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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### chief

*adj.* most important or primary; (noun) a person who is in charge

*synonym*: essential, primary, leading

(1) **chief** accountant, (2) **chief** events of the year  
Mining is a **chief** source of income for the country.

### aim

*v.* to try or plan to get or achieve something

*synonym*: aspire, direct, target

(1) **aim** at a specific target, (2) **aim** to be a nurse  
We **aim** for an overseas expansion.

### 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**.

### intrinsically

*adv.* from the inherent nature or quality of something or arising from within

*synonym*: inherently, essentially, fundamentally

(1) **intrinsically** motivated, (2) **intrinsically** valuable

The kindness of strangers is **intrinsically** rewarding, even when no reward is expected.

## fiction

*n.* the type of book or story, especially novels, that describes imaginary events and people; anything made up or imagined that is not true

*synonym* : fantasy, fable, invention

(1) stuff of science **fiction**, (2) non- **fiction** bestseller

Truth is stranger than **fiction**.

## paradox

*n.* a statement, situation, or person that has two opposite facts or features and therefore seems impossible, is difficult to understand, or is strange;

*synonym* : incongruity, dichotomy, contradiction

(1) French **paradox**, (2) the **paradox** of the heap

There are many theories to explain this **paradox**.

## 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**.

## dramatically

*adv.* in a very impressive manner

*synonym* : greatly, noticeably, suddenly

(1) he confessed **dramatically**, (2) the cabin pressure fell **dramatically**

Life expectancy has grown **dramatically** this century.

## conventional

*adj.* based on or following traditional rules, standards, customs, etc.

*synonym* : ancestral, customary, established

(1) a **conventional** style, (2) get a **conventional** loan

She is very **conventional** in her thoughts.

## progression

*n.* the act or process of changing to the next stage or phase or moving forward

*synonym* : advancement, development, evolution

(1) **progression** of civilization, (2) **progression** of disease

The company has made great strides in its **progression** toward sustainability.

## debate

*n.* a formal discussion or argument of opposing viewpoints, often to persuade others to adopt a specific position; a public discussion, often on an issue of current interest, in which participants offer opinions and differing perspectives

*synonym*: argument, discussion, dispute

(1) **debate** topic, (2) **debate** competition

The **debate** over climate change continues to be a hot topic in politics.

## resolve

*v.* to find a suitable answer to the problems or difficulty

*synonym*: decide, determine, fix

(1) **resolve** a dispute, (2) **resolve** the computer error

This company **resolves** its battery problem completely.

## domain

*n.* a specific sphere of influence or control; a specific field of knowledge or expertise

*synonym*: territory, realm, sphere

(1) **domain** of use, (2) a dependent **domain**

The company's **domain** in the market was expanding to new territories.

## demographic

*n.* a statistic characterizing that describes people or groups of people based on their age, sex, income, etc.

(1) **demographic** analyses, (2) **demographic** policy

Several **demographic** indicators correlate with care admission.

## gender

*n.* the range of characteristics of femininity and masculinity and differentiating between them, especially when considering social and cultural differences rather than differences in biology

*synonym*: sexuality

(1) **gender-blind** policies, (2) dual **gender**

Cultural norms strongly influence **gender** expectations.

## 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.

## puzzle

*n.* a situation that is difficult to follow or solve; a game, problem, or toy that tests a person's ingenuity or knowledge; (verb) to cause someone to feel confused because of something difficult to understand

*synonym* : plight, maze, (verb) perplex

(1) crossword **puzzle**, (2) mathematical **puzzle**

This jigsaw **puzzle** is challenging because there are no pictures.

## rev

*n.* a measure of the rate at which an engine or motor rotates, often expressed in revolutions per minute (RPM); (verb) to increase the number of rotations per minute

*synonym* : revolution, RPM, speed

(1) low- **rev** engine, (2) **rev** up the crowd

He stepped on the gas pedal, and the engine released a loud **rev**.

## graduate

*n.* a person who has a first degree from university or college; (verb) to complete the first course of university or college and get a degree

*synonym* : alumna, alum, grad

(1) **graduate** degree program, (2) honor **graduate**

Many employers hire **graduate** trainees to train as managers.

## 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.

## massive

*adj.* enormous amount; very heavy and solid

*synonym* : enormous, giant, immense

(1) **massive** amounts, (2) **massive** stars

The recent economic downturn has resulted in **massive** layoffs.

## 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**.

## monitor

*v.* to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time

*synonym* : proctor, check, observe

(1) **monitor** an exam, (2) **monitor** the data carefully

They used a special receiver to **monitor** police radio channels.

## random

*adj.* made, done, or happening without method, conscious decision, or any regular pattern

*synonym* : incidental, arbitrary, unanticipated

(1) a **random** choice, (2) bombs fell at **random**

To find drunk drivers, police conduct **random** tests.

## bunch

*n.* a grouping of several similar things which are growing or fastened together

*synonym* : group, assemblage, bundle

(1) a **bunch** of trees, (2) a **bunch** of schoolgirls

One bad apple spoils the whole **bunch**.

## instant

*adj.* happening immediately, with no delay

*synonym* : immediate, urgent, moment

(1) get **instant** access, (2) an **instant** reply

His pleasant face turned cold in an **instant**.

## discovery

*n.* the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known

*synonym* : finding, uncovering, detection

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

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

## fortunate

*adj.* having good luck or lucky

*synonym* : fortuitous, lucky, blessed

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

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

## diverse

*adj.* including numerous categories of individuals or entities; various

*synonym* : manifold, various, myriad

(1) **diverse** backgrounds, (2) a person of **diverse** talents

New York is a city with a **diverse** ethnic population.

## divorce

*n.* the legal dissolution of a marriage

*synonym* : separation, dissolution, breakup

(1) **divorce** settlement, (2) a consensual **divorce**

The couple decided to get a **divorce** after many years of marriage.

## widow

*n.* a woman whose spouse has died and who has not remarried

*synonym* : bereaved

(1) **widow** pension, (2) a war **widow**

She became a **widow** after her husband passed away.

## represent

v. to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute

*synonym*: depict, express, describe

(1) **represent** by a diagram, (2) the characters that **represent** numbers

We elected him to **represent** us at the international conference.

## occupation

n. a person's job or profession; the act of taking possession

*synonym*: job, profession, vocation

(1) **occupation** disease, (2) **occupation** of a building

The police stopped the suspicious person and asked him to give his name, address, and **occupation**.

## hail

v. to call out to someone to get their attention, often from a distance; to greet or welcome someone, especially with enthusiasm or admiration; (noun) precipitation in the form of small balls or lumps of ice that fall from the sky

*synonym*: greet, salute, welcome

(1) **hail** the victorious team with cheers, (2) **hail** forecast

People in the area were forced to **hail** a taxi due to the lack of public transportation options.

## investigate

v. to conduct a systematic or formal inquiry to identify and evaluate the facts of a crime, problem, statement, etc. to establish the truth

*synonym*: examine, analyze, look into

(1) **investigate** the matter, (2) **investigate** a data leak

The committee **investigated** several apparent inconsistencies.

## wander

v. to walk around slowly or to a place, often without any clear purpose or direction

*synonym*: ramble, roam, stroll

(1) **wander** alone in a strange country, (2) **wander** far from home

I often **wander** around the park for half an hour.

## stray

*v.* to move about aimlessly or without any destination; to move away from the right course or place where you should be

*synonym*: deviate, err, depart

(1) **stray** beyond the confines, (2) **stray** from a rule

Tourists often get lost and **stray** into a restricted area.

## vacation

*n.* a period in which someone does not have to attend work or school and is free to do whatever they choose, such as travel or leisure

*synonym*: leave, recess, break

(1) a short **vacation**, (2) summer **vacation**

Do you have a plan for a long **vacation**?

## bald

*adj.* having no hair on the head; having a smooth, shiny scalp with no hair

*synonym*: hairless, smooth, bare

(1) **bald** head, (2) become **bald**

He is completely **bald**, having lost all his hair due to chemotherapy.

## amazing

*adj.* extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire

*synonym*: exceptional, extraordinary, wonderful

(1) **amazing** advances, (2) the most **amazing** feeling

The golfer recorded an **amazing** distance.

## relation

*n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another

*synonym*: association, linkage, connection

(1) **relation** between cause and effect, (2) **relation** of inclusion



The industrial **relations** laws were passed with little to no alteration.

## immerse

*v.* to become fully involved in a particular activity; to dip or submerge in a liquid, especially so that they or it are entirely covered

*synonym*: dip, inundate, submerge

(1) **immerse** the cloth in the dye, (2) completely **immerse** the ingredient

He **immersed** himself in his research.

## constrain

*v.* to restrict or limit someone or something's freedom or ability to do something

*synonym*: restrict, limit, confine

(1) **constrain** his freedom, (2) **constrain** information flow

The political situation **constrained** the country's economic growth and foreign relations.

## someplace

*adv.* somewhere without specifying a particular or exact location

*synonym*: somewhere, anywhere, wherever

(1) from **someplace** deep inside, (2) **someplace** quiet

Let's go **someplace** new and try something we have not done before.

## topic

*n.* a subject that is being discussed or written about

*synonym*: subject, theme, issue

(1) a serious **topic**, (2) the **topic** of the book

The **topic** of the discussion was the current state of the economy.

## pleasant

*adj.* enjoyable, attractive, friendly, or agreeable

*synonym*: agreeable, delightful, pleasing

(1) **pleasant** news, (2) **pleasant** odor

The hotel's staff is very **pleasant** and efficient.

## neutral

*adj.* not helping or assisting either side in a conflict, argument, etc.

*synonym* : impartial, uninvolved, halfhearted

(1) permanently **neutral** country, (2) **neutral** colors

A legislative speaker should always be **neutral**.

## unpleasant

*adj.* not enjoyable or comfortable

*synonym* : disagreeable, displeasing, distasteful

(1) **unpleasant** behavior, (2) with **unpleasant** body odor

It is **unpleasant** to see criminal behavior even though it is minor.

## graph

*n.* a picture consisting of a line, lines, points, etc., that shows how two or more sets of certain quantities are related to each other

*synonym* : chart, diagram, figure

(1) **graph** theory, (2) a **graph** sample

This bar **graph** shows sales over the past five years.

## vertical

*adj.* upright or perpendicular to a horizontal surface or line

*synonym* : perpendicular, upright, plumb

(1) **vertical** takeoff, (2) **vertical** axis

The ladder leaned against the **vertical** surface of the building.

## axis

*n.* a real or imaginary straight line through a body or figure around which the object turns; a group of countries in special alliance

*synonym* : central, core, pole

(1) vertical **axis**, (2) a coordinate **axis**

The earth's **axis** of rotation is tilted 66.5 degrees to the ecliptic plane.

## substantially

*adv.* to a great extent or degree

*synonym* : considerably, essentially, largely

(1) the price went up **substantially**, (2) the house was

**substantially** built

The proportion of female engineers has **substantially** increased.

**commute**

*v.* to regularly travel a particular journey, especially between one's home and place of work; (noun) a regular journey of some distance to and from your place of work

*synonym* : travel, journey, trip

(1) **commute** to work, (2) daily **commute**

He had to **commute** two hours each way to get to work.

**enormous**

*adj.* extremely large or great

*synonym* : huge, giant, gigantic

(1) **enormous** amount, (2) **enormous** potential

Shakespeare's output of poetry was **enormous**.

**anxiety**

*n.* a feeling of worry, nervousness, or unease about something that is happening or might happen in the future

*synonym* : concern, dread, agita

(1) diagnosis of **anxiety** disorder, (2) **anxiety** for knowledge

She waited for her daughter with **anxiety**.

**regret**

*v.* to feel sad, repentant, or disappointed over something you have done or something you have not been able to do

*synonym* : apologize, deplore, lament

(1) **regret** a decision, (2) **regret** being so careless

I **regret** to say that you did not gain admission to the university.

**slightly**

*adv.* in a small degree or extent; a little

*synonym* : barely, narrowly, scarcely

(1) increase **slightly**, (2) **slightly** alkaline soils

He moved his body **slightly** to the left.

- slot** *n.* a long, narrow opening or groove, typically one that is cut into a hard material, that is designed to receive and hold an object in place  
*synonym* : notch, groove, channel  
(1) memory **slot**, (2) mail **slot**  
I inserted the coin into the **slot** and hit the button to start the game.
- correlate** *v.* to have a connection or relationship in which one thing affects or depends on another  
*synonym* : associate, liken, connect  
(1) **correlate** closely with the quality, (2) **correlate** to the size  
We may frequently **correlate** age with the frequency of disease.
- entangle** *v.* to become twisted or knotted together, especially in a way that makes it difficult to separate them; to involve in something complicated or difficult to escape  
*synonym* : ensnare, entrap, involve  
(1) **entangle** in wires, (2) emotionally **entangle**  
The vines of the plant **entangled** themselves around the trellis.
- possibility** *n.* a chance that something may happen or be true  
*synonym* : chance, prospect, likelihood  
(1) **possibility** for growth, (2) **possibility** of a major earthquake  
The **possibility** of getting the disease will drastically increase.
- advantage** *n.* a condition or circumstance that puts one in a favorable or superior position; a beneficial feature or asset that someone or something has  
*synonym* : benefit, edge, asset  
(1) score an **advantage**, (2) take **advantage** of his weak points

One of the main **advantages** of the new product is its increased efficiency.

## backward

*adv.* at, to, or toward the direction or place that is behind or rear

*synonym*: back, rearward, in reverse

(1) walk **backward**, (2) **backward** angle

She falls over **backward** when she sees her mother-in-law.

## precede

*v.* to happen or go before something or someone in time or space

*synonym*: lead, forego, antecede

(1) men often **precede** women when walking, (2) **precede** any discussion

Agricultural development generally **precedes** economic growth.

## insight

*n.* the ability to gain an accurate and deep understanding of people or situations; an accurate and deep understanding of what something is like

*synonym*: wisdom, discernment, understanding

(1) a profound **insight**, (2) share my **insights**

We gained various **insights** by analyzing the vast amount of data owned by the company.

## causal

*adj.* relating to or indicating a cause or the relationship between causes and effects; resulting from a cause

*synonym*: causative, contributory, connected

(1) **causal** chain, (2) **causal** effect

The study aimed to establish a **causal** relationship between smoking and lung cancer.

## consistent

*adj.* always behaving or happening in the same way, or having the same thoughts, standards, etc.

*synonym*: coherent, constant, compatible

(1) do on a **consistent** basis, (2) get **consistent** results

You are not **consistent** in your behavior.

## contrast

*v.* to put in opposition to show or emphasize differences  
*synonym* : differ, vary, counterpoint

(1) **contrast** with a decade ago, (2) **contrast** two things  
It's intriguing to compare and **contrast** the two authors.

## mere

*adj.* used to emphasize how insignificant or minor someone or something is

*synonym* : bare, minor, sheer

(1) **mere** acquaintance, (2) **mere** incident

He lost the election by **mere** votes.

## consequence

*n.* the outcome of a particular action or event, especially relative to an individual

*synonym* : result, impact, outcome

(1) unintended **consequences**, (2) the **consequence** of an argument

These economic activities had disastrous environmental **consequences**.

## liken

*v.* to compare something or someone to something or someone else to emphasize similarity or likeness; to describe or represent something as being like something else in some way

*synonym* : compare, equate, analogize

(1) **liken** to a flower, (2) **liken** to a bird

Some people **liken** meditation to a mental shower, refreshing and rejuvenating the mind.

## frequent

*adj.* happening constantly

*synonym* : periodic, recurring, routine

(1) **frequent** absence, (2) **frequent** use

His heartaches are less **frequent** now.

## ubiquitous

*adj.* being or existing everywhere at once

*synonym* : universal, omnipresent, everywhere

(1) **ubiquitous** computing, (2) **ubiquitous** across ecosystems

Sugar is **ubiquitous** in food.

## pervade

*v.* to spread throughout something; to permeate  
*synonym*: permeate, penetrate, suffuse

(1) **pervade** society, (2) **pervade** an atmosphere

The smell of baking bread **pervaded** the kitchen.

## variable

*adj.* likely to change or vary often; (noun) a symbol, like x or y, that is used in mathematical or logical expressions to represent a value that may be changed

*synonym*: erratic, inconsistent, irregular

(1) a **variable** species, (2) a dependent **variable**

Rainfall in the tropics is highly **variable**.

## equation

*n.* the act of regarding as equal; (mathematics) a statement that expresses the equality of two expressions by connecting them with the equals sign

(1) the **equation** of poverty with ignorance, (2) a chemical **equation**

In this class, you will learn how to solve quadratic **equations**.

## uncover

*v.* to remove the cover from something; to discover something previously unseen or hidden

*synonym*: disclose, reveal, unveil

(1) **uncover** a potential problem, (2) **uncover** the truth

He continued his investigation and soon **uncovered** another crime.

## Session 2: Spelling

1. de\_\_\_e competition  
*n.* a formal discussion or argument of opposing viewpoints, often to persuade others to adopt a specific position; a public discussion, often on an issue of current interest, in which participants offer opinions and differing perspectives
2. daily co\_\_\_\_\_e  
*v.* to regularly travel a particular journey, especially between one's home and place of work; (noun) a regular journey of some distance to and from your place of work
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*adj.* relating to or indicating a cause or the relationship between causes and effects; resulting from a cause
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*n.* the type of book or story, especially novels, that describes imaginary events and people; anything made up or imagined that is not true
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| 12. unintended con_____ces      | <i>n.</i> the outcome of a particular action or event, especially relative to an individual  |
| 13. occ_____on of a building    | <i>n.</i> a person's job or profession; the act of taking possession   |
| 14. French pa_____x             | <i>n.</i> a statement, situation, or person that has two opposite facts or features and therefore seems impossible, is difficult to understand, or is strange; |
| 15. a scientific di_____ry      | <i>n.</i> the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known                          |
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45. vertical a\_\_s *n.* a real or imaginary straight line through a body or figure around which the object turns; a group of countries in special alliance
46. ch\_\_f events of the year *adj.* most important or primary; (noun) a person who is in charge

ANSWERS: 37. domain, 38. diverse, 39. graph, 40. frequent, 41. vacation, 42. advantage, 43. neutral, 44. influence, 45. axis, 46. chief

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52. get in\_\_\_\_t access *adj.* happening immediately, with no delay
53. he confessed dra\_\_\_\_\_lly *adv.* in a very impressive manner
54. a dependent do\_\_\_n *n.* a specific sphere of influence or control; a specific field of knowledge or expertise
55. in\_\_\_\_ce a child's future *n.* the ability to affect someone's or something's character, growth, or behavior, or the effect itself
56. unp\_\_\_\_\_nt behavior *adj.* not enjoyable or comfortable
57. wi\_\_w pension *n.* a woman whose spouse has died and who has not remarried
58. de\_\_\_e topic *n.* a formal discussion or argument of opposing viewpoints, often to persuade others to adopt a specific position; a public discussion, often on an issue of current interest, in which participants offer opinions and differing perspectives

ANSWERS: 47. divorce, 48. relate, 49. mere, 50. enormous, 51. aim, 52. instant, 53. dramatically, 54. domain, 55. influence, 56. unpleasant, 57. widow, 58. debate

59. a con\_\_\_\_\_nal style *adj.* based on or following traditional rules, standards, customs, etc.
60. ch\_\_f accountant *adj.* most important or primary; (noun) a person who is in charge
61. co\_\_\_\_\_st two things *v.* to put in opposition to show or emphasize differences
62. diagnosis of an\_\_\_\_\_y disorder *n.* a feeling of worry, nervousness, or unease about something that is happening or might happen in the future
63. the characters that re\_\_\_\_\_nt numbers *v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
64. mathematical pu\_\_\_\_e *n.* a situation that is difficult to follow or solve; a game, problem, or toy that tests a person's ingenuity or knowledge; (verb) to cause someone to feel confused because of something difficult to understand
65. ba\_\_\_\_\_rd angle *adv.* at, to, or toward the direction or place that is behind or rear
66. inv\_\_\_\_\_te a data leak *v.* to conduct a systematic or formal inquiry to identify and evaluate the facts of a crime, problem, statement, etc. to establish the truth
67. honor gr\_\_\_\_\_te *n.* a person who has a first degree from university or college; (verb) to complete the first course of university or college and get a degree
68. pl\_\_\_\_\_nt news *adj.* enjoyable, attractive, friendly, or agreeable

ANSWERS: 59. conventional, 60. chief, 61. contrast, 62. anxiety, 63. represent, 64. puzzle, 65. backward, 66. investigate, 67. graduate, 68. pleasant

69. crossword pu\_\_\_e *n.* a situation that is difficult to follow or solve; a game, problem, or toy that tests a person's ingenuity or knowledge; (verb) to cause someone to feel confused because of something difficult to understand
70. ca\_\_\_l chain *adj.* relating to or indicating a cause or the relationship between causes and effects; resulting from a cause
71. ve\_\_\_\_\_al takeoff *adj.* upright or perpendicular to a horizontal surface or line
72. sma\_\_\_\_\_ne app developer *n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet
73. h\_\_l forecast *v.* to call out to someone to get their attention, often from a distance; to greet or welcome someone, especially with enthusiasm or admiration; (noun) precipitation in the form of small balls or lumps of ice that fall from the sky
74. fo\_\_\_\_\_te situation *adj.* having good luck or lucky
75. take ad\_\_\_\_\_ge of his weak points *n.* a condition or circumstance that puts one in a favorable or superior position; a beneficial feature or asset that someone or something has
76. am\_\_\_\_\_g advances *adj.* extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire
77. get con\_\_\_\_\_nt results *adj.* always behaving or happening in the same way, or having the same thoughts, standards, etc.

ANSWERS: 69. puzzle, 70. causal, 71. vertical, 72. smartphone, 73. hail, 74. fortunate, 75. advantage, 76. amazing, 77. consistent

78. emotionally en\_\_\_\_le      *v.* to become twisted or knotted together, especially in a way that makes it difficult to separate them; to involve in something complicated or difficult to escape
79. ubi\_\_\_\_us computing      *adj.* being or existing everywhere at once
80. jazz imp\_\_\_\_ion      *n.* the act of making something up on the spot or creating or performing something without preparation
81. mo\_\_\_\_r an exam      *v.* to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time
82. ge\_\_\_\_r-blind policies      *n.* the range of characteristics of femininity and masculinity and differentiating between them, especially when considering social and cultural differences rather than differences in biology
83. less fo\_\_\_\_te person      *adj.* having good luck or lucky
84. mail s\_\_t      *n.* a long, narrow opening or groove, typically one that is cut into a hard material, that is designed to receive and hold an object in place
85. imp\_\_\_\_ion on stage      *n.* the act of making something up on the spot or creating or performing something without preparation
86. en\_\_\_\_le in wires      *v.* to become twisted or knotted together, especially in a way that makes it difficult to separate them; to involve in something complicated or difficult to escape

ANSWERS: 78. entangle, 79. ubiquitous, 80. improvisation, 81. monitor, 82. gender, 83. fortunate, 84. slot, 85. improvisation, 86. entangle



87. the to\_\_c of the book *n.* a subject that is being discussed or written about
88. ve\_\_\_\_al axis *adj.* upright or perpendicular to a horizontal surface or line
89. occ\_\_\_\_\_on disease *n.* a person's job or profession; the act of taking possession
90. re\_\_\_\_\_e a dispute *v.* to find a suitable answer to the problems or difficulty
91. increase sl\_\_\_\_\_ly *adv.* in a small degree or extent; a little
92. memory s\_\_t *n.* a long, narrow opening or groove, typically one that is cut into a hard material, that is designed to receive and hold an object in place
93. with unp\_\_\_\_\_nt body odor *adj.* not enjoyable or comfortable
94. en\_\_\_\_\_us amount *adj.* extremely large or great
95. pos\_\_\_\_\_ty for growth *n.* a chance that something may happen or be true
96. co\_\_\_\_\_st with a decade ago *v.* to put in opposition to show or emphasize differences
97. the great di\_\_\_\_\_ry of the century *n.* the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known
98. pl\_\_\_\_\_nt odor *adj.* enjoyable, attractive, friendly, or agreeable
99. re\_\_\_\_\_e the computer error *v.* to find a suitable answer to the problems or difficulty

ANSWERS: 87. topic, 88. vertical, 89. occupation, 90. resolve, 91. slightly, 92. slot, 93. unpleasant, 94. enormous, 95. possibility, 96. contrast, 97. discovery, 98. pleasant, 99. resolve

100. the price went up sub\_\_\_\_\_lly      *adv.* to a great extent or degree
101. men often pr\_\_\_\_\_e women when walking      *v.* to happen or go before something or someone in time or space
102. sma\_\_\_\_\_ne addict      *n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet
103. a bu\_\_h of trees      *n.* a grouping of several similar things which are growing or fastened together
104. r\_v up the crowd      *n.* a measure of the rate at which an engine or motor rotates, often expressed in revolutions per minute (RPM); (verb) to increase the number of rotations per minute
105. inv\_\_\_\_\_te the matter      *v.* to conduct a systematic or formal inquiry to identify and evaluate the facts of a crime, problem, statement, etc. to establish the truth
106. ma\_\_\_\_\_e amounts      *adj.* enormous amount; very heavy and solid
107. b\_\_d head      *adj.* having no hair on the head; having a smooth, shiny scalp with no hair
108. the eq\_\_\_\_\_on of poverty with ignorance      *n.* the act of regarding as equal; (mathematics) a statement that expresses the equality of two expressions by connecting them with the equals sign
109. ubi\_\_\_\_\_us across ecosystems      *adj.* being or existing everywhere at once
110. so\_\_\_\_\_ce quiet      *adv.* somewhere without specifying a particular or exact location

ANSWERS: 100. substantially, 101. precede, 102. smartphone, 103. bunch, 104. rev, 105. investigate, 106. massive, 107. bald, 108. equation, 109. ubiquitous, 110. someplace

111. pr\_\_\_\_e any discussion      *v.* to happen or go before something or someone in time or space
112. completely im\_\_\_\_e the ingredient      *v.* to become fully involved in a particular activity; to dip or submerge in a liquid, especially so that they or it are entirely covered
113. re\_\_\_\_t being so careless      *v.* to feel sad, repentant, or disappointed over something you have done or something you have not been able to do
114. a bu\_\_h of schoolgirls      *n.* a grouping of several similar things which are growing or fastened together
115. pro\_\_\_\_on of disease      *n.* the act or process of changing to the next stage or phase or moving forward
116. the cabin pressure fell dra\_\_\_\_lly      *adv.* in a very impressive manner
117. h\_\_l the victorious team with cheers      *v.* to call out to someone to get their attention, often from a distance; to greet or welcome someone, especially with enthusiasm or admiration; (noun) precipitation in the form of small balls or lumps of ice that fall from the sky
118. become b\_\_d      *adj.* having no hair on the head; having a smooth, shiny scalp with no hair
119. walk ba\_\_\_\_rd      *adv.* at, to, or toward the direction or place that is behind or rear
120. an\_\_\_\_y for knowledge      *n.* a feeling of worry, nervousness, or unease about something that is happening or might happen in the future
121. im\_\_\_\_e the cloth in the dye      *v.* to become fully involved in a particular activity; to dip or submerge in a liquid, especially so that they or it are entirely covered

ANSWERS: 111. precede, 112. immerse, 113. regret, 114. bunch, 115. progression, 116. dramatically, 117. hail, 118. bald, 119. backward, 120. anxiety, 121. immerse

122. ne\_\_\_\_l colors *adj.* not helping or assisting either side in a conflict, argument, etc.
123. a coordinate a\_\_s *n.* a real or imaginary straight line through a body or figure around which the object turns; a group of countries in special alliance
124. a\_m at a specific target *v.* to try or plan to get or achieve something
125. pro\_\_\_\_\_on of civilization *n.* the act or process of changing to the next stage or phase or moving forward
126. a consensual di\_\_\_\_\_e *n.* the legal dissolution of a marriage
127. a ra\_\_\_m choice *adj.* made, done, or happening without method, conscious decision, or any regular pattern
128. from so\_\_\_\_\_ce deep inside *adv.* somewhere without specifying a particular or exact location
129. st\_\_y beyond the confines *v.* to move about aimlessly or without any destination; to move away from the right course or place where you should be
130. co\_\_\_\_\_te to the size *v.* to have a connection or relationship in which one thing affects or depends on another
131. re\_\_\_\_\_on of inclusion *n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
132. the most am\_\_\_\_\_g feeling *adj.* extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire
133. pe\_\_\_\_\_e society *v.* to spread throughout something; to permeate

ANSWERS: 122. neutral, 123. axis, 124. aim, 125. progression, 126. divorce, 127. random, 128. someplace, 129. stray, 130. correlate, 131. relation, 132. amazing, 133. pervade

134. share my in\_\_\_\_\_ts *n.* the ability to gain an accurate and deep understanding of people or situations; an accurate and deep understanding of what something is like
135. un\_\_\_\_\_r a potential problem *v.* to remove the cover from something; to discover something previously unseen or hidden
136. an in\_\_\_\_\_t reply *adj.* happening immediately, with no delay
137. 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
138. re\_\_\_\_\_nt by a diagram *v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
139. wa\_\_\_r alone in a strange country *v.* to walk around slowly or to a place, often without any clear purpose or direction
140. stuff of science fi\_\_\_\_\_n *n.* the type of book or story, especially novels, that describes imaginary events and people; anything made up or imagined that is not true
141. ma\_\_\_\_\_e stars *adj.* enormous amount; very heavy and solid
142. st\_\_y from a rule *v.* to move about aimlessly or without any destination; to move away from the right course or place where you should be
143. a va\_\_\_\_\_le species *adj.* likely to change or vary often; (noun) a symbol, like x or y, that is used in mathematical or logical expressions to represent a value that may be changed

ANSWERS: 134. insight, 135. uncover, 136. instant, 137. relate, 138. represent, 139. wander, 140. fiction, 141. massive, 142. stray, 143. variable

144. a person of di\_\_\_\_\_e talents *adj.* including numerous categories of individuals or entities; various
145. fr\_\_\_\_\_nt use *adj.* happening constantly
146. low-r\_v engine *n.* a measure of the rate at which an engine or motor rotates, often expressed in revolutions per minute (RPM); (verb) to increase the number of rotations per minute
147. sl\_\_\_\_\_ly alkaline soils *adv.* in a small degree or extent; a little
148. wa\_\_\_\_\_r far from home *v.* to walk around slowly or to a place, often without any clear purpose or direction
149. co\_\_\_\_\_e to work *v.* to regularly travel a particular journey, especially between one's home and place of work; (noun) a regular journey of some distance to and from your place of work
150. binational ac\_\_\_\_d *n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.; (verb) allow to have
151. int\_\_\_\_\_lly motivated *adv.* from the inherent nature or quality of something or arising from within
152. dem\_\_\_\_\_ic policy *n.* a statistic characterizing that describes people or groups of people based on their age, sex, income, etc.
153. a short va\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a period in which someone does not have to attend work or school and is free to do whatever they choose, such as travel or leisure

ANSWERS: 144. diverse, 145. frequent, 146. rev, 147. slightly, 148. wander, 149. commute, 150. accord, 151. intrinsically, 152. demographic, 153. vacation

154. gr\_\_h theory

*n.* a picture consisting of a line, lines, points, etc., that shows how two or more sets of certain quantities are related to each other

ANSWERS: 154. graph

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. He \_\_\_\_\_ himself in his research.  
*v.* to become fully involved in a particular activity; to dip or submerge in a liquid, especially so that they or it are entirely covered
2. The vines of the plant \_\_\_\_\_ themselves around the trellis.  
*v.* to become twisted or knotted together, especially in a way that makes it difficult to separate them; to involve in something complicated or difficult to escape
3. He moved his body \_\_\_\_\_ to the left.  
*adv.* in a small degree or extent; a little
4. He lost the election by \_\_\_\_\_ votes.  
*adj.* used to emphasize how insignificant or minor someone or something is
5. The hotel's staff is very \_\_\_\_\_ and efficient.  
*adj.* enjoyable, attractive, friendly, or agreeable
6. The company has made great strides in its \_\_\_\_\_ toward sustainability.  
*n.* the act or process of changing to the next stage or phase or moving forward
7. His heartaches are less \_\_\_\_\_ now.  
*adj.* happening constantly
8. We gained various \_\_\_\_\_ by analyzing the vast amount of data owned by the company.  
*n.* the ability to gain an accurate and deep understanding of people or situations; an accurate and deep understanding of what something is like

ANSWERS: 1. immersed, 2. entangled, 3. slightly, 4. mere, 5. pleasant, 6. progression, 7. frequent, 8. insights



9. Tourists often get lost and \_\_\_\_\_ into a restricted area.
- v.* to move about aimlessly or without any destination; to move away from the right course or place where you should be
10. They used a special receiver to \_\_\_\_\_ police radio channels.
- v.* to observe, check, and track the progress or quality of something over a period of time
11. There are many theories to explain this \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* a statement, situation, or person that has two opposite facts or features and therefore seems impossible, is difficult to understand, or is strange;
12. Let's go \_\_\_\_\_ new and try something we have not done before.
- adv.* somewhere without specifying a particular or exact location
13. I inserted the coin into the \_\_\_\_\_ and hit the button to start the game.
- n.* a long, narrow opening or groove, typically one that is cut into a hard material, that is designed to receive and hold an object in place
14. The ladder leaned against the \_\_\_\_\_ surface of the building.
- adj.* upright or perpendicular to a horizontal surface or line
15. The political situation \_\_\_\_\_ the country's economic growth and foreign relations.
- v.* to restrict or limit someone or something's freedom or ability to do something
16. I often \_\_\_\_\_ around the park for half an hour.
- v.* to walk around slowly or to a place, often without any clear purpose or direction

ANSWERS: 9. stray, 10. monitor, 11. paradox, 12. someplace, 13. slot, 14. vertical, 15. constrained, 16. wander

17. I \_\_\_\_\_ to say that you did not gain admission to the university.  
*v.* to feel sad, repentant, or disappointed over something you have done or something you have not been able to do
18. The industrial \_\_\_\_\_ laws were passed with little to no alteration.  
*n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
19. He continued his investigation and soon \_\_\_\_\_ another crime.  
*v.* to remove the cover from something; to discover something previously unseen or hidden
20. Rainfall in the tropics is highly \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* likely to change or vary often; (noun) a symbol, like x or y, that is used in mathematical or logical expressions to represent a value that may be changed
21. She is very \_\_\_\_\_ in her thoughts.  
*adj.* based on or following traditional rules, standards, customs, etc.
22. She waited for her daughter with \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a feeling of worry, nervousness, or unease about something that is happening or might happen in the future
23. A legislative speaker should always be \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* not helping or assisting either side in a conflict, argument, etc.
24. We \_\_\_ for an overseas expansion.  
*v.* to try or plan to get or achieve something
25. Truth is stranger than \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the type of book or story, especially novels, that describes imaginary events and people; anything made up or imagined that is not true

ANSWERS: 17. regret, 18. relations, 19. uncovered, 20. variable, 21. conventional, 22. anxiety, 23. neutral, 24. aim, 25. fiction

26. The couple decided to get a \_\_\_\_\_ after many years of marriage.  
*n.* the legal dissolution of a marriage
27. The smell of baking bread \_\_\_\_\_ the kitchen.  
*v.* to spread throughout something; to permeate
28. Life expectancy has grown \_\_\_\_\_ this century.  
*adv.* in a very impressive manner
29. Agricultural development generally \_\_\_\_\_ economic growth.  
*v.* to happen or go before something or someone in time or space
30. Internet traffic volumes have increased significantly with the advent of \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet
31. He is completely \_\_\_\_\_ having lost all his hair due to chemotherapy.  
*adj.* having no hair on the head; having a smooth, shiny scalp with no hair
32. The proportion of female engineers has \_\_\_\_\_ increased.  
*adv.* to a great extent or degree
33. It is \_\_\_\_\_ to see criminal behavior even though it is minor.  
*adj.* not enjoyable or comfortable
34. Mining is a \_\_\_\_\_ source of income for the country.  
*adj.* most important or primary; (noun) a person who is in charge
35. He created a beautiful piece of music using only \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the act of making something up on the spot or creating or performing something without preparation

ANSWERS: 26. divorce, 27. pervaded, 28. dramatically, 29. precedes, 30. smartphones, 31. bald, 32. substantially, 33. unpleasant, 34. chief, 35. improvisation

36. In this class, you will learn how to solve quadratic \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the act of regarding as equal; (mathematics) a statement that expresses the equality of two expressions by connecting them with the equals sign
37. Cultural norms strongly influence \_\_\_\_\_ expectations.
- n.* the range of characteristics of femininity and masculinity and differentiating between them, especially when considering social and cultural differences rather than differences in biology
38. Some people \_\_\_\_\_ meditation to a mental shower, refreshing and rejuvenating the mind.
- v.* to compare something or someone to something or someone else to emphasize similarity or likeness; to describe or represent something as being like something else in some way
39. One bad apple spoils the whole \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* a grouping of several similar things which are growing or fastened together
40. Do you have a plan for a long \_\_\_\_\_
- n.* a period in which someone does not have to attend work or school and is free to do whatever they choose, such as travel or leisure
41. The earth's \_\_\_\_\_ of rotation is tilted 66.5 degrees to the ecliptic plane.
- n.* a real or imaginary straight line through a body or figure around which the object turns; a group of countries in special alliance
42. One of the main \_\_\_\_\_ of the new product is its increased efficiency.
- n.* a condition or circumstance that puts one in a favorable or superior position; a beneficial feature or asset that someone or something has

ANSWERS: 36. equations, 37. gender, 38. liken, 39. bunch, 40. vacation?, 41. axis, 42. advantages

43. The \_\_\_\_\_ over climate change continues to be a hot topic in politics.
- n.* a formal discussion or argument of opposing viewpoints, often to persuade others to adopt a specific position; a public discussion, often on an issue of current interest, in which participants offer opinions and differing perspectives
44. Her research team made an important \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known
45. The company's \_\_\_\_\_ in the market was expanding to new territories.
- n.* a specific sphere of influence or control; a specific field of knowledge or expertise
46. The recent economic downturn has resulted in \_\_\_\_\_ layoffs.
- adj.* enormous amount; very heavy and solid
47. We elected him to \_\_\_\_\_ us at the international conference.
- v.* to speak, act, or be present on behalf of another person or group; to form or constitute
48. Shakespeare's output of poetry was \_\_\_\_\_.
- adj.* extremely large or great
49. This jigsaw \_\_\_\_\_ is challenging because there are no pictures.
- n.* a situation that is difficult to follow or solve; a game, problem, or toy that tests a person's ingenuity or knowledge; (verb) to cause someone to feel confused because of something difficult to understand
50. The kindness of strangers is \_\_\_\_\_ rewarding, even when no reward is expected.
- adv.* from the inherent nature or quality of something or arising from within

ANSWERS: 43. debate, 44. discovery, 45. domain, 46. massive, 47. represent, 48. enormous, 49. puzzle, 50. intrinsically

51. The golfer recorded an \_\_\_\_\_ distance.

*adj.* extremely surprising, especially in a way that you like or admire

52. Sugar is \_\_\_\_\_ in food.

*adj.* being or existing everywhere at once

53. This bar \_\_\_\_\_ shows sales over the past five years.

*n.* a picture consisting of a line, lines, points, etc., that shows how two or more sets of certain quantities are related to each other

54. To find drunk drivers, police conduct \_\_\_\_\_ tests.

*adj.* made, done, or happening without method, conscious decision, or any regular pattern

55. He had to \_\_\_\_\_ two hours each way to get to work.

*v.* to regularly travel a particular journey, especially between one's home and place of work; (noun) a regular journey of some distance to and from your place of work

56. She became a \_\_\_\_\_ after her husband passed away.

*n.* a woman whose spouse has died and who has not remarried

57. You are not \_\_\_\_\_ in your behavior.

*adj.* always behaving or happening in the same way, or having the same thoughts, standards, etc.

58. His pleasant face turned cold in an \_\_\_\_\_.

*adj.* happening immediately, with no delay

ANSWERS: 51. amazing, 52. ubiquitous, 53. graph, 54. random, 55. commute, 56. widow, 57. consistent, 58. instant

59. The study aimed to establish a \_\_\_\_\_ relationship between smoking and lung cancer.  
*adj.* relating to or indicating a cause or the relationship between causes and effects; resulting from a cause
60. People in the area were forced to \_\_\_\_\_ a taxi due to the lack of public transportation options.  
*v.* to call out to someone to get their attention, often from a distance; to greet or welcome someone, especially with enthusiasm or admiration; (noun) precipitation in the form of small balls or lumps of ice that fall from the sky
61. It's intriguing to compare and \_\_\_\_\_ the two authors.  
*v.* to put in opposition to show or emphasize differences
62. We may frequently \_\_\_\_\_ age with the frequency of disease.  
*v.* to have a connection or relationship in which one thing affects or depends on another
63. Many employers hire \_\_\_\_\_ trainees to train as managers.  
*n.* a person who has a first degree from university or college; (verb) to complete the first course of university or college and get a degree
64. Several \_\_\_\_\_ indicators correlate with care admission.  
*n.* a statistic characterizing that describes people or groups of people based on their age, sex, income, etc.
65. He was pretty \_\_\_\_\_ to pass the exam.  
*adj.* having good luck or lucky
66. 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

ANSWERS: 59. causal, 60. hail, 61. contrast, 62. correlate, 63. graduate, 64. demographic, 65. fortunate, 66. influence

67. This company \_\_\_\_\_ its battery problem completely.  
*v.* to find a suitable answer to the problems or difficulty
68. 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
69. She falls over \_\_\_\_\_ when she sees her mother-in-law.  
*adv.* at, to, or toward the direction or place that is behind or rear
70. These economic activities had disastrous environmental \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the outcome of a particular action or event, especially relative to an individual
71. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the discussion was the current state of the economy.  
*n.* a subject that is being discussed or written about
72. New York is a city with a \_\_\_\_\_ ethnic population.  
*adj.* including numerous categories of individuals or entities; various
73. The organization finally signed a peace \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* an official agreement or treaty between two organizations, countries, etc.;  
(verb) allow to have
74. The \_\_\_\_\_ of getting the disease will drastically increase.  
*n.* a chance that something may happen or be true
75. The committee \_\_\_\_\_ several apparent inconsistencies.  
*v.* to conduct a systematic or formal inquiry to identify and evaluate the facts of a crime, problem, statement, etc. to establish the truth

ANSWERS: 67. resolves, 68. relate, 69. backward, 70. consequences, 71. topic, 72. diverse, 73. accord, 74. possibility, 75. investigated



76. He stepped on the gas pedal, and the engine released a loud \_\_\_\_.

- n.* a measure of the rate at which an engine or motor rotates, often expressed in revolutions per minute (RPM); (verb) to increase the number of rotations per minute

77. The police stopped the suspicious person and asked him to give his name, address, and \_\_\_\_\_.

- n.* a person's job or profession; the act of taking possession

ANSWERS: 76. rev, 77. occupation