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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### dense

*adj.* containing a large number of people or something with little space between them

*synonym* : heavy, thick, idiotic

(1) nutrient- **dense** foods, (2) **dense** forests

The entire mountain is covered in **dense** rainforest.

### metropolitan

*adj.* of or relating to a large city or a city that is considered to be the cultural or economic center of a region or country

*synonym* : urban, city, municipal

(1) major **metropolitan** area, (2) **metropolitan** city

The city is a true **metropolitan**, with a diverse population and bustling streets.

### replace

*v.* to take the place of something

*synonym* : substitute, supersede, displace

(1) **replace** one word with another, (2) **replace** a phone

Eventually, the new design will **replace** all older models.

### norm

*n.* something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard

*synonym* : criterion, mean, standard

(1) **norm** of action, (2) cultural **norm**

The systems we have developed has accepted as industry

## norms.

### envelop

v. to surround and cover completely; to encase

*synonym*: wrap, cover, surround

(1) **envelop** the whole world, (2) **envelop** her in a bear hug

The fog **enveloped** the city, making it difficult to see.

### launch

v. to send or propel something into the air or space using a device such as a rocket, missile, or spacecraft; to make something available or on sale for the first time

*synonym*: start, initiate, begin

(1) **launch** a spaceship into orbit, (2) **launch** a big attack

The company is set to **launch** its new product line next month.

### invest

v. to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result

*synonym*: fund, sponsor, support

(1) **invest** in stocks, (2) **invest** capital

The government should view children as national assets and actively **invest** in them.

### communal

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

*synonym*: collaborative, combined, collective

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

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

### corporation

*n.* a large company or group of companies that are controlled together by law as a single unit

*synonym*: business, company, enterprise

(1) a public **corporation**, (2) **corporation** assets

Four companies were amalgamated into a single **corporation**.

## individual

*n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group  
*synonym* : person, being, self

(1) a private **individual**, (2) **individual** freedom

As an **individual**, he had the right to make his own decisions and live his life as he saw fit.

## peer

*n.* a person who has the same age, status, or ability  
*synonym* : fellow, associate, counterpart

(1) **peer** group, (2) **peer** review

Among young people, **peer** pressure can be pretty influential.

## 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.

## babysitter

*n.* a person hired to look after a child or children while the parents are away or occupied; someone who provides temporary care and supervision for children in the absence of their parents or guardians

*synonym* : childcare provider, nanny, nurse

(1) need a trustworthy **babysitter**, (2) experienced **babysitter**

Our regular **babysitter** was sick, so we had to find a replacement at the last minute.

## craft

*n.* an activity that requires a particular skill in making things with one's hands

*synonym* : art, skill, workmanship

(1) **craft** arts of Japan, (2) **craft** manufacture

His hometown was where he first acquired the **craft** of wood carving.

## platform

*n.* the raised flat space close to the track at a train station where passengers get on or off the train; (technology) a computational or digital environment in which a piece of software is executed

*synonym*: stage, podium, forum

(1) an arrival **platform**, (2) a digital **platform** for enterprise

The speaker mounted the **platform** and started to speak.

## participate

*v.* to take part in something

*synonym*: take part, partake, enter

(1) **participate** fully in conversation, (2) **participate** in the program

The majority of students actively **participated** in the college's intramural sports program.

## partnership

*n.* the state of a cooperative relationship between people or groups, especially in business

*synonym*: alliance, participation, cooperation

(1) **partnership** across the Atlantic, (2) establish a **partnership**

The military **partnership** between the two countries created tension in the international community.

## strengthen

*v.* to become stronger or more effective; to make someone or something stronger or more effective

*synonym*: reinforce, harden, boost

(1) **strengthen** the immune system, (2) **strengthen** a border patrol

Difficulties **strengthen** the mind, as labor does the body.

## incorporate

*v.* to include something as a part of a larger entity

*synonym*: contain, integrate, amalgamate

(1) **incorporate** the current trends, (2) **incorporate** technology into daily life

We will attempt to **incorporate** some of your suggestions into our future strategy.

## economy

*n.* the system by which a country or region produces, manages, and distributes goods and services, including the money and finances involved in these activities; (of an airline) the lowest-priced, most basic option for seating in commercial travel

*synonym*: finance, trade, business

(1) **economy** of scale, (2) **economy** class

The **economy** of the country is struggling due to the recent political instability.

## consume

*v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount

*synonym*: absorb, ingest, use up

(1) **consume** a large of alcohol, (2) **consume** electricity

A smaller car will **consume** less fuel.

## recourse

*n.* a source of help or support, especially in a difficult or critical situation; the option or ability to seek or pursue something, particularly legal action or appeal

*synonym*: resort, alternative, choice

(1) **recourse** debt, (2) legal **recourse**

The government has no **recourse** but to raise taxes to fund public services.

## bound

*v.* to move forward by leaps and bounds; to form the boundary of something

*synonym*: jump, bounce, leap

(1) **bounded** with delight, (2) **bound** up a staircase

Canada **bounds** on the United States.

## brand

*n.* a type of product, service, etc., made by a particular company and sold under a specific name; identification mark on the skin of livestock, criminals, etc., made by burning

*synonym*: trademark, label, symbol

(1) create a **brand** logo, (2) the **brand** of the new car

There's a new **brand** of hero in the movies now.

## incredibly

*adv.* in a way that is very difficult to believe; exceedingly or extremely

*synonym*: enormously, exceptionally, extraordinarily

(1) **incredibly** cheerful character, (2) get **incredibly** insecure

Several cities are experiencing **incredibly** high unemployment rates.

## diversity

*n.* the quality or fact of many different types of things or people being included in something; a range of different things or people

*synonym*: variety, multiplicity, variousness

(1) the **diversity** policy of the university, (2) lingual **diversity**  
He was impressed by the range and **diversity** of the collection.

## aspect

*n.* one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.

*synonym*: characteristic, element, factor

(1) nontechnical **aspects** of the job, (2) **aspects** of social, political, and economic life

His professional experience includes all **aspects** of media production.

## yearn

*v.* to strongly desire or long for something

*synonym*: long, desire, crave

(1) **yearn** after my old days, (2) **yearn** for love

She **yearned** for the days when things were simpler.

## eager

*adj.* showing enthusiasm and a strong desire or interest to do something

*synonym*: keen, enthusiastic, ardent

(1) **eager** anticipation, (2) with **eager** eyes

The children were **eager** to start the treasure hunt.

## innovation

*n.* the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation

*synonym*: invention, initiation, creation

(1) **innovation** leader, (2) cutting-edge **innovation**

The vegetarian burger was an **innovation** that quickly spread to the United Kingdom.

## transport

*n.* a system for moving people or products from one location to another using automobiles, roads, and so on  
*synonym*: shipment, transit, conveyance

(1) **transport** facilities, (2) access to public **transport**

Enhanced rail **transportation** is crucial for our business.

## phenomenal

*adj.* extremely good or impressive; outstanding  
*synonym*: extraordinary, remarkable, impressive

(1) **phenomenal** success, (2) **phenomenal** growth

The athlete's **phenomenal** performance broke all previous records.

## equivalent

*n.* having the same value, quality, meaning, purpose, etc.  
*synonym*: equal, counterpart, match

(1) **equivalent** amounts, (2) **equivalent** in meaning

The European Central Bank is Europe's **equivalent** of the Federal Reserve.

## excess

*n.* an amount or quantity beyond what is acceptable, expected, or reasonable  
*synonym*: exuberance, glut, surplus

(1) lose **excess** weight, (2) an **excess** of exports

The road of **excess** leads to the palace of wisdom.

## realm

*n.* a domain of activity, interest, or knowledge  
*synonym*: domain, empire, kingdom

(1) public **realm**, (2) beyond the **realm** of possibility

Her passions are in the **realm** of real-world political affairs.

## gig

*n.* a performance by a musician or group of musicians, especially playing modern or pop music or jazz; a work that someone undertakes on a temporary basis  
*synonym*:

show, concert, engagement

(1) **gig** economy, (2) have a **gig** at the stadium

We are planning a speaking **gig** by a well-known author at a community center in a neighboring town.

## concept

*n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract  
*synonym*: idea, notion, vision

(1) learn new **concepts**, (2) **concept** car

One such rapidly growing **concept** is quantum cryptography.

## complexity

*n.* the state or quality of being complicated or intricate and difficult to understand

*synonym*: intricacy, sophistication, elaboration

(1) cognitive **complexity**, (2) **complexity** theory

The project's **complexity** made it difficult for the team to complete it on time.

## engineer

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

*synonym*: architect, creator, builder

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

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

## marketplace

*n.* a physical or virtual venue where goods or services are bought and sold; an economic system that facilitates exchange between buyers and sellers

*synonym*: bazaar, mart, emporium

(1) **marketplace** competition, (2) global **marketplace**

The online **marketplace** offers a wide variety of products for shoppers.

## celebrated

*adj.* renowned for possessing admirable attributes

*synonym*: acclaimed, notable, prominent

(1) **celebrated** artist, (2) **celebrated** paper

Three **celebrated** tenors performed during the president's inauguration.



## anniversary

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

*synonym*: commemoration, celebration, observance

(1) **anniversary** celebration, (2) a bicentennial **anniversary**  
They celebrated their 10th **anniversary** with a romantic dinner.

## businessperson

*n.* a person who is engaged in business, typically as an owner or executive

*synonym*: entrepreneur, executive

(1) a young **businessperson**, (2) **businessperson** network  
He was a successful **businessperson** and had much experience in the field.

## incredible

*adj.* unbelievable; enormous

*synonym*: unbelievable, fantastical, inconceivable

(1) **incredible** amount, (2) at **incredible** speed  
Her response revealed **incredible** idiocy.

## roll

*v.* to move in a particular direction by turning over and over or from side to side

*synonym*: spin, swirl, wheel

(1) **roll** a ball, (2) **roll** down his cheeks  
He was exhausted and **rolled** into bed as soon as he got home.

## trivial

*adj.* of little value or importance

*synonym*: insignificant, minor, unimportant

(1) a **trivial** man, (2) for **trivial** reasons  
The problem seemed **trivial** initially, but it became a significant issue.

## start-up

*n.* a newly established company or business

(1) **start-up** business, (2) early-stage **start-up**  
Our company's services are targeted at **start-up** executives.

## convenient

*adj.* useful, helpful, or quick to do  
*synonym*: timely, fortunate, suitable

(1) **convenient** way, (2) **convenient** location

The airport offers five **convenient** access routes.

## decision

*n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options

*synonym*: choice, determination, judgment

(1) **decision** authority, (2) a selfish **decision**

She was struggling to make a **decision** between two job offers.

## insure

*v.* to provide coverage in the event of loss or damage

*synonym*: protect, guard, safeguard

(1) **insure** my house against fire, (2) **insure** domestic tranquility

I will **insure** my car before I go on a road trip.

## innovative

*adj.* introducing or using new methods, ideas, etc.

*synonym*: creative, ingenious, inventive

(1) use of **innovative** technology, (2) stylistically **innovative** works

The Prime Minister stressed the need to create **innovative** industries.

## responsible

*adj.* answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management

*synonym*: accountable, answerable, liable

(1) **responsible** action, (2) **responsible** for a customer service

She's a **responsible** pet owner who ensures her dog gets enough exercise and a healthy diet.

## deductible

*adj.* able to be subtracted or taken away, particularly about an amount that is subtracted from an insurance claim or

income for tax purposes

*synonym* : redeemable, subtractible, removable

(1) high **deductible** plan, (2) **deductible** tax

The **deductible** on my insurance policy was higher than I expected.

## assist

*v.* to help someone in doing anything

*synonym* : help, support, aid

(1) **assist** a patient, (2) **assist** his goal

Please **assist** her with the furniture relocation.

## entrepreneur

*n.* an individual who creates or invests in one or more businesses, especially when this involves taking financial risks

*synonym* : founder, executive

(1) a successful **entrepreneur**, (2) billionaire **entrepreneur**

**Entrepreneurs** willingly accept business risks to achieve success.

## beforehand

*adv.* ahead of time; in advance

*synonym* : in advance, preceding, earlier

(1) take a seat **beforehand**, (2) three months **beforehand**

She packed her sunscreen **beforehand** to remember it on the beach trip.

## exciting

*adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement

*synonym* : exhilarating, stimulating, thrilling

(1) **exciting** football player, (2) **exciting** news

The findings of the experiment were both **exciting** and unexpected.

## reserve

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

*synonym* : keep, hold, preserve

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

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

## euro

*n.* the official currency of most European Union countries

(1) the value of the **Euro**, (2) **Euro** crises

Some countries may leave the **Euro**.

## proportion

*n.* a part, share, or amount of something considered in comparative relation to a whole

*synonym*: ratio, balance, consonance

(1) direct **proportion**, (2) a building of vast **proportions**

He is more concerned about the **proportion** of his body fat than usual because of an upcoming bodybuilding competition.

## robin

*n.* a small bird from the thrush family, typically having a red breast and found across Europe, Asia, and North America

*synonym*: thrush, red-breast, redbird

(1) **robin** eggs, (2) **robin's** nest

I love listening to the cheerful song of the **robin** in my garden.

## industrial

*adj.* of or relating to or resulting from industry

*synonym*: manufacturing, mechanical

(1) beginning of the **industrial** revolution, (2) **industrial** alcohol

**Industrial** design has become more focused on human nature aspect than ever before.

## 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.

## 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**.

### cleverly

*adv.* in a way that demonstrates intelligence or ability  
*synonym*: smartly, shrewdly, wittily

(1) **cleverly** devised trap, (2) guess **cleverly**  
The dog jumped **cleverly** to one side.

### excitement

*n.* a feeling of great enthusiasm and eagerness  
*synonym*: thrill, exhilaration, incitement

(1) the **excitement** in the business world, (2) aesthetic **excitement**  
The **excitement** of the upcoming concert was palpable among the crowd.

### locate

*v.* to specify or determine the exact position of someone or something  
*synonym*: discover, find, place

(1) **locate** a missing pet, (2) **locate** a tumor  
The robot can accurately **locate** construction material.

### excite

*v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager  
*synonym*: thrill, exhilarate, animate

(1) **excite** the crowd, (2) **excite** rebellion  
The news of her promotion **excited** her.

### fashion

*n.* a style that is popular at a particular time or place; the state of being popular  
*synonym*: style, manner, fad

(1) go out of **fashion**, (2) new **fashion** trends  
That style is no longer in **fashion**.

### tradition

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

custom, practice, ritual

(1) a **tradition** of a culture, (2) against **tradition**

It is a **tradition** in many families to have a big Thanksgiving dinner with all their relatives.

## spectrum

*n.* an ordered array of colors into which a light beam can be split

*synonym*: range, scale, spread

(1) a broad **spectrum** of opinion, (2) infrared **spectrum**

This device displayed the speech **spectrum** spectrographically.

## cliff

*n.* a steep rock face, especially one at the edge of the sea or a river

*synonym*: crag, escarpment, precipice

(1) a bold **cliff**, (2) **cliff** diving

He stood at the edge of the **cliff** and looked out to sea.

## experiment

*n.* the scientific test conducted to observe what happens and gain new knowledge

*synonym*: experimentation, investigation

(1) **experiment** design, (2) series of **experiments**

His **experiments** showed highly positive results.

## 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.

## hive

*n.* a structure for the reception and habitation of bees, either built by people or made by the bees themselves; a place swarming people

*synonym*: apiary, swarm, pack

(1) honeybees in **hives**, (2) a **hive** of activity

Bees were buzzing around the **hive**

## facility

*n.* a building or place that provides a particular service or is used for a particular industry

*synonym*: building, structure, installation

(1) a cell phone with an internet **facility**, (2) **facility** design

This company has an entire recycling **facility**, including major reprocessing plants.

## innovate

*v.* to introduce new methods, ideas, or products

*synonym*: bring in, introduce, found

(1) **innovate** a new method, (2) **innovate** the quality of his life

Companies developing self-driving cars consistently **innovate** the emerging technologies.

## urgency

*n.* the quality of being very important and needing to be dealt with immediately

*synonym*: importance, importunity, urging

(1) **urgency** in the use of force, (2) matter of **urgency**

She departed hurriedly because of some significant **urgency** in their affairs.

## creative

*adj.* relating to or involving the use of skill and original and unusual ideas to create something

*synonym*: imaginative, innovative, inventive

(1) **creative** writing, (2) barren of **creative** spirit

All the supervisor has to do is assign tasks that make his subordinates more **creative**.

## universe

*n.* everything that exists, especially all physical matter, including planets, stars, galaxies, and all other forms of matter and energy

*synonym*: cosmos, macrocosm

(1) theory of the **universe**, (2) expansion of the **universe**

The **universe** is about 13.8 billion years old.

## profound

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

*synonym* : deep, unsounded, far-reaching

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

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

## sector

*n.* a distinct part or division of something often used to refer to a segment of an economy or industry; an area or field of work or activity

*synonym* : division, department, branch

(1) industrial **sector**, (2) private **sector**

The technology **sector** is constantly evolving and innovating.

## revelry

*n.* lively and noisy festivities, typically involving drinking, dancing, and general merrymaking; a celebration marked by indulgence and enjoyment

*synonym* : festivity, merrymaking, celebration

(1) **revelry** in the streets, (2) festival **revelry**

The street was filled with **revelry** on New Year's Eve.

## empower

*v.* to give someone the power or authority to do something

*synonym* : authorize, endow, entitle

(1) **empower** my life, (2) **empower** the secretary to do the same

The company **empowered** employees to buy low-price items without approval to achieve efficient purchasing.

## notch

*n.* a V-shaped cut or indentation made in a surface or edge; a level of achievement or success; a point or degree of measurement or comparison

*synonym* : groove, slit, incision

(1) top- **notch** service, (2) score a **notch**

The cake was decorated with a **notch** to represent the birthday boy's age.

## supercharge

*v.* to increase the power or energy of something

*synonym* : boost, enhance, power up



(1) **supercharge** economic growth, (2) **supercharge** the battery

They **supercharged** the engine to get more power.

## **collaboration**

*n.* the act or situation of working together to create or produce something

*synonym*: affiliation, alliance, coalition

(1) **collaboration** between companies, (2) **collaboration** platform

The partnership program requires a mutual **collaboration** between both agencies.

## Session 2: Spelling

1. private se\_\_\_r *n.* a distinct part or division of something often used to refer to a segment of an economy or industry; an area or field of work or activity
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| 12. a tr_____l man                          | <i>adj.</i> of little value or importance  |
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22. inc\_\_\_\_\_le amount *adj.* unbelievable; enormous
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24. re\_\_\_\_\_on of inclusion *n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
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27. as\_\_\_ts of social, political, and economic life *n.* one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.
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35. direct pro\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a part, share, or amount of something considered in comparative relation to a whole
36. sup\_\_\_\_\_ge economic growth *v.* to increase the power or energy of something
37. par\_\_\_\_\_te in the program *v.* to take part in something
38. re\_\_\_\_\_y in the streets *n.* lively and noisy festivities, typically involving drinking, dancing, and general merrymaking; a celebration marked by indulgence and enjoyment
39. met\_\_\_\_\_tan city *adj.* of or relating to a large city or a city that is considered to be the cultural or economic center of a region or country
40. par\_\_\_\_\_ip across the Atlantic *n.* the state of a cooperative relationship between people or groups, especially in business
41. con\_\_\_\_\_nt way *adj.* useful, helpful, or quick to do
42. g\_g economy *n.* a performance by a musician or group of musicians, especially playing modern or pop music or jazz; a work that someone undertakes on a temporary basis
43. cel\_\_\_\_\_ed paper *adj.* renowned for possessing admirable attributes
44. inc\_\_\_\_\_te technology into daily life *v.* to include something as a part of a larger entity
45. n\_\_m of action *n.* something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard

ANSWERS: 35. proportion, 36. supercharge, 37. participate, 38. revelry, 39. metropolitan, 40. partnership, 41. convenient, 42. gig, 43. celebrated, 44. incorporate, 45. norm

46. sup\_\_\_\_\_ge the battery      *v.* to increase the power or energy of something
47. as\_\_\_t a patient      *v.* to help someone in doing anything
48. use of inn\_\_\_\_\_ve technology      *adj.* introducing or using new methods, ideas, etc.
49. inn\_\_\_\_\_on leader      *n.* the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation
50. re\_\_\_\_\_on between cause and effect      *n.* the way two persons or groups of people feel and act toward one another
51. series of exp\_\_\_\_\_nts      *n.* the scientific test conducted to observe what happens and gain new knowledge
52. phe\_\_\_\_\_al success      *adj.* extremely good or impressive; outstanding
53. col\_\_\_\_\_ion between companies      *n.* the act or situation of working together to create or produce something
54. high ded\_\_\_\_\_le plan      *adj.* able to be subtracted or taken away, particularly about an amount that is subtracted from an insurance claim or income for tax purposes
55. cr\_\_\_\_\_ve writing      *adj.* relating to or involving the use of skill and original and unusual ideas to create something
56. beyond the re\_\_m of possibility      *n.* a domain of activity, interest, or knowledge
57. experienced bab\_\_\_\_\_er      *n.* a person hired to look after a child or children while the parents are away or occupied; someone who provides temporary care and supervision for children in the absence of their parents or guardians

ANSWERS: 46. supercharge, 47. assist, 48. innovative, 49. innovation, 50. relation, 51. experiment, 52. phenomenal, 53. collaboration, 54. deductible, 55. creative, 56. realm, 57. babysitter

58. a selfish de\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options
59. cel\_\_\_\_\_ed artist *adj.* renowned for possessing admirable attributes
60. co\_\_\_\_\_e electricity *v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
61. guess cl\_\_\_\_\_ly *adv.* in a way that demonstrates intelligence or ability
62. as\_\_\_\_t his goal *v.* to help someone in doing anything
63. expansion of the un\_\_\_\_\_se *n.* everything that exists, especially all physical matter, including planets, stars, galaxies, and all other forms of matter and energy
64. re\_\_\_\_\_e a phone *v.* to take the place of something
65. mar\_\_\_\_\_ce competition *n.* a physical or virtual venue where goods or services are bought and sold; an economic system that facilitates exchange between buyers and sellers
66. major met\_\_\_\_\_tan area *adj.* of or relating to a large city or a city that is considered to be the cultural or economic center of a region or country
67. against tr\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a belief, custom, or way of doing something that has been passed down from generation to generation within a group or society
68. a private ind\_\_\_\_\_al *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group

ANSWERS: 58. decision, 59. celebrated, 60. consume, 61. cleverly, 62. assist, 63. universe, 64. replace, 65. marketplace, 66. metropolitan, 67. tradition, 68. individual

69. barren of cr\_\_\_\_ve spirit *adj.* relating to or involving the use of skill and original and unusual ideas to create something
70. cr\_\_t manufacture *n.* an activity that requires a particular skill in making things with one's hands
71. lo\_\_\_e a tumor *v.* to specify or determine the exact position of someone or something
72. have a g\_g at the stadium *n.* a performance by a musician or group of musicians, especially playing modern or pop music or jazz; a work that someone undertakes on a temporary basis
73. access to public tr\_\_\_\_rt *n.* a system for moving people or products from one location to another using automobiles, roads, and so on
74. top-no\_\_h service *n.* a V-shaped cut or indentation made in a surface or edge; a level of achievement or success; a point or degree of measurement or comparison
75. in\_\_\_t in stocks *v.* to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result
76. r\_\_l a ball *v.* to move in a particular direction by turning over and over or from side to side
77. take a seat bef\_\_\_\_nd *adv.* ahead of time; in advance
78. in\_\_\_\_te the quality of his life *v.* to introduce new methods, ideas, or products
79. lo\_\_\_e a missing pet *v.* to specify or determine the exact position of someone or something

ANSWERS: 69. creative, 70. craft, 71. locate, 72. gig, 73. transport, 74. notch, 75. invest, 76. roll, 77. beforehand, 78. innovate, 79. locate



80. ye\_\_n for love                    *v.*    to strongly desire or long for something
81. re\_\_\_\_e the right                *v.*    to keep something for future use or contingency; to obtain or arrange something, such as a meeting, seat, etc., in advance
82. equ\_\_\_\_\_nt amounts            *n.*    having the same value, quality, meaning, purpose, etc.
83. in\_\_\_\_\_ce the daily life        *n.*    the ability to affect someone's or something's character, growth, or behavior, or the effect itself
84. en\_\_\_\_\_p her in a bear hug      *v.*    to surround and cover completely; to encase
85. re\_\_\_\_e one word with another    *v.*    to take the place of something
86. la\_\_\_h a big attack                *v.*    to send or propel something into the air or space using a device such as a rocket, missile, or spacecraft; to make something available or on sale for the first time
87. three months bef\_\_\_\_\_nd        *adv.* ahead of time; in advance
88. a bicentennial ann\_\_\_\_\_ry      *n.*    the annual recurrence of a date marking a notable event; a date on which an event occurred in a previous year
89. lingual di\_\_\_\_\_ty                *n.*    the quality or fact of many different types of things or people being included in something; a range of different things or people
90. em\_\_\_\_\_r my life                *v.*    to give someone the power or authority to do something

ANSWERS: 80. yearn, 81. reserve, 82. equivalent, 83. influence, 84. envelop, 85. replace, 86. launch, 87. beforehand, 88. anniversary, 89. diversity, 90. empower

91. in\_\_\_\_\_ce a child's future *n.* the ability to affect someone's or something's character, growth, or behavior, or the effect itself
92. p\_\_r group *n.* a person who has the same age, status, or ability
93. a tr\_\_\_\_\_on of a culture *n.* a belief, custom, or way of doing something that has been passed down from generation to generation within a group or society
94. a bold cl\_\_f *n.* a steep rock face, especially one at the edge of the sea or a river
95. co\_\_\_\_\_al combination of funds *adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
96. matter of ur\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* the quality of being very important and needing to be dealt with immediately
97. the value of the E\_\_o *n.* the official currency of most European Union countries
98. r\_\_l down his cheeks *v.* to move in a particular direction by turning over and over or from side to side
99. beginning of the ind\_\_\_\_\_al revolution *adj.* of or relating to or resulting from industry
100. la\_\_\_h a spaceship into orbit *v.* to send or propel something into the air or space using a device such as a rocket, missile, or spacecraft; to make something available or on sale for the first time
101. co\_\_\_\_\_al swimming pool *adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use

ANSWERS: 91. influence, 92. peer, 93. tradition, 94. cliff, 95. communal, 96. urgency, 97. euro, 98. roll, 99. industrial, 100. launch, 101. communal

102. the br__d of the new car	<i>n.</i> a type of product, service, etc., made by a particular company and sold under a specific name; identification mark on the skin of livestock, criminals, etc., made by burning
103. cultural n__m	<i>n.</i> something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard
104. st____up business	<i>n.</i> a newly established company or business
105. cognitive com____ty	<i>n.</i> the state or quality of being complicated or intricate and difficult to understand
106. ye__n after my old days	<i>v.</i> to strongly desire or long for something
107. ded____le tax	<i>adj.</i> able to be subtracted or taken away, particularly about an amount that is subtracted from an insurance claim or income for tax purposes
108. honeybees in h__es	<i>n.</i> a structure for the reception and habitation of bees, either built by people or made by the bees themselves; a place swarming people
109. in__t capital	<i>v.</i> to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result
110. a successful ent____eur	<i>n.</i> an individual who creates or invests in one or more businesses, especially when this involves taking financial risks
111. ind____al alcohol	<i>adj.</i> of or relating to or resulting from industry
112. ex____ng news	<i>adj.</i> causing a lot of interest or excitement

ANSWERS: 102. brand, 103. norm, 104. start-up, 105. complexity, 106. yearn, 107. deductible, 108. hive, 109. invest, 110. entrepreneur, 111. industrial, 112. exciting

113. the exc\_\_\_\_\_nt in the business world      *n.* a feeling of great enthusiasm and eagerness
114. create a br\_\_d logo      *n.* a type of product, service, etc., made by a particular company and sold under a specific name; identification mark on the skin of livestock, criminals, etc., made by burning
115. ind\_\_\_\_\_al freedom      *n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
116. in\_\_\_\_\_te a new method      *v.* to introduce new methods, ideas, or products
117. industrial se\_\_\_\_r      *n.* a distinct part or division of something often used to refer to a segment of an economy or industry; an area or field of work or activity
118. a pr\_\_\_\_\_nd book      *adj.* extremely great; sensed or experienced very strongly; displaying a high level of knowledge or comprehension
119. bo\_\_ded with delight      *v.* to move forward by leaps and bounds; to form the boundary of something
120. nontechnical as\_\_\_\_ts of the job      *n.* one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.
121. bus\_\_\_\_\_son network      *n.* a person who is engaged in business, typically as an owner or executive
122. need a trustworthy bab\_\_\_\_\_er      *n.* a person hired to look after a child or children while the parents are away or occupied; someone who provides temporary care and supervision for children in the absence of their parents or guardians

ANSWERS: 113. excitement, 114. brand, 115. individual, 116. innovate, 117. sector, 118. profound, 119. bound, 120. aspect, 121. businessperson, 122. babysitter

123. a public cor\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a large company or group of companies that are controlled together by law as a single unit
124. get con\_\_\_\_\_nt results *adj.* always behaving or happening in the same way, or having the same thoughts, standards, etc.
125. p\_\_r review *n.* a person who has the same age, status, or ability
126. co\_\_\_\_\_e a large of alcohol *v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
127. at inc\_\_\_\_\_le speed *adj.* unbelievable; enormous
128. cl\_\_\_\_\_ly devised trap *adv.* in a way that demonstrates intelligence or ability
129. par\_\_\_\_\_te fully in conversation *v.* to take part in something
130. ro\_\_n's nest *n.* a small bird from the thrush family, typically having a red breast and found across Europe, Asia, and North America
131. de\_\_e forests *adj.* containing a large number of people or something with little space between them
132. re\_\_\_\_\_e a concert ticket *v.* to keep something for future use or contingency; to obtain or arrange something, such as a meeting, seat, etc., in advance
133. the di\_\_\_\_\_ty policy of the university *n.* the quality or fact of many different types of things or people being included in something; a range of different things or people

ANSWERS: 123. corporation, 124. consistent, 125. peer, 126. consume, 127. incredible, 128. cleverly, 129. participate, 130. robin, 131. dense, 132. reserve, 133. diversity

134. col\_\_\_\_\_ion platform *n.* the act or situation of working together to create or produce something
135. ec\_\_\_\_\_y class *n.* the system by which a country or region produces manages, and distributes goods and services, including the money and finances involved in these activities; (of an airline) the lowest-priced, most basic option for seating in commercial travel
136. do on a con\_\_\_\_\_nt basis *adj.* always behaving or happening in the same way, or having the same thoughts, standards, etc.
137. de\_\_\_\_\_on authority *n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options
138. exp\_\_\_\_\_nt design *n.* the scientific test conducted to observe what happens and gain new knowledge
139. ex\_\_\_e the crowd *v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager
140. public re\_\_m *n.* a domain of activity, interest, or knowledge
141. ec\_\_\_\_\_y of scale *n.* the system by which a country or region produces manages, and distributes goods and services, including the money and finances involved in these activities; (of an airline) the lowest-priced, most basic option for seating in commercial travel
142. tr\_\_\_\_\_rt facilities *n.* a system for moving people or products from one location to another using automobiles, roads, and so on

ANSWERS: 134. collaboration, 135. economy, 136. consistent, 137. decision, 138. experiment, 139. excite, 140. realm, 141. economy, 142. transport

143. sma\_\_\_\_\_ne app developer *n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet
144. global mar\_\_\_\_\_ce *n.* a physical or virtual venue where goods or services are bought and sold; an economic system that facilitates exchange between buyers and sellers
145. ex\_\_\_e rebellion *v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager
146. billionaire ent\_\_\_\_\_eur *n.* an individual who creates or invests in one or more businesses, especially when this involves taking financial risks
147. the pr\_\_\_\_\_nd depths of the sea *adj.* extremely great; sensed or experienced very strongly; displaying a high level of knowledge or comprehension
148. en\_\_\_\_\_er shortage *n.* a person whose job is designing, building, or maintaining something such as machines, structures, or software
149. res\_\_\_\_\_le for a customer service *adj.* answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management
150. en\_\_\_\_\_p the whole world *v.* to surround and cover completely; to encase
151. E\_\_o crises *n.* the official currency of most European Union countries
152. a broad sp\_\_\_\_\_um of opinion *n.* an ordered array of colors into which a light beam can be split
153. con\_\_\_\_\_nt location *adj.* useful, helpful, or quick to do
154. in\_\_\_e my house against fire *v.* to provide coverage in the event of loss or damage

ANSWERS: 143. smartphone, 144. marketplace, 145. excite, 146. entrepreneur, 147. profound, 148. engineer, 149. responsible, 150. envelop, 151. euro, 152. spectrum, 153. convenient, 154. insure

155. inc\_\_\_\_\_te the current trends      *v.* to include something as a part of a larger entity
156. festival re\_\_\_\_\_y      *n.* lively and noisy festivities, typically involving drinking, dancing, and general merrymaking; a celebration marked by indulgence and enjoyment
157. nutrient-de\_\_e foods      *adj.* containing a large number of people or something with little space between them
158. em\_\_\_\_\_r the secretary to do the same      *v.* to give someone the power or authority to do something
159. learn new co\_\_\_\_\_ts      *n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract
160. ann\_\_\_\_\_ry celebration      *n.* the annual recurrence of a date marking a notable event; a date on which an event occurred in a previous year
161. new fa\_\_\_\_\_n trends      *n.* a style that is popular at a particular time or place; the state of being popular
162. co\_\_\_\_\_t car      *n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract
163. phe\_\_\_\_\_al growth      *adj.* extremely good or impressive; outstanding
164. a h\_\_e of activity      *n.* a structure for the reception and habitation of bees, either built by people or made by the bees themselves; a place swarming people
165. ur\_\_\_\_\_y in the use of force      *n.* the quality of being very important and needing to be dealt with immediately

ANSWERS: 155. incorporate, 156. revelry, 157. dense, 158. empower, 159. concept, 160. anniversary, 161. fashion, 162. concept, 163. phenomenal, 164. hive, 165. urgency



166. re\_\_\_\_\_se debt *n.* a source of help or support, especially in a difficult or critical situation; the option or ability to seek or pursue something, particularly legal action or appeal
167. cr\_\_t arts of Japan *n.* an activity that requires a particular skill in making things with one's hands
168. cor\_\_\_\_\_on assets *n.* a large company or group of companies that are controlled together by law as a single unit
169. legal re\_\_\_\_\_se *n.* a source of help or support, especially in a difficult or critical situation; the option or ability to seek or pursue something, particularly legal action or appeal
170. lose ex\_\_\_\_s weight *n.* an amount or quantity beyond what is acceptable, expected, or reasonable
171. str\_\_\_\_\_en the immune system *v.* to become stronger or more effective; to make someone or something stronger or more effective
172. ex\_\_\_\_\_ng football player *adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement
173. fa\_\_\_\_\_ty design *n.* a building or place that provides a particular service or is used for a particular industry
174. with ea\_\_r eyes *adj.* showing enthusiasm and a strong desire or interest to do something

ANSWERS: 166. recourse, 167. craft, 168. corporation, 169. recourse, 170. excess, 171. strengthen, 172. exciting, 173. facility, 174. eager

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The children were \_\_\_\_\_ to start the treasure hunt.  
*adj.* showing enthusiasm and a strong desire or interest to do something
2. Please \_\_\_\_\_ her with the furniture relocation.  
*v.* to help someone in doing anything
3. The news of her promotion \_\_\_\_\_ her.  
*v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager
4. Her response revealed \_\_\_\_\_ idiocy.  
*adj.* unbelievable; enormous
5. The dog jumped \_\_\_\_\_ to one side.  
*adv.* in a way that demonstrates intelligence or ability
6. Our company's services are targeted at \_\_\_\_\_ executives.  
*n.* a newly established company or business
7. The Prime Minister stressed the need to create \_\_\_\_\_ industries.  
*adj.* introducing or using new methods, ideas, etc.
8. Some countries may leave the \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the official currency of most European Union countries
9. The robot can accurately \_\_\_\_\_ construction material.  
*v.* to specify or determine the exact position of someone or something

ANSWERS: 1. eager, 2. assist, 3. excited, 4. incredible, 5. cleverly, 6. start-up, 7. innovative, 8. Euro, 9. locate

10. The street was filled with \_\_\_\_\_ on New Year's Eve.  
*n.* lively and noisy festivities, typically involving drinking, dancing, and general merrymaking; a celebration marked by indulgence and enjoyment
11. He was a successful \_\_\_\_\_ and had much experience in the field.  
*n.* a person who is engaged in business, typically as an owner or executive
12. She departed hurriedly because of some significant \_\_\_\_\_ in their affairs.  
*n.* the quality of being very important and needing to be dealt with immediately
13. His professional experience includes all \_\_\_\_\_ of media production.  
*n.* one part or feature of a situation, problem, subject, etc.
14. Four companies were amalgamated into a single \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a large company or group of companies that are controlled together by law as a single unit
15. The majority of students actively \_\_\_\_\_ in the college's intramural sports program.  
*v.* to take part in something
16. The online \_\_\_\_\_ offers a wide variety of products for shoppers.  
*n.* a physical or virtual venue where goods or services are bought and sold; an economic system that facilitates exchange between buyers and sellers
17. The company is set to \_\_\_\_\_ its new product line next month.  
*v.* to send or propel something into the air or space using a device such as a rocket, missile, or spacecraft; to make something available or on sale for the first time

ANSWERS: 10. revelry, 11. businessperson, 12. urgency, 13. aspects, 14. corporation, 15. participated, 16. marketplace, 17. launch

18. Several cities are experiencing \_\_\_\_\_ high unemployment rates.  
*adv.* in a way that is very difficult to believe; exceedingly or extremely
19. Difficulties \_\_\_\_\_ the mind, as labor does the body.  
*v.* to become stronger or more effective; to make someone or something stronger or more effective
20. The road of \_\_\_\_\_ leads to the palace of wisdom.  
*n.* an amount or quantity beyond what is acceptable, expected, or reasonable
21. That style is no longer in \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a style that is popular at a particular time or place; the state of being popular
22. The findings of the experiment were both \_\_\_\_\_ and unexpected.  
*adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement
23. One such rapidly growing \_\_\_\_\_ is quantum cryptography.  
*n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract
24. The cake was decorated with a \_\_\_\_\_ to represent the birthday boy's age.  
*n.* a V-shaped cut or indentation made in a surface or edge; a level of achievement or success; a point or degree of measurement or comparison
25. The vegetarian burger was an \_\_\_\_\_ that quickly spread to the United Kingdom.  
*n.* the creation of a new device or process resulting from study and experimentation
26. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the country is struggling due to the recent political instability.  
*n.* the system by which a country or region produces manages, and distributes goods and services, including the money and finances involved in these activities; (of an airline) the lowest-priced, most basic option for seating in commercial travel

ANSWERS: 18. incredibly, 19. strengthen, 20. excess, 21. fashion, 22. exciting, 23. concept, 24. notch, 25. innovation, 26. economy

27. Companies developing self-driving cars consistently \_\_\_\_\_ the emerging technologies.
- v.* to introduce new methods, ideas, or products
28. The company \_\_\_\_\_ employees to buy low-price items without approval to achieve efficient purchasing.
- v.* to give someone the power or authority to do something
29. His \_\_\_\_\_ showed highly positive results.
- n.* the scientific test conducted to observe what happens and gain new knowledge
30. As an \_\_\_\_\_ he had the right to make his own decisions and live his life as he saw fit.
- n.* a single person or thing, as distinct from a group
31. \_\_\_\_\_ design has become more focused on human nature aspect than ever before.
- adj.* of or relating to or resulting from industry
32. \_\_\_\_\_ elections were held in several European countries.
- adj.* belonging to or used by a group rather than individuals; for common use
33. This device displayed the speech \_\_\_\_\_ spectrographically.
- n.* an ordered array of colors into which a light beam can be split
34. Among young people, \_\_\_\_\_ pressure can be pretty influential.
- n.* a person who has the same age, status, or ability
35. I love listening to the cheerful song of the \_\_\_\_\_ in my garden.
- n.* a small bird from the thrush family, typically having a red breast and found across Europe, Asia, and North America

ANSWERS: 27. innovate, 28. empowered, 29. experiments, 30. individual, 31. Industrial, 32. Communal, 33. spectrum, 34. peer, 35. robin

36. Canada \_\_\_\_\_ on the United States.

*v.* to move forward by leaps and bounds; to form the boundary of something

37. They celebrated their 10th \_\_\_\_\_ with a romantic dinner.

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

38. The problem seemed \_\_\_\_\_ initially, but it became a significant issue.

*adj.* of little value or importance

39. Internet traffic volumes have increased significantly with the advent of \_\_\_\_\_.

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

40. Enhanced rail \_\_\_\_\_ is crucial for our business.

*n.* a system for moving people or products from one location to another using automobiles, roads, and so on

41. It is a \_\_\_\_\_ in many families to have a big Thanksgiving dinner with all their relatives.

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

42. The \_\_\_\_\_ is about 13.8 billion years old.

*n.* everything that exists, especially all physical matter, including planets, stars, galaxies, and all other forms of matter and energy

43. This company has an entire recycling \_\_\_\_\_ including major reprocessing plants.

*n.* a building or place that provides a particular service or is used for a particular industry

ANSWERS: 36. bounds, 37. anniversary, 38. trivial, 39. smartphones, 40. transportation, 41. tradition, 42. universe, 43. facility,

44. Three \_\_\_\_\_ tenors performed during the president's inauguration.  
*adj.* renowned for possessing admirable attributes
45. He was impressed by the range and \_\_\_\_\_ of the collection.  
*n.* the quality or fact of many different types of things or people being included in something; a range of different things or people
46. The airport offers five \_\_\_\_\_ access routes.  
*adj.* useful, helpful, or quick to do
47. The military \_\_\_\_\_ between the two countries created tension in the international community.  
*n.* the state of a cooperative relationship between people or groups, especially in business
48. The \_\_\_\_\_ will repair my telephone tomorrow morning.  
*n.* a person whose job is designing, building, or maintaining something such as machines, structures, or software
49. Eventually, the new design will \_\_\_\_\_ all older models.  
*v.* to take the place of something
50. He was exhausted and \_\_\_\_\_ into bed as soon as he got home.  
*v.* to move in a particular direction by turning over and over or from side to side
51. All the supervisor has to do is assign tasks that make his subordinates more \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* relating to or involving the use of skill and original and unusual ideas to create something

ANSWERS: 44. celebrated, 45. diversity, 46. convenient, 47. partnership, 48. engineer, 49. replace, 50. rolled, 51. creative

52. He is more concerned about the \_\_\_\_\_ of his body fat than usual because of an upcoming bodybuilding competition.
- n.* a part, share, or amount of something considered in comparative relation to a whole
53. I will \_\_\_\_\_ my car before I go on a road trip.
- v.* to provide coverage in the event of loss or damage
54. \_\_\_\_\_ willingly accept business risks to achieve success.
- n.* an individual who creates or invests in one or more businesses, especially when this involves taking financial risks
55. She was struggling to make a \_\_\_\_\_ between two job offers.
- n.* the act or process of making up someone's mind about something; a choice or judgment reached after considering options
56. They \_\_\_\_\_ the engine to get more power.
- v.* to increase the power or energy of something
57. Bees were buzzing around the \_\_\_\_\_
- n.* a structure for the reception and habitation of bees, either built by people or made by the bees themselves; a place swarming people
58. He stood at the edge of the \_\_\_\_\_ and looked out to sea.
- n.* a steep rock face, especially one at the edge of the sea or a river
59. The project's \_\_\_\_\_ made it difficult for the team to complete it on time.
- n.* the state or quality of being complicated or intricate and difficult to understand

ANSWERS: 52. proportion, 53. insure, 54. Entrepreneurs, 55. decision, 56. supercharged, 57. hive, 58. cliff, 59. complexity



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

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

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

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

62. The systems we have developed has accepted as industry \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* something that is regarded as usual, typical, or standard

63. Our regular \_\_\_\_\_ was sick, so we had to find a replacement at the last minute.

*n.* a person hired to look after a child or children while the parents are away or occupied; someone who provides temporary care and supervision for children in the absence of their parents or guardians

64. The entire mountain is covered in \_\_\_\_\_ rainforest.

*adj.* containing a large number of people or something with little space between them

65. Her passions are in the \_\_\_\_\_ of real-world political affairs.

*n.* a domain of activity, interest, or knowledge

66. The government should view children as national assets and actively \_\_\_\_\_ in them.

*v.* to put money, effort, time, etc. into something to make a profit or achieve a result

67. She's a \_\_\_\_\_ pet owner who ensures her dog gets enough exercise and a healthy diet.

*adj.* answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management

ANSWERS: 60. profound, 61. consistent, 62. norms, 63. babysitter, 64. dense, 65. realm, 66. invest, 67. responsible

68. The technology \_\_\_\_\_ is constantly evolving and innovating.  
*n.* a distinct part or division of something often used to refer to a segment of an economy or industry; an area or field of work or activity
69. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the upcoming concert was palpable among the crowd.  
*n.* a feeling of great enthusiasm and eagerness
70. A smaller car will \_\_\_\_\_ less fuel.  
*v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
71. The partnership program requires a mutual \_\_\_\_\_ between both agencies.  
*n.* the act or situation of working together to create or produce something
72. The \_\_\_\_\_ on my insurance policy was higher than I expected.  
*adj.* able to be subtracted or taken away, particularly about an amount that is subtracted from an insurance claim or income for tax purposes
73. We will attempt to \_\_\_\_\_ some of your suggestions into our future strategy.  
*v.* to include something as a part of a larger entity
74. There's a new \_\_\_\_\_ of hero in the movies now.  
*n.* a type of product, service, etc., made by a particular company and sold under a specific name; identification mark on the skin of livestock, criminals, etc., made by burning
75. The government has no \_\_\_\_\_ but to raise taxes to fund public services.  
*n.* a source of help or support, especially in a difficult or critical situation; the option or ability to seek or pursue something, particularly legal action or appeal

ANSWERS: 68. sector, 69. excitement, 70. consume, 71. collaboration, 72. deductible, 73. incorporate, 74. brand, 75. recourse

76. His hometown was where he first acquired the \_\_\_\_\_ of wood carving.  
*n.* an activity that requires a particular skill in making things with one's hands
77. 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
78. She packed her sunscreen \_\_\_\_\_ to remember it on the beach trip.  
*adv.* ahead of time; in advance
79. You can easily \_\_\_\_\_ seats over the telephone.  
*v.* to keep something for future use or contingency; to obtain or arrange something, such as a meeting, seat, etc., in advance
80. The speaker mounted the \_\_\_\_\_ and started to speak.  
*n.* the raised flat space close to the track at a train station where passengers get on or off the train; (technology) a computational or digital environment in which a piece of software is executed
81. The European Central Bank is Europe's \_\_\_\_\_ of the Federal Reserve.  
*n.* having the same value, quality, meaning, purpose, etc.
82. The city is a true \_\_\_\_\_ with a diverse population and bustling streets.  
*adj.* of or relating to a large city or a city that is considered to be the cultural or economic center of a region or country
83. The athlete's \_\_\_\_\_ performance broke all previous records.  
*adj.* extremely good or impressive; outstanding

ANSWERS: 76. craft, 77. influence, 78. beforehand, 79. reserve, 80. platform, 81. equivalent, 82. metropolitan, 83. phenomenal

84. She \_\_\_\_\_ for the days when things were simpler.

*v.* to strongly desire or long for something

85. 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

86. We are planning a speaking \_\_\_\_ by a well-known author at a community center in a neighboring town.

*n.* a performance by a musician or group of musicians, especially playing modern or pop music or jazz; a work that someone undertakes on a temporary basis

87. The fog \_\_\_\_\_ the city, making it difficult to see.

*v.* to surround and cover completely; to encase

ANSWERS: 84. yearned, 85. relations, 86. gig, 87. enveloped