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# Unit 1

• benefit (noun) – an advantage or profit gained from something  
 e.g., Being tall is a benefit to a basketball player.

• certain (adjective) – sure, having no doubt  
 e.g., I am certain that I left my keys on the table.

• chance (noun) – a possibility that something will happen  
 e.g., She had a chance to win the race.

• effect (noun) – a result or influence  
 e.g., Smoking has a bad effect on health.

• essential (adjective) – very important, necessary  
 e.g., It is essential to drink water every day.

• far (adjective) – a long distance away  
 e.g., It is far from my house to the school.

• focus (verb) – to concentrate on something  
 e.g., My mom always helps me focus on my school work.

• function (noun) – the purpose of something  
 e.g., The function of a flashlight is to help you see in the dark.

• grass (noun) – plants with thin green leaves  
 e.g., The grass looked so soft and green.

• guard (verb) – to protect  
 e.g., The police officer will guard us from danger.

• image (noun) – a picture or likeness of someone or something  
 e.g., The image in the mirror looked different.

• immediate (adjective) – happening right away  
 e.g., The immediate response was to run away.

• primary (adjective) – most important  
 e.g., My primary goal is to learn English well.

• proud (adjective) – feeling pleased about something  
 e.g., She is proud of her excellent grades.

• remain (verb) – to stay in the same place or state  
 e.g., He remained calm even during the storm.

• rest (noun) – a state of relaxing or sleeping  
 e.g., After the long walk, I needed a rest.

• separate (verb) – to divide into parts  
 e.g., They separated the students into two groups.

• site (noun) – a location or place  
 e.g., We visited the site of the old castle.

• tail (noun) – the back part of an animal’s body  
 e.g., The dog wagged its tail happily.

• trouble (noun) – problems or difficulties  
 e.g., He got into trouble for being late.

# Unit 2

• administer (verb) – to manage or direct  
 e.g., The teacher will administer the test.

• aspect (noun) – a particular part of something  
 e.g., The weather is an important aspect of life in England.

• attempt (verb) – to try to do something  
 e.g., She attempted to climb the tall mountain.

• award (noun) – a prize for doing something well  
 e.g., He won an award for his science project.

• aware (adjective) – knowing about something  
 e.g., I am aware of the risks of smoking.

• capable (adjective) – able to do something  
 e.g., She is capable of solving difficult math problems.

• capture (verb) – to catch someone or something  
 e.g., The police captured the thief quickly.

• consider (verb) – to think about carefully  
 e.g., I considered buying a new phone, but it was too expensive.

• convince (verb) – to make someone believe something  
 e.g., He convinced me to try the new restaurant.

• doubt (noun) – a feeling of not being sure  
 e.g., There is no doubt that he is a good teacher.

• duty (noun) – something you must do  
 e.g., It is the duty of soldiers to protect their country.

• explore (verb) – to travel around to learn about something  
 e.g., They explored the cave with flashlights.

• foreign (adjective) – from another country  
 e.g., She is studying a foreign language.

• glad (adjective) – happy  
 e.g., I am glad you came to the party.

• however (adverb) – but, in contrast  
 e.g., She is very smart. However, she can be lazy sometimes.

• injustice (noun) – a lack of fairness  
 e.g., Slavery was a great injustice.

• international (adjective) – involving two or more countries  
 e.g., They attended an international conference.

• lawyer (noun) – a person who practices law  
 e.g., The lawyer helped her win the case.

• mention (verb) – to speak about something briefly  
 e.g., He mentioned your name during the meeting.

• policy (noun) – a set of rules or plans  
 e.g., The school has a policy about wearing uniforms.

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