lowest
156. pe\_\_h on a ledge *v.* to sit, stand, or rest on something, particularly a narrow or elevated surface; to position oneself confidently or dominantly; to place something in a high or elevated position; (noun) a branch or other elevated place where a bird can rest or roost
157. 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

ANSWERS: 149. ecosystem, 150. violent, 151. discern, 152. universal, 153. redesign, 154. poet, 155. hierarchy, 156. perch, 157. process

158. a p\_\_t of sorts *n.* a person who writes poetry
159. wi\_\_\_m literature *n.* the quality of being wise, or the ability to use your knowledge and experience to make sensible decisions
160. ine\_\_\_\_\_ble gratitude *adj.* not able to be expressed in words or language; too great or overwhelming to be adequately conveyed by any means of verbal or visual communication
161. a reckless at\_\_\_\_\_t *n.* an act or effort of trying to do something, especially something difficult
162. permanent br\_\_n damage *n.* the organ inside the head that is responsible for one's movement, thought, memory, and feeling

ANSWERS: 158. poet, 159. wisdom, 160. inexpressible, 161. attempt, 162. brain

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The company is planning to \_\_\_\_\_ its website.
  - v. to design something again, especially in a different or modified form; (noun) the process of designing something again
  
2. In terms of \_\_\_\_\_ he was head and shoulders above his classmates.
  - n. the ability to learn, comprehend, or make judgments or conclusions based on reasons
  
3. Without investment, a business cannot \_\_\_\_\_.
  - v. to grow vigorously; to make steady progress
  
4. Each person has a unique \_\_\_\_\_ experience.
  - n. a very great sadness, especially when somebody dies
  
5. 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
  
6. Understanding protein folding is a vital step in deciphering the \_\_\_\_\_ code.
  - adj. of or relating to genes (= parts of the DNA in cells) or the science of genes
  
7. Human conservation efforts often fail unexpectedly because they disturb the balance of the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - n. all the plants and living creatures in an area and the way they affect each other and the environment

ANSWERS: 1. redesign, 2. intelligence, 3. thrive, 4. grief, 5. governing, 6. genetic, 7. ecosystem

8. A \_\_\_\_\_ audience viewed the broadcast.

*adj.* enormous in size, number, amount, or quantity

9. She was able to \_\_\_\_\_ her argument in the debate clearly.

*v.* to express oneself clearly and effectively in spoken or written language

10. We can \_\_\_\_\_ this possibility from those assumptions.

*v.* to remove or get rid of someone or something

11. When a company discloses information to the market, an \_\_\_\_\_ auditor verifies them.

*adj.* belonging to or situated outside of someone or something

12. She received special \_\_\_\_\_ training at the hospital.

*adj.* of or relating to the examination and treatment of patients rather than theoretical or laboratory studies

13. 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

14. The beauty of the sunset was so stunning that it brought \_\_\_\_\_ joy to my heart.

*adj.* not able to be expressed in words or language; too great or overwhelming to be adequately conveyed by any means of verbal or visual communication

15. Parents need to help their children \_\_\_\_\_ right and wrong.

*v.* to see, perceive, or understand something that is not obvious

ANSWERS: 8. vast, 9. articulate, 10. eliminate, 11. external, 12. clinical, 13. process, 14. inexpressible, 15. discern

16. Human \_\_\_\_\_ responses vary widely depending on the society to which they belong.  
*adj.* relating to people's feelings
17. The protesters became \_\_\_\_\_ when the police tried to disperse them.  
*adj.* involving or caused by physical force or aggression against someone or something
18. The firm has grown into a large \_\_\_\_\_ manufacturing.  
*adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;
19. She explained the \_\_\_\_\_ surrounding the accident.  
*n.* the specific conditions or events that surround a particular situation or occurrence
20. The organization finally signed a peace \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.;  
(verb) allow to have
21. The death of her best friend filled her with \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a feeling of deep sadness, grief, or regret, especially for something lost or ending
22. The doctor identified excess \_\_\_\_\_ in the patient's bloodstream, indicating a possible liver or gallbladder issue.  
*n.* a digestive fluid produced by the liver and stored in the gallbladder, which helps to break down fats in the small intestine; bitterness or spitefulness
23. The \_\_\_\_\_ legends of King Arthur and the knights of the Round Table are popular literary motifs.  
*adj.* relating to king Arthur and the tales and legends associated with him

ANSWERS: 16. emotional, 17. violent, 18. chemical, 19. circumstances, 20. accord, 21. sorrow, 22. bile, 23. Arthurian

24. My wife seems to be in ill \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* the quality of being amusing or funny; the liquid parts of the body

25. Try to keep a \_\_\_\_\_ between work and off.

*n.* a condition in which everything has the same weight or force; something left after other parts have been taken away

26. Bats reside in sheltered \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a large hole in the side of a hill, cliff, mountain, or under the ground

27. A balanced \_\_\_\_\_ is more important for health than supplements.

*n.* the food and drink that a person, animal, or community eats and drinks regularly; a legislative assembly in certain countries, for example, Japan

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

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

29. The former emperor had a particular \_\_\_\_\_ even after he abdicated.

*n.* the ability to affect someone's or something's character, growth, or behavior, or the effect itself

30. The Mona Lisa is widely considered to be a \_\_\_\_\_ of art.

*n.* a work of art that is exceptionally good or highly skilled; a great achievement

31. There was a chemical \_\_\_\_\_ of the lime with the groundwater.

*n.* a response that reveals a person's feelings or attitude; (in chemistry) a process in which one or more substances are changed into others

32. Trial and error is an \_\_\_\_\_ part of education.

*adj.* indispensable; fundamental

ANSWERS: 24. humor, 25. balance, 26. caves, 27. diet, 28. ancestor, 29. influence, 30. masterpiece, 31. reaction, 32. essential

33. They had experienced the \_\_\_\_\_ of losing two children due to premature births.

*n.* a feeling of great sadness or disappointment

34. A suspension order from the court is effective \_\_\_\_\_.

*adv.* now or without delay

35. 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

36. The \_\_\_\_\_ will repair my telephone tomorrow morning.

*n.* a person whose job is designing, building, or maintaining something such as machines, structures, or software

37. She has taken a step up in the organizational \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a system in which people or things are organized into different levels of importance from highest to lowest

38. She is a talented \_\_\_\_\_ who has been recognized for her work.

*n.* a person who writes poetry

39. The community greatly respected and sought after the older adult's \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* the quality of being wise, or the ability to use your knowledge and experience to make sensible decisions

40. There are various hypotheses concerning the \_\_\_\_\_ of life.

*n.* the first existence or beginning of something

ANSWERS: 33. heartbreak, 34. immediately, 35. suffers, 36. engineer, 37. hierarchy, 38. poet, 39. wisdom, 40. origin

41. My mother's illness had a \_\_\_\_\_ impact on us all.

*adj.* extremely great; sensed or experienced very strongly; displaying a high level of knowledge or comprehension

42. He is familiar with \_\_\_\_\_ and biology.

*n.* the branch of the natural sciences dealing with the composition of substances and their properties and reactions

43. The sound \_\_\_\_\_ well in this theater.

*v.* to be filled with a deep echoing sound

44. These birds can only \_\_\_\_\_ in temperate climates.

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

45. The professor explained the \_\_\_\_\_ of the nervous system.

*n.* the scientific study that deals with the physical structure of humans, animals, or plants

46. X-rays revealed a small tumor in his \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* the organ inside the head that is responsible for one's movement, thought, memory, and feeling

47. They had formed a friendship \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a close emotional connection between two or more people; a certificate of debt that a government or corporation issues to raise money

48. We need to \_\_\_\_\_ the next steps for the project during our meeting tomorrow.

*v.* to talk about or examine in detail through conversation or debate; to exchange ideas, opinions, or information on a particular topic

ANSWERS: 41. profound, 42. chemistry, 43. resonates, 44. survive, 45. anatomy, 46. brain, 47. bond, 48. discuss

49. In times of recession, an increase in unemployment is \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* certain to happen and unavoidable
50. They have been living near water since \_\_\_\_\_ times.  
*adj.* relating to the long ago, particularly the historical period preceding the fall of the Western Roman Empire; very old
51. The \_\_\_\_\_ between the two sides over the proposed policy was heated.  
*n.* a set of statements or reasons used to support or refute a proposition or theory; a verbal or physical fight or dispute
52. Most countries prohibit sexual activity between certain close \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* considered and evaluated through comparison with something else
53. The bird \_\_\_\_\_ on the branch, watching the world below.  
*v.* to sit, stand, or rest on something, particularly a narrow or elevated surface; to position oneself confidently or dominantly; to place something in a high or elevated position; (noun) a branch or other elevated place where a bird can rest or roost
54. The picture earned near-\_\_\_\_\_ acclaim from critics.  
*adj.* existing or affecting everywhere or everyone
55. She was diagnosed with a \_\_\_\_\_ buildup in her lungs.  
*n.* a substance that can flow and is not solid
56. The baby \_\_\_\_\_ 1 pound 3 oz.  
*v.* to have a particular weight; to carefully evaluate things before making a conclusion

ANSWERS: 49. inevitable, 50. ancient, 51. argument, 52. relatives, 53. perched, 54. universal, 55. fluid, 56. weighs

57. His \_\_\_\_\_ mood was apparent to everyone who knew him.  
*n.* a feeling of sadness, disappointment, or boredom, often accompanied by a lack of energy or motivation
58. He tried to \_\_\_\_\_ his experience to the group, but they couldn't understand.  
*v.* to establish a connection or association between two or more things; to narrate or tell about an event, experience, or relationship; to empathize or feel sympathy with someone or something
59. The \_\_\_\_\_ team worked quickly to save the patient's life.  
*adj.* relating to the treatment of illness or injuries; relating to the practice of medicine
60. The third \_\_\_\_\_ was far more successful.  
*n.* an act or effort of trying to do something, especially something difficult
61. \_\_\_\_\_ algorithms can find ways to optimize that humans do not anticipate.  
*adj.* relating to or denoting how living things develop or change from earlier forms
62. \_\_\_\_\_ elections were held in several European countries.  
*adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
63. Some \_\_\_\_\_ are common across cultures and backgrounds.  
*n.* a strong feeling such as love, anger, etc. deriving from one's situation, mood, or relationships with others
64. There was an \_\_\_\_\_ noise coming from the attic that frightened us all.  
*adj.* not able to be explained or understood, lacking explanation or justification for something unknown or mysterious

ANSWERS: 57. melancholy, 58. relate, 59. medical, 60. attempt, 61. Evolutionary, 62. Communal, 63. emotions, 64. unexplained

65. \_\_\_\_\_ symptoms might include a decrease in appetite and weight loss.  
*n.* a mental condition in which a person feels very unhappy and without hope for the future; a severe recession in an economy or market
66. She has a calm \_\_\_\_\_ and never gets overly upset or angry.  
*n.* a person's nature or disposition, especially as it permanently affects their behavior
67. The following example \_\_\_\_\_ that the capacity of each battery is the same.  
*v.* to think or accept something to be true without having proof of it; to take or begin to have power; to begin to exhibit a specific quality or appearance
68. NASA sent a \_\_\_\_\_ to study the atmosphere of Jupiter.  
*n.* a tool used for testing or examining, especially for medical or scientific purposes, or an exploratory mission to a planet or other celestial body; (verb) to investigate, examine, or search into something
69. I \_\_\_\_\_ for reasons already stated above.  
*v.* to have or express a different opinion, idea, etc.
70. Tobacco companies have long \_\_\_\_\_ that their product is not addictive.  
*v.* to struggle to win or surmount something
71. The areas of \_\_\_\_\_ and psychology are significantly related to one another.  
*n.* the scientific study of humanity, concerned with human behavior, human biology, cultures, societies, and linguistics in both the present and past, including past human species
72. She was \_\_\_\_\_ and didn't want to talk to anyone after the breakup.  
*adj.* having retired oneself from society, company, or public life; extremely shy and quiet

ANSWERS: 65. Depression, 66. temperament, 67. assumes, 68. probe, 69. disagree, 70. contended, 71. anthropology, 72. withdrawn

73. I have a parrot as a \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* an animal that you have at home as a companion and treated kindly

74. She still \_\_\_\_\_ writes a short romance novel.

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

75. She had a \_\_\_\_\_ on her arm from where she fell on the playground.

*n.* a mark caused by a blow, typically one that is purple or black on the skin

76. 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

77. It was his first \_\_\_\_\_ love.

*adj.* of or relating to love or a sexual relationship

78. Hawaii is often referred to as an everlasting summer \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a place or state of perfect happiness; a heaven on earth

79. I'm strongly \_\_\_\_\_ to that plan.

*adj.* being completely different from something or disagreeing strongly with something

80. \_\_\_\_\_ music has gained different followers from existing music.

*adj.* belonging to the same or present time

81. A problem that has been pointed out for years finally becomes \_\_\_\_\_.

*adj.* real and concrete; able to be perceived, especially able to be touched; (of business assets) having physical substance and intrinsic monetary value

ANSWERS: 73. pet, 74. occasionally, 75. bruise, 76. tradition, 77. romantic, 78. paradise, 79. opposed, 80. Contemporary, 81. tangible

ANSWERS: