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35 Daily Vocabulary MCQs

Vocab Level: Graduate (05), Post-Graduate(20), Doctorate (10)

Score (Out of 35):

Instructions:

- **Total Questions:** 35
 - **Levels:** Graduate (05), Post-Graduate (20), Doctorate (10)
 - **Each question carries equal marks**
 - Choose the **best possible answer** for each
 - Each incorrect answer will carry a **penalty** of 0.25 marks.
 - **Time Limit:** 10 minutes
 - **Answers** are provided **immediately after each question**
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1. The scientist's theory was met with a barrage of _____ from the academic community, which questioned both its premise and methodology.

- a) euphoria
- b) accolades
- c) opprobrium
- d) reverence

Answer: c) opprobrium

2. Spot the error:

She was so engrossed into the movie that she forgot to attend the call.

- a) so engrossed
- b) into the movie
- c) that she forgot
- d) to attend the call

Answer: b) into the movie (*Correct: engrossed in*)

3. Which word is least related to the rest?

- a) Resilience
- b) Tenacity
- c) Fragility
- d) Perseverance

Answer: c) Fragility

4. Fill in the blank:

The general's orders were clear and _____, leaving no room for misinterpretation.

- a) nebulous
- b) ambiguous
- c) unequivocal
- d) meandering

Answer: c) unequivocal

5. Word Swap:

The young poet's *elucidation* was filled with such *brevity* and *clarity* that the judges were *confounded*.

- a) elucidation – brevity
- b) brevity – confounded
- c) confounded – clarity
- d) confounded – impressed

Answer: d) confounded – impressed

6. Synonym of indelible:

- a) erasable
- b) vivid
- c) feeble
- d) indistinct

Answer: b) vivid

7. Antonym of foster:

- a) nurture
- b) abandon
- c) promote
- d) aid

Answer: b) abandon

8. Word Analogy:

Paranoid : Trust ::

- a) Brave : Cowardice
- b) Generous : Miserly
- c) Curious : Indifferent
- d) Accustomed : Alien

Answer: d) Accustomed : Alien

9. Fill in the blank:

The author's work contains an _____ of surrealism and postmodernist elements.

- a) excerpt
- b) amalgamation
- c) excerpt
- d) allusion

Answer: b) amalgamation

10. The word "gobbled" is closest in meaning to:

- a) consumed hastily
 - b) screamed loudly
 - c) walked slowly
 - d) whispered softly
- Answer: a) consumed hastily
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11. Spot the error:

The indelible memories of childhood often fades with age.

- a) indelible
- b) memories
- c) fades
- d) with age

Answer: c) fades (*Correct: fade*)

12. Choose the correct usage:

- a) He is used to speak in public.
- b) He is accustomed of speaking in public.
- c) He is accustomed to speaking in public.
- d) He is accustomed with speaking in public.

Answer: c) He is accustomed to speaking in public.

13. Passage (Approx. 150 words):

In a society grappling with fast technological changes, the need for conscientious innovation is more pressing than ever. Entrepreneurs and inventors alike must look beyond immediate gains and consider the long-term ramifications of their creations. An AI algorithm developed for efficiency may inadvertently introduce biases, while a medical breakthrough may exclude underserved populations. True progress requires an immersive engagement with the ethical and social landscapes in which such technologies function. As creators, one must remain alert to these implications and exhibit not just technical excellence but compassionate foresight.

Q: Which of the following words from the passage most closely aligns with *responsible*?

- a) Immersive
- b) Conscientious
- c) Technological
- d) Entrepreneurial

Answer: b) Conscientious

14. Odd one out:

- a) Altruistic
- b) Benevolent
- c) Malicious
- d) Compassionate

Answer: c) Malicious

15. Choose the best word to complete:

His decision to step down was driven more by _____ than by political necessity.

- a) remorse
- b) triumph
- c) courage
- d) vanity

Answer: a) remorse

16. Which word has a negative connotation?

- a) Perseverance
- b) Diligence
- c) Paranoia
- d) Fortitude

Answer: c) Paranoia

17. Choose the closest meaning to "Excerpt":

- a) Caption
- b) Extract
- c) Heading
- d) Prologue

Answer: b) Extract

18. Word Swap:

The *manifest* grief of the parents was *indelible* even to the most *inattentive* observers.

- a) manifest – indelible
- b) grief – manifest
- c) indelible – inattentive
- d) manifest – inattentive

Answer: a) manifest – indelible

19. Which is the most appropriate word to replace "escalate" in the sentence:

"The tensions between the two nations continue to escalate."

- a) plummet
- b) diffuse
- c) intensify
- d) decline

Answer: c) intensify

20. Choose the word that best fits the tone:

Although he was convicted, he maintained his _____ and refused to show any sign of remorse.

- a) glee
- b) guilt
- c) defiance
- d) hesitation

Answer: c) defiance

21. Which of the following best defines resilience?

- a) The act of resisting temptation
- b) The ability to recover quickly
- c) The process of negotiation

d) The technique of manipulation

Answer: b) The ability to recover quickly

22. Fill in the blank:

He was found guilty and subsequently _____ for his involvement in the scam.

a) accused

b) alleged

c) convicted

d) blamed

Answer: c) convicted

23. Select the grammatically and semantically correct sentence:

a) He seldom goes to the gym nowadays.

b) He seldom go to the gym nowadays.

c) He seldom gone to the gym nowadays.

d) He seldom going to the gym nowadays.

Answer: a) He seldom goes to the gym nowadays.

24. Identify the word with positive connotation:

a) Inadequacy

b) Engrossed

c) Paranoid

d) Escalate

Answer: b) Engrossed

25. What is the correct antonym of “engrossed”?

a) Immersed

b) Distracted

c) Involved

d) Absorbed

Answer: b) Distracted

26. Choose the synonym of “remorse”:

a) Apathy

b) Guilt

c) Ignorance

d) Conviction
Answer: b) Guilt

27. Fill in the blank:

Besides her regular job, she also volunteers at the animal shelter, showing her _____ side.

- a) selfish
- b) compassionate
- c) ruthless
- d) oblivious

Answer: b) compassionate

28. Spot the error:

He manifested his ideas with such clarity that everyone were convinced.

- a) manifested
- b) such clarity
- c) everyone
- d) were

Answer: d) were (*Correct: was*)

29. Which word pair is not synonymous?

- a) Compassionate – Empathetic
- b) Flurry – Calm
- c) Foster – Nurture
- d) Manifest – Exhibit

Answer: b) Flurry – Calm

30. Which word fits the definition: “Very old, especially of high value or quality”?

- a) Unique
- b) Ancient
- c) Antique
- d) Archaic

Answer: c) Antique

31. Identify the most suitable word:

After the accident, he showed remarkable _____ and returned to work within two weeks.

- a) remorse
- b) resilience
- c) brevity
- d) paranoia

Answer: b) resilience

32. Fill in the blank:

Despite his efforts, he was constantly plagued by a feeling of _____ and underachievement.

- a) inadequacy
- b) compassion
- c) flurry
- d) resilience

Answer: a) inadequacy

33. Which word pair is most opposite in meaning?

- a) Diligence – Laziness
- b) Perseverance – Endurance
- c) Conscious – Aware
- d) Compassionate – Kind

Answer: a) Diligence – Laziness

34. Passage:

Creativity is not just a spark but a fire that demands both patience and discipline. In a world obsessed with instant gratification, the quiet, steadfast power of diligence is often underrated. Innovators who leave an indelible mark on the world aren't merely flashes of brilliance—they persevere through mundane routines and countless failures. Their work ethic is rooted in relentless focus and consistency.

Q: Which word best summarizes the author's tone toward diligence?

- a) Dismissive
- b) Apathetic
- c) Admiring
- d) Condescending

Answer: c) Admiring

35. Choose the word that best completes the sentence:

A sudden _____ of activity in the newsroom signaled that something significant had occurred.

- a) flurry
- b) paradox
- c) antiquity
- d) perseverance

Answer: a) flurry