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Vocab List #14 / SAT Prep: Practice Quiz #14

**Vocab Practice:**

Read the following sentences. Then, using context clues, define the underlined word.

1. I thought that the sequel to High School Musical 4: The 3D Concert Movie was horrible, which surprised me because the original film was so brilliant.

Finish the sentence logically, considering the definition of the underlined word.

2. It didn’t take us very long to discover that all of what Mr. Marsh taught us was inconsequential because . . .

Use your understanding of Latin/Greek roots to determine the best definition for each word.

3. Concurrent:

A. (adj) repetitious, following oneself repeatedly

B. (adj) occurring quickly, taking large steps

C. (v) to move or walk without a definite purpose

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4. Ambulate:

A. (v) to walk from place to place

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Read the following sentences and choose the best word to complete the sentence.

5. For ten ------- days I was grounded and had my phone taken. (Kayci B.)

A. ambulatory

B. recurrent

C. inconsequential

D. consecutive

E. gradual

6. The Bio teacher started to ------- from his lecture about evolution which made his students happy because they do not like learning about evolution. (Makayla M.)

A. graduate

B. incur

C. amble

D. digress

E. regress

7. In order to win the game, the play had to have perfect -------. (Ian B.)

A. execution

B. courier

C. preamble

D. gradualism

E. recurrent

8. I tend to ------- to the maturity of a toddler when I’m left alone with my dad. (Thomas S.)

A. graduate

B. incur

C. amble

D. digress

E. regress

9. My mom sent me a package from Italy, and as soon as the ------- arrived, I started jumping throughout the house. (Michela R.)

A. execution

B. courier

C. preamble

D. gradualism

E. recurrent

10. After he got his cast off, he was ------- with both ------- again. (Leah T.)

A. ambulatory . . . arms

B. ambulatory . . . legs

C. inconsequential . . . wrists

D. consecutive . . . shoulders

E. gradual . . . thumbs

**SAT Prep:**

Read the following sentences. Choose the correct word (adjective or adverb) for the sentence.

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2. Megan refused to be Mary’s partner for art projects ever again because Mary drew so (poor / poorly) and had a lousy work ethic.

3. Surprisingly, Nicolette works (quick / quickly) on practice quizzes in class but completes her Tuesday quizzes (slow / slowly) and methodically.

4. After all of the (aggressive / aggressively) pushing had subsided, a line was formed to enter the cafeteria for turkey dinner day.

5. Carrying the spoonful of liquid mercury, Justina walked (slow / slowly) and (steady / steadily) across the Chemistry lab towards Mrs. Kochel’s coffee mug, careful not to drop the precious element.

6. Mom, whatever it is that you are cooking for dinner smells (horrible / horribly).

7. I told the nurse that I didn’t feel so (good / well), but she refused to send me home.

8. Because Makayla did not take school (serious / seriously), she found herself in a (dangerous / dangerously) position of needing to pass her exams in order to pass and to move on to 10th grade.

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