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### All Words

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## Session 1: Word List

### contemporary

*adj.* belonging to the same or present time

*synonym* : modern, stylish, coetaneous

(1) field of **contemporary** art, (2) **contemporary** leaders

**Contemporary** music has gained different followers from existing music.

### photograph

*n.* a picture or image that is produced by a camera; a visual representation or record of a person, object, or scene that has been captured electronically or on film

*synonym* : photo, picture, snapshot

(1) **photograph** album, (2) **photograph** memories

I found an old **photograph** of my grandparents from their wedding day.

### advertise

*v.* to draw attention to something such as a product, service, or event in public to encourage people to buy, use, or attend it

*synonym* : publicize, announce, promote

(1) **advertise** the campaign, (2) **advertise** on social media

We want to **advertise** our company through your media.

### concept

*n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract

*synonym* : idea, notion, vision

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

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

## fixate

*v.* to focus one's attention or become overly obsessed with someone or something; to become mentally obsessed or preoccupied with a particular idea, thought, or image

*synonym*: obsess, fix, concentrate

(1) **fixate** on a problem, (2) **fixate** on a picture

She tends to **fixate** on small details, often losing sight of the bigger picture.

## celebrity

*n.* someone who is well-known, particularly in the entertainment industry

*synonym*: figure, star, VIP

(1) baseball **celebrity**, (2) **celebrity** known worldwide

The popularity of the show made her an instant **celebrity**.

## importance

*n.* the quality of being important and worthy of note

*synonym*: significance, primacy, matter

(1) a man of **importance**, (2) high **importance**

I stopped by the branch though I have no business of **importance**.

## princess

*n.* the daughter of a monarch; the wife or widow of a prince; woman or girl considered to be particularly good or admirable

*synonym*: royal, noble, queen

(1) crown **princess**, (2) a Royal **Princess**

The prince fell in love with the **princess** and asked her to marry him.

## standstill

*n.* a complete halt in movement or activity, especially due to an obstruction or lack of resources

*synonym*: halt, deadlock, impasse

(1) transportation **standstill**, (2) economic **standstill**

The traffic accident caused a **standstill** on the highway for

several hours.

## decide

v. to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options

*synonym*: choose, determine, settle

(1) **decide** a question, (2) **decide** on a course of action

She couldn't **decide** whether to order the pizza or the pasta for dinner.

## mourn

v. to feel or express sorrow, grief, or sadness, especially over the death of someone

*synonym*: grieve, lament, weep

(1) **mourn** with deep grief, (2) **mourn** death

We **mourned** the loss of our dear friend at the memorial service.

## mass

n. a large amount of a substance with no definite shape or form; a large number of people or things grouped or crowded together

*synonym*: abundance, crowd, mob

(1) a **mass** of molten rock, (2) critical **mass**

The **mass** of people who do not own property is politically impotent.

## fascinate

v. to attract and hold the attention of someone deeply and irresistibly

*synonym*: captivate, intrigue, mesmerize

(1) **fascinate** the public, (2) **fascinate** the young

The magic tricks **fascinated** the children.

## phenomenon

n. something that exists and can be perceptible, especially one that is not fully understood

*synonym*: marvel, wonder, splendor

(1) natural **phenomenon**, (2) historical **phenomenon**

A rainbow is a natural **phenomenon**.

- erase** *v.* to remove something completely, especially by rubbing it  
*synonym*: wipe out, delete, obliterate  
(1) **erase** a memory, (2) **erased** the files  
He attempted to **erase** the misspelled word.
- crude** *adj.* being in an unrefined or natural state; (noun) the unprocessed form of oil  
*synonym*: unrefined, native, vulgar  
(1) price of **crude** oil, (2) **crude** manners  
His **crude** jokes made her angry.
- physically** *adv.* in a way related to a person's body or appearance rather than their mind  
(1) **physically** and mentally, (2) stay **physically** fit  
Having a **physically** healthy physique is essential for a great life.
- psyche** *n.* the human soul, mind, or spirit  
*synonym*: mind, soul, spirit  
(1) deep **psyche**, (2) **psyche** healing  
The therapist helped her understand the workings of her **psyche** and how to cope with her anxiety.
- momentum** *n.* the force or power that is gained by a moving object; a strength or impetus gained through a process of development or activity  
*synonym*: impetus, drive, thrust  
(1) angular **momentum**, (2) **momentum** toward democracy  
The team gained **momentum** after scoring their first goal.
- pornography** *n.* materials such as films, photographs, or written descriptions that depict or describe sexual activity graphically or explicitly, often intended to be sexually arousing  
*synonym*: obscenity, indecency, smut  
(1) **pornography** addiction, (2) violent **pornography**  
The rise of digital technology has made the sharing of

**pornography** easier than ever before.

## artery

*n.* one of the thick tubes in humans and most other animals that takes blood away from the heart to one or more parts of the body such as tissues, lungs, brain, etc.

*synonym* : blood vessel, channel, roadway

(1) **artery** blockage, (2) risk of coronary **artery** disease

Continuous consumption of fatty foods leads to the hardening of the **artery**.

## 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.

## voyeur

*n.* a person who gains sexual pleasure from watching others, often in secret or without their knowledge or consent; a person who enjoys observing others in a non-sexual manner for personal enjoyment or curiosity

*synonym* : peeping tom, observer, watcher

(1) hidden **voyeur**, (2) curious **voyeur**

She noticed the peeping **voyeur** while changing clothes and immediately closed the curtains.

## gory

*adj.* involving or characterized by bloodshed, violence, or gruesomeness; exceedingly bloody, horrifying, or graphic

*synonym* : bloody, gruesome, macabre

(1) **gory** accident, (2) **gory** details

The horror movie was filled with **gory** scenes that shocked and disturbed the audience.

## replace

*v.* to take the place of something

*synonym* : substitute, supersede, displace

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

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

## alike

*adv.* similar or identical in nature or appearance

*synonym* : similar, identical, comparable

(1) young and old **alike**, (2) **alike** in nature

The two paintings looked **alike** as if the same artist had done them.

## pose

*v.* to present a risk, problem, or other issues that must be addressed

*synonym* : present, put, position

(1) **pose** a significant threat to my company, (2) **pose** a challenge

The chemicals **pose** a massive health risk.

## posit

*v.* to suggest or accept something as fact or as a basis for argument or consideration

*synonym* : assert, declare, assume

(1) **posit** the existence of life after death, (2) **posit** the premise

We should **posit** several hypotheses to discuss the matter.

## imaginary

*adj.* existing only in someone's mind

*synonym* : fictional, ideal, fantastical

(1) **imaginary** number, (2) **imaginary** pregnancy

Little children tend to have **imaginary** friends.

## pregnant

*adj.* having a baby or young animal developing in the uterus

*synonym* : expectant

(1) needs of **pregnant** women, (2) a silence **pregnant** with suspense

She vacated the position when she got **pregnant**.

## mixed-race

*adj.* describing a person whose ancestry includes people from two or more different races or ethnicities;  
describing a social or cultural context that embraces or

represents people from different racial or ethnic backgrounds

*synonym* : multiracial, biracial

(1) **mixed-race** family, (2) **mixed-race** children

The university's multicultural club hosts events that promote **mixed-race** awareness and acceptance.

## outcry

*n.* a strong expression of public protest, anger, or dissent

*synonym* : protest, objection, dissent

(1) a great **outcry**, (2) national **outcry**

The **outcry** against the new policy was heard loud and clear by the government.

## imagery

*n.* the use of words or pictures in books, photographs, paintings, etc., that produces pictures in the minds of people; the ability to form mental images of things or events

*synonym* : metaphors, symbolism, imaging

(1) visual **imagery**, (2) satellite **imagery**

This movie is famous for its romantic **imagery**.

## refer

*v.* to direct someone's attention, thoughts, or questions to another source or person; to mention, cite, or allude to something as evidence or support

*synonym* : cite, allude, mention

(1) **refer** to a book, (2) **refer** to a map

Please **refer** to the instruction manual for further assistance.

## grain

*n.* wheat or any other small hard seeds used as a food; a relatively small granular particle of a substance

*synonym* : seed, piece, cereal

(1) a **grain** of sand, (2) flour made from **grain**

Ordinary air purifiers cannot adequately remove pollen **grains**.

## doorway

*n.* an opening in a wall for a door to fit into

*synonym* :

entrance, portal, gateway

(1) a wide **doorway**, (2) **doorway** to success

He leaned against the **doorway**, waiting for her to come home.

## forth

*adv.* forward, outward, or onward in location, direction, or progress; into view or consideration; with confidence, boldness, or in the open

*synonym* : forward, onwards, ahead

(1) bring **forth** a beautiful vase, (2) call **forth** demand

I pushed **forth** with my new project, even though it would take much hard work.

## titillation

*n.* the act of exciting or stimulating someone or something, often in a sexual way; a state of arousal or excitement

*synonym* : excitement, arousal, stimulation

(1) **titillation** of curiosity, (2) erotic **titillation**

The movie provided cheap **titillation** with its graphic sex scenes and violence.

## sequence

*n.* a series of related events, actions, numbers, etc., which have a particular order

*synonym* : arrangement, succession, series

(1) the **sequence** of the seasons, (2) the DNA **sequence**

We do move forward with those tasks in **sequence** next week.

## similarly

*adv.* in almost the same way

*synonym* : also, likewise, ditto

(1) **similarly** situated, (2) have **similarly** great abilities

We argue that wages for temporary workers should **similarly** rise.

## installation

*n.* the act or process of fixing furniture, a machine, or a piece of equipment into position so that it can be used; the act or process of putting into an office or a position

*synonym* :



induction, introduction, furnishing

(1) **installation** fee, (2) a medical **installation**

The Queen attested the **installation** of state ministers to their portfolios.

## rely

v. to require a specific thing or the assistance and support of someone or something to continue, run properly, or succeed.

*synonym*: depend, count, lean

(1) **rely** on convenience stores, (2) **rely** entirely on him

Babies heavily **rely** on others for food.

## perception

n. a belief, opinion, or image you have based on how you regard, understand, or interpret something; the ability to see, hear, or notice something through the senses

*synonym*: understanding, idea, awareness

(1) keen **perception**, (2) **perception** of a stimulus

He is a man admired for the depth of his **perception**.

## blacksmith

n. a smith who forges and shapes iron with a hammer and anvil

(1) **blacksmith** welding, (2) **blacksmith** shop

The **blacksmith** shaped a horseshoe on his anvil.

## instance

n. a particular example or single occurrence of something

*synonym*: example, sample, illustration

(1) for **instance**, (2) notable **instance**

These articles cite five **instances** of climate change.

## necessarily

adv. in an essential manner; in such a way as could not be otherwise

*synonym*: inevitable, certainly, automatically

(1) not **necessarily** a problem, (2) **necessarily** true

This accident was something that happened **necessarily**.

## bombardment

*n.* a continuous attack with bombs or other missiles  
*synonym*: attack, shelling, strafing

(1) aerial **bombardment**, (2) **bombardment** raid

The city was subjected to heavy **bombardment** during the war.

## seduce

*v.* to entice someone to engage in sexual behavior or to enter into a romantic relationship

*synonym*: tempt, lure, entice

(1) **seduce** him into crime, (2) **seduce** her mind

He tried to **seduce** her with his charm and good looks.

## tease

*v.* to make fun of someone or make jokes about them, either in a playful way or to upset them; to separate the fibers of something; to ruffle a person's or animal's hair by combing

*synonym*: bully, annoy, provoke

(1) **tease** the children, (2) **tease** wool

This ad is intended to **tease** a competing product.

## incite

*v.* to encourage, stir up, or provoke someone to do something; to urge, instigate, or stimulate someone to take action, often negative or aggressive

*synonym*: provoke, stimulate, encourage

(1) **incite** violence, (2) **incite** rebellion

The politician's speech seemed designed to **incite** anger and unrest among the crowd.

## 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.

## stud

*n.* a small object with a head on one end and a sharp point on the other, used for fastening clothing, leather, or other materials; an animal used for breeding, typically a

male horse or bull that is of superior breeding stock;  
(verb) to decorate or adorn with studs; to provide with studs for support

*synonym* : beam, scantling, framing

(1) horse **stud**, (2) wall **stud**

He bought a new **stud** to attach the strap to his watch.

## expression

*n.* the act of conveying thoughts, feelings, or ideas using words, facial expressions, body language, or art; a look or gesture that conveys a particular emotion or mood

*synonym* : statement, utterance, remark

(1) artistic **expression**, (2) **expression** of interest

His facial **expression** showed a mix of surprise and confusion.

## penetrate

*v.* to pass into or through something, often by overcoming resistance

*synonym* : pierce, stab, go through

(1) **penetrate** a cell, (2) **penetrate** quickly into the skin

Western ideology slowly **penetrates** through the eastern countries.

## fuss

*n.* a state of agitation or excitement; an angry disturbance

*synonym* : commotion, agitation, disturbance

(1) make a **fuss**, (2) get into a **fuss**

There was a **fuss** about the broken vase, but it was quickly forgotten.

## 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.

## disgust

*n.* a strong feeling of dislike or disapproval

*synonym* :

nauseate, hate, dislike

(1) public **disgust**, (2) show **disgust** at his actions  
He was filled with **disgust** and fear for the threat of war.

## writ

*n.* a written legal order or command

*synonym*: legal document, order, legal process

(1) a **writ** of summons, (2) issue a **writ**

He was served with a **writ** of eviction, giving him the notice to vacate the property.

## 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**.

## publicize

*v.* to make information or news publicly known or communicated, to promote or spread awareness of

*synonym*: advertise, promote, announce

(1) **publicize** event, (2) **publicize** research findings

The company hired a PR firm to **publicize** its new product.

## filthy

*adj.* dirty or unclean, often to an extreme or offensive degree; morally offensive or obscene

*synonym*: dirty, grimy, soiled

(1) **filthy** streets, (2) **filthy** language

The hotel room was **filthy** with dirty sheets and stained carpets.

## tabloid

*adj.* relating to a type of newspaper or journalism that focuses on sensational and often trivial stories and headlines; (noun) a type of newspaper or magazine that typically features sensational or scandalous stories and headlines, often with a focus on celebrity gossip or other entertainment news

*synonym*: gossipy, sensationalistic, scandalous

(1) **tabloid** journalism, (2) political **tabloid**

The **tabloid** newspaper always covers sensational stories.

## debate

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

*synonym*: argument, discussion, dispute

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

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

## ban

*v.* to officially or legally forbid or refuse to allow something

*synonym*: forbid, prohibit, restrict

(1) **ban** gender-related job discrimination, (2) **ban** any type of cloning

We should **ban** mildly violent video games from a child's development perspective.

## politician

*n.* a person who is a member of a government or law-making organization, especially as an elected member of parliament, etc.

*synonym*: congressperson, lawmaker, legislator

(1) a **politician** in the ruling party, (2) a corrupt **politician**

The **politician** lost his position in the end due to the scandal.

## involve

*v.* to include or affect someone or something as a necessary part of something else

*synonym*: implicate, include, engage

(1) **involve** a lot of paperwork, (2) **involve** a high degree of risk

The investigation **involves** several government agencies and is expected to take several months.

## headline

*n.* a heading at the top of a newspaper or magazine story or page

*synonym* : title, caption

(1) **headline** article, (2) banner **headline**

The engagement of the two golf players became **headline** news.

## suddenly

*adv.* quickly and unexpectedly

*synonym* : abruptly, unexpectedly, unawares

(1) **suddenly** attacked by an enemy, (2) die **suddenly**

Who answers **suddenly** knows little.

## fascinating

*adj.* extremely interesting

*synonym* : alluring, intriguing, captivating

(1) **fascinating** story, (2) completely **fascinating** to me

The museum houses a **fascinating** collection of Celtic artifacts.

## journalist

*n.* a person who collects and writes news stories or articles for newspapers, magazines, radio, television, or other online media

*synonym* : reporter, newsperson, press

(1) a China-based **journalist**, (2) **journalist** on a magazine

Foreign TV crews and **journalists** can go as they please in various locations during the Olympics.

## explore

*v.* to travel to or penetrate an area or a country to learn about it; to thoroughly examine a subject or a possibility to learn more about it

*synonym* : analyze, delve into, examine

(1) **explore** the world, (2) **explore** our options

The management must **explore** strategies to increase office security.

## hyperbole

*n.* exaggerated statements or claims not meant to be taken used to create emphasis or to make a point

*synonym* : exaggeration, overstatement, embellishment

(1) escalate the **hyperbole**, (2) avoid **hyperbole** in writing

The marketing campaign relied heavily on **hyperbole** to sell the product.

## icon

*n.* a picture or statue of a holy person considered to be a sacred thing; a little icon on the screen of a computer or smartphone that denotes an application or a file

*synonym*: figure, hero, idol

(1) **icon** for young people, (2) television **icon**

Some comic book characters are considered gay **icons**.

## wheedle

*v.* to persuade or obtain something through flattery, coaxing, or subtle manipulation; to cajole or sweet-talk someone into doing something

*synonym*: persuade, coax, cajole

(1) **wheedle** a favor, (2) **wheedle** his way into securing the contract

He tried to **wheedle** his way out of doing chores by complimenting his mother's new dress.

## collective

*adj.* done or shared by every member of a group of people

*synonym*: composite, concerted, cumulative

(1) right to **collective** bargaining, (2) **collective** ownership

Product development is a **collective** effort.

## murder

*n.* the crime of killing somebody intentionally

*synonym*: slaying, killing

(1) **murder** in the second degree, (2) attempted **murder**

This intriguing **murder** mystery remains unsolved.

## shutter

*n.* a hinged or sliding panel, typically made of wood or metal, that can be closed to cover or protect a window or opening; a device that controls the opening and closing of a camera lens, allowing light to enter for a specific duration

*synonym*: blind, shade, curtain

(1) camera **shutter**, (2) window **shutter**

The photographer adjusted the **shutter** speed to capture the

perfect shot.

## 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.

## construct

*v.* to build or create something; to assemble or combine different parts to form something whole

*synonym* : build, assemble, create

(1) **construct** a 3D image, (2) **construct** a dam

He **constructs** hypotheses that no mathematician has ever imagined before.

## craft

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

*synonym* : art, skill, workmanship

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

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

## element

*n.* a fundamental or essential part of something

*synonym* : component, feature, essence

(1) new design **elements**, (2) nonmetallic **elements**

Natural selection is an essential **element** in Darwin's theory of evolution.

## enormous

*adj.* extremely large or great

*synonym* : huge, giant, gigantic

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

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

## wig

*n.* a head covering made of synthetic or real hair worn for a variety of reasons, including as a fashion accessory, to conceal hair loss or baldness, or as part of a costume

*synonym* :



hairpiece, toupee, hair system

(1) curly **wig**, (2) blonde **wig**

She decided to wear a pink **wig** to the costume party.

## makeup

*n.* colored substances used on someone's face to improve or change their appearance

*synonym*: maquillage, composition, cosmetic

(1) **makeup** artist, (2) take the **makeup** off her face

Her beauty resulted from a good night's sleep rather than **makeup**.

## extent

*n.* the point or degree or area to which something extends

*synonym*: amount, degree, intensity

(1) certain **extent**, (2) the **extent** of the damage

I was amazed at the **extent** of her generosity.

## recognize

*v.* to acknowledge or realize something or someone; to identify, remember, or become aware of something that was previously known or encountered

*synonym*: acknowledge, identify, admit

(1) **recognize** talent, (2) **recognize** achievement

It's important to **recognize** your strengths and weaknesses.

## confusion

*n.* the state of being mixed up or unclear, or the state of disorder or uncertainty

*synonym*: disorder, disarray, chaos

(1) administrative **confusion**, (2) in great **confusion**

The sudden policy change has caused **confusion** among employees.

## intentional

*adj.* done, made or performed with purpose and intent

*synonym*: deliberate, intended, preplanned

(1) **intentional** destruction of evidence, (2) an **intentional** walk

The law distinguishes between accidental and **intentional** killing.

## behalf

*n.* represent; advantage, benefit, the interest of someone  
*synonym*: benefit, advantage, favor

(1) on **behalf** of our management, (2) on his own **behalf**  
I gave witness on her **behalf**.

## problematic

*adj.* full of difficulties; difficult to deal with or solve  
*synonym*: inappropriate, inconvenient, worrisome

(1) a **problematic** situation, (2) seems to be highly  
**problematic**

Direct democracy is effective in quickly resolving  
**problematic** situations within a community.

## outlet

*n.* a means of release or expression, often for emotions or energy; a place of business that sells goods directly to customers; a device or opening through which something can flow out

*synonym*: opening, vent, aperture

(1) an **outlet** for water, (2) media **outlet**

The **outlet** in the bathroom was faulty, so I had to use a different one for my hair dryer.

## disclaim

*v.* to deny any responsibility or connection with something; to renounce or give up any claim to something

*synonym*: deny, reject, disavow

(1) **disclaim** his rights, (2) **disclaim** ownership

The company had to state to **disclaim** any responsibility for the faulty product and to offer refunds to affected customers.

## narrative

*n.* a story or a description of a series of events or process of telling a story

*synonym*: the tale, chronology, annals

(1) **narrative** poetry, (2) personal **narrative**

The **narrative** handles multiple plot lines and has unpredictable ends.

## fig

*n.* a sweet and soft edible fruit with many seeds or a tree on which these grow

(1) **fig** marigold, (2) **fig** tree

He ate the dried **figs** he had preserved.

## **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**.

## **guru**

*n.* a spiritual teacher or leader, notably in Hindu and Sikh traditions; a person who has knowledge and expertise in a particular area

*synonym*: sage, mentor, master

(1) **guru** meditation, (2) spiritual **guru**

He was considered a **guru** in economics and consulted by many leaders.

## **bin**

*n.* a container, usually that has a lid and used for waste

*synonym*: container, trunk, garbage can

(1) a waste **bin**, (2) mail **bin**

You can open the overhead **bin** after landing.

## **laden**

*adj.* heavily loaded or burdened

*synonym*: loaded, weighed down, heavy

(1) a **laden** ship, (2) water- **laden** soil

The traffic- **laden** street was gridlocked during rush hour, with cars moving at a snail's pace.

## **monarchy**

*n.* a form of government in which a country is ruled by a king or a queen who typically inherits the authority

*synonym*: kingdom, realm, empire

(1) **monarchy** system, (2) abolish **monarchy**

The **monarchy** government had been in power for centuries.

## **prefer**

*v.* to like, choose, or want one thing or person better than another

*synonym*:

choose, like, favor

(1) **prefer** physics to chemistry, (2) **prefer** a window seat  
The birds **prefer** open water areas with reeds around them.

## throne

*n.* a chair or seat of state for a monarch or other high-ranking person; the position of being a king or queen

*synonym*: seat, chair, scepter

(1) abdicate the **throne**, (2) imperial **throne**

The king sat on his **throne**, surveying his kingdom.

## suppose

*v.* to think that something is likely to be actual or possible

*synonym*: guess, assume, presume

(1) **suppose** you're right, (2) **suppose** beforehand

What do you **suppose** the culprit's motive was?

## commerce

*n.* the activity of buying and selling things, especially on a large scale

*synonym*: trade, transaction, dealings

(1) interstate **commerce**, (2) the local chamber of **commerce**

This company has invested heavily in Internet **commerce**.

## difficulty

*n.* a condition or state that causes problems

*synonym*: hardship, complication, problem

(1) the degree of **difficulty**, (2) **difficulty** in breathing

He has **difficulty** exercising because of a back injury sustained in an accident.

## artwork

*n.* the pieces of art, such as pictures and photographs used in books, magazines, etc.

*synonym*: painting, picture, graphics

(1) ancient **artwork**, (2) **artwork** conservation

Videos documenting the process of creating this pencil **artwork** have been popular worldwide.

## compromise

*v.* to settle a problem or disagreement by mutual concession

*synonym* : agree, settle, negotiate

(1) **compromise** the matter, (2) cannot **compromise** anymore

They never **compromised** on development despite the lack of funds.

## integrity

*n.* the quality of being honest and having strong moral principles; the state of being whole and undivided

*synonym* : honesty, honor, morality

(1) a person of **integrity**, (2) **integrity** of data

The company's reputation for honesty and **integrity** is highly valued among its customers.

## logo

*n.* a symbol or design that represents a company, organization, or product used on packaging, advertisements, and other materials

*synonym* : emblem, symbol, crest

(1) **logo** design, (2) brand **logo**

The company's **logo** was on the side of the building.

## interpretation

*n.* an explanation or opinion of something, especially that is not immediately obvious

*synonym* : rendering, explanation, understanding

(1) the **interpretation** of history, (2) open to **interpretation**

His **interpretations** of literary works are often unique.

## inconclusive

*adj.* without any significant results or proof or decision

*synonym* : ambiguous, unsettled, uncertain

(1) **inconclusive** debate, (2) **inconclusive** evidence

Climate behavior models are frequently **inconclusive**.

## opposed

*adj.* being completely different from something or disagreeing strongly with something

*synonym* : anti, averse, hostile

(1) two **opposed** characters, (2) absolutely **opposed** to

abortion

I'm strongly **opposed** to that plan.

## conclusive

*adj.* serving to settle an issue or put an end to doubt or uncertainty; irrefutable and leaves no room for doubt

*synonym*: decisive, definitive, convincing

(1) **conclusive** information, (2) **conclusive** statement

The research provided **conclusive** evidence that the new treatment was effective.

## thatch

*n.* a material, such as straw or reeds, used to cover the roofs of houses or other buildings

*synonym*: straw, grass, reed

(1) cover with **thatch**, (2) **thatch** of hair

The **thatch** roof was made from local grasses and was a traditional design.

## archer

*n.* a person who shoots with a bow and arrow; a soldier equipped with a bow and arrows

*synonym*: Bowman, marksman, shooter

(1) **archer's** bow, (2) skilled **archer**

The **archer's** aim was so accurate he could hit a moving target without fail.

## jail

*n.* a facility where criminals are kept to be punished for their crimes; a prison

*synonym*: prison, slammer, penitentiary

(1) county **jail**, (2) be in **jail**

The police escorted the prisoner to the **jail**.

## sauna

*n.* a small room or enclosure designed to be heated to high temperatures and used for bathing and relaxation, often featuring a stove, rocks, and steam

*synonym*: steam room, sweat lodge, thermal bath

(1) **sauna** session, (2) traditional Finnish **sauna**

I like to relax and unwind in the **sauna** after a long day at

work.

## yoga

*n.* a Hindu spiritual and ascetic discipline including breath control, simple meditation, and the adoption of specific bodily postures, which is widely practiced for health and relaxation

*synonym*: meditation, exercise, spiritual practice

(1) aerial **yoga**, (2) **yoga** teacher

Many people find that regular **yoga** practice can help reduce stress and anxiety.

## affair

*n.* event, situation, or subject that is significant from a political or public perspective; a secretive or illicit sexual relationship

*synonym*: matter, incident, fling

(1) current **affairs**, (2) domestic **affairs**

Some critics say this exhibition will be a big **affair**.

## extreme

*adj.* very great in amount or degree

*synonym*: farthest, outermost, fierce

(1) **extreme** sports, (2) **extreme** weather events

Solar gravity creates **extreme** pressures and temperatures.

## humorous

*adj.* characterized by humor; funny, amusing, or entertaining; causing laughter or mirth

*synonym*: funny, comical, amusing

(1) **humorous** remark, (2) **humorous** movie

Her **humorous** anecdotes always left us laughing until our stomachs hurt.

## background

*n.* the details of a person's social heritage, such as family, vocational or educational experience; past information that is essential to understanding a situation or problem

*synonym*: ground, experience, backdrop

(1) a **background** color, (2) a criminal **background**

The company's hiring criteria emphasize personality, not a person's **background**.

## intent

*n.* a strong determination or attention to do or achieve something; (adjective) having a strong determination to do or achieve something

*synonym* : purpose, aim, goal

(1) the **intent** of a question, (2) **intent** gaze

The designer's **intent** was to create a minimalist aesthetic for the interior of the building.

## technique

*n.* a particular way or art of doing something that needs skill

*synonym* : approach, procedure, strategy

(1) a **technique** in martial arts, (2) the **technique** applied to construction

Jockey's superior **technique** brought him victory.

## spot

*n.* a particular location or place; a small round or roundish area, differing in color or feels from the surface around it

*synonym* : dot, mark, place

(1) beauty **spot**, (2) a **spot** on his honor

This remote **spot** is rarely visited.

## bush

*n.* a plant growing thickly with many small branches and several stiff stems coming up from the root

*synonym* : copse, scrub, brushwood

(1) trees and **bushes**, (2) a **bush** of hair

I am going to trim this **bush** off.

## upside

*n.* the positive aspect or potential of something; the upper side of something

*synonym* : advantage, benefit, top

(1) have no **upside**, (2) market **upside**

Many people see the **upside** of traveling as an opportunity to experience new cultures and broaden their horizons.

## grim

*adj.* looking or sounding very serious or gloomy

*synonym* : fierce, harsh, gloomy

(1) **grim** reality, (2) a **grim-featured** man



The result presented a **grim** picture of inefficiency and corruption.

## accessible

*adj.* capable of being reached, easily got, or seen

*synonym* : affordable, available, unrestricted

(1) a town **accessible** by rail, (2) **accessible** to pity

He is an **accessible** and genial man.

## mount

*v.* to increase, go up, or advance gradually or continuously; to prepare and supply with the necessary equipment for execution or performance; to ride on something or someone

*synonym* : climb, increase, get on

(1) **mount** a hill, (2) **mount** a counterattack

They **mounted** pictures on the paper in preparation for the birthday card.

## intellect

*n.* the ability to think logically and comprehend information, especially at an advanced level

*synonym* : mind, brightness, cleverness

(1) enrich my **intellect**, (2) human **intellect**

Your **intellect** is capable of distinguishing among similar objects.

## jack

*n.* a mechanical device used for lifting or supporting heavy objects

*synonym* : lever, crank, wrench

(1) a **jack** of all trades, (2) a line-in **jack**

He used a **jack** to lift the car to change the tire.

## rage

*n.* a strong feeling of anger or violence

*synonym* : fury, anger, outrage

(1) uncontrollable **rage**, (2) fall into a **rage**

She was filled with a burning **rage** at the injustice she had witnessed.

## constantly

*adv.* all the time

*synonym* : continuously, always, frequently

(1) a **constantly** innovative enterprise, (2) a **constantly** varying mind

The mobile application industry is **constantly** changing.

## embarrass

*v.* to cause someone to feel awkward, worried, or ashamed

*synonym* : disconcert, unsettle, agitate

(1) **embarrass** political enemy, (2) **embarrass** my project

He looked for an opportunity to **embarrass** that actor in public.

## topic

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

*synonym* : subject, theme, issue

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

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

## basis

*n.* the most important facts, ideas, or events from which something is developed; the way how things are organized or arranged

*synonym* : foundation, base, ground

(1) on an equal **basis**, (2) **basis** for calculation

This evidence will form the **basis** for our discussion.

## din

*n.* a loud, confused noise; a loud, persistent racket

*synonym* : noise, racket, clamor

(1) **din** of traffic, (2) mighty **din**

The **din** of the city was overwhelming.

## hunt

*v.* to go after and try to catch wild animals to kill them for food, sport, or profit

*synonym* : chase, pursuit, quest

(1) **hunt** a job, (2) **hunt** after knowledge

Hounds **hunt** their prey by using their keen scent.

## royal

*adj.* relating to or belonging to the king or queen or a member of their family

*synonym*: imperial, noble, aristocratic

(1) a **royal** palace, (2) prince **royal**

She is willing to give up her position in the **royal** family to marry him.

## refuse

*v.* to show that one is not willing to do or accept something

*synonym*: turn down, deny, decline

(1) **refuse** a request, (2) **refuse** the company

My initial reaction was to **refuse**.

## tsunami

*n.* a huge ocean wave caused by an earthquake, volcano, or other disturbance

*synonym*: tidal wave, seismic sea wave

(1) **tsunami** warning, (2) **tsunami** relief

The earthquake- **tsunami** caused widespread destruction along the coast.

## harry

*v.* to persistently harass, badger, or bother someone or something; to persistently attack or pursue an opposing force or target

*synonym*: bother, pester, annoy

(1) **harry** the ship all night, (2) **harry** a suspect

I need to **harry** my coworkers to finish the project on time.

## reserve

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

*synonym*: keep, hold, preserve

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

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

## lurk

*v.* to wait somewhere secretly, especially because you are about to attack someone or do something bad or illegal

*synonym*: hide, creep, stalk

(1) **lurked** behind the words, (2) **lurk** in the darkness

In the city, the risk of traffic accidents **lurks** at every corner.

## clip

*n.* a small metal or plastic device used for holding an object or objects together or in place; a short part of electronic media, either an audio clip or video clip

*synonym*: buckle, hook, pin

(1) tie **clip**, (2) short video **clip**

He fastens some sheets of paper with a **clip**.

## Session 2: Spelling

1. im\_\_\_\_\_ry number *adj.* existing only in someone's mind
2. por\_\_\_\_\_hy addiction *n.* materials such as films, photographs, or written descriptions that depict or describe sexual activity graphically or explicitly, often intended to be sexually arousing
3. su\_\_\_\_\_e beforehand *v.* to think that something is likely to be actual or possible
4. the to\_\_c of the book *n.* a subject that is being discussed or written about
5. tit\_\_\_\_\_on of curiosity *n.* the act of exciting or stimulating someone or something, often in a sexual way; a state of arousal or excitement
6. d\_n of traffic *n.* a loud, confused noise; a loud, persistent racket
7. human in\_\_\_\_\_ct *n.* the ability to think logically and comprehend information, especially at an advanced level
8. public di\_\_\_\_\_t *n.* a strong feeling of dislike or disapproval
9. em\_\_\_\_\_ss political enemy *v.* to cause someone to feel awkward, worried, or ashamed
10. media ou\_\_t *n.* a means of release or expression, often for emotions or energy; a place of business that sells goods directly to customers; a device or opening through which something can flow out

ANSWERS: 1. imaginary, 2. pornography, 3. suppose, 4. topic, 5. titillation, 6. din, 7. intellect, 8. disgust, 9. embarrass, 10. outlet

11. po\_\_t the existence of life after death  
*v.* to suggest or accept something as fact or as a basis for argument or consideration
12. mix\_\_\_\_\_ce family  
*adj.* describing a person whose ancestry includes people from two or more different races or ethnicities; describing a social or cultural context that embraces or represents people from different racial or ethnic backgrounds
13. 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
14. phy\_\_\_\_\_ly and mentally  
*adv.* in a way related to a person's body or appearance rather than their mind
15. a line-in j\_\_k  
*n.* a mechanical device used for lifting or supporting heavy objects
16. ar\_\_\_\_\_k conservation  
*n.* the pieces of art, such as pictures and photographs used in books, magazines, etc.
17. the int\_\_\_\_\_ion of history  
*n.* an explanation or opinion of something, especially that is not immediately obvious
18. completely fas\_\_\_\_\_ng to me  
*adj.* extremely interesting
19. p\_\_e a significant threat to my company  
*v.* to present a risk, problem, or other issues that must be addressed
20. a j\_\_k of all trades  
*n.* a mechanical device used for lifting or supporting heavy objects

ANSWERS: 11. posit, 12. mixed-race, 13. intrigue, 14. physically, 15. jack, 16. artwork, 17. interpretation, 18. fascinating, 19. pose, 20. jack

21. television i\_\_n *n.* a picture or statue of a holy person considered to be a sacred thing; a little icon on the screen of a computer or smartphone that denotes an application or a file
22. mu\_\_\_r in the second degree *n.* the crime of killing somebody intentionally
23. sa\_\_a session *n.* a small room or enclosure designed to be heated to high temperatures and used for bathing and relaxation, often featuring a stove, rocks, and steam
24. cannot com\_\_\_\_\_se anymore *v.* to settle a problem or disagreement by mutual concession
25. for in\_\_\_\_\_ce *n.* a particular example or single occurrence of something
26. pe\_\_\_\_\_te a cell *v.* to pass into or through something, often by overcoming resistance
27. baseball ce\_\_\_\_\_ty *n.* someone who is well-known, particularly in the entertainment industry
28. county j\_\_l *n.* a facility where criminals are kept to be punished for their crimes; a prison
29. keen per\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* a belief, opinion, or image you have based on how you regard, understand, or interpret something; the ability to see, hear, or notice something through the senses
30. a town acc\_\_\_\_\_le by rail *adj.* capable of being reached, easily got, or seen
31. fi\_\_\_e on a picture *v.* to focus one's attention or become overly obsessed with someone or something; to become mentally obsessed or preoccupied with a particular idea, thought, or image

ANSWERS: 21. icon, 22. murder, 23. sauna, 24. compromise, 25. instance, 26. penetrate, 27. celebrity, 28. jail, 29. perception, 30. accessible, 31. fixate

32. ba\_\_s for calculation *n.* the most important facts, ideas, or events from which something is developed; the way how things are organized or arranged
33. market up\_\_\_e *n.* the positive aspect or potential of something; the upper side of something
34. a person of in\_\_\_\_\_ty *n.* the quality of being honest and having strong moral principles; the state of being whole and undivided
35. a la\_\_n ship *adj.* heavily loaded or burdened
36. ad\_\_\_\_\_se on social media *v.* to draw attention to something such as a product, service, or event in public to encourage people to buy, use, or attend it
37. pho\_\_\_\_\_ph album *n.* a picture or image that is produced by a camera; a visual representation or record of a person, object, or scene that has been captured electronically or on film
38. g\_\_y accident *adj.* involving or characterized by bloodshed, violence, or gruesomeness; exceedingly bloody, horrifying, or graphic
39. curly w\_g *n.* a head covering made of synthetic or real hair worn for a variety of reasons, including as a fashion accessory, to conceal hair loss or baldness, or as part of a costume
40. he\_\_\_\_\_ne article *n.* a heading at the top of a newspaper or magazine story or page

ANSWERS: 32. basis, 33. upside, 34. integrity, 35. laden, 36. advertise, 37. photograph, 38. gory, 39. wig, 40. headline



41. ad\_\_\_\_\_se the campaign *v.* to draw attention to something such as a product, service, or event in public to encourage people to buy, use, or attend it
42. a b\_\_h of hair *n.* a plant growing thickly with many small branches and several stiff stems coming up from the root
43. two op\_\_\_\_\_d characters *adj.* being completely different from something or disagreeing strongly with something
44. risk of coronary ar\_\_\_\_y disease *n.* one of the thick tubes in humans and most other animals that takes blood away from the heart to one or more parts of the body such as tissues, lungs, brain, etc.
45. the ex\_\_\_\_t of the damage *n.* the point or degree or area to which something extends
46. fa\_\_\_\_\_te the public *v.* to attract and hold the attention of someone deeply and irresistibly
47. inc\_\_\_\_\_ive evidence *adj.* without any significant results or proof or decision
48. make a f\_\_s *n.* a state of agitation or excitement; an angry disturbance
49. re\_\_r to a book *v.* to direct someone's attention, thoughts, or questions to another source or person; to mention, cite, or allude to something as evidence or support
50. stay phy\_\_\_\_\_ly fit *adv.* in a way related to a person's body or appearance rather than their mind

ANSWERS: 41. advertise, 42. bush, 43. opposed, 44. artery, 45. extent, 46. fascinate, 47. inconclusive, 48. fuss, 49. refer, 50. physically

51. skilled ar\_\_\_r *n.* a person who shoots with a bow and arrow; a soldier equipped with a bow and arrows
52. em\_\_\_\_\_ss my project *v.* to cause someone to feel awkward, worried, or ashamed
53. wh\_\_\_\_\_e his way into securing the contract *v.* to persuade or obtain something through flattery, coaxing, or subtle manipulation; to cajole or sweet-talk someone into doing something
54. nonmetallic el\_\_\_\_\_ts *n.* a fundamental or essential part of something
55. r\_\_y on convenience stores *v.* to require a specific thing or the assistance and support of someone or something to continue, run properly, or succeed.
56. in\_\_\_\_\_e a high degree of risk *v.* to include or affect someone or something as a necessary part of something else
57. te\_\_e the children *v.* to make fun of someone or make jokes about them, either in a playful way or to upset them; to separate the fibers of something; to ruffle a person's or animal's hair by combing
58. mo\_\_\_\_\_hy system *n.* a form of government in which a country is ruled by a king or a queen who typically inherits the authority
59. get into a f\_\_s *n.* a state of agitation or excitement; an angry disturbance
60. curious vo\_\_\_r *n.* a person who gains sexual pleasure from watching others, often in secret or without their knowledge or consent; a person who enjoys observing others in a non-sexual manner for personal enjoyment or curiosity

ANSWERS: 51. archer, 52. embarrass, 53. wheedle, 54. element, 55. rely, 56. involve, 57. tease, 58. monarchy, 59. fuss, 60. voyeur

61. aerial bom\_\_\_\_\_nt *n.* a continuous attack with bombs or other missiles
62. the te\_\_\_\_\_ue applied to construction *n.* a particular way or art of doing something that needs skill
63. bla\_\_\_\_\_th shop *n.* a smith who forges and shapes iron with a hammer and anvil
64. a man of imp\_\_\_\_\_ce *n.* the quality of being important and worthy of note
65. blonde w\_g *n.* a head covering made of synthetic or real hair worn for a variety of reasons, including as a fashion accessory, to conceal hair loss or baldness, or as part of a costume
66. in\_\_\_\_\_ty of data *n.* the quality of being honest and having strong moral principles; the state of being whole and undivided
67. hu\_\_\_\_\_us remark *adj.* characterized by humor; funny, amusing, or entertaining; causing laughter or mirth
68. pu\_\_\_\_\_ze event *v.* to make information or news publicly known or communicated, to promote or spread awareness of
69. re\_\_r to a map *v.* to direct someone's attention, thoughts, or questions to another source or person; to mention, cite, or allude to something as evidence or support
70. i\_\_n for young people *n.* a picture or statue of a holy person considered to be a sacred thing; a little icon on the screen of a computer or smartphone that denotes an application or a file

ANSWERS: 61. bombardment, 62. technique, 63. blacksmith, 64. importance, 65. wig, 66. integrity, 67. humorous, 68. publicize, 69. refer, 70. icon

71. er\_\_ed the files *v.* to remove something completely, especially by rubbing it
72. a w\_\_t of summons *n.* a written legal order or command
73. new fa\_\_\_\_\_n trends *n.* a style that is popular at a particular time or place; the state of being popular
74. young and old al\_\_e *adv.* similar or identical in nature or appearance
75. con\_\_\_\_\_ve statement *adj.* serving to settle an issue or put an end to doubt or uncertainty; irrefutable and leaves no room for doubt
76. a pol\_\_\_\_\_an in the ruling party *n.* a person who is a member of a government or law-making organization, especially as an elected member of parliament, etc.
77. a serious to\_\_c *n.* a subject that is being discussed or written about
78. trees and b\_\_hes *n.* a plant growing thickly with many small branches and several stiff stems coming up from the root
79. in great co\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the state of being mixed up or unclear, or the state of disorder or uncertainty
80. mo\_\_t a hill *v.* to increase, go up, or advance gradually or continuously; to prepare and supply with the necessary equipment for execution or performance; to ride on something or someone
81. water-la\_\_n soil *adj.* heavily loaded or burdened
82. 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

ANSWERS: 71. erase, 72. writ, 73. fashion, 74. alike, 75. conclusive, 76. politician, 77. topic, 78. bush, 79. confusion, 80. mount, 81. laden, 82. intrigue

83. a pro\_\_\_\_\_ic situation      *adj.* full of difficulties; difficult to deal with or solve
84. go to the workplace by cy\_\_e      *n.* an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle
85. cr\_\_t arts of Japan      *n.* an activity that requires a particular skill in making things with one's hands
86. in\_\_\_e rebellion      *v.* to encourage, stir up, or provoke someone to do something; to urge, instigate, or stimulate someone to take action, often negative or aggressive
87. a China-based jou\_\_\_\_\_st      *n.* a person who collects and writes news stories or articles for newspapers, magazines, radio, television, or other online media
88. take the ma\_\_\_p off her face      *n.* colored substances used on someone's face to improve or change their appearance
89. have si\_\_\_\_\_ly great abilities      *adv.* in almost the same way
90. I\_\_ked behind the words      *v.* to wait somewhere secretly, especially because you are about to attack someone or do something bad or illegal
91. abdicate the th\_\_\_e      *n.* a chair or seat of state for a monarch or other high-ranking person; the position of being a king or queen
92. re\_\_\_\_\_e the right      *v.* to keep something for future use or contingency; to obtain or arrange something, such as a meeting, seat, etc., in advance

ANSWERS: 83. problematic, 84. cycle, 85. craft, 86. incite, 87. journalist, 88. makeup, 89. similarly, 90. lurk, 91. throne, 92. reserve

93. an int\_\_\_\_\_al walk *adj.* done, made or performed with purpose and intent
94. a con\_\_\_\_\_ly varying mind *adv.* all the time
95. ce\_\_\_\_\_ty known worldwide *n.* someone who is well-known, particularly in the entertainment industry
96. a bac\_\_\_\_\_nd color *n.* the details of a person's social heritage, such as family, vocational or educational experience; past information that is essential to understanding a situation or problem
97. cr\_\_t manufacture *n.* an activity that requires a particular skill in making things with one's hands
98. er\_\_e a memory *v.* to remove something completely, especially by rubbing it
99. l\_\_k in the darkness *v.* to wait somewhere secretly, especially because you are about to attack someone or do something bad or illegal
100. short video c\_\_p *n.* a small metal or plastic device used for holding an object or objects together or in place; a short part of electronic media, either an audio clip or video clip
101. g\_\_y details *adj.* involving or characterized by bloodshed, violence, or gruesomeness; exceedingly bloody, horrifying, or graphic
102. on an equal ba\_\_s *n.* the most important facts, ideas, or events from which something is developed; the way how things are organized or arranged

ANSWERS: 93. intentional, 94. constantly, 95. celebrity, 96. background, 97. craft, 98. erase, 99. lurk, 100. clip, 101. gory, 102. basis

103. ha\_\_y the ship all night *v.* to persistently harass, badger, or bother someone or something; to persistently attack or pursue an opposing force or target
104. the DNA se\_\_\_\_ce *n.* a series of related events, actions, numbers, etc., which have a particular order
105. acc\_\_\_\_\_le to pity *adj.* capable of being reached, easily got, or seen
106. traditional Finnish sa\_\_a *n.* a small room or enclosure designed to be heated to high temperatures and used for bathing and relaxation, often featuring a stove, rocks, and steam
107. di\_\_\_\_\_im his rights *v.* to deny any responsibility or connection with something; to renounce or give up any claim to something
108. en\_\_\_\_\_us potential *adj.* extremely large or great
109. a silence pr\_\_\_\_\_nt with suspense *adj.* having a baby or young animal developing in the uterus
110. a great ou\_\_\_\_y *n.* a strong expression of public protest, anger, or dissent
111. high imp\_\_\_\_\_ce *n.* the quality of being important and worthy of note
112. ts\_\_\_\_\_i relief *n.* a huge ocean wave caused by an earthquake, volcano, or other disturbance
113. a criminal bac\_\_\_\_\_nd *n.* the details of a person's social heritage, such as family, vocational or educational experience; past information that is essential to understanding a situation or problem

ANSWERS: 103. harry, 104. sequence, 105. accessible, 106. sauna, 107. disclaim, 108. enormous, 109. pregnant, 110. outcry, 111. importance, 112. tsunami, 113. background

114. camera sh\_\_\_\_r *n.* a hinged or sliding panel, typically made of wood or metal, that can be closed to cover or protect a window or opening; a device that controls the opening and closing of a camera lens, allowing light to enter for a specific duration
115. notable in\_\_\_\_ce *n.* a particular example or single occurrence of something
116. per\_\_\_\_on of a stimulus *n.* a belief, opinion, or image you have based on how you regard, understand, or interpret something; the ability to see, hear, or notice something through the senses
117. open to int\_\_\_\_\_ion *n.* an explanation or opinion of something, especially that is not immediately obvious
118. an ou\_\_\_\_t for water *n.* a means of release or expression, often for emotions or energy; a place of business that sells goods directly to customers; a device or opening through which something can flow out
119. ob\_\_\_\_s reasons *adj.* easy to see, discover or understand
120. the in\_\_\_\_t of a question *n.* a strong determination or attention to do or achieve something; (adjective) having a strong determination to do or achieve something
121. mo\_\_\_\_um toward democracy *n.* the force or power that is gained by a moving object; a strength or impetus gained through a process of development or activity

ANSWERS: 114. shutter, 115. instance, 116. perception, 117. interpretation, 118. outlet, 119. obvious, 120. intent, 121. momentum



122. re\_\_\_e a request                    *v.* to show that one is not willing to do or accept something
123. im\_\_\_\_\_ry pregnancy            *adj.* existing only in someone's mind
124. fi\_\_\_y streets                    *adj.* dirty or unclean, often to an extreme or offensive degree; morally offensive or obscene
125. ex\_\_\_\_\_e weather events            *adj.* very great in amount or degree
126. pu\_\_\_\_\_ze research findings            *v.* to make information or news publicly known or communicated, to promote or spread awareness of
127. prince ro\_\_l                    *adj.* relating to or belonging to the king or queen or a member of their family
128. critical m\_\_s                    *n.* a large amount of a substance with no definite shape or form; a large number of people or things grouped or crowded together
129. ex\_\_\_\_\_e sports                    *adj.* very great in amount or degree
130. ex\_\_\_\_\_e our options                    *v.* to travel to or penetrate an area or a country to learn about it; to thoroughly examine a subject or a possibility to learn more about it
131. re\_\_\_\_\_e a concert ticket                    *v.* to keep something for future use or contingency; to obtain or arrange something, such as a meeting, seat, etc., in advance
132. transportation sta\_\_\_\_\_ll                    *n.* a complete halt in movement or activity, especially due to an obstruction or lack of resources

ANSWERS: 122. refuse, 123. imaginary, 124. filthy, 125. extreme, 126. publicize, 127. royal, 128. mass, 129. extreme, 130. explore, 131. reserve, 132. standstill

133. a g\_\_m-featured man *adj.* looking or sounding very serious or gloomy
134. violent por\_\_\_\_\_hy *n.* materials such as films, photographs, or written descriptions that depict or describe sexual activity graphically or explicitly, often intended to be sexually arousing
135. in\_\_\_e violence *v.* to encourage, stir up, or provoke someone to do something; to urge, instigate, or stimulate someone to take action, often negative or aggressive
136. si\_\_\_\_\_ly situated *adv.* in almost the same way
137. new design el\_\_\_\_\_ts *n.* a fundamental or essential part of something
138. the cy\_\_e of the seasons *n.* an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle
139. g\_\_u meditation *n.* a spiritual teacher or leader, notably in Hindu and Sikh traditions; a person who has knowledge and expertise in a particular area
140. se\_\_\_e him into crime *v.* to entice someone to engage in sexual behavior or to enter into a romantic relationship
141. issue a w\_\_t *n.* a written legal order or command
142. p\_\_e a challenge *v.* to present a risk, problem, or other issues that must be addressed
143. mo\_\_n death *v.* to feel or express sorrow, grief, or sadness, especially over the death of someone

ANSWERS: 133. grim, 134. pornography, 135. incite, 136. similarly, 137. element, 138. cycle, 139. guru, 140. seduce, 141. writ, 142. pose, 143. mourn

144. co_____ct a dam	v.	to build or create something; to assemble or combine different parts to form something whole
145. pr___r physics to chemistry	v.	to like, choose, or want one thing or person better than another
146. al__e in nature	adv.	similar or identical in nature or appearance
147. crown pr_____ss	n.	the daughter of a monarch; the wife or widow of a prince; woman or girl considered to be particularly good or admirable
148. te__e wool	v.	to make fun of someone or make jokes about them, either in a playful way or to upset them; to separate the fibers of something; to ruffle a person's or animal's hair by combing
149. avoid hy_____le in writing	n.	exaggerated statements or claims not meant to be taken used to create emphasis or to make a point
150. con_____ary leaders	adj.	belonging to the same or present time
151. learn new co_____ts	n.	an idea or principle associated with something abstract
152. su_____ly attacked by an enemy	adv.	quickly and unexpectedly
153. wall s__d	n.	a small object with a head on one end and a sharp point on the other, used for fastening clothing, leather, or other materials; an animal used for breeding, typically a male horse or bull that is of superior breeding stock; (verb) to decorate or adorn with studs; to provide with studs for support

ANSWERS: 144. construct, 145. prefer, 146. alike, 147. princess, 148. tease, 149. hyperbole, 150. contemporary, 151. concept, 152. suddenly, 153. stud

154. po\_\_t the premise      *v.* to suggest or accept something as fact or as a basis for argument or consideration
155. spiritual g\_\_u      *n.* a spiritual teacher or leader, notably in Hindu and Sikh traditions; a person who has knowledge and expertise in a particular area
156. inc\_\_\_\_\_ive debate      *adj.* without any significant results or proof or decision
157. re\_\_\_\_\_e a phone      *v.* to take the place of something
158. price of cr\_\_e oil      *adj.* being in an unrefined or natural state; (noun) the unprocessed form of oil
159. de\_\_\_e competition      *n.* a formal discussion or argument of opposing viewpoints, often to persuade others to adopt a specific position; a public discussion, often on an issue of current interest, in which participants offer opinions and differing perspectives
160. fi\_\_\_y language      *adj.* dirty or unclean, often to an extreme or offensive degree; morally offensive or obscene
161. a ro\_\_l palace      *adj.* relating to or belonging to the king or queen or a member of their family
162. con\_\_\_\_\_ve information      *adj.* serving to settle an issue or put an end to doubt or uncertainty; irrefutable and leaves no room for doubt
163. g\_\_m reality      *adj.* looking or sounding very serious or gloomy
164. certain ex\_\_\_t      *n.* the point or degree or area to which something extends

ANSWERS: 154. posit, 155. guru, 156. inconclusive, 157. replace, 158. crude, 159. debate, 160. filthy, 161. royal, 162. conclusive, 163. grim, 164. extent

165. national ou\_\_\_y *n.* a strong expression of public protest, anger, or dissent
166. f\_g tree *n.* a sweet and soft edible fruit with many seeds or a tree on which these grow
167. a waste b\_n *n.* a container, usually that has a lid and used for waste
168. deep ps\_\_\_e *n.* the human soul, mind, or spirit
169. f\_g marigold *n.* a sweet and soft edible fruit with many seeds or a tree on which these grow
170. ar\_\_\_r's bow *n.* a person who shoots with a bow and arrow; a soldier equipped with a bow and arrows
171. ar\_\_\_y blockage *n.* one of the thick tubes in humans and most other animals that takes blood away from the heart to one or more parts of the body such as tissues, lungs, brain, etc.
172. on his own be\_\_\_f *n.* represent; advantage, benefit, the interest of someone
173. fall into a r\_\_e *n.* a strong feeling of anger or violence
174. absolutely op\_\_\_\_d to abortion *adj.* being completely different from something or disagreeing strongly with something
175. int\_\_\_\_\_al destruction of evidence *adj.* done, made or performed with purpose and intent
176. se\_\_\_e her mind *v.* to entice someone to engage in sexual behavior or to enter into a romantic relationship

ANSWERS: 165. outcry, 166. fig, 167. bin, 168. psyche, 169. fig, 170. archer, 171. artery, 172. behalf, 173. rage, 174. opposed, 175. intentional, 176. seduce

177. erotic tit\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the act of exciting or stimulating someone or something, often in a sexual way; a state of arousal or excitement
178. administrative co\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* the state of being mixed up or unclear, or the state of disorder or uncertainty
179. mo\_\_n with deep grief *v.* to feel or express sorrow, grief, or sadness, especially over the death of someone
180. di\_\_\_\_\_im ownership *v.* to deny any responsibility or connection with something; to renounce or give up any claim to something
181. a wide do\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* an opening in a wall for a door to fit into
182. enrich my in\_\_\_\_\_ct *n.* the ability to think logically and comprehend information, especially at an advanced level
183. a gr\_\_n of sand *n.* wheat or any other small hard seeds used as a food; a relatively small granular particle of a substance
184. economic sta\_\_\_\_\_ll *n.* a complete halt in movement or activity, especially due to an obstruction or lack of resources
185. re\_\_\_e the company *v.* to show that one is not willing to do or accept something
186. the local chamber of co\_\_\_\_\_ce *n.* the activity of buying and selling things, especially on a large scale
187. col\_\_\_\_\_ve ownership *adj.* done or shared by every member of a group of people

ANSWERS: 177. titillation, 178. confusion, 179. mourn, 180. disclaim, 181. doorway, 182. intellect, 183. grain, 184. standstill, 185. refuse, 186. commerce, 187. collective

188. hu\_\_\_\_us movie *adj.* characterized by humor; funny, amusing, or entertaining; causing laughter or mirth
189. ta\_\_\_\_d journalism *adj.* relating to a type of newspaper or journalism that focuses on sensational and often trivial stories and headlines; (noun) a type of newspaper or magazine that typically features sensational or scandalous stories and headlines, often with a focus on celebrity gossip or other entertainment news
190. fi\_\_\_e on a problem *v.* to focus one's attention or become overly obsessed with someone or something; to become mentally obsessed or preoccupied with a particular idea, thought, or image
191. fleshly de\_\_\_e *n.* a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something
192. ex\_\_\_\_e the world *v.* to travel to or penetrate an area or a country to learn about it; to thoroughly examine a subject or a possibility to learn more about it
193. field of con\_\_\_\_\_ary art *adj.* belonging to the same or present time
194. interstate co\_\_\_\_ce *n.* the activity of buying and selling things, especially on a large scale
195. fas\_\_\_\_\_ng story *adj.* extremely interesting
196. ps\_\_\_e healing *n.* the human soul, mind, or spirit

ANSWERS: 188. humorous, 189. tabloid, 190. fixate, 191. desire, 192. explore, 193. contemporary, 194. commerce, 195. fascinating, 196. psyche

197. artistic exp\_\_\_\_\_on                    *n.*    the act of conveying thoughts, feelings, or ideas using words, facial expressions, body language, or art; a look or gesture that conveys a particular emotion or mood
198. tie c\_\_p                                      *n.*    a small metal or plastic device used for holding an object or objects together or in place; a short part of electronic media, either an audio clip or video clip
199. re\_\_\_\_\_ze talent                      *v.*    to acknowledge or realize something or someone; to identify, remember, or become aware of something that was previously known or encountered
200. c\_\_e various authorities                *v.*    to refer to something such as a passage, book, etc. as evidence for a theory or as a reason why something has happened
201. unsatisfied de\_\_\_e                      *n.*    a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something
202. b\_n gender-related job  
discrimination                                *v.*    to officially or legally forbid or refuse to allow something
203. mighty d\_n                                *n.*    a loud, confused noise; a loud, persistent racket
204. cover with th\_\_\_h                      *n.*    a material, such as straw or reeds, used to cover the roofs of houses or other buildings
205. window sh\_\_\_\_\_r                      *n.*    a hinged or sliding panel, typically made of wood or metal, that can be closed to cover or protect a window or opening; a device that controls the opening and closing of a camera lens, allowing light to enter for a specific duration

ANSWERS: 197. expression, 198. clip, 199. recognize, 200. cite, 201. desire, 202. ban, 203. din, 204. thatch, 205. shutter



206. horse s\_\_d *n.* a small object with a head on one end and a sharp point on the other, used for fastening clothing, leather, or other materials; an animal used for breeding, typically a male horse or bull that is of superior breeding stock; (verb) to decorate or adorn with studs; to provide with studs for support
207. na\_\_\_\_\_ve poetry *n.* a story or a description of a series of events or process of telling a story
208. imperial th\_\_\_e *n.* a chair or seat of state for a monarch or other high-ranking person; the position of being a king or queen
209. fa\_\_\_\_\_te the young *v.* to attract and hold the attention of someone deeply and irresistibly
210. flour made from gr\_\_n *n.* wheat or any other small hard seeds used as a food; a relatively small granular particle of a substance
211. in\_\_\_\_\_e a lot of paperwork *v.* to include or affect someone or something as a necessary part of something else
212. needs of pr\_\_\_\_\_nt women *adj.* having a baby or young animal developing in the uterus
213. satellite im\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* the use of words or pictures in books, photographs, paintings, etc., that produces pictures in the minds of people; the ability to form mental images of things or events
214. ts\_\_\_\_\_i warning *n.* a huge ocean wave caused by an earthquake, volcano, or other disturbance

ANSWERS: 206. stud, 207. narrative, 208. throne, 209. fascinate, 210. grain, 211. involve, 212. pregnant, 213. imagery, 214. tsunami

215. in\_\_\_t gaze *n.* a strong determination or attention to do or achieve something; (adjective) having a strong determination to do or achieve something
216. visual im\_\_\_\_\_y *n.* the use of words or pictures in books, photographs, paintings, etc., that produces pictures in the minds of people; the ability to form mental images of things or events
217. 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
218. en\_\_\_\_\_us amount *adj.* extremely large or great
219. b\_n any type of cloning *v.* to officially or legally forbid or refuse to allow something
220. do\_\_\_\_\_y to success *n.* an opening in a wall for a door to fit into
221. show di\_\_\_\_\_t at his actions *n.* a strong feeling of dislike or disapproval
222. pe\_\_\_\_\_te quickly into the skin *v.* to pass into or through something, often by overcoming resistance
223. l\_\_o design *n.* a symbol or design that represents a company, organization, or product used on packaging, advertisements, and other materials
224. seems to be highly pro\_\_\_\_\_ic *adj.* full of difficulties; difficult to deal with or solve
225. de\_\_\_e topic *n.* a formal discussion or argument of opposing viewpoints, often to persuade others to adopt a specific position; a public discussion, often on an issue of current interest, in which participants offer opinions and differing perspectives

ANSWERS: 215. intent, 216. imagery, 217. cite, 218. enormous, 219. ban, 220. doorway, 221. disgust, 222. penetrate, 223. logo, 224. problematic, 225. debate

226. co\_\_\_\_\_ct a 3D image      *v.* to build or create something; to assemble or combine different parts to form something whole
227. angular mo\_\_\_\_\_um      *n.* the force or power that is gained by a moving object; a strength or impetus gained through a process of development or activity
228. de\_\_\_e a question      *v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options
229. su\_\_\_\_\_e you're right      *v.* to think that something is likely to be actual or possible
230. pho\_\_\_\_\_ph memories      *n.* a picture or image that is produced by a camera; a visual representation or record of a person, object, or scene that has been captured electronically or on film
231. political ta\_\_\_\_\_d      *adj.* relating to a type of newspaper or journalism that focuses on sensational and often trivial stories and headlines; (noun) a type of newspaper or magazine that typically features sensational or scandalous stories and headlines, often with a focus on celebrity gossip or other entertainment news
232. domestic af\_\_\_\_rs      *n.* event, situation, or subject that is significant from a political or public perspective; a secretive or illicit sexual relationship

ANSWERS: 226. construct, 227. momentum, 228. decide, 229. suppose, 230. photograph, 231. tabloid, 232. affair

233. re\_\_\_\_\_ze achievement      *v.* to acknowledge or realize something or someone; to identify, remember, or become aware of something that was previously known or encountered
234. co\_\_\_\_\_t car      *n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract
235. wh\_\_\_\_\_e a favor      *v.* to persuade or obtain something through flattery, coaxing, or subtle manipulation; to cajole or sweet-talk someone into doing something
236. call fo\_\_h demand      *adv.* forward, outward, or onward in location, direction, or progress; into view or consideration; with confidence, boldness, or in the open
237. ins\_\_\_\_\_ion fee      *n.* the act or process of fixing furniture, a machine, or a piece of equipment into position so that it can be used; the act or process of putting into an office or a position
238. right to col\_\_\_\_\_ve bargaining      *adj.* done or shared by every member of a group of people
239. com\_\_\_\_\_se the matter      *v.* to settle a problem or disagreement by mutual concession
240. exp\_\_\_\_\_on of interest      *n.* the act of conveying thoughts, feelings, or ideas using words, facial expressions, body language, or art; a look or gesture that conveys a particular emotion or mood
241. go out of fa\_\_\_\_\_n      *n.* a style that is popular at a particular time or place; the state of being popular

ANSWERS: 233. recognize, 234. concept, 235. wheedle, 236. forth, 237. installation, 238. collective, 239. compromise, 240. expression, 241. fashion

242. the degree of dif\_\_\_\_\_ty      *n.* a condition or state that causes problems
243. pr\_\_\_\_r a window seat      *v.* to like, choose, or want one thing or person better than another
244. a corrupt pol\_\_\_\_\_an      *n.* a person who is a member of a government or law-making organization, especially as an elected member of parliament, etc.
245. h\_\_t a job      *v.* to go after and try to catch wild animals to kill them for food, sport, or profit
246. y\_\_a teacher      *n.* a Hindu spiritual and ascetic discipline including breath control, simple meditation, and the adoption of specific bodily postures, which is widely practiced for health and relaxation
247. his conclusion was ob\_\_\_\_\_s      *adj.* easy to see, discover or understand
248. r\_\_y entirely on him      *v.* to require a specific thing or the assistance and support of someone or something to continue, run properly, or succeed.
249. ha\_\_y a suspect      *v.* to persistently harass, badger, or bother someone or something; to persistently attack or pursue an opposing force or target
250. a con\_\_\_\_\_ly innovative enterprise      *adv.* all the time
251. a m\_\_s of molten rock      *n.* a large amount of a substance with no definite shape or form; a large number of people or things grouped or crowded together

ANSWERS: 242. difficulty, 243. prefer, 244. politician, 245. hunt, 246. yoga, 247. obvious, 248. rely, 249. harry, 250. constantly, 251. mass

252. dif\_\_\_\_\_ty in breathing *n.* a condition or state that causes problems
253. mail b\_n *n.* a container, usually that has a lid and used for waste
254. brand l\_\_o *n.* a symbol or design that represents a company, organization, or product used on packaging, advertisements, and other materials
255. be in j\_\_l *n.* a facility where criminals are kept to be punished for their crimes; a prison
256. a medical ins\_\_\_\_\_ion *n.* the act or process of fixing furniture, a machine, or a piece of equipment into position so that it can be used; the act or process of putting into an office or a position
257. the se\_\_\_\_\_ce of the seasons *n.* a series of related events, actions, numbers, etc., which have a particular order
258. mo\_\_t a counterattack *v.* to increase, go up, or advance gradually or continuously; to prepare and supply with the necessary equipment for execution or performance; to ride on something or someone
259. on be\_\_\_f of our management *n.* represent; advantage, benefit, the interest of someone
260. a Royal Pr\_\_\_\_\_ss *n.* the daughter of a monarch; the wife or widow of a prince; woman or girl considered to be particularly good or admirable

ANSWERS: 252. difficulty, 253. bin, 254. logo, 255. jail, 256. installation, 257. sequence, 258. mount, 259. behalf, 260. princess

261. escalate the hy\_\_\_\_\_le *n.* exaggerated statements or claims not meant to be taken used to create emphasis or to make a point
262. th\_\_\_\_h of hair *n.* a material, such as straw or reeds, used to cover the roofs of houses or other buildings
263. jou\_\_\_\_\_st on a magazine *n.* a person who collects and writes news stories or articles for newspapers, magazines, radio, television, or other online media
264. h\_\_t after knowledge *v.* to go after and try to catch wild animals to kill them for food, sport, or profit
265. current af\_\_\_\_rs *n.* event, situation, or subject that is significant from a political or public perspective; a secretive or illicit sexual relationship
266. die su\_\_\_\_\_ly *adv.* quickly and unexpectedly
267. personal na\_\_\_\_\_ve *n.* a story or a description of a series of events or process of telling a story
268. abolish mo\_\_\_\_\_hy *n.* a form of government in which a country is ruled by a king or a queen who typically inherits the authority
269. natural phe\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* something that exists and can be perceptible, especially one that is not fully understood
270. mix\_\_\_\_\_ce children *adj.* describing a person whose ancestry includes people from two or more different races or ethnicities; describing a social or cultural context that embraces or represents people from different racial or ethnic backgrounds

ANSWERS: 261. hyperbole, 262. thatch, 263. journalist, 264. hunt, 265. affair, 266. suddenly, 267. narrative, 268. monarchy, 269. phenomenon, 270. mixed-race

271. beauty s\_\_t *n.* a particular location or place; a small round or roundish area, differing in color or feels from the surface around it
272. uncontrollable r\_\_e *n.* a strong feeling of anger or violence
273. banner he\_\_\_\_\_ne *n.* a heading at the top of a newspaper or magazine story or page
274. ma\_\_\_p artist *n.* colored substances used on someone's face to improve or change their appearance
275. bring fo\_\_h a beautiful vase *adv.* forward, outward, or onward in location, direction, or progress; into view or consideration; with confidence, boldness, or in the open
276. nec\_\_\_\_\_ly true *adv.* in an essential manner; in such a way as could not be otherwise
277. hidden vo\_\_\_r *n.* a person who gains sexual pleasure from watching others, often in secret or without their knowledge or consent; a person who enjoys observing others in a non-sexual manner for personal enjoyment or curiosity
278. attempted mu\_\_\_r *n.* the crime of killing somebody intentionally
279. bom\_\_\_\_\_nt raid *n.* a continuous attack with bombs or other missiles
280. bla\_\_\_\_\_th welding *n.* a smith who forges and shapes iron with a hammer and anvil
281. a s\_\_t on his honor *n.* a particular location or place; a small round or roundish area, differing in color or feels from the surface around it

ANSWERS: 271. spot, 272. rage, 273. headline, 274. makeup, 275. forth, 276. necessarily, 277. voyeur, 278. murder, 279. bombardment, 280. blacksmith, 281. spot



282. aerial y\_\_a *n.* a Hindu spiritual and ascetic discipline including breath control, simple meditation, and the adoption of specific bodily postures, which is widely practiced for health and relaxation
283. historical phe\_\_\_\_\_on *n.* something that exists and can be perceptible, especially one that is not fully understood
284. re\_\_\_\_\_e one word with another *v.* to take the place of something
285. cr\_\_e manners *adj.* being in an unrefined or natural state; (noun) the unprocessed form of oil
286. ancient ar\_\_\_\_\_k *n.* the pieces of art, such as pictures and photographs used in books, magazines, etc.
287. have no up\_\_\_e *n.* the positive aspect or potential of something; the upper side of something
288. a te\_\_\_\_\_ue in martial arts *n.* a particular way or art of doing something that needs skill
289. de\_\_\_e on a course of action *v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options
290. not nec\_\_\_\_\_ly a problem *adv.* in an essential manner; in such a way as could not be otherwise

ANSWERS: 282. yoga, 283. phenomenon, 284. replace, 285. crude, 286. artwork, 287. upside, 288. technique, 289. decide, 290. necessarily

## Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. He leaned against the \_\_\_\_\_ waiting for her to come home.  
*n.* an opening in a wall for a door to fit into
2. The marketing campaign relied heavily on \_\_\_\_\_ to sell the product.  
*n.* exaggerated statements or claims not meant to be taken used to create emphasis or to make a point
3. The sudden policy change has caused \_\_\_\_\_ among employees.  
*n.* the state of being mixed up or unclear, or the state of disorder or uncertainty
4. The chemicals \_\_\_\_\_ a massive health risk.  
*v.* to present a risk, problem, or other issues that must be addressed
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ in the bathroom was faulty, so I had to use a different one for my hair dryer.  
*n.* a means of release or expression, often for emotions or energy; a place of business that sells goods directly to customers; a device or opening through which something can flow out
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ aim was so accurate he could hit a moving target without fail.  
*n.* a person who shoots with a bow and arrow; a soldier equipped with a bow and arrows
7. The engagement of the two golf players became \_\_\_\_\_ news.  
*n.* a heading at the top of a newspaper or magazine story or page
8. Natural selection is an essential \_\_\_\_\_ in Darwin's theory of evolution.  
*n.* a fundamental or essential part of something

ANSWERS: 1. doorway, 2. hyperbole, 3. confusion, 4. pose, 5. outlet, 6. archer's, 7. headline, 8. element

9. Her beauty resulted from a good night's sleep rather than \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* colored substances used on someone's face to improve or change their appearance
10. I gave witness on her \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* represent; advantage, benefit, the interest of someone
11. Some critics say this exhibition will be a big \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* event, situation, or subject that is significant from a political or public perspective; a secretive or illicit sexual relationship
12. He was served with a \_\_\_\_\_ of eviction, giving him the notice to vacate the property.
- n.* a written legal order or command
13. The Queen attested the \_\_\_\_\_ of state ministers to their portfolios.
- n.* the act or process of fixing furniture, a machine, or a piece of equipment into position so that it can be used; the act or process of putting into an office or a position
14. He bought a new \_\_\_\_\_ to attach the strap to his watch.
- n.* a small object with a head on one end and a sharp point on the other, used for fastening clothing, leather, or other materials; an animal used for breeding, typically a male horse or bull that is of superior breeding stock; (verb) to decorate or adorn with studs; to provide with studs for support
15. There was a \_\_\_\_\_ about the broken vase, but it was quickly forgotten.
- n.* a state of agitation or excitement; an angry disturbance
16. I'm strongly \_\_\_\_\_ to that plan.
- adj.* being completely different from something or disagreeing strongly with something

ANSWERS: 9. makeup, 10. behalf, 11. affair, 12. writ, 13. installation, 14. stud, 15. fuss, 16. opposed

17. They \_\_\_\_\_ pictures on the paper in preparation for the birthday card.
- v. to increase, go up, or advance gradually or continuously; to prepare and supply with the necessary equipment for execution or performance; to ride on something or someone
18. Babies heavily \_\_\_\_\_ on others for food.
- v. to require a specific thing or the assistance and support of someone or something to continue, run properly, or succeed.
19. The king sat on his \_\_\_\_\_ surveying his kingdom.
- n. a chair or seat of state for a monarch or other high-ranking person; the position of being a king or queen
20. The investigation \_\_\_\_\_ several government agencies and is expected to take several months.
- v. to include or affect someone or something as a necessary part of something else
21. You can easily \_\_\_\_\_ seats over the telephone.
- v. to keep something for future use or contingency; to obtain or arrange something, such as a meeting, seat, etc., in advance
22. The birds \_\_\_\_\_ open water areas with reeds around them.
- v. to like, choose, or want one thing or person better than another
23. The management must \_\_\_\_\_ strategies to increase office security.
- v. to travel to or penetrate an area or a country to learn about it; to thoroughly examine a subject or a possibility to learn more about it
24. My initial reaction was to \_\_\_\_\_.
- v. to show that one is not willing to do or accept something

ANSWERS: 17. mounted, 18. rely, 19. throne, 20. involves, 21. reserve, 22. prefer, 23. explore, 24. refuse

25. Eventually, the new design will \_\_\_\_\_ all older models.  
*v.* to take the place of something
26. He ate the dried \_\_\_\_\_ he had preserved.  
*n.* a sweet and soft edible fruit with many seeds or a tree on which these grow
27. The politician's speech seemed designed to \_\_\_\_\_ anger and unrest among the crowd.  
*v.* to encourage, stir up, or provoke someone to do something; to urge, instigate, or stimulate someone to take action, often negative or aggressive
28. Videos documenting the process of creating this pencil \_\_\_\_\_ have been popular worldwide.  
*n.* the pieces of art, such as pictures and photographs used in books, magazines, etc.
29. Many people see the \_\_\_\_\_ of traveling as an opportunity to experience new cultures and broaden their horizons.  
*n.* the positive aspect or potential of something; the upper side of something
30. Her \_\_\_\_\_ anecdotes always left us laughing until our stomachs hurt.  
*adj.* characterized by humor; funny, amusing, or entertaining; causing laughter or mirth
31. The \_\_\_\_\_ handles multiple plot lines and has unpredictable ends.  
*n.* a story or a description of a series of events or process of telling a story
32. Some comic book characters are considered gay \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a picture or statue of a holy person considered to be a sacred thing; a little icon on the screen of a computer or smartphone that denotes an application or a file

ANSWERS: 25. replace, 26. figs, 27. incite, 28. artwork, 29. upside, 30. humorous, 31. narrative, 32. icons

33. Western ideology slowly \_\_\_\_\_ through the eastern countries.  
*v.* to pass into or through something, often by overcoming resistance
34. A rainbow is a natural \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* something that exists and can be perceptible, especially one that is not fully understood
35. Having a \_\_\_\_\_ healthy physique is essential for a great life.  
*adv.* in a way related to a person's body or appearance rather than their mind
36. His \_\_\_\_\_ of literary works are often unique.  
*n.* an explanation or opinion of something, especially that is not immediately obvious
37. The traffic-\_\_\_\_\_ street was gridlocked during rush hour, with cars moving at a snail's pace.  
*adj.* heavily loaded or burdened
38. He is a man admired for the depth of his \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a belief, opinion, or image you have based on how you regard, understand, or interpret something; the ability to see, hear, or notice something through the senses
39. There are \_\_\_\_\_ differences between the two wine-producing regions.  
*adj.* easy to see, discover or understand
40. The result presented a \_\_\_\_\_ picture of inefficiency and corruption.  
*adj.* looking or sounding very serious or gloomy

ANSWERS: 33. penetrates, 34. phenomenon, 35. physically, 36. interpretations, 37. laden, 38. perception, 39. obvious, 40. grim

41. He was considered a \_\_\_\_\_ in economics and consulted by many leaders.  
*n.* a spiritual teacher or leader, notably in Hindu and Sikh traditions; a person who has knowledge and expertise in a particular area
42. I am going to trim this \_\_\_\_\_ off.  
*n.* a plant growing thickly with many small branches and several stiff stems coming up from the root
43. Little children tend to have \_\_\_\_\_ friends.  
*adj.* existing only in someone's mind
44. He used a \_\_\_\_\_ to lift the car to change the tire.  
*n.* a mechanical device used for lifting or supporting heavy objects
45. The prince fell in love with the \_\_\_\_\_ and asked her to marry him.  
*n.* the daughter of a monarch; the wife or widow of a prince; woman or girl considered to be particularly good or admirable
46. The city was subjected to heavy \_\_\_\_\_ during the war.  
*n.* a continuous attack with bombs or other missiles
47. This remote \_\_\_\_\_ is rarely visited.  
*n.* a particular location or place; a small round or roundish area, differing in color or feels from the surface around it
48. The hotel room was \_\_\_\_\_ with dirty sheets and stained carpets.  
*adj.* dirty or unclean, often to an extreme or offensive degree; morally offensive or obscene

ANSWERS: 41. guru, 42. bush, 43. imaginary, 44. jack, 45. princess, 46. bombardment, 47. spot, 48. filthy

49. The \_\_\_\_\_ government had been in power for centuries.  
*n.* a form of government in which a country is ruled by a king or a queen who typically inherits the authority
50. The \_\_\_\_ of the city was overwhelming.  
*n.* a loud, confused noise; a loud, persistent racket
51. It's important to \_\_\_\_\_ your strengths and weaknesses.  
*v.* to acknowledge or realize something or someone; to identify, remember, or become aware of something that was previously known or encountered
52. She vacated the position when she got \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* having a baby or young animal developing in the uterus
53. They never \_\_\_\_\_ on development despite the lack of funds.  
*v.* to settle a problem or disagreement by mutual concession
54. She is willing to give up her position in the \_\_\_\_\_ family to marry him.  
*adj.* relating to or belonging to the king or queen or a member of their family
55. The \_\_\_\_\_ shaped a horseshoe on his anvil.  
*n.* a smith who forges and shapes iron with a hammer and anvil
56. We argue that wages for temporary workers should \_\_\_\_\_ rise.  
*adv.* in almost the same way
57. One such rapidly growing \_\_\_\_\_ is quantum cryptography.  
*n.* an idea or principle associated with something abstract

ANSWERS: 49. monarchy, 50. din, 51. recognize, 52. pregnant, 53. compromised, 54. royal, 55. blacksmith, 56. similarly, 57. concept



58. This ad is intended to \_\_\_\_\_ a competing product.

- v.* to make fun of someone or make jokes about them, either in a playful way or to upset them; to separate the fibers of something; to ruffle a person's or animal's hair by combing

59. The \_\_\_\_\_ lost his position in the end due to the scandal.

- n.* a person who is a member of a government or law-making organization, especially as an elected member of parliament, etc.

60. What do you \_\_\_\_\_ the culprit's motive was?

- v.* to think that something is likely to be actual or possible

61. Climate behavior models are frequently \_\_\_\_\_.

- adj.* without any significant results or proof or decision

62. We should \_\_\_\_ mildly violent video games from a child's development perspective.

- v.* to officially or legally forbid or refuse to allow something

63. We do move forward with those tasks in \_\_\_\_\_ next week.

- n.* a series of related events, actions, numbers, etc., which have a particular order

64. He attempted to \_\_\_\_\_ the misspelled word.

- v.* to remove something completely, especially by rubbing it

65. Your \_\_\_\_\_ is capable of distinguishing among similar objects.

- n.* the ability to think logically and comprehend information, especially at an advanced level

ANSWERS: 58. tease, 59. politician, 60. suppose, 61. inconclusive, 62. ban, 63. sequence, 64. erase, 65. intellect

66. Ordinary air purifiers cannot adequately remove pollen \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* wheat or any other small hard seeds used as a food; a relatively small granular particle of a substance
67. 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
68. Low sexual \_\_\_\_\_ typically correlates with low testosterone levels.
- n.* a strong feeling of wanting to have or do something
69. He fastens some sheets of paper with a \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* a small metal or plastic device used for holding an object or objects together or in place; a short part of electronic media, either an audio clip or video clip
70. This intriguing \_\_\_\_\_ mystery remains unsolved.
- n.* the crime of killing somebody intentionally
71. She noticed the peeping \_\_\_\_\_ while changing clothes and immediately closed the curtains.
- n.* a person who gains sexual pleasure from watching others, often in secret or without their knowledge or consent; a person who enjoys observing others in a non-sexual manner for personal enjoyment or curiosity
72. He looked for an opportunity to \_\_\_\_\_ that actor in public.
- v.* to cause someone to feel awkward, worried, or ashamed
73. The food chain causes a material \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* an interval during which a recurring sequence of events occurs; a bicycle or motorcycle

ANSWERS: 66. grains, 67. cite, 68. desire, 69. clip, 70. murder, 71. voyeur, 72. embarrass, 73. cycle

74. Continuous consumption of fatty foods leads to the hardening of the \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* one of the thick tubes in humans and most other animals that takes blood away from the heart to one or more parts of the body such as tissues, lungs, brain, etc.
75. The \_\_\_\_\_ against the new policy was heard loud and clear by the government.
- n.* a strong expression of public protest, anger, or dissent
76. His hometown was where he first acquired the \_\_\_\_\_ of wood carving.
- n.* an activity that requires a particular skill in making things with one's hands
77. Direct democracy is effective in quickly resolving \_\_\_\_\_ situations within a community.
- adj.* full of difficulties; difficult to deal with or solve
78. The traffic accident caused a \_\_\_\_\_ on the highway for several hours.
- n.* a complete halt in movement or activity, especially due to an obstruction or lack of resources
79. This movie is famous for its romantic \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the use of words or pictures in books, photographs, paintings, etc., that produces pictures in the minds of people; the ability to form mental images of things or events
80. She decided to wear a pink \_\_\_\_ to the costume party.
- n.* a head covering made of synthetic or real hair worn for a variety of reasons, including as a fashion accessory, to conceal hair loss or baldness, or as part of a costume
81. The popularity of the show made her an instant \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* someone who is well-known, particularly in the entertainment industry

ANSWERS: 74. artery, 75. outcry, 76. craft, 77. problematic, 78. standstill, 79. imagery, 80. wig, 81. celebrity

82. The team gained \_\_\_\_\_ after scoring their first goal.  
*n.* the force or power that is gained by a moving object; a strength or impetus gained through a process of development or activity
83. These articles cite five \_\_\_\_\_ of climate change.  
*n.* a particular example or single occurrence of something
84. The \_\_\_\_\_ roof was made from local grasses and was a traditional design.  
*n.* a material, such as straw or reeds, used to cover the roofs of houses or other buildings
85. The police escorted the prisoner to the \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* a facility where criminals are kept to be punished for their crimes; a prison
86. Shakespeare's output of poetry was \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adj.* extremely large or great
87. I found an old \_\_\_\_\_ of my grandparents from their wedding day.  
*n.* a picture or image that is produced by a camera; a visual representation or record of a person, object, or scene that has been captured electronically or on film
88. He has \_\_\_\_\_ exercising because of a back injury sustained in an accident.  
*n.* a condition or state that causes problems
89. We want to \_\_\_\_\_ our company through your media.  
*v.* to draw attention to something such as a product, service, or event in public to encourage people to buy, use, or attend it

ANSWERS: 82. momentum, 83. instances, 84. thatch, 85. jail, 86. enormous, 87. photograph, 88. difficulty, 89. advertise

90. The law distinguishes between accidental and \_\_\_\_\_ killing.  
*adj.* done, made or performed with purpose and intent
91. The company's reputation for honesty and \_\_\_\_\_ is highly valued among its customers.  
*n.* the quality of being honest and having strong moral principles; the state of being whole and undivided
92. The rise of digital technology has made the sharing of \_\_\_\_\_ easier than ever before.  
*n.* materials such as films, photographs, or written descriptions that depict or describe sexual activity graphically or explicitly, often intended to be sexually arousing
93. This company has invested heavily in Internet \_\_\_\_\_.  
*n.* the activity of buying and selling things, especially on a large scale
94. The museum houses a \_\_\_\_\_ collection of Celtic artifacts.  
*adj.* extremely interesting
95. The \_\_\_\_ of people who do not own property is politically impotent.  
*n.* a large amount of a substance with no definite shape or form; a large number of people or things grouped or crowded together
96. I like to relax and unwind in the \_\_\_\_\_ after a long day at work.  
*n.* a small room or enclosure designed to be heated to high temperatures and used for bathing and relaxation, often featuring a stove, rocks, and steam
97. Hounds \_\_\_\_\_ their prey by using their keen scent.  
*v.* to go after and try to catch wild animals to kill them for food, sport, or profit

ANSWERS: 90. intentional, 91. integrity, 92. pornography, 93. commerce, 94. fascinating, 95. mass, 96. sauna, 97. hunt

98. \_\_\_\_\_ music has gained different followers from existing music.

*adj.* belonging to the same or present time

99. The \_\_\_\_\_ newspaper always covers sensational stories.

*adj.* relating to a type of newspaper or journalism that focuses on sensational and often trivial stories and headlines; (noun) a type of newspaper or magazine that typically features sensational or scandalous stories and headlines, often with a focus on celebrity gossip or other entertainment news

100. We \_\_\_\_\_ the loss of our dear friend at the memorial service.

*v.* to feel or express sorrow, grief, or sadness, especially over the death of someone

101. I was amazed at the \_\_\_\_\_ of her generosity.

*n.* the point or degree or area to which something extends

102. He is an \_\_\_\_\_ and genial man.

*adj.* capable of being reached, easily got, or seen

103. He was filled with \_\_\_\_\_ and fear for the threat of war.

*n.* a strong feeling of dislike or disapproval

104. He tried to \_\_\_\_\_ his way out of doing chores by complimenting his mother's new dress.

*v.* to persuade or obtain something through flattery, coaxing, or subtle manipulation; to cajole or sweet-talk someone into doing something

105. His facial \_\_\_\_\_ showed a mix of surprise and confusion.

*n.* the act of conveying thoughts, feelings, or ideas using words, facial expressions, body language, or art; a look or gesture that conveys a particular emotion or mood

ANSWERS: 98. Contemporary, 99. tabloid, 100. mourned, 101. extent, 102. accessible, 103. disgust, 104. wheedle, 105. expression

106. The company's hiring criteria emphasize personality, not a person's \_\_\_\_\_.
- n.* the details of a person's social heritage, such as family, vocational or educational experience; past information that is essential to understanding a situation or problem
107. The two paintings looked \_\_\_\_\_ as if the same artist had done them.
- adv.* similar or identical in nature or appearance
108. The \_\_\_\_\_ over climate change continues to be a hot topic in politics.
- n.* a formal discussion or argument of opposing viewpoints, often to persuade others to adopt a specific position; a public discussion, often on an issue of current interest, in which participants offer opinions and differing perspectives
109. Solar gravity creates \_\_\_\_\_ pressures and temperatures.
- adj.* very great in amount or degree
110. In the city, the risk of traffic accidents \_\_\_\_\_ at every corner.
- v.* to wait somewhere secretly, especially because you are about to attack someone or do something bad or illegal
111. I need to \_\_\_\_\_ my coworkers to finish the project on time.
- v.* to persistently harass, badger, or bother someone or something; to persistently attack or pursue an opposing force or target
112. Please \_\_\_\_\_ to the instruction manual for further assistance.
- v.* to direct someone's attention, thoughts, or questions to another source or person; to mention, cite, or allude to something as evidence or support
113. The mobile application industry is \_\_\_\_\_ changing.
- adv.* all the time

ANSWERS: 106. background, 107. alike, 108. debate, 109. extreme, 110. lurks, 111. harry, 112. refer, 113. constantly

114. Jockey's superior \_\_\_\_\_ brought him victory.

*n.* a particular way or art of doing something that needs skill

115. The company's \_\_\_\_\_ was on the side of the building.

*n.* a symbol or design that represents a company, organization, or product used on packaging, advertisements, and other materials

116. His \_\_\_\_\_ jokes made her angry.

*adj.* being in an unrefined or natural state; (noun) the unprocessed form of oil

117. The photographer adjusted the \_\_\_\_\_ speed to capture the perfect shot.

*n.* a hinged or sliding panel, typically made of wood or metal, that can be closed to cover or protect a window or opening; a device that controls the opening and closing of a camera lens, allowing light to enter for a specific duration

118. He tried to \_\_\_\_\_ her with his charm and good looks.

*v.* to entice someone to engage in sexual behavior or to enter into a romantic relationship

119. We should \_\_\_\_\_ several hypotheses to discuss the matter.

*v.* to suggest or accept something as fact or as a basis for argument or consideration

120. You can open the overhead \_\_\_\_\_ after landing.

*n.* a container, usually that has a lid and used for waste

121. She tends to \_\_\_\_\_ on small details, often losing sight of the bigger picture.

*v.* to focus one's attention or become overly obsessed with someone or something; to become mentally obsessed or preoccupied with a particular idea, thought, or image

ANSWERS: 114. technique, 115. logo, 116. crude, 117. shutter, 118. seduce, 119. posit, 120. bin, 121. fixate



122. The movie provided cheap \_\_\_\_\_ with its graphic sex scenes and violence.

*n.* the act of exciting or stimulating someone or something, often in a sexual way; a state of arousal or excitement

123. 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

124. The horror movie was filled with \_\_\_\_\_ scenes that shocked and disturbed the audience.

*adj.* involving or characterized by bloodshed, violence, or gruesomeness; exceedingly bloody, horrifying, or graphic

125. The company had to state to \_\_\_\_\_ any responsibility for the faulty product and to offer refunds to affected customers.

*v.* to deny any responsibility or connection with something; to renounce or give up any claim to something

126. I stopped by the branch though I have no business of \_\_\_\_\_.

*n.* the quality of being important and worthy of note

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

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

128. The company hired a PR firm to \_\_\_\_\_ its new product.

*v.* to make information or news publicly known or communicated, to promote or spread awareness of

129. The therapist helped her understand the workings of her \_\_\_\_\_ and how to cope with her anxiety.

*n.* the human soul, mind, or spirit

ANSWERS: 122. titillation, 123. intrigues, 124. gory, 125. disclaim, 126. importance, 127. fashion, 128. publicize, 129. psyche

130. Who answers \_\_\_\_\_ knows little.

*adv.* quickly and unexpectedly

131. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the discussion was the current state of the economy.

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

132. I pushed \_\_\_\_\_ with my new project, even though it would take much hard work.

*adv.* forward, outward, or onward in location, direction, or progress; into view or consideration; with confidence, boldness, or in the open

133. She couldn't \_\_\_\_\_ whether to order the pizza or the pasta for dinner.

*v.* to make up someone's mind about something; to come to a conclusion or judgment after considering options

134. Foreign TV crews and \_\_\_\_\_ can go as they please in various locations during the Olympics.

*n.* a person who collects and writes news stories or articles for newspapers, magazines, radio, television, or other online media

135. The magic tricks \_\_\_\_\_ the children.

*v.* to attract and hold the attention of someone deeply and irresistibly

136. The research provided \_\_\_\_\_ evidence that the new treatment was effective.

*adj.* serving to settle an issue or put an end to doubt or uncertainty; irrefutable and leaves no room for doubt

137. This evidence will form the \_\_\_\_\_ for our discussion.

*n.* the most important facts, ideas, or events from which something is developed; the way how things are organized or arranged

ANSWERS: 130. suddenly, 131. topic, 132. forth, 133. decide, 134. journalists, 135. fascinated, 136. conclusive, 137. basis

138. He \_\_\_\_\_ hypotheses that no mathematician has ever imagined before.  
*v.* to build or create something; to assemble or combine different parts to form something whole
139. The designer's \_\_\_\_\_ was to create a minimalist aesthetic for the interior of the building.  
*n.* a strong determination or attention to do or achieve something; (adjective) having a strong determination to do or achieve something
140. The university's multicultural club hosts events that promote \_\_\_\_\_ awareness and acceptance.  
*adj.* describing a person whose ancestry includes people from two or more different races or ethnicities; describing a social or cultural context that embraces or represents people from different racial or ethnic backgrounds
141. Many people find that regular \_\_\_\_\_ practice can help reduce stress and anxiety.  
*n.* a Hindu spiritual and ascetic discipline including breath control, simple meditation, and the adoption of specific bodily postures, which is widely practiced for health and relaxation
142. She was filled with a burning \_\_\_\_\_ at the injustice she had witnessed.  
*n.* a strong feeling of anger or violence
143. Product development is a \_\_\_\_\_ effort.  
*adj.* done or shared by every member of a group of people
144. This accident was something that happened \_\_\_\_\_.  
*adv.* in an essential manner; in such a way as could not be otherwise
145. The earthquake-\_\_\_\_\_ caused widespread destruction along the coast.  
*n.* a huge ocean wave caused by an earthquake, volcano, or other disturbance

ANSWERS: 138. constructs, 139. intent, 140. mixed-race, 141. yoga, 142. rage, 143. collective, 144. necessarily, 145. tsunami

ANSWERS: