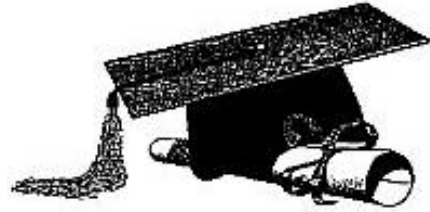


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Definitions

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1.	adjunct	AD junkt	something joined or added to a thing but not necessarily a part of it
	Synonyms >>		
	An adjunct professor is one who is associated with a college faculty only in a temporary or auxiliary manner.		
	Derivatives >>	adjunctive, adjunctively	
2.	anomalous	uh NAHM uh lus	out of place, abnormal
	Synonyms >>		
	Seeing a Toyota in the background of that World War II movie was anomalous.		
	Derivatives >>	anomalously, anomalousness, anomaly, anomalies	
3.	parch	PARCH	to become dry from heat, to shrivel from heat
	Synonyms >>		
	The fruit was parched from staying in the sun so long.		
	Derivatives >>	parched, parchedly, parchedness, parches, parching	
4.	porous	PORE us	something that permits the passage of substances through pores
	Synonyms >>		
	The porous material did not keep the rain off of us.		
	Derivatives >>	porosity, porose, porosis, porotic	
5.	rancid	RAN sid	having a foul or offensive smell or taste
	Synonyms >>	fetid, fusty, malodorous, musty, noisome, putrid, rank	
	A rancid odor came from the garbage pail.		
	Derivatives >>	rancidly, rancidness, rancidification, rancidify, rancidity	
6.	reconcile	REK un sile	to reestablish friendship, to resolve a dispute
	Synonyms >>		
	The family will never be the same until Mom and Grandma reconcile their differences.		
	Derivatives >>	reconcilability, reconcilable, reconcilableness, reconcilably, reconcilence, reconciliation, reconcile	
7.	saccharine	SAK uh rin	overly sweet attitude
	Synonyms >>		
	Her saccharine attitude disgusted me, but it seemed to win her many friends.		
	Derivatives >>	saccharinity	
8.	sonorous	suh NOR us, SAN uh	resonant, producing a full and rich sound
	Synonyms >>		
	Orson Wells was known for his sonorous voice.		
	Derivatives >>	sonorant, sonoriferous, sonoriferously, sonority, sonorization, sonorously, sonorousness	
9.	tentative	TEN tuh tiv	not fully worked out, provisional, uncertain
	Synonyms >>		
	We have a tentative arms-control agreement, but we hope to have a signed agreement by the end of the year.		
	Derivatives >>	tentatively, tentativeness	
10.	utility	yoo TIL eh tee	usefulness
	Synonyms >>		
	A hammer has much utility to a carpenter.		
	Derivatives >>	utilize, utilizer, utilization	

Matching Test

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Directions: Choose the definition that best matches the meaning of the vocabulary word. Place the answer of your choice in the space provided.

Exercise A

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|-------|-----|------------|----|--|
| _____ | 1. | adjunct | a. | usefulness |
| _____ | 2. | anomalous | b. | having a foul or offensive smell or taste |
| _____ | 3. | parch | c. | something joined to a thing but not necessarily a part of it |
| _____ | 4. | porous | d. | overly sweet attitude |
| _____ | 5. | rancid | e. | resonant, producing a full and rich sound |
| _____ | 6. | reconcile | f. | out of place, abnormal |
| _____ | 7. | saccharine | g. | to reestablish friendship, to resolve a dispute |
| _____ | 8. | sonorous | h. | to become dry from heat, to shrivel from heat |
| _____ | 9. | tentative | i. | that which permits the passage of substances through pores |
| _____ | 10. | utility | j. | not fully worked out, provisional, uncertain |

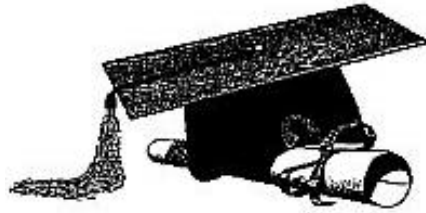
Exercise B

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| _____ | 1. | dilatory | a. | the act of stealing another's property |
| _____ | 2. | esteem | b. | worried, concerned |
| _____ | 3. | expatriate | c. | an exile |
| _____ | 4. | insatiable | d. | an emotionally unstable person; emotionally unstable |
| _____ | 5. | larceny | e. | incapable of being satisfied |
| _____ | 6. | mollify | f. | turbulent, stormy |
| _____ | 7. | neurotic | g. | estimate of value; approval often blended with fondness |
| _____ | 8. | rupture | h. | to break apart, to burst |
| _____ | 9. | solicitous | i. | delaying, slow |
| _____ | 10. | tempestuous | j. | to soothe or to appease, to assuage |

Sentence Completion Test

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adjunct

anomalous

parch

porous

rancid

reconcile

saccharine

sonorous

tentative

utility

1. The _____ meat gave off a foul smell that warned of its spoilage.
2. After the first experiment, the man made a _____ judgment on the results; however, before he could be certain, he would complete the experiment three more times.
3. Because his friends were having only a small cookout, Jim's formal tuxedo was _____; everyone else's shorts and swimsuits made his attire out of place.
4. Some people are so insincere that their _____ smiles are almost sickening with artificial sweetness.
5. The full, rich sounds of the singer's _____ voice echoed throughout the hall.
6. The professor was a member of the university's _____ faculty; though she was teaching classes, she was not an official member of the staff.
7. Because the vessel was too _____ to hold liquid, the water seeped into the soil beneath the container.
8. The sun will _____ the fruit if you leave it out too long; then it will be dried out, and we will not be able to eat it.
9. The couple was encouraged to _____ their differences and try to resolve their dispute.
10. The hammer is considered an instrument of _____ to the carpenter; in his job, it is a useful tool.

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accord	astute	dilatory	expatriate	fortuitous
insatiable	larceny	neurotic	tempestuous	untenable

11. We seem to be in _____ concerning the handling of this problem; it is nice that we can finally agree on something.
12. My parents are complete opposites; one is mentally stable while the other is _____ and extremely emotional.
13. James Baldwin spent much of his life as an _____, preferring to live in France rather than in his native America.
14. Her tears were a _____ tactic; she was merely trying to delay her punishment.
15. Jan's _____ appetite for shrimp remained unsatisfied even after she had eaten twenty of them.
16. Taking a bribe is an _____ act for a politician; there is simply no defense for that kind of behavior.
17. The shrewd detective was most _____ as he cleverly stalked the suspect.
18. It was a _____ occasion for us to meet the man; we certainly did not expect to have such luck as that.
19. The reason the man stopped stealing other people's property is that he had been convicted of _____ three times, and he was afraid of being caught again.
20. The _____ tempers of the men caused them both to storm out of the room in anger at the slightest word.