

ENGLISH ASSIGNMENT TEST
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Q1) 1) Synonym of 'Nomadic'.
D) Roaming.

2) Synonym of 'cleave'.
B) Cut.

3) The decision will _____ the entire nation.
A) Impact

4) Another word for 'precarious'?
C) Uncertain

5) Synonym of the word 'Parochial'?
D) Conservative

Q2) 1) Same meaning as 'Improverished'?
A) Destitute

2) 'Recede back' means to?
C) Retreat

3) Meaning of being implied without being stated.
B) Tacit

4) Antonym of 'amicable'.
A) Grumpy.

5) Synonym for 'berated'.
C) Reproached.

Q3) 1) Optimistic → Someone who is hopeful about the future or success of something in particular.

Sentence → George was optimistic and always saw the best in every situation.

- 2) Ample → Generous or more than adequate in size, scope or capacity.

Sentence → I've left ample stores of food and water for you.

- 3) Abhor → hating something, especially for moral reasons.

Sentence → People who seek peace, abhor violence.

- 4) Eclectic → Composed of elements drawn from various sources. (Heterogeneous)

Sentence → The restaurant's menu was eclectic and included foods from a number of ethnic groups & cultures.

- 5) Liege → A feudal superior, a lord or king.

Sentence → The loyal liege died protecting his country's queen.

- 6) Necromancer → A person who uses witchcraft, especially to reanimate dead people by communicating with them.

Sentence → They came originally from Greece and were highly skilled in necromancy.

7.) Acquiesce → Passive acceptance or submission

Sentence → It is true that silence does not necessarily mean acquiescence.

8.) Diverse → unlike or differing from one another.

Sentence → she works with a multi-cultural and diverse work force.

9.) Unprecedented → something that has never happened before.

Sentence → The preparations were made on an unprecedented scale.

10.) Vetted → making a careful and critical examination of (something).

Sentence → All resources listed on the site have been vetted by library science students and professionals.

Q4.) 1.) Beat around the bush.

→ Don't beat around the bush, come straight to the point.

2.) Get your act together.

→ The official was asked to get his act together if he wanted to keep his post.

3.) Hit the sack.

→ This job is really sucking the life out of me. I

haven't hit the sack in nearly 24 hours!

4.) Your guess is as good as mine.

→ ~~to~~ I asked Jerry who's going to win the World Cup? and she said, "Your guess is as good as mine".

5.) Good things come to those who wait.

→ When investing, it pays to be patient. Remember that good things come to those who wait.

6.) Back against the wall.

→ The company has its back against the wall and if the employees do not help out now, it will be bankrupt soon.

7.) Up in arms. (angry/rebellious).

→ The students were up in arms when they heard that their breaktime would be taken ~~one~~ away due to poor behaviour.

8.) Scrap the barrel.

→ You scraped the barrel since the appearance of the new car you bought is bad.

9.) Burn your boats/ bridges. (something that can't be reversed in ^{future}).

→ She's young, so I don't think she realizes that she'll be burning her boats if she goes to work for their competitor.

10.) Break fresh/new ground.

They've really broken new ground with their latest product.

Q5.) a) PREFIX

1) Anti (anti-racist, anti-government).

→ They chanted anti-racism slogans and banged their fists on the newsroom walls.

2) De (deactivate, defrost, detoxify).

→ Deactivate all accounts and network access of terminated employees.

3) Dis (disable, disappear).

→ When I came home, I had to disable the alarm.

4) Fore (foresee, forecast).

→ The weather forecast says there will be rain.

5) Super (superior, supervise).

→ They were both becoming accustomed to their superior strength.

b) SUFFIX

1) ous (poisonous, jealous).

→ Not all snake bites are poisonous.

2) ship (championship, friendship).

→ ~~A contest for the position of cham-~~
Winning the championship is a great personal triumph.

3) ness (fitness, illness).

→ I'm strong but I'd like to improve my fitness.

4) ist (artist, harpist, extremist).

→ Knowledge without practice makes but half an artist.

5) ment (enjoyment, decrement)

→ My friend and I watched the movie with great enjoyment.

Q6.)

1.) b) demand, grinding.

2.) c) hitting, drilling.

3.) a) produced, consumption.

4.) c) investment, substantial.

5.) d) order, entire

6.) c) easily, removed.

7.) d) complete, greet.

8.) a) waiting, handle.

9.) d) suffered, limping.

10.) e) proposing, benefit.