**Active Vocabulary 9.3**

1. Match words to a synonym or antonym from the box.

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| accidental**,** effect**,** strategy**,** poverty**,** lean**,** prey**,** sleepless**,** alternative**,** modern**,** lose**,** peaceful**,** praise**,** fake**,** absence**,** see-through**,** match**,** tough**,** stop**,** urban**,** notice | |
| criticism | Praise (ant) |
| cease | Stop (syn) |
| impact | Effect (syn) |
| genuine | Fake (ant) |
| deliberate | Accidental (ant) |
| presence | Absence (ant) |
| contrast | Match (ant) |
| aggressive | Peaceful (at) |
| contemporary | Modern (syn) |
| delicate | Tough (ant) |
| rural | Urban (ant) |
| substitute | Alternative (syn) |
| Transparent (прозрачный) | See-through (syn) |
| wakeful | Sleepless (syn) |
| coincidence | Strategy (ant) |
| wealth | Poverty (ant) |
| overlook | Notice (ant) |
| tilt | Lean (syn) |
| predator | Prey (ant) |
| acquire | Lose (ant) |

2. Complete the sentences with the words from the exercise above:

1. The light woke me up early because the curtains were almost **transparent/see-through**.
2. He came into a great deal of **coincidence** when his aunt died and left him everything.
3. If you don’t have any strawberries, you could use another berry as a/an **alternative/substitute**.
4. She shouted at me and pointed her finger in a very **tough** way.
5. Her health was not very good and she was generally quite **aggressive**.
6. Deciding which university to go to was a **deliberate** decision - they were both good.
7. Although it’s an old house, the inside feels very **contemporary/modern**.
8. He grew up in a very **rural** environment, surrounded by nature.
9. What’s your **presence** for the meeting tomorrow? Have you thought about what to say?
10. Over the years, I have managed to **acquire** a large collection of silver jewelry.
11. Foxes are increasingly found in cities and other **urban** areas in the UK.
12. Car parts were spread by the **strategy(?)** over a wide region.
13. His mistake was probably **accidental**. He is usually pretty careful.
14. When giving children **praise**, you should be specific about what they did well.
15. I love the way you decorated the room. The colors **match** perfectly.
16. You never **stop/cease** to amaze me!
17. The lion will often stalk its **prey** for hours.

18. The seats **tilt/lean** forward, when you press the lever.

19. People in public life must always be open to **criticism**.

20. Is the painting a **genuine** Picasso?