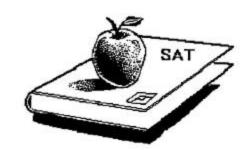
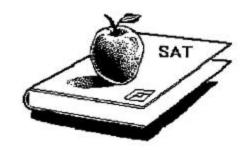
# Lesson 3 Definitions 9th Grade



1.	antipathy	an TIP uh thee	a dislike, distaste, or enmity						
	Synonyms >>	animosity, animus, antago	onism, hostility, rancor						
	The woman's obvious antipathy toward snakes surfaced when she came into contact with the slithering reptile.								
	Derivatives >>								
2.	blunderbuss	BLUN der bus	a clumsy and careless person; an obsolete firearm with a bell muzzle						
	Synonyms >>								
	The girl made so many embarrassing remarks that she felt like a blunderbuss.								
	Derivatives >>								
3.	compatriot	kum PAY tree ut	a fellow countryman						
	Synonyms >>								
	The Lewis and Clark expedition was a journey of two compatriots exploring the unknown regions.								
	Derivatives >>   compatriotism								
4.	conflagration	kon fluh GRAY shun	a large fire						
	Synonyms >>								
	Some believe that	that the earth will be destroyed by a large conflagration.							
	Derivatives >>	conflagrations, conflagrate, conflagrator, conflagratory							
5.	edifice	ED uh fis	a very large building						
	Synonyms >>								
	This particular edifice has the title of being the tallest building in the world.								
	Derivatives >>		ag une united canoning in the world.						
6.	juncture	JUNGK chur	a point of joining						
	Synonyms >>								
	His new book en	ew book emphasizes the importance of the juncture of poetry and music into a new art form.							
	Derivatives >>	<u> </u>							
7.	magnate	MAG nate	a person of power and influence						
	Synonyms >>								
	He was a film m	n magnate who had great power to create a star.							
	Derivatives >>	magnateship							
8.	malady	MAL eh dee	a disease or unwholesome condition						
0.	Synonyms >>								
	The poor old woman seems to suffer one malady after another.								
	Derivatives >> maladies								
9.	potentate	POTE un tate	a monarch, very powerful ruler, sovereign						
<b>,</b>	Synonyms >>								
	There are many countries in the Middle East that are ruled by a potentate.								
	Derivatives >>	, ,							
10.	stealthy	STEL the	acting in a secret and sneaky way-this is a negative term						
10.									
10.	Synonyms >>	clandestine, covert, furtive	e, surreptitious, undernanded						
10.			to gather information on its enemies.						

### Matching Test Lesson 3

9<sup>th</sup> grade



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** 1. antipathy a dislike, distaste, or enmity \_\_\_\_\_ 2. blunderbuss a disease or unwholesome condition \_\_\_\_\_ 3. compatriot a careless person; an obsolete firearm with a bell muzzle \_\_\_\_\_ 4. conflagration a point of joining d. edifice a large fire \_\_\_\_\_ 6. juncture f. a very large building 7. magnate a fellow countryman \_\_\_\_\_ 8. malady a person of power and influence 9. potentate acting in a secret and sneaky way \_\_\_\_\_ 10. stealthy a monarch, very powerful ruler, sovereign **Exercise B** \_\_\_\_\_ 1. acuity a charm or ornament worn to protect against evil 2. entreaty a false appearance, a fake punch amulet a plea, an earnest request c. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. ascend a serious event causing distress or misfortune absolute hatred \_\_\_\_\_ 5. augment e. to degrade; to speak of someone in a derogatory manner 6. enmity f.

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sharpness of perception

to make greater or to supplement

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\_\_\_\_\_ 10. lament

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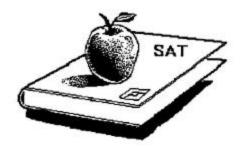
calamity

disparage

to mourn or to express sorrow in a demonstrative manner

to move upward, to rise from a lower station

# **Sentence Completion Test** Lesson 3



anti	pathy	blunderbuss	compatriot	conflagration	edifice		
juno	cture	magnate	malady	quench	stealthy		
1.		sured us that the child that the disease woul	d not be hard to cure.		_ was		
2.	Policemen generally have an for crime and criminals; if they did not dislike these things so much, they would not have gone into the profession of law enforcement.						
3.	The would not stay long in the small village; he was anxious to get to the capital and engage in the affairs of government, his first love.						
4.	The San Fran	cisco earthquake cause	ed a	that burned ma	ny city blocks.		
5.	Because it is one of the rules of the park to extinguish all camp fires, we decided to the fire with water.						
6.	The business considered himself superior to everyone because he had the power to fire any employee at all.						
7.	The two railroad tracks joined at St. Louis, which was considered the of the East and the West.						
8.	_	thered in front of the bly surrounded by guard	building to protest, but	the			
9.	In order to sur	rvive, a spy must be		and sneaky.			
10.	I've never see	en such a clumsy perso	on: he is truly a				

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accı	•	disparaging	enmity	inundated	1 2		
perj	ury	posterity	potentate	supple	virtuous		
11.	The ancient king, himself with stro	a very powerful ng supporters.		, SI	urrounded		
12.	. He was charged with for lying to the grand jury.						
13.	The plastic rod was just enough to bend the needed amount without breaking. We were fortunate to have found something so pliable.						
14.	The wise man sa always added to	w the situation with _ his wisdom.		; his sharp p	erception		
15.	Because of his remarks about me, the committee gave the job to another person; he had effectively ruined my reputation.						
16.	The man loved the woman for her purity, honesty and integrity.						
17.	The bridge colla	psed when it was		by the flood v	vaters.		
18.	The mayor's objective for this term is to stop the recent outbreak of violent crime in the inner city; he believes that those homeless people living in a state of seem to be victimized most.						
19.	The man wanted to leave more than money for his; he wanted to leave a love for honor and justice to his descendants.						
20.	Deep-seated and ill will caused the man to be bitter and antagonistic; indeed, he continued to hate the woman until he died.						