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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### 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**.

### biology

*n.* the scientific study of life and the natural processes of living things

(1) evolutionary **biology**, (2) cell and molecular **biology**

In junior high school, we had to dissect a frog in **biology** class.

### microbe

*n.* a tiny living thing that can only be seen with a microscope and that may cause disease

*synonym*: germ, microorganism, bacterium

(1) pathogenic **microbe**, (2) **microbes** sterilizer

**Microbes** thrive on the surface of the human skin.

### essentially

*adv.* relating to the essential features or concepts of anything

*synonym*: fundamentally, basically, virtually

(1) **essentially** correct, (2) become **essentially** same

**Essentially**, a society is an organism.

## kombucha

*n.* a fermented beverage made by adding a culture of bacteria and yeast to sweetened tea, resulting in a slightly effervescent, tart, and tea-like flavored drink, often consumed for its potential health benefits

*synonym*: fermented tea, probiotic drink

(1) **kombucha** tea, (2) homemade **kombucha**

I enjoy drinking flavored **kombucha** as a refreshing and probiotic-rich beverage.

## recipe

*n.* a set of instructions for preparing a dish, including the ingredients and the method of cooking

*synonym*: instructions, formula, method

(1) **recipe** book, (2) **recipe** collection

The **recipe** for the cake is passed down from generation to generation in her family.

## symbiotic

*adj.* involving two varieties of animal or plant, each of which supplies the conditions for the other to exist

(1) **symbiotic** economy, (2) **symbiotic** bacteria

We have a mutually **symbiotic** connection with them.

## bacteria

*n.* single-celled or noncellular spherical or spiral or rod-shaped organisms that exist in large numbers in the air, water, and soil, and also in living and dead creatures and plants, and are often a cause of disease

*synonym*: microorganism, microbe

(1) pathogenic **bacteria**, (2) harmless **bacteria**

**Bacteria** prevalent in hospitals are often resistant to antibiotics.

## yeast

*n.* a type of fungus that is used in making alcoholic drinks such as beer and wine or to make bread rise

*synonym*: leaven, fungus

(1) **yeast** cell, (2) **yeast-leavened** bread

They carefully nurture a **yeast** fungus used to produce sake.

## micro

*n.* extremely small in scale or scope; one millionth

(1) **micro** bubble, (2) **micro** force sensor

This approach employs both **micro** and macro analysis methods.

## spin

*v.* to cause something to rotate rapidly; to cause someone to feel dizzy or disoriented

*synonym*: rotate, twirl, swirl

(1) **spin** a top, (2) **spin** thread out of cotton

The tornado is **spinning** across the countryside, destroying everything in its path.

## cellulose

*n.* a complex carbohydrate that is the main structural component of plant cell walls and fibers; a substance used to make paper, textiles, and other materials

*synonym*: fiber, paper, wood pulp

(1) **cellulose** acetate, (2) **cellulose** insulation

The **cellulose** content in fruits and vegetables contributes to their dietary fiber.

## fermentation

*n.* the chemical breakdown of a substance by bacteria, yeasts, or other microorganisms, typically involving effervescence and the giving off of the heat

*synonym*: brewing, culturing, pickling

(1) oxidative **fermentation**, (2) **fermentation** tank

The process of **fermentation** is used to make beer, wine, and many other products.

## process

*n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products

*synonym*: procedure, method, system

(1) **process** improvement, (2) decision-making **process**

The **process** for applying for a visa can be lengthy and complicated.

## thread

*n.* a fine cord of natural or synthetic fibers or filaments, such as cotton or nylon, used in sewing, knitting, or weaving; a series of connected messages or comments on a social media platform or online forum, often related to a particular topic; a sequence or line of events, ideas, or actions that are connected or related; (verb) to pass a thread through a needle or other small opening, in preparation for sewing or stitching

*synonym* : filament, string, yarn

(1) **thread** a catheter, (2) start a new **thread**

The detective followed a **thread** of clues which ultimately led to the suspect's arrest.

## liquid

*n.* a substance, such as water or oil that flows freely and is neither a solid nor a gas

*synonym* : fluid

(1) colorless **liquid**, (2) hazardous **liquid**

The sponge takes up the **liquid** well.

## layer

*n.* a sheet, quantity, or thickness of the material, typically one of several, covering a surface or body; a level or part within a system or set of ideas

*synonym* : stratum, sheet, coating

(1) **layer** cake, (2) **layer** of paint

The **layer** of frost on the ground was so thick it was difficult to walk on.

## brew

*v.* to make beer or tea by mixing a substance with hot water

*synonym* : make, prepare

(1) **brew** a cup of tea, (2) **brew** beer

I am going to **brew** some coffee this morning.

## stir

*v.* to mix a liquid or substance by using a spoon or something similar; to cause to be agitated, excited, or roused

*synonym* : mix, swirl, provoke

(1) **stir** a sauce, (2) **stir** up controversy

Topics related to that war may **stir** up a political hornets' nest.

## dissolve

*v.* to be or cause to be absorbed by a liquid to form a part of the solution; to close down or dismiss

*synonym*: disband, disappear, liquefy

(1) **dissolve** the sugar, (2) officially **dissolved** the marriage

The political party **dissolved** after much internal fighting.

## temperature

*n.* the degree of hotness or coldness of a thing or place

*synonym*: climate, warmth, degree

(1) extreme **temperatures**, (2) the atmospheric **temperature**

Cities around the world set records for highest **temperatures** this summer.

## degree

*n.* a unit of measurement for angles, temperature, or level of proficiency or achievement; a rank or level of academic or professional attainment

*synonym*: level, qualification, diploma

(1) bachelor's **degree**, (2) **degree** centigrade

She received her **degree** in psychology from the university.

## organism

*n.* a tiny living thing

*synonym*: being, creature

(1) aerobic **organism**, (2) group of **organisms**

A diversified plant species generally enhances beneficial **organism** populations.

## acetic

*adj.* relating to vinegar or containing acetic acid (= a colorless, pungent-smelling liquid organic compound with the chemical formula CH<sub>3</sub>COOH); having a sour or sharp taste or smell resembling vinegar

*synonym*: sour, acidic, tart

(1) **acetic** fermentation, (2) **acetic** smell

Adding **acetic** acid to a solution can lower its pH.

## acid

*n.* sour; water-soluble chemicals with a sour flavor; any of a variety of generally liquid compounds capable of reacting with and occasionally dissolving other materials

*synonym* : sour

(1) an **acid** reaction, (2) good source of essential amino **acids**

During pregnancy, the stomach generates less **acid** than usual.

## recycle

*v.* to sort and collect things to process them and produce valuable materials that can be used again

*synonym* : reclaim, reuse, reprocess

(1) **recycle** the cardboard boxes, (2) **recycle** milk packaging into new paper

We largely **recycle** the circuit board of cell phones because they contain a lot of valuable metals.

## ferment

*v.* to experience a chemical change or action that results in the production of alcohol or effervescence of gases;  
(noun) a state of agitated activity or change, especially in the context of social or political movements

*synonym* : ripen, simmer, (noun) agitation

(1) **ferment** sugar into ethanol, (2) political **ferment**

The dough was left to **ferment** overnight to give the bread its distinctive flavor.

## maintain

*v.* to continue to uphold or sustain; to keep in a particular state or condition; to assert or declare something to be true

*synonym* : preserve, uphold, sustain

(1) **maintain** order, (2) **maintain** good health

I need to **maintain** my car regularly to prevent any major mechanical issues.

## optimum

*adj.* the best or most favorable; the ideal or most advantageous; the point at which something operates at peak performance or efficiency

*synonym* : ideal, best, peak

(1) **optimum** performance, (2) **optimum** conditions

I adjusted the temperature to reach the **optimum** level for baking the cake.

## thermostat

*n.* a device that automatically regulates temperature by controlling the heating or cooling system based on the temperature in a room or building

*synonym* : thermoregulator, climate control

(1) **thermostat** settings, (2) smart **thermostat**

The digital **thermostat** has a programmable feature, and it can be controlled through your smartphone.

## regulate

*v.* to control something, especially by means of rules or laws

*synonym* : control, restrain, handle

(1) **regulate** blood sugar levels, (2) **regulate** our conduct

We must manage to **regulate** our expenditure.

## fabric

*n.* cloth or other material produced by weaving wool, cotton, silk, etc., used for making clothes, covering furniture, etc.

*synonym* : cloth, material, goods

(1) a hand-loomed **fabric**, (2) **fabric** of creation

These synthetic **fabrics** are used in military vests because of their excellent abrasion resistance.

## aft

*adj.* (the opposite of "forward") located at or towards the rear or back of a ship, aircraft, or other vehicle

(1) **aft** cabin, (2) **aft** view

The **aft** section of the ship suffered significant damage after the collision with the reef.

## bubble

*n.* a thin, round, and often transparent mass of gas that is surrounded by a thin layer of liquid; a state of economic or social prosperity that is unsustainable and eventually collapses

*synonym* : blob, balloon, mania

(1) **bubble** in the champagne glass, (2) economic **bubble**  
Many people worry that the current real estate market is a **bubble** that could burst soon.

## fee

*n.* a sum of money charged for a particular service

*synonym* : charge, cost, expense

(1) **fee** calculation, (2) service **fee**

The lawyer's **fee** for the case was \$10,000.

## nutrient

*n.* any substance that is essential for the maintenance and growth of living things

*synonym* : food, vitamin

(1) **nutrient** medicine, (2) a **nutrient** for hair

They used fast-acting **nutrients** on the flowers in the flower beds.

## spinning

*n.* the act of rotating rapidly around an axis; in the context of textiles, the process of twisting fibers together to form thread or yarn

*synonym* : whirling, rotating, spinning wheel

(1) **spinning** machine, (2) **spinning** wheel

She took a **spinning** class at the gym to improve her cardiovascular fitness.

## nanoscale

*adj.* on a scale that can be measured in nanometres (= one billionth of a meter); on a very small scale

(1) **nanoscale** device, (2) things at the **nanoscale**

This process improves the strength of the metal by controlling the **nanoscale** lattice structure of the metal.

## fiber

*n.* thread or filament used to make a vegetable tissue, mineral material, or textile

*synonym* : yarn, thread, wool

(1) carbon **fiber**, (2) synthetic **fiber**

We must consume dietary **fiber** to maintain good health.



## **purity**

*n.* the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature

*synonym* : sinlessness, innocence, cleanliness

(1) the degree of **purity**, (2) high **purity**

Higher **purity** requires additional equipment and energy.

## **stick**

*v.* to put something, usually a sharp object, into something; to restrict yourself to doing or using one certain thing and not change; (noun) a thin piece of wood or other material

*synonym* : pierce, adhere, stay

(1) **stick** a key in a lock, (2) fire **stick**

You **stick** a bill in the change machine, and the coins pop out.

## **static**

*adj.* not moving or not capable of moving, not changing or not capable of changing

*synonym* : immobile, unchanging, fixed

(1) **static** electricity, (2) **static** website

The **static** image on the screen took a lot of work to make out.

## **literally**

*adv.* in the real or original meaning of a word or phrase; in a literal sense or way; not figuratively

*synonym* : actually, truly, verily

(1) translate **literally**, (2) bite his tongue **literally**

He **literally** jumped out of his chair when he heard the news.

## **harvest**

*n.* yields of plants in a single growing season; the period of the year when gathering occurs on a farm

*synonym* : crop, reaping, yield

(1) a scanty **harvest**, (2) reap a **harvest**

During **harvest**, farmers are incredibly busy.

## **evaporate**

*v.* to turn a liquid into a gas; to become less intense and disappear gradually

*synonym*: vaporize, disappear, vanish

(1) **evaporate** the water, (2) **evaporate** almost overnight  
The sun will **evaporate** the mist.

## compress

*v.* to press or squeeze together to make something take up less space

*synonym*: condense, constrict, squeeze

(1) **compress** the chest, (2) **compress** gas

She **compressed** the files into a single ZIP archive to save space on her computer.

## lightweight

*adj.* composed of thinner and lighter material than average; not severe or impressive

(1) **lightweight** aircraft, (2) **lightweight** structure

Powder coating protects the **lightweight** aluminum alloy components.

## transparent

*adj.* easy to perceive, detect, or understand; (of a material or article) permitting light to pass through freely

*synonym*: translucent, evident, diaphanous

(1) a **transparent** lie, (2) **transparent** crystal

The focus of these initiatives is to make the financial system more **transparent**.

## flexible

*adj.* able to change or be changed to suit new conditions or situations; able to bend easily

*synonym*: adaptable, elastic, pliable

(1) **flexible** schedules, (2) a **flexible** wire

You can be more **flexible** and creative in your approach.

## leather

*n.* a material made from the skin of an animal, typically by tanning, and used for clothing, shoes, furniture, and other items

*synonym*: hide, skin, suede

(1) enameled **leather**, (2) **leather** boots

The **leather** jacket was worn in but still comfortable.

- sew** v. to join, fasten, or repair two pieces of something by putting the thread through them with a needle  
*synonym*: stitch, darn, tailor  
(1) **sew** with thread, (2) **sew** a button  
My mother taught me how to **sew**.
- conventionally** *adv.* in a way that follows accepted customs, rules, or standards; in a way that is typical or traditional  
*synonym*: traditionally, customarily, conventionally  
(1) **conventionally** dressed, (2) **conventionally** grown crops  
**Conventionally**, doctors recommend getting at least 8 hours of sleep per night for optimal health.
- dimension** *n.* a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length  
*synonym*: extent, measurement, size  
(1) new **dimension**, (2) the crosswise **dimension**  
Overall **dimensions** are approximately 400x200mm.
- knit** v. to make a garment or fabric by interlocking loops of yarn with needles or a machine  
*synonym*: weave, crochet, knot  
(1) **knit** my eyebrows, (2) **knit** a pair of socks  
The grandmother **knit** a warm sweater for her grandchild.
- seam** *n.* a line of stitching or joining where two pieces of fabric or material are united; also, a narrow furrow or fissure in rock or soil  
*synonym*: stitch, seam, joint  
(1) uneven **seam**, (2) the **seam** on the shoulder  
She took the dress to the tailor to fix the torn **seam**.
- intrigue** v. to make someone interested, especially by being strange, unusual, or mysterious; to make a secret plan with other people to harm someone  
*synonym*: attract, captivate, charm

(1) **intrigue** him, (2) **intrigue** against his rival  
The artist's innovative style of work **intrigues** me.

## organic

*adj.* of or derived from biological substance; producing plants and animals for food and other items without the use of synthetic chemicals

*synonym*: biological

(1) **organic** soils, (2) eat **organic** food  
The kidney is an **organic** component of the body.

## keen

*adj.* having or showing quick and eager intelligence or interest

*synonym*: eager, enthusiastic, ardent

(1) **keen** interest, (2) **keen** observation  
He was **keen** to learn more about the subject and attended every lecture.

## minimize

*v.* to make something, especially something bad, small or less serious

*synonym*: diminish, mitigate, belittle

(1) **minimize** a loss, (2) way to **minimize** conflict  
I bought a gadget before my trip to help **minimize** stress during the flight.

## addition

*n.* the act or process of adding something to something else; the process of adding numbers

*synonym*: accumulation, expansion, addendum

(1) chemical **addition**, (2) **addition** of vectors  
In **addition**, private corporations provide healthcare services.

## chemical

*adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;

*synonym*: chemic, synthetic

(1) toxic **chemicals**, (2) a **chemical** compound  
The firm has grown into a large **chemical** manufacturing.

## dye

*v.* to color a textile or hair by immersing it in a colored liquid or substance

*synonym*: color, tint, stain

(1) **dye** a T-shirt red, (2) **dye** patterns

She **dyed** her hair purple for a change.

## oxide

*n.* a chemical compound that contains at least one oxygen atom and one other element

(1) silver **oxide**, (2) combined **oxide**

The blood's red coloring comes from iron **oxide**.

## stain

*v.* to discolor, defile, or tarnish something; (noun) a discoloration or dirty mark on a surface that is difficult to remove

*synonym*: discolor, tarnish, defile

(1) **stain** the carpet, (2) red wine **stain**

The allegations of corruption **stained** her reputation, and she struggled to regain public trust.

## indigo

*adj.* a deep blue or purple-blue color; also, the plant that yields Indigo dye

*synonym*: blue, purplish-blue, violet-blue

(1) **indigo** fabric, (2) **indigo** plant

The **indigo** dye made the fabric a beautiful shade of blue.

## cotton

*n.* a plant that is grown in warm countries and bears bolls containing seeds with soft and long hairs that are made into textile fiber and thread for sewing

(1) **cotton** cloth, (2) culture of **cotton**

The price of raw **cotton** continued to rise.

## dip

*v.* to put something into a liquid for a short time and take it out again

*synonym*: dunk, dive, plunge

(1) **dip** a pen in ink, (2) **dip** a chip in the sauce

Please **dip** up a bucketful of water from the well.

## achieve

*v.* to successfully complete a task or goal, often through hard work, perseverance, and dedication; to attain or

accomplish something that one has set out to do

*synonym*: accomplish, attain, reach

(1) **achieve** success, (2) **achieve** milestones

I will work hard to **achieve** my goals and realize my dreams.

## absorb

*v.* to take in a fluid or other substance gradually

*synonym*: consume, soak, ingest

(1) **absorb** energy, (2) **absorb** a shock

The sponge **absorbs** water well.

## resistant

*adj.* not affected by something, especially changes or new ideas; of or relating to immunity to disease or infection

*synonym*: unsusceptible, immune, invulnerable

(1) penicillin- **resistant** bacteria, (2) **resistant** to persuasion

Insects in urban areas are becoming **resistant** to insecticides.

## immediately

*adv.* now or without delay

*synonym*: directly, instantly, promptly

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

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

## eventually

*adv.* finally, particularly after a long time or a lot of struggle, complications, and so on

*synonym*: finally, someday, ultimately

(1) **eventually** become obsolete, (2) **eventually** succeed

The corporation **eventually** dominated the entire tobacco business.

## probable

*adj.* likely to happen or likely to be true

*synonym*: likely, possible, potential

(1) **probable** outcome, (2) **probable** cause of a fire

It seems **probable** that he has forgotten our scheduled meeting.

## definitely

*adv.* without any question and beyond doubt; clearly  
*synonym* : absolutely, certainly, indeed

(1) **definitely** become a problem, (2) say **definitely**  
The paper is **definitely** worth reading thoroughly.

## bug

*n.* any tiny insect; a fault or defect in a computer program, system, or machine

*synonym* : insect, bacterium, microbe

(1) **bug** bites, (2) number of **bug** fixes

I found a stink **bug** crawling across the ceiling.

## align

*v.* to put or arrange two or more things in a straight line or to form a straight line

*synonym* : coordinate, regulate, adjust

(1) **align** the economic interest of each other, (2) **align** with a historical trend

Both parties are now entirely ideologically **aligned**.

## hydrophobic

*adj.* tending to repel or be unreactive towards the water; lacking affinity for water

*synonym* : water-repelling, aquaphobic, water-resistant

(1) **hydrophobic** molecules, (2) **hydrophobic** amino acids

The **hydrophobic** coating on the fabric repels water, keeping the wearer dry in a downpour.

## healing

*n.* the process of becoming or making somebody or something well again

*synonym* : recovery, recuperation, convalescence

(1) natural **healing** ability, (2) part of the **healing** process

Each ancient tribe has its **healing** traditions.

## compatible

*adj.* capable of coexisting or working together without conflict or inconsistency; harmonious or well-matched

*synonym* : harmonious, congruent, consistent

(1) fully **compatible**, (2) **compatible** with HTML5

The new software is not **compatible** with the old operating

system, causing compatibility issues and errors.

## vessel

*n.* a ship or large boat

*synonym* : boat, ship, craft

(1) blood **vessels**, (2) naval **vessels**

The **vessel** arrived in port the following day.

## replacement

*n.* the act of replacing something with something else, especially that is newer or better; a person or thing that takes or can take the place of another

*synonym* : alternate, substitute, backup

(1) regular **replacement** of tires, (2) **replacement** cost

We demand his **replacement**.

## tissue

*n.* an ensemble of similar cells of the animal or plant that together carry out a specific function

*synonym* : structure, texture, anatomy

(1) a facial **tissue**, (2) loss of muscle **tissue**

The researcher separated the nervous **tissue** for microscopic examinations.

## synthetic

*adj.* made by combining chemical substances as opposed to being naturally occurring

*synonym* : artificial, manufactured, fabricated

(1) **synthetic** fiber, (2) **synthetic** fertilizer

**Synthetic** diamonds play an essential role as machine tool blades.

## 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.

## quantity

*n.* the amount or number of something; magnitude

*synonym* : abundance, portion, amount



(1) half **quantity**, (2) residual **quantity**

In southward, the average annual water **quantity** increases.

## desire

*n.* a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something

*synonym*: ambition, appetite, greed

(1) unsatisfied **desire**, (2) fleshly **desire**

Low sexual **desire** typically correlates with low testosterone levels.

## obvious

*adj.* easy to see, discover or understand

*synonym*: apparent, conspicuous, evident

(1) **obvious** reasons, (2) his conclusion was **obvious**

There are **obvious** differences between the two wine-producing regions.

## 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.

## 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.

## 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.

## efficiency

*n.* the state or quality of doing something well with no waste of input such as time or money

*synonym*: effectiveness, efficacy, productivity

(1) better fuel **efficiency**, (2) an energy **efficiency**

Our company must continue to strive for greater **efficiency**.

## stream

*n.* a small, narrow river; a continuous flow of something, such as liquid, gas, people, vehicles, etc.

*synonym*: flow, current, brook

(1) the **stream** of time, (2) an endless **stream** of cars

Jet **streams** are the common name for air currents that form high in the atmosphere.

## biodegrade

*v.* to decay naturally by microorganisms, such as bacteria and fungi

(1) **biodegrade** by the microorganism, (2) bioplastic designed to **biodegrade**

The company's plastic products are easily **biodegraded** thanks to a unique manufacturing process.

## naturally

*adv.* as might be expected; by natural manners

*synonym*: by nature, inherently, intrinsically

(1) **naturally** arising, (2) **naturally** regenerated forest

He was **naturally** gifted.

## peel

*v.* to remove the skin of fruit and vegetables

*synonym*: pare, unclothe, disrobe

(1) **peel** a fruit, (2) **peel** off easily

The storm had **peeled** all paint off the siding.

## textile

*n.* any type of cloth made by weaving or felting or knitting

*synonym*: cloth, material, fabric

(1) **textile** production, (2) tissue **textiles**

China's **textile** industry has developed rapidly with the input of foreign capital.

## sustainable

*adj.* able to continue or be continued for a long time

*synonym*: continuable, enduring, tolerable

(1) **sustainable** alternative fuel, (2) principles of **sustainable** development

The government should do more to support environmentally **sustainable** agriculture.

### increasingly

*adv.* more and more

*synonym* : more and more, progressively

(1) **increasingly** become common, (2) face **increasingly** complicated challenges

Our company found it **increasingly** difficult to keep up with the competition.

### precious

*adj.* uncommon and extremely valuable

*synonym* : adored, cherished, valued

(1) price of **precious** metals, (2) **precious** information

We cannot afford to squander **precious** time.

### ultimate

*adj.* furthest or highest in degree or order

*synonym* : highest, maximum, foremost

(1) the **ultimate** goal in life, (2) the **ultimate** luxury

Management must take **ultimate** responsibility for the accident.

### curiosity

*n.* a strong desire to know or learn about something

*synonym* : interest, inquisitiveness, novelty

(1) boundless **curiosity**, (2) satisfy my intellectual **curiosity**

We are motivated by **curiosity** rather than necessity.

### 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.

### lee

*n.* the side or part that is sheltered or facing away from the wind or the direction from which the wind is blowing; a position or location protected from the full force or effects of something, particularly the wind

*synonym* :

shelter, refuge, hideout

(1) a natural **lee**, (2) the **lee** of the building

The hiker found a calm spot in the **lee** of the mountain to set up camp.

## degrade

*v.* to make something worse, especially in quality; to show or treat someone in a way that makes them seem no value and do not have the respect or reasonable opinion of others

*synonym*: demean, disgrace, impair

(1) **degrade** his public image, (2) **degrade** environmental quality

You should not **degrade** yourself by allowing them to use you.

## sweat

*n.* the salty liquid that is produced by the glands in the skin, especially when the body is hot or under stress

*synonym*: perspiration, steam, hardwork

(1) all in a **sweat**, (2) **sweat** bath

She wiped the **sweat** off her forehead with a towel.

## rescue

*v.* to save someone or something from a dangerous or difficult situation

*synonym*: save, extricate, retrieve

(1) **rescue** a dying dog, (2) **rescue** a company from bankruptcy

The fire department arrived just in time to **rescue** the family from the burning building.

## Session 2: Spelling

1. pr\_\_\_\_le cause of a fire *adj.* likely to happen or likely to be true
2. good source of essential amino  
a\_\_ds *n.* sour; water-soluble chemicals with a sour flavor; any of a variety of generally liquid compounds capable of reacting with and occasionally dissolving other materials
3. start a new th\_\_\_\_d *n.* a fine cord of natural or synthetic fibers or filaments, such as cotton or nylon, used in sewing, knitting, or weaving; a series of connected messages or comments on a social media platform or online forum, often related to a particular topic; a sequence or line of events, ideas, or actions that are connected or related; (verb) to pass a thread through a needle or other small opening, in preparation for sewing or stitching
4. re\_\_\_\_e a company from bankruptcy *v.* to save someone or something from a dangerous or difficult situation
5. things at the na\_\_\_\_le *adj.* on a scale that can be measured in nanometres (= one billionth of a meter); on a very small scale
6. eve\_\_\_\_ly succeed *adv.* finally, particularly after a long time or a lot of struggle, complications, and so on
7. de\_\_\_\_e environmental quality *v.* to make something worse, especially in quality; to show or treat someone in a way that makes them seem no value and do not have the respect or reasonable opinion of others

ANSWERS: 1. probable, 2. acid, 3. thread, 4. rescue, 5. nanoscale, 6. eventually, 7. degrade

8. fully com\_\_\_\_\_le *adj.* capable of coexisting or working together without conflict or inconsistency; harmonious or well-matched
9. re\_\_\_\_\_te blood sugar levels *v.* to control something, especially by means of rules or laws
10. bio\_\_\_\_\_de by the microorganism *v.* to decay naturally by microorganisms, such as bacteria and fungi
11. aerobic or\_\_\_\_\_sm *n.* a tiny living thing
12. rep\_\_\_\_\_nt cost *n.* the act of replacing something with something else, especially that is newer or better; a person or thing that takes or can take the place of another
13. chemical ad\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the act or process of adding something to something else; the process of adding numbers
14. red wine st\_\_n *v.* to discolor, defile, or tarnish something; (noun) a discoloration or dirty mark on a surface that is difficult to remove
15. new di\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length
16. decision-making pr\_\_\_\_\_s *n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products

ANSWERS: 8. compatible, 9. regulate, 10. biodegrade, 11. organism, 12. replacement, 13. addition, 14. stain, 15. dimension, 16. process

17. k\_\_n interest *adj.* having or showing quick and eager intelligence or interest
18. st\_\_k a key in a lock *v.* to put something, usually a sharp object, into something; to restrict yourself to doing or using one certain thing and not change; (noun) a thin piece of wood or other material
19. ac\_\_\_c smell *adj.* relating to vinegar or containing acetic acid (= a colorless, pungent-smelling liquid organic compound with the chemical formula CH<sub>3</sub>COOH); having a sour or sharp taste or smell resembling vinegar
20. uneven s\_\_m *n.* a line of stitching or joining where two pieces of fabric or material are united; also, a narrow furrow or fissure in rock or soil
21. ex\_\_\_\_\_ng news *adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement
22. s\_\_r a sauce *v.* to mix a liquid or substance by using a spoon or something similar; to cause to be agitated, excited, or roused
23. the atmospheric tem\_\_\_\_\_re *n.* the degree of hotness or coldness of a thing or place
24. blood ve\_\_\_ls *n.* a ship or large boat
25. re\_\_\_\_\_nt to persuasion *adj.* not affected by something, especially changes or new ideas; of or relating to immunity to disease or infection
26. the crosswise di\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length

ANSWERS: 17. keen, 18. stick, 19. acetic, 20. seam, 21. exciting, 22. stir, 23. temperature, 24. vessel, 25. resistant, 26. dimension

27. ac\_\_\_\_e milestones *v.* to successfully complete a task or goal, often through hard work, perseverance, and dedication; to attain or accomplish something that one has set out to do
28. in\_\_\_o fabric *adj.* a deep blue or purple-blue color; also, the plant that yields Indigo dye
29. s\_\_r up controversy *v.* to mix a liquid or substance by using a spoon or something similar; to cause to be agitated, excited, or roused
30. cell and molecular bi\_\_\_\_y *n.* the scientific study of life and the natural processes of living things
31. al\_\_n with a historical trend *v.* to put or arrange two or more things in a straight line or to form a straight line
32. re\_\_\_e a dying dog *v.* to save someone or something from a dangerous or difficult situation
33. k\_\_t my eyebrows *v.* to make a garment or fabric by interlocking loops of yarn with needles or a machine
34. in\_\_\_\_ue him *v.* to make someone interested, especially by being strange, unusual, or mysterious; to make a secret plan with other people to harm someone
35. synthetic fi\_\_r *n.* thread or filament used to make a vegetable tissue, mineral material, or textile
36. hazardous li\_\_\_\_d *n.* a substance, such as water or oil that flows freely and is neither a solid nor a gas
37. re\_\_\_e collection *n.* a set of instructions for preparing a dish, including the ingredients and the method of cooking

ANSWERS: 27. achieve, 28. indigo, 29. stir, 30. biology, 31. align, 32. rescue, 33. knit, 34. intrigue, 35. fiber, 36. liquid, 37. recipe



38. le\_\_\_\_r boots *n.* a material made from the skin of an animal, typically by tanning, and used for clothing, shoes, furniture, and other items
39. d\_p a chip in the sauce *v.* to put something into a liquid for a short time and take it out again
40. an endless st\_\_\_m of cars *n.* a small, narrow river; a continuous flow of something, such as liquid, gas, people, vehicles, etc.
41. combined ox\_\_e *n.* a chemical compound that contains at least one oxygen atom and one other element
42. go out of fa\_\_\_\_n *n.* a style that is popular at a particular time or place; the state of being popular
43. culture of co\_\_\_\_n *n.* a plant that is grown in warm countries and bears bolls containing seeds with soft and long hairs that are made into textile fiber and thread for sewing
44. half qu\_\_\_\_ty *n.* the amount or number of something; magnitude
45. colorless li\_\_\_\_d *n.* a substance, such as water or oil that flows freely and is neither a solid nor a gas
46. carbon fi\_\_r *n.* thread or filament used to make a vegetable tissue, mineral material, or textile
47. sy\_\_\_\_ic economy *adj.* involving two varieties of animal or plant, each of which supplies the conditions for the other to exist

ANSWERS: 38. leather, 39. dip, 40. stream, 41. oxide, 42. fashion, 43. cotton, 44. quantity, 45. liquid, 46. fiber, 47. symbiotic

48. sy\_\_\_\_\_ic bacteria *adj.* involving two varieties of animal or plant, each of which supplies the conditions for the other to exist
49. number of b\_g fixes *n.* any tiny insect; a fault or defect in a computer program, system, or machine
50. a facial ti\_\_\_e *n.* an ensemble of similar cells of the animal or plant that together carry out a specific function
51. ex\_\_\_e the crowd *v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager
52. principles of sus\_\_\_\_\_le development *adj.* able to continue or be continued for a long time
53. toxic ch\_\_\_\_\_als *adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;
54. ce\_\_\_\_\_se insulation *n.* a complex carbohydrate that is the main structural component of plant cell walls and fibers; a substance used to make paper, textiles, and other materials
55. write him an answer imm\_\_\_\_\_ly *adv.* now or without delay
56. ma\_\_\_\_\_in good health *v.* to continue to uphold or sustain; to keep in a particular state or condition; to assert or declare something to be true
57. bioplastic designed to bio\_\_\_\_\_de *v.* to decay naturally by microorganisms, such as bacteria and fungi
58. ex\_\_\_e rebellion *v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager
59. p\_\_l off easily *v.* to remove the skin of fruit and vegetables

ANSWERS: 48. symbiotic, 49. bug, 50. tissue, 51. excite, 52. sustainable, 53. chemical, 54. cellulose, 55. immediately, 56. maintain, 57. biodegrade, 58. excite, 59. peel

60. way to mi\_\_\_\_\_ze conflict      *v.* to make something, especially something bad, small or less serious
61. naval ve\_\_\_\_ls      *n.* a ship or large boat
62. ab\_\_\_\_b a shock      *v.* to take in a fluid or other substance gradually
63. sp\_\_\_\_\_ng wheel      *n.* the act of rotating rapidly around an axis; in the context of textiles, the process of twisting fibers together to form thread or yarn
64. eat or\_\_\_\_\_c food      *adj.* of or derived from biological substance; producing plants and animals for food and other items without the use of synthetic chemicals
65. unsatisfied de\_\_\_\_e      *n.* a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something
66. pr\_\_\_\_\_s improvement      *n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products
67. fleshly de\_\_\_\_e      *n.* a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something
68. harmless ba\_\_\_\_\_ia      *n.* single-celled or noncellular spherical or spiral or rod-shaped organisms that exist in large numbers in the air, water, and soil, and also in living and dead creatures and plants, and are often a cause of disease

ANSWERS: 60. minimize, 61. vessel, 62. absorb, 63. spinning, 64. organic, 65. desire, 66. process, 67. desire, 68. bacteria

69. sy\_\_\_\_\_ic fertilizer *adj.* made by combining chemical substances as opposed to being naturally occurring
70. na\_\_\_\_\_ly arising *adv.* as might be expected; by natural manners
71. pr\_\_\_\_\_le outcome *adj.* likely to happen or likely to be true
72. better fuel eff\_\_\_\_\_cy *n.* the state or quality of doing something well with no waste of input such as time or money
73. k\_\_t a pair of socks *v.* to make a garment or fabric by interlocking loops of yarn with needles or a machine
74. fire st\_\_k *v.* to put something, usually a sharp object, into something; to restrict yourself to doing or using one certain thing and not change; (noun) a thin piece of wood or other material
75. pathogenic ba\_\_\_\_\_ia *n.* single-celled or noncellular spherical or spiral or rod-shaped organisms that exist in large numbers in the air, water, and soil, and also in living and dead creatures and plants, and are often a cause of disease
76. a\_t view *adj.* (the opposite of "forward") located at or towards the rear or back of a ship, aircraft, or other vehicle
77. or\_\_\_\_\_c soils *adj.* of or derived from biological substance; producing plants and animals for food and other items without the use of synthetic chemicals

ANSWERS: 69. synthetic, 70. naturally, 71. probable, 72. efficiency, 73. knit, 74. stick, 75. bacteria, 76. aft, 77. organic

78. mi\_\_o force sensor *n.* extremely small in scale or scope; one millionth
79. re\_\_\_\_\_e milk packaging into new paper *v.* to sort and collect things to process them and produce valuable materials that can be used again
80. d\_p a pen in ink *v.* to put something into a liquid for a short time and take it out again
81. b\_\_w beer *v.* to make beer or tea by mixing a substance with hot water
82. fl\_\_\_\_\_le schedules *adj.* able to change or be changed to suit new conditions or situations; able to bend easily
83. silver ox\_\_e *n.* a chemical compound that contains at least one oxygen atom and one other element
84. a natural l\_e *n.* the side or part that is sheltered or facing away from the wind or the direction from which the wind is blowing; a position or location protected from the full force or effects of something, particularly the wind
85. th\_\_\_d a catheter *n.* a fine cord of natural or synthetic fibers or filaments, such as cotton or nylon, used in sewing, knitting, or weaving; a series of connected messages or comments on a social media platform or online forum, often related to a particular topic; a sequence or line of events, ideas, or actions that are connected or related; (verb) to pass a thread through a needle or other small opening, in preparation for sewing or stitching

ANSWERS: 78. micro, 79. recycle, 80. dip, 81. brew, 82. flexible, 83. oxide, 84. lee, 85. thread

86. ac\_\_\_\_e success *v.* to successfully complete a task or goal, often through hard work, perseverance, and dedication; to attain or accomplish something that one has set out to do
87. loss of muscle ti\_\_\_\_e *n.* an ensemble of similar cells of the animal or plant that together carry out a specific function
88. ab\_\_\_\_b energy *v.* to take in a fluid or other substance gradually
89. natural he\_\_\_\_g ability *n.* the process of becoming or making somebody or something well again
90. fer\_\_\_\_ion tank *n.* the chemical breakdown of a substance by bacteria, yeasts, or other microorganisms, typically involving effervescence and the giving off of the heat
91. political fe\_\_\_\_t *v.* to experience a chemical change or action that results in the production of alcohol or effervescence of gases; (noun) a state of agitated activity or change, especially in the context of social or political movements
92. fe\_\_\_\_t sugar into ethanol *v.* to experience a chemical change or action that results in the production of alcohol or effervescence of gases; (noun) a state of agitated activity or change, especially in the context of social or political movements
93. nu\_\_\_\_nt medicine *n.* any substance that is essential for the maintenance and growth of living things

ANSWERS: 86. achieve, 87. tissue, 88. absorb, 89. healing, 90. fermentation, 91. ferment, 92. ferment, 93. nutrient

94. pathogenic mi\_\_\_\_e *n.* a tiny living thing that can only be seen with a microscope and that may cause disease
95. a\_t cabin *adj.* (the opposite of "forward") located at or towards the rear or back of a ship, aircraft, or other vehicle
96. de\_\_\_\_e his public image *v.* to make something worse, especially in quality; to show or treat someone in a way that makes them seem no value and do not have the respect or reasonable opinion of others
97. st\_\_\_\_c electricity *adj.* not moving or not capable of moving, not changing or not capable of changing
98. la\_\_r of paint *n.* a sheet, quantity, or thickness of the material, typically one of several, covering a surface or body; a level or part within a system or set of ideas
99. oxidative fer\_\_\_\_ion *n.* the chemical breakdown of a substance by bacteria, yeasts, or other microorganisms, typically involving effervescence and the giving off of the heat
100. op\_\_\_\_m performance *adj.* the best or most favorable; the ideal or most advantageous; the point at which something operates at peak performance or efficiency
101. bu\_\_\_\_e in the champagne glass *n.* a thin, round, and often transparent mass of gas that is surrounded by a thin layer of liquid; a state of economic or social prosperity that is unsustainable and eventually collapses

ANSWERS: 94. microbe, 95. aft, 96. degrade, 97. static, 98. layer, 99. fermentation, 100. optimum, 101. bubble

102. high pu\_\_\_y *n.* the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature
103. en\_\_\_\_\_er shortage *n.* a person whose job is designing, building, or maintaining something such as machines, structures, or software
104. price of pr\_\_\_\_\_us metals *adj.* uncommon and extremely valuable
105. ye\_\_t-leavened bread *n.* a type of fungus that is used in making alcoholic drinks such as beer and wine or to make bread rise
106. co\_\_\_\_\_ss the chest *v.* to press or squeeze together to make something take up less space
107. a nu\_\_\_\_\_nt for hair *n.* any substance that is essential for the maintenance and growth of living things
108. s\_w with thread *v.* to join, fasten, or repair two pieces of something by putting the thread through them with a needle
109. bite his tongue li\_\_\_\_\_ly *adv.* in the real or original meaning of a word or phrase; in a literal sense or way; not figuratively
110. ad\_\_\_\_\_on of vectors *n.* the act or process of adding something to something else; the process of adding numbers
111. ye\_\_t cell *n.* a type of fungus that is used in making alcoholic drinks such as beer and wine or to make bread rise
112. re\_\_\_\_\_te our conduct *v.* to control something, especially by means of rules or laws

ANSWERS: 102. purity, 103. engineer, 104. precious, 105. yeast, 106. compress, 107. nutrient, 108. sew, 109. literally, 110. addition, 111. yeast, 112. regulate



113. con\_\_\_\_\_lly grown crops *adv.* in a way that follows accepted customs, rules, or standards; in a way that is typical or traditional
114. a fl\_\_\_\_\_le wire *adj.* able to change or be changed to suit new conditions or situations; able to bend easily
115. k\_\_n observation *adj.* having or showing quick and eager intelligence or interest
116. hyd\_\_\_\_\_ic molecules *adj.* tending to repel or be unreactive towards the water; lacking affinity for water
117. an energy eff\_\_\_\_\_cy *n.* the state or quality of doing something well with no waste of input such as time or money
118. lig\_\_\_\_\_ht aircraft *adj.* composed of thinner and lighter material than average; not severe or impressive
119. ex\_\_\_\_\_ng football player *adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement
120. translate li\_\_\_\_\_ly *adv.* in the real or original meaning of a word or phrase; in a literal sense or way; not figuratively
121. reap a ha\_\_\_\_\_t *n.* yields of plants in a single growing season; the period of the year when gathering occurs on a farm
122. service f\_e *n.* a sum of money charged for a particular service
123. co\_\_\_\_n cloth *n.* a plant that is grown in warm countries and bears bolls containing seeds with soft and long hairs that are made into textile fiber and thread for sewing

ANSWERS: 113. conventionally, 114. flexible, 115. keen, 116. hydrophobic, 117. efficiency, 118. lightweight, 119. exciting, 120. literally, 121. harvest, 122. fee, 123. cotton

124. la\_\_r cake *n.* a sheet, quantity, or thickness of the material, typically one of several, covering a surface or body; a level or part within a system or set of ideas
125. imm\_\_\_\_\_ly recall a product *adv.* now or without delay
126. b\_\_w a cup of tea *v.* to make beer or tea by mixing a substance with hot water
127. sus\_\_\_\_\_le alternative fuel *adj.* able to continue or be continued for a long time
128. tra\_\_\_\_\_nt crystal *adj.* easy to perceive, detect, or understand; (of a material or article) permitting light to pass through freely
129. sw\_\_t bath *n.* the salty liquid that is produced by the glands in the skin, especially when the body is hot or under stress
130. p\_\_l a fruit *v.* to remove the skin of fruit and vegetables
131. s\_\_n thread out of cotton *v.* to cause something to rotate rapidly; to cause someone to feel dizzy or disoriented
132. na\_\_\_\_\_le device *adj.* on a scale that can be measured in nanometres (= one billionth of a meter); on a very small scale
133. in\_\_\_o plant *adj.* a deep blue or purple-blue color; also, the plant that yields Indigo dye
134. st\_\_n the carpet *v.* to discolor, defile, or tarnish something; (noun) a discoloration or dirty mark on a surface that is difficult to remove

ANSWERS: 124. layer, 125. immediately, 126. brew, 127. sustainable, 128. transparent, 129. sweat, 130. peel, 131. spin, 132. nanoscale, 133. indigo, 134. stain

135. regular rep\_\_\_\_\_nt of tires *n.* the act of replacing something with something else, especially that is newer or better; a person or thing that takes or can take the place of another
136. di\_\_\_\_\_ve the sugar *v.* to be or cause to be absorbed by a liquid to form a part of the solution; to close down or dismiss
137. a scanty ha\_\_\_\_\_t *n.* yields of plants in a single growing season; the period of the year when gathering occurs on a farm
138. d\_e a T-shirt red *v.* to color a textile or hair by immersing it in a colored liquid or substance
139. hyd\_\_\_\_\_ic amino acids *adj.* tending to repel or be unreactive towards the water; lacking affinity for water
140. the l\_e of the building *n.* the side or part that is sheltered or facing away from the wind or the direction from which the wind is blowing; a position or location protected from the full force or effects of something, particularly the wind
141. na\_\_\_\_\_ly regenerated forest *adv.* as might be expected; by natural manners
142. new fa\_\_\_\_\_n trends *n.* a style that is popular at a particular time or place; the state of being popular
143. op\_\_\_\_\_m conditions *adj.* the best or most favorable; the ideal or most advantageous; the point at which something operates at peak performance or efficiency

ANSWERS: 135. replacement, 136. dissolve, 137. harvest, 138. dye, 139. hydrophobic, 140. lee, 141. naturally, 142. fashion, 143. optimum

144. re\_\_\_e book *n.* a set of instructions for preparing a dish, including the ingredients and the method of cooking
145. com\_\_\_\_\_le with HTML5 *adj.* capable of coexisting or working together without conflict or inconsistency; harmonious or well-matched
146. ess\_\_\_\_\_ly correct *adv.* relating to the essential features or concepts of anything
147. the ul\_\_\_\_\_te luxury *adj.* furthest or highest in degree or order
148. the st\_\_\_m of time *n.* a small, narrow river; a continuous flow of something, such as liquid, gas, people, vehicles, etc.
149. s\_w a button *v.* to join, fasten, or repair two pieces of something by putting the thread through them with a needle
150. evolutionary bi\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* the scientific study of life and the natural processes of living things
151. smart the\_\_\_\_\_at *n.* a device that automatically regulates temperature by controlling the heating or cooling system based on the temperature in a room or building
152. mi\_\_\_\_\_ze a loss *v.* to make something, especially something bad, small or less serious
153. the\_\_\_\_\_at settings *n.* a device that automatically regulates temperature by controlling the heating or cooling system based on the temperature in a room or building
154. mi\_\_\_\_\_es sterilizer *n.* a tiny living thing that can only be seen with a microscope and that may cause disease

ANSWERS: 144. recipe, 145. compatible, 146. essentially, 147. ultimate, 148. stream, 149. sew, 150. biology, 151. thermostat, 152. minimize, 153. thermostat, 154. microbe

155. a tra\_\_\_\_\_nt lie *adj.* easy to perceive, detect, or understand; (of a material or article) permitting light to pass through freely
156. pr\_\_\_\_\_us information *adj.* uncommon and extremely valuable
157. a civil en\_\_\_\_\_er *n.* a person whose job is designing, building, or maintaining something such as machines, structures, or software
158. become ess\_\_\_\_\_ly same *adv.* relating to the essential features or concepts of anything
159. mi\_\_o bubble *n.* extremely small in scale or scope; one millionth
160. re\_\_\_\_\_e the cardboard boxes *v.* to sort and collect things to process them and produce valuable materials that can be used again
161. tissue te\_\_\_\_\_es *n.* any type of cloth made by weaving or felting or knitting
162. co\_\_\_\_\_e electricity *v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
163. ce\_\_\_\_\_se acetate *n.* a complex carbohydrate that is the main structural component of plant cell walls and fibers; a substance used to make paper, textiles, and other materials
164. inc\_\_\_\_\_gly become common *adv.* more and more
165. say def\_\_\_\_\_ly *adv.* without any question and beyond doubt; clearly
166. residual qu\_\_\_\_\_ty *n.* the amount or number of something; magnitude
167. lig\_\_\_\_\_ht structure *adj.* composed of thinner and lighter material than average; not severe or impressive

ANSWERS: 155. transparent, 156. precious, 157. engineer, 158. essentially, 159. micro, 160. recycle, 161. textile, 162. consume, 163. cellulose, 164. increasingly, 165. definitely, 166. quantity, 167. lightweight

168. enameled le\_\_\_\_r *n.* a material made from the skin of an animal, typically by tanning, and used for clothing, shoes, furniture, and other items
169. all in a sw\_\_t *n.* the salty liquid that is produced by the glands in the skin, especially when the body is hot or under stress
170. fa\_\_\_c of creation *n.* cloth or other material produced by weaving wool, cotton, silk, etc., used for making clothes, covering furniture, etc.
171. eve\_\_\_\_\_ly become obsolete *adv.* finally, particularly after a long time or a lot of struggle, complications, and so on
172. the ul\_\_\_\_\_te goal in life *adj.* furthest or highest in degree or order
173. co\_\_\_\_\_e a large of alcohol *v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
174. boundless cu\_\_\_\_\_ty *n.* a strong desire to know or learn about something
175. b\_g bites *n.* any tiny insect; a fault or defect in a computer program, system, or machine
176. officially di\_\_\_\_\_ved the marriage *v.* to be or cause to be absorbed by a liquid to form a part of the solution; to close down or dismiss
177. bombs fell at ra\_\_\_\_m *adj.* made, done, or happening without method, conscious decision, or any regular pattern
178. ev\_\_\_\_\_te almost overnight *v.* to turn a liquid into a gas; to become less intense and disappear gradually
179. ma\_\_\_\_\_in order *v.* to continue to uphold or sustain; to keep in a particular state or condition; to assert or declare something to be true

ANSWERS: 168. leather, 169. sweat, 170. fabric, 171. eventually, 172. ultimate, 173. consume, 174. curiosity, 175. bug, 176. dissolve, 177. random, 178. evaporate, 179. maintain

180. bachelor's de\_\_\_e *n.* a unit of measurement for angles, temperature, or level of proficiency or achievement; a rank or level of academic or professional attainment
181. s\_\_n a top *v.* to cause something to rotate rapidly; to cause someone to feel dizzy or disoriented
182. in\_\_\_\_\_ue against his rival *v.* to make someone interested, especially by being strange, unusual, or mysterious; to make a secret plan with other people to harm someone
183. sp\_\_\_\_\_ng machine *n.* the act of rotating rapidly around an axis; in the context of textiles, the process of twisting fibers together to form thread or yarn
184. economic bu\_\_\_e *n.* a thin, round, and often transparent mass of gas that is surrounded by a thin layer of liquid; a state of economic or social prosperity that is unsustainable and eventually collapses
185. def\_\_\_\_\_ly become a problem *adv.* without any question and beyond doubt; clearly
186. con\_\_\_\_\_lly dressed *adv.* in a way that follows accepted customs, rules, or standards; in a way that is typical or traditional
187. st\_\_\_c website *adj.* not moving or not capable of moving, not changing or not capable of changing
188. d\_e patterns *v.* to color a textile or hair by immersing it in a colored liquid or substance

ANSWERS: 180. degree, 181. spin, 182. intrigue, 183. spinning, 184. bubble, 185. definitely, 186. conventionally, 187. static, 188. dye

189. f\_e calculation *n.* a sum of money charged for a particular service
190. group of or \_\_\_\_ sms *n.* a tiny living thing
191. his conclusion was ob \_\_\_\_ s *adj.* easy to see, discover or understand
192. ev \_\_\_\_ te the water *v.* to turn a liquid into a gas; to become less intense and disappear gradually
193. co \_\_\_\_ ss gas *v.* to press or squeeze together to make something take up less space
194. penicillin-re \_\_\_\_ nt bacteria *adj.* not affected by something, especially changes or new ideas; of or relating to immunity to disease or infection
195. ac \_\_\_\_ c fermentation *adj.* relating to vinegar or containing acetic acid (= a colorless, pungent-smelling liquid organic compound with the chemical formula CH<sub>3</sub>COOH); having a sour or sharp taste or smell resembling vinegar
196. the degree of pu \_\_\_\_ y *n.* the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature
197. ko \_\_\_\_ ha tea *n.* a fermented beverage made by adding a culture of bacteria and yeast to sweetened tea, resulting in a slightly effervescent, tart, and tea-like flavored drink, often consumed for its potential health benefits
198. extreme tem \_\_\_\_ res *n.* the degree of hotness or coldness of a thing or place

ANSWERS: 189. fee, 190. organism, 191. obvious, 192. evaporate, 193. compress, 194. resistant, 195. acetic, 196. purity, 197. kombucha, 198. temperature



199. a ch\_\_\_\_al compound      *adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;
200. satisfy my intellectual cu\_\_\_\_ty      *n.* a strong desire to know or learn about something
201. the s\_\_m on the shoulder      *n.* a line of stitching or joining where two pieces of fabric or material are united; also, a narrow furrow or fissure in rock or soil
202. homemade ko\_\_\_\_ha      *n.* a fermented beverage made by adding a culture of bacteria and yeast to sweetened tea, resulting in a slightly effervescent, tart, and tea-like flavored drink, often consumed for its potential health benefits
203. de\_\_\_\_e centigrade      *n.* a unit of measurement for angles, temperature, or level of proficiency or achievement; a rank or level of academic or professional attainment
204. te\_\_\_\_e production      *n.* any type of cloth made by weaving or felting or knitting
205. an a\_\_d reaction      *n.* sour; water-soluble chemicals with a sour flavor; any of a variety of generally liquid compounds capable of reacting with and occasionally dissolving other materials
206. ob\_\_\_\_s reasons      *adj.* easy to see, discover or understand
207. part of the he\_\_\_\_g process      *n.* the process of becoming or making somebody or something well again
208. face inc\_\_\_\_gly complicated challenges      *adv.* more and more

ANSWERS: 199. chemical, 200. curiosity, 201. seam, 202. kombucha, 203. degree, 204. textile, 205. acid, 206. obvious, 207. healing, 208. increasingly

209. al\_\_n the economic interest of each other     *v.* to put or arrange two or more things in a straight line or to form a straight line
210. sy\_\_\_\_\_ic fiber     *adj.* made by combining chemical substances as opposed to being naturally occurring
211. a hand-loomed fa\_\_\_c     *n.* cloth or other material produced by weaving wool, cotton, silk, etc., used for making clothes, covering furniture, etc.
212. a ra\_\_\_m choice     *adj.* made, done, or happening without method, conscious decision, or any regular pattern

ANSWERS: 209. align, 210. synthetic, 211. fabric, 212. random

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. Cities around the world set records for highest \_\_\_\_\_ this summer.  
*n.* the degree of hotness or coldness of a thing or place
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ for the cake is passed down from generation to generation in her family.  
*n.* a set of instructions for preparing a dish, including the ingredients and the method of cooking
3. There are \_\_\_\_\_ differences between the two wine-producing regions.  
*adj.* easy to see, discover or understand
4. She \_\_\_\_\_ the files into a single ZIP archive to save space on her computer.  
*v.* to press or squeeze together to make something take up less space
5. The dough was left to \_\_\_\_\_ overnight to give the bread its distinctive flavor.  
*v.* to experience a chemical change or action that results in the production of alcohol or effervescence of gases; (noun) a state of agitated activity or change, especially in the context of social or political movements
6. The corporation \_\_\_\_\_ dominated the entire tobacco business.  
*adv.* finally, particularly after a long time or a lot of struggle, complications, and so on
7. He was \_\_\_\_\_ gifted.  
*adv.* as might be expected; by natural manners

ANSWERS: 1. temperatures, 2. recipe, 3. obvious, 4. compressed, 5. ferment, 6. eventually, 7. naturally

8. The \_\_\_\_\_ coating on the fabric repels water, keeping the wearer dry in a downpour.

*adj.* tending to repel or be unreactive towards the water; lacking affinity for water

9. The government should do more to support environmentally \_\_\_\_\_ agriculture.

*adj.* able to continue or be continued for a long time

10. The storm had \_\_\_\_\_ all paint off the siding.

*v.* to remove the skin of fruit and vegetables

11. The kidney is an \_\_\_\_\_ component of the body.

*adj.* of or derived from biological substance; producing plants and animals for food and other items without the use of synthetic chemicals

12. Management must take \_\_\_\_\_ responsibility for the accident.

*adj.* furthest or highest in degree or order

13. The sponge \_\_\_\_\_ water well.

*v.* to take in a fluid or other substance gradually

14. Topics related to that war may \_\_\_\_\_ up a political hornets' nest.

*v.* to mix a liquid or substance by using a spoon or something similar; to cause to be agitated, excited, or roused

15. The price of raw \_\_\_\_\_ continued to rise.

*n.* a plant that is grown in warm countries and bears bolls containing seeds with soft and long hairs that are made into textile fiber and thread for sewing

ANSWERS: 8. hydrophobic, 9. sustainable, 10. peeled, 11. organic, 12. ultimate, 13. absorbs, 14. stir, 15. cotton

16. We demand his \_\_\_\_\_.

- n.* the act of replacing something with something else, especially that is newer or better; a person or thing that takes or can take the place of another

17. The lawyer's \_\_\_\_ for the case was \$10,000.

- n.* a sum of money charged for a particular service

18. Both parties are now entirely ideologically \_\_\_\_\_.

- v.* to put or arrange two or more things in a straight line or to form a straight line

19. Our company must continue to strive for greater \_\_\_\_\_.

- n.* the state or quality of doing something well with no waste of input such as time or money

20. We cannot afford to squander \_\_\_\_\_ time.

- adj.* uncommon and extremely valuable

21. I enjoy drinking flavored \_\_\_\_\_ as a refreshing and probiotic-rich beverage.

- n.* a fermented beverage made by adding a culture of bacteria and yeast to sweetened tea, resulting in a slightly effervescent, tart, and tea-like flavored drink, often consumed for its potential health benefits

22. She received her \_\_\_\_\_ in psychology from the university.

- n.* a unit of measurement for angles, temperature, or level of proficiency or achievement; a rank or level of academic or professional attainment

23. I adjusted the temperature to reach the \_\_\_\_\_ level for baking the cake.

- adj.* the best or most favorable; the ideal or most advantageous; the point at which something operates at peak performance or efficiency

ANSWERS: 16. replacement, 17. fee, 18. aligned, 19. efficiency, 20. precious, 21. kombucha, 22. degree, 23. optimum

24. The blood's red coloring comes from iron \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* a chemical compound that contains at least one oxygen atom and one other element
25. Insects in urban areas are becoming \_\_\_\_\_ to insecticides.
- adj.* not affected by something, especially changes or new ideas; of or relating to immunity to disease or infection
26. The news of her promotion \_\_\_\_\_ her.
- v.* to make someone feel suddenly enthusiastic or eager
27. This process improves the strength of the metal by controlling the \_\_\_\_\_ lattice structure of the metal.
- adj.* on a scale that can be measured in nanometres (= one billionth of a meter); on a very small scale
28. The researcher separated the nervous \_\_\_\_\_ for microscopic examinations.
- n.* an ensemble of similar cells of the animal or plant that together carry out a specific function
29. Jet \_\_\_\_\_ are the common name for air currents that form high in the atmosphere.
- n.* a small, narrow river; a continuous flow of something, such as liquid, gas, people, vehicles, etc.
30. The \_\_\_\_\_ dye made the fabric a beautiful shade of blue.
- adj.* a deep blue or purple-blue color; also, the plant that yields Indigo dye
31. China's \_\_\_\_\_ industry has developed rapidly with the input of foreign capital.
- n.* any type of cloth made by weaving or felting or knitting

ANSWERS: 24. oxide, 25. resistant, 26. excited, 27. nanoscale, 28. tissue, 29. streams, 30. indigo, 31. textile

32. The sponge takes up the \_\_\_\_\_ well.

*n.* a substance, such as water or oil that flows freely and is neither a solid nor a gas

33. The \_\_\_\_ section of the ship suffered significant damage after the collision with the reef.

*adj.* (the opposite of "forward") located at or towards the rear or back of a ship, aircraft, or other vehicle

34. We largely \_\_\_\_\_ the circuit board of cell phones because they contain a lot of valuable metals.

*v.* to sort and collect things to process them and produce valuable materials that can be used again

35. Overall \_\_\_\_\_ are approximately 400x200mm.

*n.* a measurable extent of a particular kind, such as width, height, or length

36. In junior high school, we had to dissect a frog in \_\_\_\_\_ class.

*n.* the scientific study of life and the natural processes of living things

37. The \_\_\_\_\_ arrived in port the following day.

*n.* a ship or large boat

38. The detective followed a \_\_\_\_\_ of clues which ultimately led to the suspect's arrest.

*n.* a fine cord of natural or synthetic fibers or filaments, such as cotton or nylon, used in sewing, knitting, or weaving; a series of connected messages or comments on a social media platform or online forum, often related to a particular topic; a sequence or line of events, ideas, or actions that are connected or related; (verb) to pass a thread through a needle or other small opening, in preparation for sewing or stitching

ANSWERS: 32. liquid, 33. aft, 34. recycle, 35. dimensions, 36. biology, 37. vessel, 38. thread

39. They used fast-acting \_\_\_\_\_ on the flowers in the flower beds.  
*n.* any substance that is essential for the maintenance and growth of living things
40. The digital \_\_\_\_\_ has a programmable feature, and it can be controlled through your smartphone.  
*n.* a device that automatically regulates temperature by controlling the heating or cooling system based on the temperature in a room or building
41. Low sexual \_\_\_\_\_ typically correlates with low testosterone levels.  
*n.* a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something
42. The \_\_\_\_\_ of frost on the ground was so thick it was difficult to walk on.  
*n.* a sheet, quantity, or thickness of the material, typically one of several, covering a surface or body; a level or part within a system or set of ideas
43. We are motivated by \_\_\_\_\_ rather than necessity.  
*n.* a strong desire to know or learn about something
44. A diversified plant species generally enhances beneficial \_\_\_\_\_ populations.  
*n.* a tiny living thing
45. During pregnancy, the stomach generates less \_\_\_\_\_ than usual.  
*n.* sour; water-soluble chemicals with a sour flavor; any of a variety of generally liquid compounds capable of reacting with and occasionally dissolving other materials
46. My mother taught me how to \_\_\_\_\_.  
*v.* to join, fasten, or repair two pieces of something by putting the thread through them with a needle

ANSWERS: 39. nutrients, 40. thermostat, 41. desire, 42. layer, 43. curiosity, 44. organism, 45. acid, 46. sew



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

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

48. I am going to \_\_\_\_\_ some coffee this morning.

*v.* to make beer or tea by mixing a substance with hot water

49. You \_\_\_\_\_ a bill in the change machine, and the coins pop out.

*v.* to put something, usually a sharp object, into something; to restrict yourself to doing or using one certain thing and not change; (noun) a thin piece of wood or other material

50. The paper is \_\_\_\_\_ worth reading thoroughly.

*adv.* without any question and beyond doubt; clearly

51. I bought a gadget before my trip to help \_\_\_\_\_ stress during the flight.

*v.* to make something, especially something bad, small or less serious

52. These synthetic \_\_\_\_\_ are used in military vests because of their excellent abrasion resistance.

*n.* cloth or other material produced by weaving wool, cotton, silk, etc., used for making clothes, covering furniture, etc.

53. Powder coating protects the \_\_\_\_\_ aluminum alloy components.

*adj.* composed of thinner and lighter material than average; not severe or impressive

54. This approach employs both \_\_\_\_\_ and macro analysis methods.

*n.* extremely small in scale or scope; one millionth

ANSWERS: 47. random, 48. brew, 49. stick, 50. definitely, 51. minimize, 52. fabrics, 53. lightweight, 54. micro

55. The \_\_\_\_\_ image on the screen took a lot of work to make out.

*adj.* not moving or not capable of moving, not changing or not capable of changing

56. \_\_\_\_\_ a society is an organism.

*adv.* relating to the essential features or concepts of anything

57. Many people worry that the current real estate market is a \_\_\_\_\_ that could burst soon.

*n.* a thin, round, and often transparent mass of gas that is surrounded by a thin layer of liquid; a state of economic or social prosperity that is unsustainable and eventually collapses

58. The hiker found a calm spot in the \_\_\_\_ of the mountain to set up camp.

*n.* the side or part that is sheltered or facing away from the wind or the direction from which the wind is blowing; a position or location protected from the full force or effects of something, particularly the wind

59. We must manage to \_\_\_\_\_ our expenditure.

*v.* to control something, especially by means of rules or laws

60. Higher \_\_\_\_\_ requires additional equipment and energy.

*n.* the state of being undiluted or unmixed with anything else; the state of being free from immorality, especially of a sexual nature

61. In southward, the average annual water \_\_\_\_\_ increases.

*n.* the amount or number of something; magnitude

62. Adding \_\_\_\_\_ acid to a solution can lower its pH.

*adj.* relating to vinegar or containing acetic acid (= a colorless, pungent-smelling liquid organic compound with the chemical formula CH<sub>3</sub>COOH); having a sour or sharp taste or smell resembling vinegar

ANSWERS: 55. static, 56. Essentially, 57. bubble, 58. lee, 59. regulate, 60. purity, 61. quantity, 62. acetic

63. The focus of these initiatives is to make the financial system more \_\_\_\_\_.
- adj.* easy to perceive, detect, or understand; (of a material or article) permitting light to pass through freely
64. We must consume dietary \_\_\_\_\_ to maintain good health.
- n.* thread or filament used to make a vegetable tissue, mineral material, or textile
65. The sun will \_\_\_\_\_ the mist.
- v.* to turn a liquid into a gas; to become less intense and disappear gradually
66. The tornado is \_\_\_\_\_ across the countryside, destroying everything in its path.
- v.* to cause something to rotate rapidly; to cause someone to feel dizzy or disoriented
67. The \_\_\_\_\_ content in fruits and vegetables contributes to their dietary fiber.
- n.* a complex carbohydrate that is the main structural component of plant cell walls and fibers; a substance used to make paper, textiles, and other materials
68. You should not \_\_\_\_\_ yourself by allowing them to use you.
- v.* to make something worse, especially in quality; to show or treat someone in a way that makes them seem no value and do not have the respect or reasonable opinion of others
69. The process of \_\_\_\_\_ is used to make beer, wine, and many other products.
- n.* the chemical breakdown of a substance by bacteria, yeasts, or other microorganisms, typically involving effervescence and the giving off of the heat
70. The new software is not \_\_\_\_\_ with the old operating system, causing compatibility issues and errors.
- adj.* capable of coexisting or working together without conflict or inconsistency; harmonious or well-matched

ANSWERS: 63. transparent, 64. fiber, 65. evaporate, 66. spinning, 67. cellulose, 68. degrade, 69. fermentation, 70. compatible

71. \_\_\_\_\_ doctors recommend getting at least 8 hours of sleep per night for optimal health.

*adv.* in a way that follows accepted customs, rules, or standards; in a way that is typical or traditional

72. I found a stink \_\_\_\_ crawling across the ceiling.

*n.* any tiny insect; a fault or defect in a computer program, system, or machine

73. She wiped the \_\_\_\_\_ off her forehead with a towel.

*n.* the salty liquid that is produced by the glands in the skin, especially when the body is hot or under stress

74. The company's plastic products are easily \_\_\_\_\_ thanks to a unique manufacturing process.

*v.* to decay naturally by microorganisms, such as bacteria and fungi

75. Our company found it \_\_\_\_\_ difficult to keep up with the competition.

*adv.* more and more

76. He \_\_\_\_\_ jumped out of his chair when he heard the news.

*adv.* in the real or original meaning of a word or phrase; in a literal sense or way; not figuratively

77. \_\_\_\_\_ prevalent in hospitals are often resistant to antibiotics.

*n.* single-celled or noncellular spherical or spiral or rod-shaped organisms that exist in large numbers in the air, water, and soil, and also in living and dead creatures and plants, and are often a cause of disease

78. I need to \_\_\_\_\_ my car regularly to prevent any major mechanical issues.

*v.* to continue to uphold or sustain; to keep in a particular state or condition; to assert or declare something to be true

ANSWERS: 71. Conventionally, 72. bug, 73. sweat, 74. biodegraded, 75. increasingly, 76. literally, 77. Bacteria, 78. maintain

79. That style is no longer in \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a style that is popular at a particular time or place; the state of being popular

80. \_\_\_\_\_ diamonds play an essential role as machine tool blades.

*adj.* made by combining chemical substances as opposed to being naturally occurring

81. She took a \_\_\_\_\_ class at the gym to improve her cardiovascular fitness.

*n.* the act of rotating rapidly around an axis; in the context of textiles, the process of twisting fibers together to form thread or yarn

82. In \_\_\_\_\_ private corporations provide healthcare services.

*n.* the act or process of adding something to something else; the process of adding numbers

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

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

84. She \_\_\_\_\_ her hair purple for a change.

*v.* to color a textile or hair by immersing it in a colored liquid or substance

85. The firm has grown into a large \_\_\_\_\_ manufacturing.

*adj.* relating to or connected with chemistry;

86. The findings of the experiment were both \_\_\_\_\_ and unexpected.

*adj.* causing a lot of interest or excitement

87. We have a mutually \_\_\_\_\_ connection with them.

*adj.* involving two varieties of animal or plant, each of which supplies the conditions for the other to exist

ANSWERS: 79. fashion, 80. Synthetic, 81. spinning, 82. addition, 83. engineer, 84. dyed, 85. chemical, 86. exciting, 87. symbiotic

88. Please \_\_\_ up a bucketful of water from the well.

*v.* to put something into a liquid for a short time and take it out again

89. They carefully nurture a \_\_\_\_\_ fungus used to produce sake.

*n.* a type of fungus that is used in making alcoholic drinks such as beer and wine or to make bread rise

90. The \_\_\_\_\_ jacket was worn in but still comfortable.

*n.* a material made from the skin of an animal, typically by tanning, and used for clothing, shoes, furniture, and other items

91. The political party \_\_\_\_\_ after much internal fighting.

*v.* to be or cause to be absorbed by a liquid to form a part of the solution; to close down or dismiss

92. He was \_\_\_ to learn more about the subject and attended every lecture.

*adj.* having or showing quick and eager intelligence or interest

93. She took the dress to the tailor to fix the torn \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* a line of stitching or joining where two pieces of fabric or material are united; also, a narrow furrow or fissure in rock or soil

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

*adv.* now or without delay

95. The fire department arrived just in time to \_\_\_\_\_ the family from the burning building.

*v.* to save someone or something from a dangerous or difficult situation

ANSWERS: 88. dip, 89. yeast, 90. leather, 91. dissolved, 92. keen, 93. seam, 94. immediately, 95. rescue

96. During \_\_\_\_\_ farmers are incredibly busy.

- n.* yields of plants in a single growing season; the period of the year when gathering occurs on a farm

97. \_\_\_\_\_ thrive on the surface of the human skin.

- n.* a tiny living thing that can only be seen with a microscope and that may cause disease

98. You can be more \_\_\_\_\_ and creative in your approach.

- adj.* able to change or be changed to suit new conditions or situations; able to bend easily

99. A smaller car will \_\_\_\_\_ less fuel.

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

100. Each ancient tribe has its \_\_\_\_\_ traditions.

- n.* the process of becoming or making somebody or something well again

101. The \_\_\_\_\_ for applying for a visa can be lengthy and complicated.

- n.* a series of actions or operations performed to achieve a particular outcome or goal; a systematic procedure or approach used to accomplish a specific task or objective; a method of treating milk to make it suitable for consumption or use in other dairy products

102. The grandmother \_\_\_\_\_ a warm sweater for her grandchild.

- v.* to make a garment or fabric by interlocking loops of yarn with needles or a machine

103. The allegations of corruption \_\_\_\_\_ her reputation, and she struggled to regain public trust.

- v.* to discolor, defile, or tarnish something; (noun) a discoloration or dirty mark on a surface that is difficult to remove

ANSWERS: 96. harvest, 97. Microbes, 98. flexible, 99. consume, 100. healing, 101. process, 102. knit, 103. stained

104. The artist's innovative style of work \_\_\_\_\_ me.

- v.* to make someone interested, especially by being strange, unusual, or mysterious; to make a secret plan with other people to harm someone

105. I will work hard to \_\_\_\_\_ my goals and realize my dreams.

- v.* to successfully complete a task or goal, often through hard work, perseverance, and dedication; to attain or accomplish something that one has set out to do

106. It seems \_\_\_\_\_ that he has forgotten our scheduled meeting.

- adj.* likely to happen or likely to be true

ANSWERS: 104. intrigues, 105. achieve, 106. probable