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Session 1: Word List

improvisation

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

synonym : spontaneity, ad-lib, extemporization

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

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

mouthpiece

n. the part of a wind instrument that the player blows into; a device or object that is used for communication or expression

synonym : nozzle, outlet, conduit

(1) the **mouthpiece** of the government, (2) the **mouthpiece** of a saxophone

He spoke into the **mouthpiece** of the microphone.

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**.

atomization

n. the process of breaking something down into very small, separate particles or individual components, often to the point of fragmentation or disintegration

synonym : fragmentation, disintegration, pulverization

(1) **atomization** process, (2) social **atomization**

The **atomization** of liquid chocolate is important in the creation of chocolate sprays.

Session 2: Spelling

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| 1. jazz imp_____ion | <i>n.</i> the act of making something up on the spot or creating or performing something without preparation |
| 2. imp_____ion on stage | <i>n.</i> the act of making something up on the spot or creating or performing something without preparation |
| 3. sma_____ne addict | <i>n.</i> a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet |
| 4. sma_____ne app developer | <i>n.</i> a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet |
| 5. the mou_____ce of the government | <i>n.</i> the part of a wind instrument that the player blows into; a device or object that is used for communication or expression |
| 6. the mou_____ce of a saxophone | <i>n.</i> the part of a wind instrument that the player blows into; a device or object that is used for communication or expression |
| 7. ato_____on process | <i>n.</i> the process of breaking something down into very small, separate particles or individual components, often to the point of fragmentation or disintegration |
| 8. social ato_____on | <i>n.</i> the process of breaking something down into very small, separate particles or individual components, often to the point of fragmentation or disintegration |

ANSWERS: 1. improvisation, 2. improvisation, 3. smartphone, 4. smartphone, 5. mouthpiece, 6. mouthpiece, 7. atomization, 8. atomization

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. The _____ of liquid chocolate is important in the creation of chocolate sprays.
 - n.* the process of breaking something down into very small, separate particles or individual components, often to the point of fragmentation or disintegration
2. He spoke into the _____ of the microphone.
 - n.* the part of a wind instrument that the player blows into; a device or object that is used for communication or expression
3. Internet traffic volumes have increased significantly with the advent of _____.
 - n.* a mobile phone that functions as a computer and connects to the Internet
4. He created a beautiful piece of music using only _____.
 - n.* the act of making something up on the spot or creating or performing something without preparation

ANSWERS: 1. atomization, 2. mouthpiece, 3. smartphones, 4. improvisation