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Vocab List #12 / SAT Prep: Practice Quiz #12

**Vocab Practice:**

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1. Foolishly, Lady Gaga wore her “red meat” dress to the safari because she read on Wikipedia that lions were not carnivores.

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

2. Mitchell tried to explain to his World Lit – 10 teacher that he was a casualty of Mr. Marsh’s American Lit class and that was why he . . .

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

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A. (v) to seize or take without asking

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**SAT Prep:**

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A B C D

were actually hiding illegal packets of duck sauce and fortune cookies. No error

E

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A B

told Madelyn that she is no longer allowed on Facebook. No error

C D E

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A B C

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D E

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B C D

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