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Session 1: Word List

consume

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

synonym : absorb, ingest, use up

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

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

consciously

adv. with awareness; in a deliberate manner

synonym : intentionally, deliberately, knowingly

(1) **consciously** aware of a problem, (2) act **consciously**

He **consciously** criticizes her in the publicity.

contributor

n. a person or thing that adds to the achievement, production, or growth of something (such as a project, organization, or publication); a donor or benefactor

synonym : donor, giver, subscriber

(1) **contributor** of funds, (2) regular **contributor**

She is a major **contributor** to the local food bank, volunteering every week.

helpless

adj. unable to take care of oneself or to do things without help

synonym : defenseless, powerless, susceptible

(1) **helpless** baby, (2) **helpless** victims

I feel so **helpless** without you.

survive

v. to live or exist despite a dangerous event or period
synonym : endure, persist, stay

(1) **survive** a blizzard, (2) **survive** a plane crash

These birds can only **survive** in temperate climates.

endow

v. to give a quality, ability, or asset to a person or institution

synonym : finance, subsidize, support

(1) **endow** him with the power, (2) **endow** the scholarship

Some people believe that human is **endowed** with reason and capable of distinguishing good from evil.

instinct

n. an inborn behavioral pattern that is often responsive to specific stimuli; an innate feeling that causes you to act or believe that something is true

synonym : intuition, aptitude, feeling

(1) **instinct** for self-preservation, (2) aggressive **instinct**

When faced with a dangerous situation, his initial **instinct** was to flee.

foster

v. to promote growth; to take care of another person's child, usually for a limited time, without becoming their legal parents

synonym : nurture, nourish, cultivate

(1) **foster** a better relationship, (2) **foster** two kids

The pastor contributed to **fostering** the sense of a community embracing all classes.

afford

v. to have enough money or time to be able to buy or do something

(1) **afford** to buy a new car, (2) **afford** a high travel cost

He cannot **afford** a holiday.

doubt

n. a feeling of being uncertain about something, especially about how good or accurate it is

synonym : distrust, suspect, mistrust

(1) dispel **doubts**, (2) no **doubt** about the news

Doubt is the start, not the end, of intelligence.

surrender

v. to cease resistance to an enemy or opponent and submit to their authority

synonym : yield, submit, relinquish

(1) **surrender** at discretion, (2) **surrender** an insurance policy

The enemy was forced to **surrender** after a long battle.

anesthesiologist

n. a medical doctor who specializes in administering anesthesia to help control pain and monitor the vital signs of patients during procedures and surgeries

synonym : anesthetist, pain specialist, sedationist

(1) specialized **anesthesiologist**, (2) clinical **anesthesiologist**

The experienced **anesthesiologist** monitored the patient's vital signs throughout the procedure.

imply

v. to indicate the truth or existence of something without referring to it

synonym : hint, indicate, denote

(1) **imply** a strong correlation, (2) **imply** the presence of alien

The salespeople speak in technical terms to **imply** that they are more knowledgeable than the customer.

violate

v. to break or disrupt a rule, law, or agreement; to intrude on someone's privacy or rights

synonym : breach, infringe, desecrate

(1) **violate** the law, (2) **violate** rights

He **violated** the terms of his probation.

discovery

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

synonym : finding, uncovering, detection

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

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

viol

n. a stringed instrument, typically with six strings and frets, played with a bow, also called a viola da gamba

synonym : viola, viola da gamba, string instrument

(1) **viol** instrument, (2) **viol** music

The **viol** player was rehearsing for an upcoming concert.

violation

n. an action that breaches a law, rule, or agreement; an infringement of rights or duties

synonym : breach, transgression, infraction

(1) **violation** law, (2) commit a traffic **violation**

The international community has widely condemned the **violation** of human rights.

blame

v. to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad

synonym : condemn, rebuke, find fault with

(1) **blame** circumstances for the failure, (2) **blame** the lack of knowledge

We **blamed** our impeded progress on lack of money.

wordless

adj. lacking words or speech; silent; without verbal expression or explanation

synonym : speechless, silent, mute

(1) **wordless** indication, (2) **wordless** wonder

The ending of the movie left the audience in **wordless** awe.

resolve

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

synonym : decide, determine, fix

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

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

contribute

v. to give something, especially money or goods, to provide or achieve something together with other people

synonym : donate, devote, commit

(1) **contribute** a large sum of money to the fund,

(2) **contribute** to society

Government workers cannot **contribute** to political campaigns.

security

n. the state of being free from danger, risk, or harm; measures taken to protect against threats or attacks; a financial asset, such as a stock or bond that derives value exclusively from the ownership interest or claim to a particular underlying asset or obligation

synonym : safety, protection, stock

(1) national **security**, (2) **security** analyst

The building's **security** system includes cameras, alarms, and security guards.

compassionate

adj. feeling or showing sympathy and concern for the suffering or bad luck of others

synonym : empathetic, sympathetic, merciful

(1) a **compassionate** heart, (2) **compassionate** leave

My father has a serious and **compassionate** personality.

wield

v. to possess and exercise power, authority, etc

synonym : exert, manage, handle

(1) **wield** her authority, (2) **wield** a bad influence

They **wielded** enormous power and influence.

command

n. authority, control, or mastery over something, often referring to military or leadership contexts; a directive, order, or instruction; expertise or confidence in a specific area; (verb) to give an authoritative order or instruction, or to be in charge or control of something

synonym : control, authority, leadership

(1) **command** and control, (2) **command** a battery

The general gave a **command** to his troops to prepare for

battle.

compassion

n. a strong feeling of sympathy and sadness for another's suffering or bad luck

synonym: pity, empathy, understanding

(1) feel **compassion** for the poor, (2) have **compassion** toward the accident

His infinite love and **compassion** for everyone never weary.

occasionally

adv. now and then; sometimes but not often

synonym: periodically, sometimes, from time to time

(1) **occasionally** dine with friends, (2) **occasionally** change the routine

She still **occasionally** writes a short romance novel.

empathy

n. the ability to share another person's feelings or experiences by imagining that person's situation

synonym: compassion, sympathy, tenderness

(1) full of **empathy**, (2) **empathy** for patients

Empathy is also necessary to understand history.

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.

etiquette

n. a set of rules and norms governing polite and proper behavior in social situations or professional contexts

synonym: protocol, manners, decorum

(1) email **etiquette**, (2) breach of **etiquette**

It's important to follow proper **etiquette** when attending a formal dinner.

deny

v. to state that one refuses to admit the existence or truth of something

synonym: refute, reject, repudiate

(1) adamantly **deny** killing, (2) **deny** the allegations
He is still **denying** stealing the money from the cash register.

religion

n. a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny

synonym: faith, creed, belief

(1) **religion** sociology, (2) freedom of **religion**

Their **religion** strictly prohibits them from drinking or gambling.

demolish

v. to completely destroy or tear down a building, structure, or other entity; to ruin or eliminate the effectiveness or power of something

synonym: destroy, wreck, level

(1) **demolish** a myth, (2) **demolish** a bridge

The city decided to **demolish** the old, unsafe building and build a new one.

indoctrinate

v. to teach a person or group of people to accept a set of beliefs uncritically

synonym: brainwash, educate, instruct

(1) **indoctrinate** youth, (2) **indoctrinate** ideology

The government attempted to **indoctrinate** the population with its propaganda.

nation

n. a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture

synonym: country, state, sovereign entity

(1) **nation-state**, (2) a seafaring **nation**

The **nation** of Japan is known for its unique culture and advanced technology.

nationalist

adj. relating to or supporting a political ideology that emphasizes a strong sense of national identity and devotion to one's own country

synonym: chauvinist, patriotic, jingoist

(1) **nationalist** sentiment, (2) **nationalist** revolt
The **nationalist** rally attracted thousands of supporters.

define

v. to state or explain precisely the nature, scope, or meaning of something

synonym: characterize, depict, express

(1) **define** a word, (2) **define** my position

To advance this discussion, we must **define** "success" rigorously.

transcend

v. to rise above or go beyond the limits of something

synonym: surpass, exceed, overcome

(1) **transcend** boundaries, (2) **transcend** limits

The music **transcended** cultural barriers and reached audiences globally.

gender

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

synonym: sexuality

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

Cultural norms strongly influence **gender** expectations.

occasional

adj. happening or appearing at irregular intervals; not constant or regular

synonym: infrequent, sporadic, irregular

(1) **occasional** visitor, (2) **occasional** assistance

She only visited her grandparents on **occasional** weekends.

mandate

n. an official or authoritative instruction or command; a commission or authority to carry out a particular task

synonym: command, instruction, authority

(1) **mandate** obligation, (2) an Imperial **mandate**

The **mandate** given to the new government is to improve the economy.

- cite** v. to refer to something such as a passage, book, etc. as evidence for a theory or as a reason why something has happened
synonym : quote, mention, note
(1) **cite** various authorities, (2) **cite** a fact as evidence
The devil can **cite** Scripture for his purpose.
- possibility** n. a chance that something may happen or be true
synonym : chance, prospect, likelihood
(1) **possibility** for growth, (2) **possibility** of a major earthquake
The **possibility** of getting the disease will drastically increase.
- spite** n. feelings of anger and resentment; (in spite of, also despite) a phrase that is used to indicate that something happened or exists even though there is a particular obstacle or difficulty
synonym : malice, ill will, vindictiveness
(1) bear **spite** against him, (2) die in **spite** of intensive care
He did it out of **spite**, to annoy me.
- tragic** adj. causing great sadness or suffering; very unfortunate
synonym : calamitous, disastrous, catastrophic
(1) **tragic** love stories, (2) **tragic** death
The **tragic** events of the war left many families torn apart.
- slapstick** n. a type of comedy in which humor is generated through exaggerated physical activity especially falls and other mishaps
synonym : farce, comedy, humor
(1) **slapstick** comedy, (2) **slapstick** performance
The classic comedy routine was filled with **slapstick** humor.
- scheme** n. an organized and often large-scale plan or arrangement for doing something
synonym : strategy, blueprint, plan

(1) a pilot **scheme**, (2) draw out a **scheme**

They carefully executed the well-planned **scheme** they had prepared over the years.

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.

fuse

n. a small part in an electrical device or machinery that can interrupt the flow of electrical current when it is overloaded; (verb) to become plastic or fluid or liquefied from heat

synonym : (verb) melt, (verb) blend

(1) **fuse** blows, (2) **fuse** with one another

He has a short **fuse**.

sundry

adj. various or diverse; of different kinds or sorts; miscellaneous

synonym : assorted, various, diverse

(1) **sundry** income, (2) **sundry** expenses

He went to the store to buy **sundry** items such as batteries, a toothbrush, and snacks.

confirm

v. to support or establish the truth or certainty of something previously believed or suspected to be the case

synonym : affirm, verify, assure

(1) **confirm** the diagnosis, (2) **confirm** a transaction

Please write to **confirm** your reservation.

limitation

n. a rule or act that restricts the scope of something

synonym : restriction, constraint, burden

(1) impose **limitation**, (2) **limitation** of exercise

Disability is a physical **limitation** to living everyday life.

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.

fulfill

v. to meet the requirements or expectations; to achieve or realize

synonym: satisfy, complete, accomplish

(1) **fulfill** a contract, (2) **fulfill** a lifetime dream

It was the first time for her, but she **fulfilled** the role of Priest.

creditor

n. a person, company, etc. to whom a debtor owes money

(1) the **creditor's** claims, (2) bankrupt **creditor**

I asked the lawyer to initiate **creditor** negotiations for voluntary liquidation.

layoff

n. the temporary or permanent dismissal of employees from a company or organization due to a lack of work or financial difficulties; involuntary termination of employment

synonym: dismissal, redundancy, termination

(1) temporary **layoff**, (2) mass **layoff**

The workers protested against the unfairness of the **layoff**, claiming they should have been consulted first.

bald

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

synonym: hairless, smooth, bare

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

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

extension

n. a thing that is added to something to make it longer, larger, or wider; an educational opportunity provided by colleges and universities to people who are not enrolled as regular students; an additional telephone set that is

connected to the same telephone line

synonym : addition, augment, supplement

(1) time **extension**, (2) telephone **extension**

They are building an **extension** to the house to add more bedrooms.

logic

n. a way of thinking or reasoning conducted or evaluated by strict validity principles; the study of correct reasoning or good arguments

synonym : reasoning, reason, ratiocination

(1) an indisputable **logic**, (2) a demonstration in **logic**

There's no **logic** in his description.

minus

adj. subtracting or taking away; having a value less than zero

synonym : without, lacking, negative

(1) **minus** sign, (2) **minus** temperature

The recipe calls for four cups of flour **minus** one tablespoon.

reveal

v. to make known or disclose something that was previously hidden, secret, or unknown; to unveil or show something that was concealed or not visible

synonym : disclose, unveil, expose

(1) **reveal** secrets, (2) **reveal** a plan

The detective carefully **revealed** the true identity of the murderer.

realization

n. the act or process of understanding or becoming aware of something; the act of achieving or completing something that was planned or desired; the act of making something real or tangible

synonym : achievement, attainment, understanding

(1) **realization** of a concept, (2) harsh **realization**

Her sudden **realization** of her mistake caused her great regret.

recognition

n. the action or process of recognizing or being recognized, especially by remembering; an agreement that something is true or legal

synonym : acknowledgement, identification, credit

(1) **recognition** award, (2) joint **recognition**

He was given **recognition** for his outstanding work in the field of medicine.

meaningful

adj. having meaning, function, or purpose; serious, significant, or worthwhile

synonym : significant, consequential, essential

(1) a **meaningful** outcome, (2) make the accord **meaningful**

She cast a **meaningful** glance at me.

cheerful

adj. happy and positive; causing feelings of happiness or optimism; marked by or expressing joy or optimism

synonym : happy, joyful, lively

(1) **cheerful** smile, (2) a **cheerful** disposition

Her **cheerful** personality brightened up the room.

limitless

adj. without end, limit, or boundary; infinite

synonym : boundless, infinite, unrestricted

(1) for a **limitless** time, (2) **limitless** potential

The possibilities for scientific discovery are **limitless**.

relate

v. to establish a connection or association between two or more things; to narrate or tell about an event, experience, or relationship; to empathize or feel sympathy with someone or something

synonym : connect, link, associate

(1) **relate** a story, (2) **relate** a message

He tried to **relate** his experience to the group, but they couldn't understand.

dynamic

adj. having a lot of energy, ideas, and enthusiasm, and a strong personality; of or relating to dynamics (= the

branch of physics and engineering concerned with the forces that cause motions of bodies)

synonym : energetic, active, vital

(1) a **dynamic** market, (2) **dynamic** person

The sprinter has a **dynamic** way of running.

manifestation

n. a visible or tangible form of something, especially a particular sign of a disease or condition

synonym : expression, embodiment, presentation

(1) **manifestation** of a deeper problem, (2) **manifestation** of psychological stress

The **manifestation** of his anxiety was evident in his shaking hands.

evoke

v. to bring or recall a feeling, memory, or image into your mind

synonym : arouse, raise, inspire

(1) **evoke** a sense of awe, (2) **evoke** sympathy

This movie is likely to **evoke** strong emotions in the viewer.

emotion

n. a strong feeling such as love, anger, etc. deriving from one's situation, mood, or relationships with others

synonym : feeling, sentiment, passion

(1) control my **emotion**, (2) afraid to show **emotion**

Some **emotions** are common across cultures and backgrounds.

transform

v. to change in outward structure or looks;

synonym : alter, convert, change

(1) **transform** an education system, (2) **transform** heat into power

My father's death **transformed** my life completely.

shortcut

n. an alternative route shorter or quicker than the usual one

synonym : bypass, cutoff, alternative

(1) take a **shortcut**, (2) keyboard **shortcuts**
There is no **shortcut** to success.

foam

n. a mass of small air bubbles formed on the surface of a liquid; a substance that forms a lather when mixed with water

synonym: froth, lather, bubble

(1) the **foam** on a beer, (2) plastics **foam** material

The waves crashed against the rocks, creating white **foam**.

mattress

n. a large rectangular pad filled with soft material, used as a bed or part of a bed

synonym: bed, pad, cushion

(1) soft **mattress**, (2) queen-size **mattress**

The air **mattress** was so comfortable I slept like a baby all night.

cycle

n. an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle

synonym: revolution, rotation, bike

(1) the **cycle** of the seasons, (2) go to the workplace by **cycle**

The food chain causes a material **cycle**.

sympathetic

adj. feeling, showing, or expressing kindness or compassion to somebody who is hurt, sad, or in a problematic situation

synonym: compassionate, empathetic, understanding

(1) **sympathetic** nervous system, (2) **sympathetic** toward poor people

She is very **sympathetic** to our project.

fake

adj. not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit

synonym: affected, bogus, counterfeit

(1) **fake** police officer, (2) spread of **fake** news

The prime minister was not well prepared for the debate and

faked it

predecessor

n. a person who held a position or office before the current holder

synonym: antecedent, forerunner, precursor

(1) the words of a **predecessor**, (2) **predecessor** model
The new CEO is the **predecessor** of the former CEO.

verb

n. a word or phrase that describes an action, state, or experience

(1) complex **verb**, (2) an auxiliary **verb**

Use a singular **verb** if the subject is singular.

adverb

n. a type of word that modifies, describes, or provides additional information about a verb, adjective, or other adverbs, such as often, quickly, or very

synonym: modifier, qualifier, descriptor

(1) **adverb** placement, (2) **adverb** of degree

During our English class, we spent an entire lesson learning how to use an **adverb** clause in our writing correctly.

mantra

n. a word or phrase, often repeated, that is used as a focus for the mind during meditation

synonym: hymn, chant, phrase

(1) campaign **mantra**, (2) chant the **mantra** of structural reform

She repeated her personal **mantra** to herself to stay motivated.

statistics

n. the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data

(1) **statistics** for cancer, (2) official **statistics**

The **statistics** demonstrate that poverty and unemployment are genuine problems.

grind

v. to reduce something to small particles or powder by crushing or rubbing it; to work hard over a long period of

time

synonym : mill, crush, grate

(1) **grind** away at my work, (2) **grind** your teeth

She had to **grind** the coffee beans before making a fresh cup.

pray

v. to make a request or petition to a higher power, especially in the form of a respectful or humble request

synonym : implore, supplicate, entreat

(1) **pray** devoutly, (2) **pray** for rain

She closed her eyes and **prayed** for strength to overcome difficult times.

relative

adj. considered and evaluated through comparison with something else

synonym : comparative, proximate, congeneric

(1) a remote **relative**, (2) **relative** factors

Most countries prohibit sexual activity between certain close **relatives**.

Session 2: Spelling

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40. co_____m a transaction *v.* to support or establish the truth or certainty of something previously believed or suspected to be the case
41. telephone ex_____on *n.* a thing that is added to something to make it longer, larger, or wider; an educational opportunity provided by colleges and universities to people who are not enrolled as regular students; an additional telephone set that is connected to the same telephone line
42. become b__d *adj.* having no hair on the head; having a smooth, shiny scalp with no hair
43. tr___c death *adj.* causing great sadness or suffering; very unfortunate
44. for a li_____ss time *adj.* without end, limit, or boundary; infinite
45. su___y expenses *adj.* various or diverse; of different kinds or sorts; miscellaneous
46. pre_____or model *n.* a person who held a position or office before the current holder
47. harsh rea_____on *n.* the act or process of understanding or becoming aware of something; the act of achieving or completing something that was planned or desired; the act of making something real or tangible
48. dual ge___r *n.* the range of characteristics of femininity and masculinity and differentiating between them, especially when considering social and cultural differences rather than differences in biology

ANSWERS: 40. confirm, 41. extension, 42. bald, 43. tragic, 44. limitless, 45. sundry, 46. predecessor, 47. realization, 48. gender

49. keyboard sh____uts *n.* an alternative route shorter or quicker than the usual one
50. lim_____on of exercise *n.* a rule or act that restricts the scope of something
51. wi__d her authority *v.* to possess and exercise power, authority, etc
52. take a sh____ut *n.* an alternative route shorter or quicker than the usual one
53. campaign ma____a *n.* a word or phrase, often repeated, that is used as a focus for the mind during meditation
54. pos_____ty for growth *n.* a chance that something may happen or be true
55. feel com_____on for the poor *n.* a strong feeling of sympathy and sadness for another's suffering or bad luck
56. afraid to show em_____n *n.* a strong feeling such as love, anger, etc. deriving from one's situation, mood, or relationships with others
57. bl__e circumstances for the failure *v.* to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad
58. co_____m the diagnosis *v.* to support or establish the truth or certainty of something previously believed or suspected to be the case
59. re_____ve factors *adj.* considered and evaluated through comparison with something else
60. complex v__b *n.* a word or phrase that describes an action, state, or experience

ANSWERS: 49. shortcut, 50. limitation, 51. wield, 52. shortcut, 53. mantra, 54. possibility, 55. compassion, 56. emotion, 57. blame, 58. confirm, 59. relative, 60. verb

61. tr___c love stories *adj.* causing great sadness or suffering; very unfortunate
62. im__y the presence of alien *v.* to indicate the truth or existence of something without referring to it
63. en__w him with the power *v.* to give a quality, ability, or asset to a person or institution
64. fo___r two kids *v.* to promote growth; to take care of another person's child, usually for a limited time, without becoming their legal parents
65. national se_____ty *n.* the state of being free from danger, risk, or harm; measures taken to protect against threats or attacks; a financial asset, such as a stock or bond that derives value exclusively from the ownership interest or claim to a particular underlying asset or obligation
66. he_____ss baby *adj.* unable to take care of oneself or to do things without help
67. mi__s temperature *adj.* subtracting or taking away; having a value less than zero
68. re___l secrets *v.* to make known or disclose something that was previously hidden, secret, or unknown; to unveil or show something that was concealed or not visible
69. a dy_____c market *adj.* having a lot of energy, ideas, and enthusiasm, and a strong personality; of or relating to dynamics (= the branch of physics and engineering concerned with the forces that cause motions of bodies)

ANSWERS: 61. tragic, 62. imply, 63. endow, 64. foster, 65. security, 66. helpless, 67. minus, 68. reveal, 69. dynamic

70. queen-size ma_____ss *n.* a large rectangular pad filled with soft material, used as a bed or part of a bed
71. adamantly d__y killing *v.* to state that one refuses to admit the existence or truth of something
72. a demonstration in lo__c *n.* a way of thinking or reasoning conducted or evaluated by strict validity principles; the study of correct reasoning or good arguments
73. unsatisfied de___e *n.* a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something
74. tr_____rm heat into power *v.* to change in outward structure or looks;
75. go to the workplace by cy__e *n.* an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle
76. spread of f__e news *adj.* not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit
77. dy_____c person *adj.* having a lot of energy, ideas, and enthusiasm, and a strong personality; of or relating to dynamics (= the branch of physics and engineering concerned with the forces that cause motions of bodies)
78. the f__m on a beer *n.* a mass of small air bubbles formed on the surface of a liquid; a substance that forms a lather when mixed with water
79. a seafaring na___n *n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture
80. wi__d a bad influence *v.* to possess and exercise power, authority, etc

ANSWERS: 70. mattress, 71. deny, 72. logic, 73. desire, 74. transform, 75. cycle, 76. fake, 77. dynamic, 78. foam, 79. nation, 80. wield

81. the great di_____ry of the century *n.* the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known
82. gr__d your teeth *v.* to reduce something to small particles or powder by crushing or rubbing it; to work hard over a long period of time
83. ad___b placement *n.* a type of word that modifies, describes, or provides additional information about a verb, adjective, or other adverbs, such as often, quickly, or very
84. fo___r a better relationship *v.* to promote growth; to take care of another person's child, usually for a limited time, without becoming their legal parents
85. co_____e a large of alcohol *v.* to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
86. p__y for rain *v.* to make a request or petition to a higher power, especially in the form of a respectful or humble request
87. v__l instrument *n.* a stringed instrument, typically with six strings and frets, played with a bow, also called a viola da gamba
88. de_____sh a bridge *v.* to completely destroy or tear down a building, structure, or other entity; to ruin or eliminate the effectiveness or power of something
89. aggressive in_____ct *n.* an inborn behavioral pattern that is often responsive to specific stimuli; an innate feeling that causes you to act or believe that something is true

ANSWERS: 81. discovery, 82. grind, 83. adverb, 84. foster, 85. consume, 86. pray, 87. viol, 88. demolish, 89. instinct

90. plastics f__m material *n.* a mass of small air bubbles formed on the surface of a liquid; a substance that forms a lather when mixed with water
91. se_____ty analyst *n.* the state of being free from danger, risk, or harm; measures taken to protect against threats or attacks; a financial asset, such as a stock or bond that derives value exclusively from the ownership interest or claim to a particular underlying asset or obligation
92. im__y a strong correlation *v.* to indicate the truth or existence of something without referring to it
93. bear sp__e against him *n.* feelings of anger and resentment; (in spite of, also despite) a phrase that is used to indicate that something happened or exists even though there is a particular obstacle or difficulty
94. re_____e a dispute *v.* to find a suitable answer to the problems or difficulty
95. ev__e sympathy *v.* to bring or recall a feeling, memory, or image into your mind
96. tr_____nd limits *v.* to rise above or go beyond the limits of something
97. sl_____ck comedy *n.* a type of comedy in which humor is generated through exaggerated physical activity especially falls and other mishaps
98. act con_____ly *adv.* with awareness; in a deliberate manner
99. time ex_____on *n.* a thing that is added to something to make it longer, larger, or wider; an educational opportunity provided by colleges and universities to people who are not enrolled as regular students; an additional telephone set that is connected to the same telephone line

ANSWERS: 90. foam, 91. security, 92. imply, 93. spite, 94. resolve, 95. evoke, 96. transcend, 97. slapstick, 98. consciously, 99. extension

100. co_____d and control *n.* authority, control, or mastery over something, often referring to military or leadership contexts; a directive, order, or instruction; expertise or confidence in a specific area; (verb) to give an authoritative order or instruction, or to be in charge or control of something
101. re____l a plan *v.* to make known or disclose something that was previously hidden, secret, or unknown; to unveil or show something that was concealed or not visible
102. con_____te a large sum of money to the fund *v.* to give something, especially money or goods, to provide or achieve something together with other people
103. re_____e the computer error *v.* to find a suitable answer to the problems or difficulty
104. tr_____rm an education system *v.* to change in outward structure or looks;
105. bl__e the lack of knowledge *v.* to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad
106. su_____er at discretion *v.* to cease resistance to an enemy or opponent and submit to their authority
107. commit a traffic vi_____on *n.* an action that breaches a law, rule, or agreement; an infringement of rights or duties
108. su_____e a plane crash *v.* to live or exist despite a dangerous event or period
109. ad____b of degree *n.* a type of word that modifies, describes, or provides additional information about a verb, adjective, or other adverbs, such as often, quickly, or very

ANSWERS: 100. command, 101. reveal, 102. contribute, 103. resolve, 104. transform, 105. blame, 106. surrender, 107. violation, 108. survive, 109. adverb

110. in_____ct for self-preservation *n.* an inborn behavioral pattern that is often responsive to specific stimuli; an innate feeling that causes you to act or believe that something is true
111. occ_____lly dine with friends *adv.* now and then; sometimes but not often
112. d__y the allegations *v.* to state that one refuses to admit the existence or truth of something
113. man_____ion of psychological stress *n.* a visible or tangible form of something, especially a particular sign of a disease or condition
114. make the accord mea_____ul *adj.* having meaning, function, or purpose; serious, significant, or worthwhile
115. com_____ate leave *adj.* feeling or showing sympathy and concern for the suffering or bad luck of others
116. gr__d away at my work *v.* to reduce something to small particles or powder by crushing or rubbing it; to work hard over a long period of time
117. soft ma_____ss *n.* a large rectangular pad filled with soft material, used as a bed or part of a bed
118. 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
119. joint rec_____on *n.* the action or process of recognizing or being recognized, especially by remembering; an agreement that something is true or legal
120. con_____or of funds *n.* a person or thing that adds to the achievement, production, or growth of something (such as a project, organization, or publication); a donor or benefactor

ANSWERS: 110. instinct, 111. occasionally, 112. deny, 113. manifestation, 114. meaningful, 115. compassionate, 116. grind, 117. mattress, 118. universe, 119. recognition, 120. contributor

121. ind_____ate youth *v.* to teach a person or group of people to accept a set of beliefs uncritically
122. nat_____st revolt *adj.* relating to or supporting a political ideology that emphasizes a strong sense of national identity and devotion to one's own country
123. vi_____e the law *v.* to break or disrupt a rule, law, or agreement; to intrude on someone's privacy or rights
124. freedom of re_____on *n.* a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny
125. specialized ane_____ist *n.* a medical doctor who specializes in administering anesthesia to help control pain and monitor the vital signs of patients during procedures and surgeries
126. sl_____ck performance *n.* a type of comedy in which humor is generated through exaggerated physical activity especially falls and other mishaps
127. em_____y for patients *n.* the ability to share another person's feelings or experiences by imagining that person's situation
128. ind_____ate ideology *v.* to teach a person or group of people to accept a set of beliefs uncritically
129. nat_____st sentiment *adj.* relating to or supporting a political ideology that emphasizes a strong sense of national identity and devotion to one's own country

ANSWERS: 121. indoctrinate, 122. nationalist, 123. violate, 124. religion, 125. anesthesiologist, 126. slapstick, 127. empathy, 128. indoctrinate, 129. nationalist

130. fleshly de___e *n.* a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something
131. mass la___f *n.* the temporary or permanent dismissal of employees from a company or organization due to a lack of work or financial difficulties; involuntary termination of employment
132. af___d to buy a new car *v.* to have enough money or time to be able to buy or do something
133. f___e blows *n.* a small part in an electrical device or machinery that can interrupt the flow of electrical current when it is overloaded; (verb) to become plastic or fluid or liquefied from heat
134. re____on sociology *n.* a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny
135. impose lim_____on *n.* a rule or act that restricts the scope of something
136. de___e my position *v.* to state or explain precisely the nature, scope, or meaning of something
137. f___e police officer *adj.* not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit
138. sym_____ic nervous system *adj.* feeling, showing, or expressing kindness or compassion to somebody who is hurt, sad, or in a problematic situation
139. dispel do__ts *n.* a feeling of being uncertain about something, especially about how good or accurate it is
140. wo_____ss wonder *adj.* lacking words or speech; silent; without verbal expression or explanation

ANSWERS: 130. desire, 131. layoff, 132. afford, 133. fuse, 134. religion, 135. limitation, 136. define, 137. fake, 138. sympathetic, 139. doubt, 140. wordless

141. de___e a word *v.* to state or explain precisely the nature, scope, or meaning of something
142. p__y devoutly *v.* to make a request or petition to a higher power, especially in the form of a respectful or humble request
143. c__e a fact as evidence *v.* to refer to something such as a passage, book, etc. as evidence for a theory or as a reason why something has happened
144. a scientific di_____ry *n.* the act or process of finding information, a place, or an object, or learning about something that was previously not known
145. ge___r-blind policies *n.* the range of characteristics of femininity and masculinity and differentiating between them, especially when considering social and cultural differences rather than differences in biology
146. con_____te to society *v.* to give something, especially money or goods, to provide or achieve something together with other people
147. vi_____e rights *v.* to break or disrupt a rule, law, or agreement; to intrude on someone's privacy or rights
148. an auxiliary v__b *n.* a word or phrase that describes an action, state, or experience
149. draw out a sc___e *n.* an organized and often large-scale plan or arrangement for doing something

ANSWERS: 141. define, 142. pray, 143. cite, 144. discovery, 145. gender, 146. contribute, 147. violate, 148. verb, 149. scheme

150. b__d head *adj.* having no hair on the head; having a smooth, shiny scalp with no hair
151. su_____e a blizzard *v.* to live or exist despite a dangerous event or period
152. ch_____ul smile *adj.* happy and positive; causing feelings of happiness or optimism; marked by or expressing joy or optimism
153. an indisputable lo__c *n.* a way of thinking or reasoning conducted or evaluated by strict validity principles; the study of correct reasoning or good arguments
154. a pilot sc_____e *n.* an organized and often large-scale plan or arrangement for doing something
155. an Imperial ma_____e *n.* an official or authoritative instruction or command; a commission or authority to carry out a particular task
156. a remote re_____ve *adj.* considered and evaluated through comparison with something else
157. su_____er an insurance policy *v.* to cease resistance to an enemy or opponent and submit to their authority
158. re___e a message *v.* to establish a connection or association between two or more things; to narrate or tell about an event, experience, or relationship; to empathize or feel sympathy with someone or something
159. tr_____nd boundaries *v.* to rise above or go beyond the limits of something
160. a com_____ate heart *adj.* feeling or showing sympathy and concern for the suffering or bad luck of others

ANSWERS: 150. bald, 151. survive, 152. cheerful, 153. logic, 154. scheme, 155. mandate, 156. relative, 157. surrender, 158. relate, 159. transcend, 160. compassionate

161. he_____ss victims *adj.* unable to take care of oneself or to do things without help
162. 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
163. vi_____on law *n.* an action that breaches a law, rule, or agreement; an infringement of rights or duties
164. sym_____ic toward poor people *adj.* feeling, showing, or expressing kindness or compassion to somebody who is hurt, sad, or in a problematic situation
165. con_____ly aware of a problem *adv.* with awareness; in a deliberate manner
166. have com_____on toward the accident *n.* a strong feeling of sympathy and sadness for another's suffering or bad luck
167. rec_____on award *n.* the action or process of recognizing or being recognized, especially by remembering; an agreement that something is true or legal
168. the words of a pre_____or *n.* a person who held a position or office before the current holder
169. official sta_____cs *n.* the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data
170. temporary la____f *n.* the temporary or permanent dismissal of employees from a company or organization due to a lack of work or financial difficulties; involuntary termination of employment

ANSWERS: 161. helpless, 162. sweat, 163. violation, 164. sympathetic, 165. consciously, 166. compassion, 167. recognition, 168. predecessor, 169. statistics, 170. layoff

171. fu____l a lifetime dream

v. to meet the requirements or expectations; to achieve or realize

172. wo____ss indication

adj. lacking words or speech; silent; without verbal expression or explanation

ANSWERS: 171. fulfill, 172. wordless

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. Use a singular _____ if the subject is singular.
n. a word or phrase that describes an action, state, or experience
2. The international community has widely condemned the _____ of human rights.
n. an action that breaches a law, rule, or agreement; an infringement of rights or duties
3. _____ is the start, not the end, of intelligence.
n. a feeling of being uncertain about something, especially about how good or accurate it is
4. I feel so _____ without you.
adj. unable to take care of oneself or to do things without help
5. He is still _____ stealing the money from the cash register.
v. to state that one refuses to admit the existence or truth of something
6. There's no _____ in his description.
n. a way of thinking or reasoning conducted or evaluated by strict validity principles; the study of correct reasoning or good arguments
7. During our English class, we spent an entire lesson learning how to use an _____ clause in our writing correctly.
n. a type of word that modifies, describes, or provides additional information about a verb, adjective, or other adverbs, such as often, quickly, or very

ANSWERS: 1. verb, 2. violation, 3. Doubt, 4. helpless, 5. denying, 6. logic, 7. adverb

8. She cast a _____ glance at me.
adj. having meaning, function, or purpose; serious, significant, or worthwhile
9. He is completely _____ having lost all his hair due to chemotherapy.
adj. having no hair on the head; having a smooth, shiny scalp with no hair
10. The general gave a _____ to his troops to prepare for battle.
n. authority, control, or mastery over something, often referring to military or leadership contexts; a directive, order, or instruction; expertise or confidence in a specific area; (verb) to give an authoritative order or instruction, or to be in charge or control of something
11. She still _____ writes a short romance novel.
adv. now and then; sometimes but not often
12. The _____ demonstrate that poverty and unemployment are genuine problems.
n. the discipline that concerns the collection, organization, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of data
13. My father's death _____ my life completely.
v. to change in outward structure or looks;
14. Government workers cannot _____ to political campaigns.
v. to give something, especially money or goods, to provide or achieve something together with other people
15. I asked the lawyer to initiate _____ negotiations for voluntary liquidation.
n. a person, company, etc. to whom a debtor owes money

ANSWERS: 8. meaningful, 9. bald, 10. command, 11. occasionally, 12. statistics, 13. transformed, 14. contribute, 15. creditor

16. The _____ rally attracted thousands of supporters.
adj. relating to or supporting a political ideology that emphasizes a strong sense of national identity and devotion to one's own country
17. The devil can _____ Scripture for his purpose.
v. to refer to something such as a passage, book, etc. as evidence for a theory or as a reason why something has happened
18. She closed her eyes and _____ for strength to overcome difficult times.
v. to make a request or petition to a higher power, especially in the form of a respectful or humble request
19. Low sexual _____ typically correlates with low testosterone levels.
n. a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something
20. His infinite love and _____ for everyone never weary.
n. a strong feeling of sympathy and sadness for another's suffering or bad luck
21. Her _____ personality brightened up the room.
adj. happy and positive; causing feelings of happiness or optimism; marked by or expressing joy or optimism
22. The _____ given to the new government is to improve the economy.
n. an official or authoritative instruction or command; a commission or authority to carry out a particular task
23. She only visited her grandparents on _____ weekends.
adj. happening or appearing at irregular intervals; not constant or regular

ANSWERS: 16. nationalist, 17. cite, 18. prayed, 19. desire, 20. compassion, 21. cheerful, 22. mandate, 23. occasional

24. The pastor contributed to _____ the sense of a community embracing all classes.
- v.* to promote growth; to take care of another person's child, usually for a limited time, without becoming their legal parents
25. The _____ of Japan is known for its unique culture and advanced technology.
- n.* a large organized community of people living in a particular country or region and having a particular culture
26. 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
27. Please write to _____ your reservation.
- v.* to support or establish the truth or certainty of something previously believed or suspected to be the case
28. She is very _____ to our project.
- adj.* feeling, showing, or expressing kindness or compassion to somebody who is hurt, sad, or in a problematic situation
29. She is a major _____ to the local food bank, volunteering every week.
- n.* a person or thing that adds to the achievement, production, or growth of something (such as a project, organization, or publication); a donor or benefactor
30. This company _____ its battery problem completely.
- v.* to find a suitable answer to the problems or difficulty
31. The music _____ cultural barriers and reached audiences globally.
- v.* to rise above or go beyond the limits of something

ANSWERS: 24. fostering, 25. nation, 26. universe, 27. confirm, 28. sympathetic, 29. contributor, 30. resolves, 31. transcended

32. The sprinter has a _____ way of running.

adj. having a lot of energy, ideas, and enthusiasm, and a strong personality; of or relating to dynamics (= the branch of physics and engineering concerned with the forces that cause motions of bodies)

33. There is no _____ to success.

n. an alternative route shorter or quicker than the usual one

34. Her research team made an important _____.

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

35. He has a short _____.

n. a small part in an electrical device or machinery that can interrupt the flow of electrical current when it is overloaded; (verb) to become plastic or fluid or liquefied from heat

36. He did it out of _____ to annoy me.

n. feelings of anger and resentment; (in spite of, also despite) a phrase that is used to indicate that something happened or exists even though there is a particular obstacle or difficulty

37. To advance this discussion, we must _____ "success" rigorously.

v. to state or explain precisely the nature, scope, or meaning of something

38. The prime minister was not well prepared for the debate and _____ it

adj. not genuine; fraudulent or counterfeit

39. The government attempted to _____ the population with its propaganda.

v. to teach a person or group of people to accept a set of beliefs uncritically

ANSWERS: 32. dynamic, 33. shortcut, 34. discovery, 35. fuse, 36. spite, 37. define, 38. faked, 39. indoctrinate

40. She had to _____ the coffee beans before making a fresh cup.
- v.* to reduce something to small particles or powder by crushing or rubbing it; to work hard over a long period of time
41. The experienced _____ monitored the patient's vital signs throughout the procedure.
- n.* a medical doctor who specializes in administering anesthesia to help control pain and monitor the vital signs of patients during procedures and surgeries
42. Cultural norms strongly influence _____ expectations.
- n.* the range of characteristics of femininity and masculinity and differentiating between them, especially when considering social and cultural differences rather than differences in biology
43. The ending of the movie left the audience in _____ awe.
- adj.* lacking words or speech; silent; without verbal expression or explanation
44. This movie is likely to _____ strong emotions in the viewer.
- v.* to bring or recall a feeling, memory, or image into your mind
45. She repeated her personal _____ to herself to stay motivated.
- n.* a word or phrase, often repeated, that is used as a focus for the mind during meditation
46. These birds can only _____ in temperate climates.
- v.* to live or exist despite a dangerous event or period
47. The building's _____ system includes cameras, alarms, and security guards.
- n.* the state of being free from danger, risk, or harm; measures taken to protect against threats or attacks; a financial asset, such as a stock or bond that derives value exclusively from the ownership interest or claim to a particular underlying asset or obligation

ANSWERS: 40. grind, 41. anesthesiologist, 42. gender, 43. wordless, 44. evoke, 45. mantra, 46. survive, 47. security

48. The workers protested against the unfairness of the _____ claiming they should have been consulted first.
- n.* the temporary or permanent dismissal of employees from a company or organization due to a lack of work or financial difficulties; involuntary termination of employment
49. He was given _____ for his outstanding work in the field of medicine.
- n.* the action or process of recognizing or being recognized, especially by remembering; an agreement that something is true or legal
50. They are building an _____ to the house to add more bedrooms.
- n.* a thing that is added to something to make it longer, larger, or wider; an educational opportunity provided by colleges and universities to people who are not enrolled as regular students; an additional telephone set that is connected to the same telephone line
51. Disability is a physical _____ to living everyday life.
- n.* a rule or act that restricts the scope of something
52. The detective carefully _____ the true identity of the murderer.
- v.* to make known or disclose something that was previously hidden, secret, or unknown; to unveil or show something that was concealed or not visible
53. The food chain causes a material _____.
- n.* an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle
54. Some people believe that human is _____ with reason and capable of distinguishing good from evil.
- v.* to give a quality, ability, or asset to a person or institution

ANSWERS: 48. layoff, 49. recognition, 50. extension, 51. limitation, 52. revealed, 53. cycle, 54. endowed

55. He went to the store to buy _____ items such as batteries, a toothbrush, and snacks.

adj. various or diverse; of different kinds or sorts; miscellaneous

56. The possibilities for scientific discovery are _____.

adj. without end, limit, or boundary; infinite

57. Their _____ strictly prohibits them from drinking or gambling.

n. a deep conviction in a supernatural power that controls human destiny

58. The enemy was forced to _____ after a long battle.

v. to cease resistance to an enemy or opponent and submit to their authority

59. The city decided to _____ the old, unsafe building and build a new one.

v. to completely destroy or tear down a building, structure, or other entity; to ruin or eliminate the effectiveness or power of something

60. We _____ our impeded progress on lack of money.

v. to think or say that someone or something did something wrong or is responsible for something bad

61. Her sudden _____ of her mistake caused her great regret.

n. the act or process of understanding or becoming aware of something; the act of achieving or completing something that was planned or desired; the act of making something real or tangible

62. Some _____ are common across cultures and backgrounds.

n. a strong feeling such as love, anger, etc. deriving from one's situation, mood, or relationships with others

ANSWERS: 55. sundry, 56. limitless, 57. religion, 58. surrender, 59. demolish, 60. blamed, 61. realization, 62. emotions

63. The _____ of his anxiety was evident in his shaking hands.
n. a visible or tangible form of something, especially a particular sign of a disease or condition
64. The _____ player was rehearsing for an upcoming concert.
n. a stringed instrument, typically with six strings and frets, played with a bow, also called a viola da gamba
65. Most countries prohibit sexual activity between certain close _____.
adj. considered and evaluated through comparison with something else
66. The new CEO is the _____ of the former CEO.
n. a person who held a position or office before the current holder
67. The waves crashed against the rocks, creating white _____.
n. a mass of small air bubbles formed on the surface of a liquid; a substance that forms a lather when mixed with water
68. He _____ the terms of his probation.
v. to break or disrupt a rule, law, or agreement; to intrude on someone's privacy or rights
69. A smaller car will _____ less fuel.
v. to spend something, especially fuel, energy, or time, in a large amount
70. 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

ANSWERS: 63. manifestation, 64. viol, 65. relatives, 66. predecessor, 67. foam, 68. violated, 69. consume, 70. sweat

71. The air _____ was so comfortable I slept like a baby all night.
n. a large rectangular pad filled with soft material, used as a bed or part of a bed
72. It's important to follow proper _____ when attending a formal dinner.
n. a set of rules and norms governing polite and proper behavior in social situations or professional contexts
73. The _____ of getting the disease will drastically increase.
n. a chance that something may happen or be true
74. He cannot _____ a holiday.
v. to have enough money or time to be able to buy or do something
75. When faced with a dangerous situation, his initial _____ was to flee.
n. an inborn behavioral pattern that is often responsive to specific stimuli; an innate feeling that causes you to act or believe that something is true
76. He tried to _____ his experience to the group, but they couldn't understand.
v. to establish a connection or association between two or more things; to narrate or tell about an event, experience, or relationship; to empathize or feel sympathy with someone or something
77. The salespeople speak in technical terms to _____ that they are more knowledgeable than the customer.
v. to indicate the truth or existence of something without referring to it
78. The classic comedy routine was filled with _____ humor.
n. a type of comedy in which humor is generated through exaggerated physical activity especially falls and other mishaps

ANSWERS: 71. mattress, 72. etiquette, 73. possibility, 74. afford, 75. instinct, 76. relate, 77. imply, 78. slapstick

79. They _____ enormous power and influence.

v. to possess and exercise power, authority, etc

80. _____ is also necessary to understand history.

n. the ability to share another person's feelings or experiences by imagining that person's situation

81. My father has a serious and _____ personality.

adj. feeling or showing sympathy and concern for the suffering or bad luck of others

82. It was the first time for her, but she _____ the role of Priest.

v. to meet the requirements or expectations; to achieve or realize

83. The _____ events of the war left many families torn apart.

adj. causing great sadness or suffering; very unfortunate

84. He _____ criticizes her in the publicity.

adv. with awareness; in a deliberate manner

85. The recipe calls for four cups of flour _____ one tablespoon.

adj. subtracting or taking away; having a value less than zero

86. They carefully executed the well-planned _____ they had prepared over the years.

n. an organized and often large-scale plan or arrangement for doing something

ANSWERS: 79. wielded, 80. Empathy, 81. compassionate, 82. fulfilled, 83. tragic, 84. consciously, 85. minus, 86. scheme