

MDB 1031 – Vocabulary

Unit 1

attachments	longevity	prevalent	diversity	revelation	waning
aligned	probe	setbacks	haunts	pillars	devoted (x2)

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2. The about the company's unethical practices shocked the entire industry.
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5. They faced several while trying to launch their new product.
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7. The company prioritizes in its products to ensure customer satisfaction
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9. Fast food restaurants are in many urban areas across the country.
10. Their goals are closely the values of the organization.
11. Education, healthcare, and housing are considered the of a stable society.
12. Healthy relationships often have strong between family members.
13. Scientists continue to the depths of the ocean for new discoveries.

Unit 2

govern	endurance	respond	insufficient	cue	disrupt
temperament	exposure	optimize	lifespan	scarce	

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2. We need to our processes to improve efficiency and reduce costs.
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4. The study showed evidence to support the claims made by the researchers.

5. It is important to quickly to customer complaints to maintain their satisfaction.
6. Water has become in some regions due to prolonged droughts.
7. She took a deep breath as a to calm herself before her presentation.
8. Heavy traffic can the flow of a city's public transportation system.
9. With proper care, the of the average houseplant can be several years.
10. Long-distance athletes need a lot of to complete their races.
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Unit 3

augmentation	trigger	benign	ambiguity	intervention	scarcity	resilient	undermine
intriguing	audacity	outweigh	manipulate	accountability	mismatch	recalibrate	accelerate

1. The company had to its marketing strategy after customer feedback showed it wasn't reaching the target audience effectively.
2. Due to water in the region, the government has introduced new conservation policies.
3. The scientist's latest discovery about artificial intelligence is truly; it challenges what we thought was possible.
4. Some politicians try to public opinion by spreading misleading information.
5. The new software update is an of the existing system—it adds new functions without replacing the old ones.
6. Her in questioning the CEO during the press conference surprised everyone; no one else dared to do it.
7. Despite facing numerous setbacks, the team remained and eventually succeeded.
8. The doctor assured the patient that the tumor was and posed no serious health risks.
9. The teacher emphasized the importance of; students should take responsibility for their own learning.

10. There seems to be a between the skills the job requires and the ones the applicants possess.
11. Sometimes even a small comment can a strong emotional reaction in someone.
12. The government's in the housing market helped stabilize prices during the crisis.
13. The new highway project aims to economic growth in the rural areas.
14. The of his message made it difficult to know what he truly meant—was he serious or joking?
15. The potential benefits of the new vaccine clearly its minor side effects.
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Answer Key

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