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Session 1: Word List

intern

- v.* to put someone in prison, especially for political or military reasons; (noun) a student or trainee who works, sometimes for free, to get work experience or to fulfill qualification criteria

synonym : apprentice, trainee, student

- (1) **intern** civilians, (2) medical **intern**

The navy **interned** ships of defeated nations.

migrant

- n.* a traveler who moves from one region or country to another, especially to find work or better living conditions; a bird or an animal that moves from one place to another

synonym : immigrant, itinerant, transient

- (1) **migrant** worker, (2) the movement of **migrant** birds

The government revoked his license to employ **migrant** labor crews.

deport

- v.* to force someone to leave a country, typically on the grounds of illegal status or for having committed a crime

synonym : expel, banish, repatriate

- (1) **deport** a refugee, (2) **deport** dissidents from the party

The government has decided to **deport** illegal immigrants back to their home countries.

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.

detain

v. to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving

synonym: hold, keep, detainment

(1) **detain** a terrorist, (2) **detain** for investigation

The police **detained** the suspect for questioning.

purport

v. to claim or suggest that something is true or has a particular character or quality; (noun) the intended meaning of a communication

synonym: claim, allege, assert

(1) **purport** to answer the question, (2) the main **purport** of his speech

The document **purports** to have been signed by the president, but the signature is a forgery.

dread

v. to be very afraid of or worried about something that is going to happen or that might happen

synonym: fear, cringe, apprehend

(1) **dread** failure, (2) **dread** getting old

We all **dread** to think about what will happen if the company goes bankrupt.

banish

v. to expel or send away from a place or situation, especially permanently

synonym: exile, deport, expel

(1) **banish** doubt, (2) **banish** my wrinkles

The queen **banished** the traitor from the kingdom, never to be seen again.

afflict

v. to cause pain, suffering, or distress to someone or something

synonym : trouble, distress, bother

(1) **afflict** with the plague, (2) **afflict** the economy

The disease can **afflict** both humans and animals.

exile

n. the state of being forced to leave one's country or home, typically for political or punitive reasons

synonym : banishment, expulsion, deportation

(1) **exile** community, (2) political **exile**

The **exiled** king lived in poverty in a foreign country for many years.

leprosy

n. a chronic infectious disease that affects the skin, nerves, and mucous membranes and is caused by the bacterium *Mycobacterium leprae*, characterized by disfiguring skin lesions, nerve damage, and the loss of sensation in affected areas

synonym : Hansen's disease

(1) **leprosy** treatment, (2) the spread of **leprosy**

The World Health Organization is working to eradicate **leprosy** from all parts of the world.

superstition

n. a belief or practice that is not based on science or reason and that is often connected with a religion

synonym : belief, folklore, myth

(1) **superstition** in religion, (2) believe in **superstition**

There is a surviving **superstition** that black cats are a symbol of bad luck.

inject

v. to put a liquid such as a drug or other substance into a person's or an animal's body using a needle and syringe (= small tube)

synonym : shoot, infiltrate, insinuate

(1) **inject** under the skin, (2) **inject** a personal opinion into a debate

Let's try to **inject** a bit of enthusiasm into your performance.

transgender

adj. relating to or denoting a person whose gender identity does not correspond to that person's biological sex assigned at birth

synonym : non-binary

(1) **transgender** person, (2) **transgender** rights

Many **transgender** individuals face discrimination and marginalization in society.

counterbalance

v. to offset or balance the effect of something by applying an equal or opposite force or effect; to provide a counteracting or balancing influence for something;
(*noun*) a weight or force that is used to balance or offset another weight or force

synonym : offset, counteract, neutralize

(1) **counterbalance** the seriousness of the topic,

(2) **counterbalance** the effects

The heavyweights on one end of the scale **counterbalanced** the lighter weights on the other end.

misinformation

n. information that is false or inaccurate, or the act of giving wrong information, especially deliberately

synonym : falsity, misreport, misstatement

(1) **misinformation** about a vaccine, (2) combat

misinformation on social media

The government called for caution against pseudoscientific **misinformation** about vaccines.

pun

n. a humorous play on words or use of words that sound similar but have different meanings, often for a comedic effect; a form of wordplay

synonym : joke, quip, wordplay

(1) witty **pun**, (2) silly **pun**

The comedian's **pun** had the audience laughing out loud.

convict

v. to prove or declare someone to be guilty of a crime;
(*noun*) a person serving a sentence in a jail or prison

synonym : condemn, sentence, judge

(1) **convict** him of manslaughter, (2) **convict** in a jail
He was **convicted** on fraud charges and sentenced to five years in prison.

felon

n. a person convicted of a serious crime; an offender of the most serious kind

synonym: criminal, convict, offender

(1) serial **felon**, (2) convicted **felon**

The robbery was committed by a notorious **felon** previously convicted of armed robbery.

offend

v. to cause someone to feel upset, angry, or annoyed

synonym: insult, hurt, anger

(1) **offend** his sensibilities, (2) **offend** a customer

His rude comments **offended** many people at the party.

flout

v. to openly disregard or disobey a rule, law, convention, or authority; to mock or ridicule something or someone

synonym: defy, disobey, disregard

(1) **flout** his order, (2) **flout** the rules

The politician decided to **flout** the law and run for office despite being ineligible.

stigma

n. a mark of shame or disgrace associated with a particular circumstance, quality, or person

synonym: mark, blemish, disgrace

(1) social **stigma**, (2) **stigma** against obesity

The mental health **stigma** often prevents people from seeking treatment.

checkup

n. an examination of a person's health by a medical professional, typically including a physical examination, laboratory tests, and diagnostic imaging

synonym: examination, diagnosis, consultation

(1) regular **checkup**, (2) health **checkup**

I am going to the doctor for my annual **checkup**.

sterilize

v. to make something free of all forms of life, especially bacteria or viruses, by using heat, chemicals, or radiation

synonym: disinfect, sanitize, cleanse

(1) **sterilize** chemically, (2) **sterilize** surfaces

The nurse **sterilized** the instruments before the surgery to prevent any infections.

retrovirus

n. a type of RNA virus that uses the enzyme reverse transcriptase to convert its RNA into DNA, which then inserts itself into the host cell's genome, which can cause a variety of diseases in humans and animals, including HIV (Human Immunodeficiency Virus)

(1) **retrovirus** infection, (2) feline **retrovirus**

The patient's condition improved after beginning a **retrovirus-targeted** treatment regimen.

medicinal

adj. of or relating to the treatment or cure of disease

synonym: curative, therapeutic, healing

(1) **medicinal** chemistry, (2) traditional **medicinal**

The **medicinal** properties of this herb have been known to help with various ailments.

contaminate

v. to make something impure, unclean, or poisonous by contact or mixture

synonym: defile, pollute, adulterate

(1) **contaminate** with a disease, (2) **contaminate** his ego

We strive not to **contaminate** the environment when demolishing petroleum plants.

incarcerate

v. to put or keep somebody in prison or in a place from which they cannot escape

synonym: confine, detain, imprison

(1) **incarcerate** the murderer, (2) **incarcerate** her for life

He was **incarcerated** for the duration of the war.

syrinx

n. the vocal organ of a bird; a primitive wind instrument consisting of several parallel pipes bound together

synonym : panpipes

(1) dogs with a wide **syrinx**, (2) spinal **syrinx**

The shape of a bird's **syrinx** varies greatly depending on the environment in which it lives.

opioid

n. substances that have an effect similar to opium, such as morphine, used in medicines to treat severe pain, but some people take them illegally for pleasure and become addicted

(1) an **opioid** analgesic, (2) **opioid** receptor

Treatment for **opioid** dependence may be a long-term process.

condom

n. a thin rubber or plastic sheath worn over the penis during sexual intercourse to prevent pregnancy or the transmission of sexually transmitted infections (STIs) between partners

synonym : prophylactic, rubber, sheath

(1) **condom** brand, (2) safe **condom** use

Using a **condom** during sexual activity is one of the most effective ways to prevent unwanted pregnancies and sexually transmitted infections.

touchy

adj. easily offended or upset, or sensitive

synonym : sensitive, easily offended

(1) **touchy** subject, (2) a little **touchy** personality

The **touchy** situation required careful handling to avoid further conflict.

retool

v. to adapt, modify, or overhaul something, often a system or process, to make it more efficient or effective for its intended purpose or to meet changing needs or demands

synonym : revamp, remodel, adapt

(1) **retool** a strategy, (2) **retool** a business

We need to **retool** our manufacturing process and invest in new technology to stay competitive in the market.

arcane

adj. mysterious or known only by a select few

synonym: mysterious, obscure, hidden

(1) **arcane** knowledge, (2) **arcane** subject

The **arcane** rituals of the secret society were known only to a select few.

aspiring

adj. desiring or striving for recognition or advancement; wanting to be successful in life

synonym: hopeful, ambitious, eager

(1) **aspiring** prime minister, (2) have **aspiring** eyes

He was extremely generous to the **aspiring** young artist.

Session 2: Spelling

1. the movement of mi_____t birds *n.* a traveler who moves from one region or country to another, especially to find work or better living conditions; a bird or an animal that moves from one place to another
2. tra_____er person *adj.* relating to or denoting a person whose gender identity does not correspond to that person's biological sex assigned at birth
3. ret_____us infection *n.* a type of RNA virus that uses the enzyme reverse transcriptase to convert its RNA into DNA, which then inserts itself into the host cell's genome, which can cause a variety of diseases in humans and animals, including HIV (Human Immunodeficiency Virus)
4. combat mis_____ion on social media *n.* information that is false or inaccurate, or the act of giving wrong information, especially deliberately
5. tra_____er rights *adj.* relating to or denoting a person whose gender identity does not correspond to that person's biological sex assigned at birth
6. af_____t with the plague *v.* to cause pain, suffering, or distress to someone or something
7. in___n civilians *v.* to put someone in prison, especially for political or military reasons; (noun) a student or trainee who works, sometimes for free, to get work experience or to fulfill qualification criteria

ANSWERS: 1. migrant, 2. transgender, 3. retrovirus, 4. misinformation, 5. transgender, 6. afflict, 7. intern

8. of___d a customer *v.* to cause someone to feel upset, angry, or annoyed
9. re___l a strategy *v.* to adapt, modify, or overhaul something, often a system or process, to make it more efficient or effective for its intended purpose or to meet changing needs or demands
10. mi_____t worker *n.* a traveler who moves from one region or country to another, especially to find work or better living conditions; a bird or an animal that moves from one place to another
11. political ex___e *n.* the state of being forced to leave one's country or home, typically for political or punitive reasons
12. fl___t the rules *v.* to openly disregard or disobey a rule, law, convention, or authority; to mock or ridicule something or someone
13. co___m brand *n.* a thin rubber or plastic sheath worn over the penis during sexual intercourse to prevent pregnancy or the transmission of sexually transmitted infections (STIs) between partners
14. dr___d failure *v.* to be very afraid of or worried about something that is going to happen or that might happen
15. have as_____ng eyes *adj.* desiring or striving for recognition or advancement; wanting to be successful in life
16. the spread of le_____y *n.* a chronic infectious disease that affects the skin, nerves, and mucous membranes and is caused by the bacterium *Mycobacterium leprae*, characterized by disfiguring skin lesions, nerve damage, and the loss of sensation in affected areas

ANSWERS: 8. offend, 9. retool, 10. migrant, 11. exile, 12. flout, 13. condom, 14.

dread, 15. aspiring, 16. leprosy

17. serial fe__n *n.* a person convicted of a serious crime; an offender of the most serious kind
18. ar___e subject *adj.* mysterious or known only by a select few
19. witty p_n *n.* a humorous play on words or use of words that sound similar but have different meanings, often for a comedic effect; a form of wordplay
20. feline ret_____us *n.* a type of RNA virus that uses the enzyme reverse transcriptase to convert its RNA into DNA, which then inserts itself into the host cell's genome, which can cause a variety of diseases in humans and animals, including HIV (Human Immunodeficiency Virus)
21. co_____t him of manslaughter *v.* to prove or declare someone to be guilty of a crime; (noun) a person serving a sentence in a jail or prison
22. safe co___m use *n.* a thin rubber or plastic sheath worn over the penis during sexual intercourse to prevent pregnancy or the transmission of sexually transmitted infections (STIs) between partners
23. mis_____ion about a vaccine *n.* information that is false or inaccurate, or the act of giving wrong information, especially deliberately
24. an op___d analgesic *n.* substances that have an effect similar to opium, such as morphine, used in medicines to treat severe pain, but some people take them illegally for pleasure and become addicted

ANSWERS: 17. felon, 18. arcane, 19. pun, 20. retrovirus, 21. convict, 22. condom, 23. misinformation, 24. opioid

25. de___n for investigation *v.* to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving
26. op___d receptor *n.* substances that have an effect similar to opium, such as morphine, used in medicines to treat severe pain, but some people take them illegally for pleasure and become addicted
27. convicted fe__n *n.* a person convicted of a serious crime; an offender of the most serious kind
28. de___t a refugee *v.* to force someone to leave a country, typically on the grounds of illegal status or for having committed a crime
29. sup_____ion in religion *n.* a belief or practice that is not based on science or reason and that is often connected with a religion
30. in___t under the skin *v.* to put a liquid such as a drug or other substance into a person's or an animal's body using a needle and syringe (= small tube)
31. spinal sy___x *n.* the vocal organ of a bird; a primitive wind instrument consisting of several parallel pipes bound together
32. cou_____nce the seriousness of the topic *v.* to offset or balance the effect of something by applying an equal or opposite force or effect; to provide a counteracting or balancing influence for something; (noun) a weight or force that is used to balance or offset another weight or force
33. believe in sup_____ion *n.* a belief or practice that is not based on science or reason and that is often connected with a religion

ANSWERS: 25. detain, 26. opioid, 27. felon, 28. deport, 29. superstition, 30. inject, 31. syringe, 32. counterbalance, 33. superstition

34. as____ng prime minister *adj.* desiring or striving for recognition or advancement; wanting to be successful in life
35. de____t dissidents from the party *v.* to force someone to leave a country, typically on the grounds of illegal status or for having committed a crime
36. dogs with a wide sy____x *n.* the vocal organ of a bird; a primitive wind instrument consisting of several parallel pipes bound together
37. pu____t to answer the question *v.* to claim or suggest that something is true or has a particular character or quality; (noun) the intended meaning of a communication
38. in____t other animal species *v.* to affect a person, an animal, or a plant with a disease-causing organism
39. st____ze surfaces *v.* to make something free of all forms of life, especially bacteria or viruses, by using heat, chemicals, or radiation
40. ba____h doubt *v.* to expel or send away from a place or situation, especially permanently
41. le____y treatment *n.* a chronic infectious disease that affects the skin, nerves, and mucous membranes and is caused by the bacterium *Mycobacterium leprae*, characterized by disfiguring skin lesions, nerve damage, and the loss of sensation in affected areas
42. traditional me____al *adj.* of or relating to the treatment or cure of disease

ANSWERS: 34. aspiring, 35. deport, 36. syrx, 37. purport, 38. infect, 39. sterilize, 40. banish, 41. leprosy, 42. medicinal

43. medical in___n v. to put someone in prison, especially for political or military reasons; (noun) a student or trainee who works, sometimes for free, to get work experience or to fulfill qualification criteria
44. ar___e knowledge *adj.* mysterious or known only by a select few
45. co____t in a jail v. to prove or declare someone to be guilty of a crime; (noun) a person serving a sentence in a jail or prison
46. in___t a computer with a virus v. to affect a person, an animal, or a plant with a disease-causing organism
47. inc____te the murderer v. to put or keep somebody in prison or in a place from which they cannot escape
48. dr__d getting old v. to be very afraid of or worried about something that is going to happen or that might happen
49. to___y subject *adj.* easily offended or upset, or sensitive
50. st___a against obesity *n.* a mark of shame or disgrace associated with a particular circumstance, quality, or person
51. con____te his ego v. to make something impure, unclean, or poisonous by contact or mixture
52. of___d his sensibilities v. to cause someone to feel upset, angry, or annoyed
53. in___t a personal opinion into a debate v. to put a liquid such as a drug or other substance into a person's or an animal's body using a needle and syringe (= small tube)

ANSWERS: 43. intern, 44. arcane, 45. convict, 46. infect, 47. incarcerate, 48. dread, 49. touchy, 50. stigma, 51. contaminate, 52. offend, 53. inject

54. me_____al chemistry *adj.* of or relating to the treatment or cure of disease
55. af_____t the economy *v.* to cause pain, suffering, or distress to someone or something
56. cou_____nce the effects *v.* to offset or balance the effect of something by applying an equal or opposite force or effect; to provide a counteracting or balancing influence for something; (noun) a weight or force that is used to balance or offset another weight or force
57. a little to____y personality *adj.* easily offended or upset, or sensitive
58. ex__e community *n.* the state of being forced to leave one's country or home, typically for political or punitive reasons
59. ba____h my wrinkles *v.* to expel or send away from a place or situation, especially permanently
60. health ch_____p *n.* an examination of a person's health by a medical professional, typically including a physical examination, laboratory tests, and diagnostic imaging
61. de____n a terrorist *v.* to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving
62. st_____ze chemically *v.* to make something free of all forms of life, especially bacteria or viruses, by using heat, chemicals, or radiation
63. con_____te with a disease *v.* to make something impure, unclean, or poisonous by contact or mixture
64. social st____a *n.* a mark of shame or disgrace associated with a particular circumstance, quality, or person

ANSWERS: 54. medicinal, 55. afflict, 56. counterbalance, 57. touchy, 58. exile, 59. banish, 60. checkup, 61. detain, 62. sterilize, 63. contaminate, 64. stigma

65. fl__t his order *v.* to openly disregard or disobey a rule, law, convention, or authority; to mock or ridicule something or someone
66. regular ch____p *n.* an examination of a person's health by a medical professional, typically including a physical examination, laboratory tests, and diagnostic imaging
67. inc_____te her for life *v.* to put or keep somebody in prison or in a place from which they cannot escape
68. the main pu____t of his speech *v.* to claim or suggest that something is true or has a particular character or quality; (noun) the intended meaning of a communication
69. silly p_n *n.* a humorous play on words or use of words that sound similar but have different meanings, often for a comedic effect; a form of wordplay
70. re___l a business *v.* to adapt, modify, or overhaul something, often a system or process, to make it more efficient or effective for its intended purpose or to meet changing needs or demands

ANSWERS: 65. flout, 66. checkup, 67. incarcerate, 68. purport, 69. pun, 70. retool

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The World Health Organization is working to eradicate _____ from all parts of the world.
 - n.* a chronic infectious disease that affects the skin, nerves, and mucous membranes and is caused by the bacterium *Mycobacterium leprae*, characterized by disfiguring skin lesions, nerve damage, and the loss of sensation in affected areas
2. Treatment for _____ dependence may be a long-term process.
 - n.* substances that have an effect similar to opium, such as morphine, used in medicines to treat severe pain, but some people take them illegally for pleasure and become addicted
3. The police _____ the suspect for questioning.
 - v.* to keep someone in official custody; to prevent them from leaving
4. There is a surviving _____ that black cats are a symbol of bad luck.
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5. The government has decided to _____ illegal immigrants back to their home countries.
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6. The robbery was committed by a notorious _____ previously convicted of armed robbery.
 - n.* a person convicted of a serious crime; an offender of the most serious kind

ANSWERS: 1. leprosy, 2. opioid, 3. detained, 4. superstition, 5. deport, 6. felon

7. The patient's condition improved after beginning a _____ treatment regimen.
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8. The government called for caution against pseudoscientific _____ about vaccines.
- n.* information that is false or inaccurate, or the act of giving wrong information, especially deliberately
9. The queen _____ the traitor from the kingdom, never to be seen again.
- v.* to expel or send away from a place or situation, especially permanently
10. The government revoked his license to employ _____ labor crews.
- n.* a traveler who moves from one region or country to another, especially to find work or better living conditions; a bird or an animal that moves from one place to another
11. The _____ properties of this herb have been known to help with various ailments.
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12. The nurse _____ the instruments before the surgery to prevent any infections.
- v.* to make something free of all forms of life, especially bacteria or viruses, by using heat, chemicals, or radiation
13. Using a _____ during sexual activity is one of the most effective ways to prevent unwanted pregnancies and sexually transmitted infections.
- n.* a thin rubber or plastic sheath worn over the penis during sexual intercourse to prevent pregnancy or the transmission of sexually transmitted infections (STIs) between partners

ANSWERS: 7. retrovirus-targeted, 8. misinformation, 9. banished, 10. migrant, 11. medicinal, 12. sterilized, 13. condom

14. The politician decided to _____ the law and run for office despite being ineligible.
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15. The document _____ to have been signed by the president, but the signature is a forgery.
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18. I am going to the doctor for my annual _____.
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19. The _____ situation required careful handling to avoid further conflict.
- adj. easily offended or upset, or sensitive
20. Many _____ individuals face discrimination and marginalization in society.
- adj. relating to or denoting a person whose gender identity does not correspond to that person's biological sex assigned at birth

ANSWERS: 14. flout, 15. purports, 16. afflict, 17. retool, 18. checkup, 19. touchy, 20. transgender

21. We all _____ to think about what will happen if the company goes bankrupt.
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22. We strive not to _____ the environment when demolishing petroleum plants.
- v. to make something impure, unclean, or poisonous by contact or mixture
23. He was _____ for the duration of the war.
- v. to put or keep somebody in prison or in a place from which they cannot escape
24. Let's try to _____ a bit of enthusiasm into your performance.
- v. to put a liquid such as a drug or other substance into a person's or an animal's body using a needle and syringe (= small tube)
25. The heavyweights on one end of the scale _____ the lighter weights on the other end.
- v. to offset or balance the effect of something by applying an equal or opposite force or effect; to provide a counteracting or balancing influence for something; (noun) a weight or force that is used to balance or offset another weight or force
26. The mental health _____ often prevents people from seeking treatment.
- n. a mark of shame or disgrace associated with a particular circumstance, quality, or person
27. The _____ king lived in poverty in a foreign country for many years.
- n. the state of being forced to leave one's country or home, typically for political or punitive reasons

ANSWERS: 21. dread, 22. contaminate, 23. incarcerated, 24. inject, 25. counterbalanced, 26. stigma, 27. exiled

28. The _____ rituals of the secret society were known only to a select few.

adj. mysterious or known only by a select few

29. The navy _____ ships of defeated nations.

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30. He was extremely generous to the _____ young artist.

adj. desiring or striving for recognition or advancement; wanting to be successful in life

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n. a humorous play on words or use of words that sound similar but have different meanings, often for a comedic effect; a form of wordplay

35. The shape of a bird's _____ varies greatly depending on the environment in which it lives.

n. the vocal organ of a bird; a primitive wind instrument consisting of several parallel pipes bound together

ANSWERS: 28. arcane, 29. interned, 30. aspiring, 31. infect, 32. convicted, 33. offended, 34. pun, 35. syrinx

ANSWERS: