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### Advanced Words Only

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## Session 1: Word List

### opportune

*adj.* suitable or happening at a time that is suitable or convenient for a particular purpose

*synonym* : suitable, timely, practical

(1) **opportune** occasion, (2) an **opportune** remark

The phone rang at the most **opportune** time.

### overhear

*v.* to hear what other people are saying without intending to and their knowledge

*synonym* : catch, eavesdrop

(1) happen to **overhear** a conversation, (2) accidentally **overheard** their talk

She was inside at the time and **overheard** the conversation.

### infect

*v.* to affect a person, an animal, or a plant with a disease-causing organism

*synonym* : pollute, contaminate, affect

(1) **infect** other animal species, (2) **infect** a computer with a virus

Children often **infect** parents with this head cold.

### reassure

*v.* to cause someone to feel sure; to give or restore confidence

*synonym* : comfort, soothe, bolster

(1) **reassure** anxious patients, (2) **reassure** market

The pilot tried to **reassure** the customers that the planes were safe.

## cyberattack

*n.* an attempt to damage, disrupt, or gain unauthorized access to a computer system or network

*synonym*: cyber intrusion, hack, cyberterrorism

(1) **cyberattack** prevention, (2) **cyberattack** defense system

The hackers launched a devastating **cyberattack**, stealing sensitive information from the company's servers.

## pacemaker

*n.* a small electronic device that is implanted in the chest to regulate the heartbeat of people with certain heart conditions; a person or thing that sets the pace or rhythm for others

*synonym*: heartbeat regulator, pacer, pacesetter

(1) implanted **pacemaker**, (2) **pacemaker** battery

Some people with **pacemakers** may need to avoid certain activities or sources of electromagnetic interference.

## aorta

*n.* the main and largest artery (= thick tube that carries blood from the heart to the body) in the human body originating from the heart

(1) abdominal **aorta**, (2) repair of an **aorta**

The patient will undergo bypass surgery of the **aorta** today.

## defibrillator

*n.* a medical device that delivers an electric shock to the heart to restore normal rhythm in cases of cardiac arrest or other serious heart conditions

*synonym*: shock box, resuscitator, AED

(1) portable **defibrillator**, (2) implantable **defibrillator**

Every gym should have an automated external **defibrillator** (AED) in case of cardiac emergencies.

## reprogram

*v.* to modify or recreate a program

*synonym*: recreate, modify, revamp

(1) **reprogram** a device, (2) **reprogram** a database

He **reprogrammed** the computer's operating system to remove the safeguard.

## disrupt

*v.* to prevent or stop something, especially an event, activity, or process, from continuing in the usual way by causing a problem or disturbance

*synonym*: interrupt, disturb, break into

(1) **disrupt** a well-ordered condition, (2) **disrupt** sleep  
I'm so sorry to **disrupt** you when you're pretty busy.

## trustworthy

*adj.* reliable and dependable

*synonym*: reliable, dependable, honest

(1) **trustworthy** ally, (2) **trustworthy** source

People tend to believe **trustworthy** friends with their secrets.

## Bluetooth

*n.* a short-range wireless communication technology that allows electronic devices to connect and exchange data wirelessly over short distances, commonly used for connecting devices such as smartphones, headphones, and speakers

(1) **Bluetooth** connection, (2) **Bluetooth-enabled** device

I need a **Bluetooth** headset for my conference calls.

## short-range

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

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

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

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

## long-range

*adj.* relating to or extending over a long distance, period of time, or range of possibilities

*synonym*: far-reaching, extended, distant

(1) **long-range** radar, (2) **long-range** weather forecast

The military uses **long-range** missiles to hit targets from far away.

## decode

*v.* to convert something, such as a message or piece of information, from a specific form into one that you can understand

*synonym*: decipher, translate, interpret

(1) **decode** a message, (2) ability to **decode** the differences

The software could **decode** the encrypted data and reveal the hidden information.

## malware

*n.* a type of software designed to damage, disrupt, or gain unauthorized access to a computer system or network

*synonym*: virus, malicious software, spyware

(1) **malware** attack, (2) prevent **malware**

My computer was infected with **malware**, and it caused many problems.

## astonishing

*adj.* surprising or shocking; difficult to believe

*synonym*: surprising, shocking, astounding

(1) **astonishing** achievement, (2) make **astonishing** gains

The news of her sudden death was **astonishing** to everyone who knew her.

## confer

*v.* to have a meeting or discussion to come to a decision or agreement or exchange ideas; to bestow something

*synonym*: consult, meet, discuss

(1) **confer** degree, (2) **confer** honor

The leaders of the two countries met to **confer** on the issue.

## gasp

*v.* to inhale sharply and audibly, often in response to strong emotion or sensation; to catch one's breath suddenly, often due to shock or surprise

*synonym*: breathe, pant, heave

(1) **gasp** for air, (2) **gasp** in shock

The audience **gasp**ed when the magician made the rabbit disappear from the hat.

## videotape

*n.* a type of magnetic tape used for recording and storing video images and sound; a recording made on such

## tape

*synonym* : videocassette, tape, recording

(1) **videotape** evidence, (2) rewind **videotape**

We watched a **videotape** of our family vacation from years ago.

## smartphone

*n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet

(1) **smartphone** app developer, (2) **smartphone** addict

Internet traffic volumes have increased significantly with the advent of **smartphones**.

## stabilize

*v.* to become or cause to become steady or unlikely to give way

*synonym* : brace, steady, secure

(1) **stabilize** prices, (2) **stabilize** blood sugar levels

The raising of interest rates **stabilizes** the inflation rate.

## reconstruct

*v.* to build or form something again that has been damaged or destroyed

*synonym* : rebuild, revamp, reorganize

(1) **reconstruct** an image, (2) **reconstruct** the original text

They've decided to **reconstruct** a ruined castle.

## artifact

*n.* a person-made object, especially one of historical or cultural interest

*synonym* : antique, relic, heirloom

(1) paleolithic **artifacts**, (2) Peruvian **artifacts**

The museum has a vast collection of Greek **artifacts**.

## encrypt

*v.* to convert information or data into a code, thereby making it unreadable without a key or password; to conceal or obscure information in a way that makes it inaccessible to unauthorized persons

*synonym* : encode, cipher, scramble

(1) **encrypt** data, (2) **encrypt** message

To protect their sensitive information, many businesses **encrypt** their files.

## wiretap

*v.* to secretly listen to a people's conversation or get their information by connecting a listening device to their phone line

*synonym*: tap, bug, intercept

(1) receiver to **wiretap** transmission data, (2) **wiretap** private communications

It later appeared that the police had **wiretapped** the suspect's conversations.

## keystroke

*n.* a single press or strike of a key on a computer keyboard or other electronic device

*synonym*: keypress, type

(1) accidental **keystroke**, (2) random **keystroke**

I accidentally hit the wrong **keystroke** and lost all of my unsaved work.

## accelerometer

*n.* a device that measures acceleration or changes in motion, typically used in aerospace, automotive, and other engineering applications to monitor and control movement or to measure things like speed or vibration

*synonym*: sensor, g-sensor, gravimeter

(1) **accelerometer** reading, (2) high-precision **accelerometer**

The phone's **accelerometer** measures its movement and orientation in three-dimensional space.

## determinant

*n.* a factor, circumstance, or condition that contributes to the shaping, influencing, or determining of a particular outcome or result

*synonym*: cause, factor, element

(1) environmental **determinant**, (2) a **determinant** of crop yields

One **determinant** of success is having a positive attitude and a strong work ethic.

## **perturbation**

*n.* a state of anxiety, confusion, or disturbance; a deviation or disruption from the normal or expected state

*synonym*: disruption, disturbance, turmoil

(1) seismic **perturbation**, (2) emotional **perturbation**

The unexpected financial crisis caused a **perturbation** in the stock market, leading to widespread panic among investors.

## **improvisation**

*n.* the act of making something up on the spot or creating or performing something without preparation

*synonym*: spontaneity, ad-lib, extemporization

(1) **improvisation** on stage, (2) jazz **improvisation**

He created a beautiful piece of music using only **improvisation**.

## **android**

*n.* a robot with a human appearance; (operating system) Google's mobile operating system

*synonym*: droid, cyborg

(1) household **android**, (2) **Android** tablet

The lab is developing an **android** robot that assists in dangerous construction work.

## **sequoia**

*n.* a huge evergreen tree that is native to California and has a straight trunk and a narrow, conical crown, which is a type of redwood

*synonym*: redwood

(1) a giant **sequoia**, (2) **Sequoia** National Park

The **sequoia** tree is known for its massive size and long lifespan.

## **hallway**

*n.* an interior passage or corridor onto which rooms open

*synonym*: foyer, corridor, entrance

(1) the head of a **hallway**, (2) wax a **hallway** floor

He dashed down a **hallway** to a bathroom.

## **gadget**

*n.* a small tool or device that is useful for a particular job

*synonym*: appliance, gimmick, device

(1) a handy **gadget**, (2) time-saving **gadget**

I found the kitchen **gadget** that will serve as a bottle opener in the store.



## Session 2: Spelling

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|---------------------------------------|---|
| 1. st_____ze prices                   | <i>v.</i> to become or cause to become steady or unlikely to give way   |
| 2. prevent ma_____e                   | <i>n.</i> a type of software designed to damage, disrupt, or gain unauthorized access to a computer system or network   |
| 3. sho_____ge communication           | <i>adj.</i> limited in extent, scope, or distance; designed or intended to operate or be effective only over a short distance or period of time   |
| 4. tru_____hy ally                    | <i>adj.</i> reliable and dependable   |
| 5. accidentally ov_____ard their talk | <i>v.</i> to hear what other people are saying without intending to and their knowledge   |
| 6. time-saving ga____t                | <i>n.</i> a small tool or device that is useful for a particular job  |
| 7. re_____am a database               | <i>v.</i> to modify or recreate a program   |
| 8. Bl_____th connection               | <i>n.</i> a short-range wireless communication technology that allows electronic devices to connect and exchange data wirelessly over short distances, commonly used for connecting devices such as smartphones, headphones, and speakers |
| 9. household an_____d                 | <i>n.</i> a robot with a human appearance; (operating system) Google's mobile operating system  |

ANSWERS: 1. stabilize, 2. malware, 3. short-range, 4. trustworthy, 5. overhear, 6. gadget, 7. reprogram, 8. Bluetooth, 9. android

10. sma\_\_\_\_\_ne addict *n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet
11. a handy ga\_\_\_\_t *n.* a small tool or device that is useful for a particular job
12. Bl\_\_\_\_\_th-enabled device *n.* a short-range wireless communication technology that allows electronic devices to connect and exchange data wirelessly over short distances, commonly used for connecting devices such as smartphones, headphones, and speakers
13. the head of a ha\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* an interior passage or corridor onto which rooms open
14. paleolithic ar\_\_\_\_\_cts *n.* a person-made object, especially one of historical or cultural interest
15. vi\_\_\_\_\_pe evidence *n.* a type of magnetic tape used for recording and storing video images and sound; a recording made on such tape
16. make ast\_\_\_\_\_ng gains *adj.* surprising or shocking; difficult to believe
17. di\_\_\_\_\_t sleep *v.* to prevent or stop something, especially an event, activity, or process, from continuing in the usual way by causing a problem or disturbance
18. lon\_\_\_\_\_ge weather forecast *adj.* relating to or extending over a long distance, period of time, or range of possibilities
19. implantable def\_\_\_\_\_tor *n.* a medical device that delivers an electric shock to the heart to restore normal rhythm in cases of cardiac arrest or other serious heart conditions

ANSWERS: 10. smartphone, 11. gadget, 12. Bluetooth, 13. hallway, 14. artifact, 15. videotape, 16. astonishing, 17. disrupt, 18. long-range, 19. defibrillator

20. sho\_\_\_\_\_ge plan *adj.* limited in extent, scope, or distance; designed or intended to operate or be effective only over a short distance or period of time
21. de\_\_\_e a message *v.* to convert something, such as a message or piece of information, from a specific form into one that you can understand
22. co\_\_\_r honor *v.* to have a meeting or discussion to come to a decision or agreement or exchange ideas; to bestow something
23. rec\_\_\_\_\_ct an image *v.* to build or form something again that has been damaged or destroyed
24. cyb\_\_\_\_\_ck prevention *n.* an attempt to damage, disrupt, or gain unauthorized access to a computer system or network
25. portable def\_\_\_\_\_tor *n.* a medical device that delivers an electric shock to the heart to restore normal rhythm in cases of cardiac arrest or other serious heart conditions
26. op\_\_\_\_\_ne occasion *adj.* suitable or happening at a time that is suitable or convenient for a particular purpose
27. emotional per\_\_\_\_\_ion *n.* a state of anxiety, confusion, or disturbance; a deviation or disruption from the normal or expected state
28. random ke\_\_\_\_\_ke *n.* a single press or strike of a key on a computer keyboard or other electronic device

ANSWERS: 20. short-range, 21. decode, 22. confer, 23. reconstruct, 24. cyberattack, 25. defibrillator, 26. opportune, 27. perturbation, 28. keystroke

29. re\_\_\_\_\_re anxious patients      *v.* to cause someone to feel sure; to give or restore confidence
30. acc\_\_\_\_\_ter reading      *n.* a device that measures acceleration or changes in motion, typically used in aerospace, automotive, and other engineering applications to monitor and control movement or to measure things like speed or vibration
31. rec\_\_\_\_\_ct the original text      *v.* to build or form something again that has been damaged or destroyed
32. g\_\_p in shock      *v.* to inhale sharply and audibly, often in response to strong emotion or sensation; to catch one's breath suddenly, often due to shock or surprise
33. ability to de\_\_\_e the differences      *v.* to convert something, such as a message or piece of information, from a specific form into one that you can understand
34. a giant se\_\_\_\_\_a      *n.* a huge evergreen tree that is native to California and has a straight trunk and a narrow, conical crown, which is a type of redwood
35. sma\_\_\_\_\_ne app developer      *n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet
36. tru\_\_\_\_\_hy source      *adj.* reliable and dependable
37. seismic per\_\_\_\_\_ion      *n.* a state of anxiety, confusion, or disturbance; a deviation or disruption from the normal or expected state
38. implanted pa\_\_\_\_\_er      *n.* a small electronic device that is implanted in the chest to regulate the heartbeat of people with certain heart conditions; a person or thing that sets the pace or rhythm for others

ANSWERS: 29. reassure, 30. accelerometer, 31. reconstruct, 32. gasp, 33. decode, 34. sequoia, 35. smartphone, 36. trustworthy, 37. perturbation, 38. pacemaker

39. in\_\_\_t other animal species      *v.* to affect a person, an animal, or a plant with a disease-causing organism
40. high-precision acc\_\_\_\_\_ter      *n.* a device that measures acceleration or changes in motion, typically used in aerospace, automotive, and other engineering applications to monitor and control movement or to measure things like speed or vibration
41. pa\_\_\_\_\_er battery      *n.* a small electronic device that is implanted in the chest to regulate the heartbeat of people with certain heart conditions; a person or thing that sets the pace or rhythm for others
42. an op\_\_\_\_\_ne remark      *adj.* suitable or happening at a time that is suitable or convenient for a particular purpose
43. accidental ke\_\_\_\_\_ke      *n.* a single press or strike of a key on a computer keyboard or other electronic device
44. lon\_\_\_\_\_ge radar      *adj.* relating to or extending over a long distance, period of time, or range of possibilities
45. re\_\_\_\_\_re market      *v.* to cause someone to feel sure; to give or restore confidence
46. st\_\_\_\_\_ze blood sugar levels      *v.* to become or cause to become steady or unlikely to give way
47. en\_\_\_\_\_t message      *v.* to convert information or data into a code, thereby making it unreadable without a key or password; to conceal or obscure information in a way that makes it inaccessible to unauthorized persons

ANSWERS: 39. infect, 40. accelerometer, 41. pacemaker, 42. opportune, 43. keystroke, 44. long-range, 45. reassure, 46. stabilize, 47. encrypt

48. environmental det\_\_\_\_\_nt *n.* a factor, circumstance, or condition that contributes to the shaping, influencing, or determining of a particular outcome or result
49. Se\_\_\_\_\_a National Park *n.* a huge evergreen tree that is native to California and has a straight trunk and a narrow, conical crown, which is a type of redwood
50. happen to ov\_\_\_\_\_ar a conversation *v.* to hear what other people are saying without intending to and their knowledge
51. cyb\_\_\_\_\_ck defense system *n.* an attempt to damage, disrupt, or gain unauthorized access to a computer system or network
52. g\_\_p for air *v.* to inhale sharply and audibly, often in response to strong emotion or sensation; to catch one's breath suddenly, often due to shock or surprise
53. jazz imp\_\_\_\_\_ion *n.* the act of making something up on the spot or creating or performing something without preparation
54. rewind vi\_\_\_\_\_pe *n.* a type of magnetic tape used for recording and storing video images and sound; a recording made on such tape
55. repair of an ao\_\_a *n.* the main and largest artery (= thick tube that carries blood from the heart to the body) in the human body originating from the heart
56. wax a ha\_\_\_\_\_y floor *n.* an interior passage or corridor onto which rooms open

ANSWERS: 48. determinant, 49. sequoia, 50. overhear, 51. cyberattack, 52. gasp, 53. improvisation, 54. videotape, 55. aorta, 56. hallway

57. in\_\_\_t a computer with a virus      *v.* to affect a person, an animal, or a plant with a disease-causing organism
58. ast\_\_\_\_\_ng achievement      *adj.* surprising or shocking; difficult to believe
59. imp\_\_\_\_\_ion on stage      *n.* the act of making something up on the spot or creating or performing something without preparation
60. receiver to wi\_\_\_\_\_p transmission data      *v.* to secretly listen to a people's conversation or get their information by connecting a listening device to their phone line
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64. ma\_\_\_\_\_e attack      *n.* a type of software designed to damage, disrupt, or gain unauthorized access to a computer system or network
65. abdominal ao\_\_a      *n.* the main and largest artery (= thick tube that carries blood from the heart to the body) in the human body originating from the heart

ANSWERS: 57. infect, 58. astonishing, 59. improvisation, 60. wiretap, 61. artifact, 62. determinant, 63. encrypt, 64. malware, 65. aorta

66. di\_\_\_\_t a well-ordered condition      *v.* to prevent or stop something, especially an event, activity, or process, from continuing in the usual way by causing a problem or disturbance
67. co\_\_\_\_r degree      *v.* to have a meeting or discussion to come to a decision or agreement or exchange ideas; to bestow something
68. wi\_\_\_\_p private communications      *v.* to secretly listen to a people's conversation or get their information by connecting a listening device to their phone line
69. An\_\_\_\_d tablet      *n.* a robot with a human appearance; (operating system) Google's mobile operating system
70. re\_\_\_\_am a device      *v.* to modify or recreate a program

ANSWERS: 66. disrupt, 67. confer, 68. wiretap, 69. android, 70. reprogram



## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. Children often \_\_\_\_\_ parents with this head cold.  
*v.* to affect a person, an animal, or a plant with a disease-causing organism
2. Internet traffic volumes have increased significantly with the advent of \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet
3. She was inside at the time and \_\_\_\_\_ the conversation.  
*v.* to hear what other people are saying without intending to and their knowledge
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ tree is known for its massive size and long lifespan.  
*n.* a huge evergreen tree that is native to California and has a straight trunk and a narrow, conical crown, which is a type of redwood
5. The leaders of the two countries met to \_\_\_\_\_ on the issue.  
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*v.* to become or cause to become steady or unlikely to give way
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*n.* a small tool or device that is useful for a particular job

ANSWERS: 1. infect, 2. smartphones, 3. overheard, 4. sequoia, 5. confer, 6. stabilizes, 7. reassure, 8. gadget

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*n.* a type of magnetic tape used for recording and storing video images and sound; a recording made on such tape

15. The patient will undergo bypass surgery of the \_\_\_\_\_ today.

*n.* the main and largest artery (= thick tube that carries blood from the heart to the body) in the human body originating from the heart

ANSWERS: 9. opportune, 10. gasped, 11. perturbation, 12. artifacts, 13. pacemakers, 14. videotape, 15. aorta

16. He created a beautiful piece of music using only \_\_\_\_\_.
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ANSWERS: 16. improvisation, 17. android, 18. trustworthy, 19. malware, 20. Bluetooth, 21. astonishing, 22. determinant, 23. disrupt

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26. He \_\_\_\_\_ the computer's operating system to remove the safeguard.
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- v.* to build or form something again that has been damaged or destroyed
29. The missile system was designed for \_\_\_\_\_ attacks on enemy territory.
- adj.* limited in extent, scope, or distance; designed or intended to operate or be effective only over a short distance or period of time
30. The hackers launched a devastating \_\_\_\_\_ stealing sensitive information from the company's servers.
- n.* an attempt to damage, disrupt, or gain unauthorized access to a computer system or network
31. The military uses \_\_\_\_\_ missiles to hit targets from far away.
- adj.* relating to or extending over a long distance, period of time, or range of possibilities

ANSWERS: 24. decode, 25. keystroke, 26. reprogrammed, 27. wiretapped, 28. reconstruct, 29. short-range, 30. cyberattack, 31. long-range

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ANSWERS: 32. encrypt, 33. defibrillator, 34. accelerometer, 35. hallway