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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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◆ **Graduate Level (05 Questions)**

1. Choose the best synonym for “Brevity”:
a) Complexity
b) Conciseness
c) Longevity
d) Vigor
Answer: b) Conciseness

2. Which word is closest in meaning to “Scrupulous”?
a) Reckless
b) Diligent
c) Hesitant
d) Spontaneous
Answer: b) Diligent

3. What does “Alleviate” mean in the following context: “This medicine may alleviate your symptoms”?
a) Eliminate
b) Magnify
c) Reduce
d) Postpone
Answer: c) Reduce

4. Which of these is a correct use of “Tenable”?
- a) The castle was tenable for years after the war.
 - b) His lie was tenable under scrutiny.
 - c) That theory was tenable with no evidence.
 - d) The meal was tenable to eat.
- Answer: a) The castle was tenable for years after the war.
5. “He fervently opposed the bill.” — What does “fervently” suggest?
- a) Indifferently
 - b) Emotionlessly
 - c) Passionately
 - d) Harshly
- Answer: c) Passionately
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◆ Post-Graduate Level (20 Questions)

6. Identify the correct use of “Redolent”:
- a) The courtroom was redolent of perfume.
 - b) His redolent arguments won the case.
 - c) Her redolent dance amazed everyone.
 - d) The data was redolent and unclear.
- Answer: a) The courtroom was redolent of perfume.
7. Which sentence correctly uses “Pester”?
- a) He pestered his muscles to bulk up.
 - b) She pesters her boss with compliments.
 - c) He pesters his dog to sit all day.
 - d) The customer pestered the waiter for faster service.
- Answer: d) The customer pestered the waiter for faster service.
8. Choose the antonym of “Squalor”:
- a) Indignity
 - b) Grandeur
 - c) Clutter
 - d) Misery
- Answer: b) Grandeur
9. “The team carried out the mission efficiently.” — What is the phrasal verb function here?
- a) Transitive and idiomatic
 - b) Intransitive and passive
 - c) Causative and active

d) Reflexive and elliptical

Answer: a) Transitive and idiomatic

10. Which best defines "Frenetic"?

a) Carefully planned

b) Slow-paced

c) Uncontrollably fast

d) Emotionless

Answer: c) Uncontrollably fast

11. What is the meaning of "Precedent" in legal usage?

a) A preliminary hearing

b) A unique ruling

c) A prior case used as reference

d) A false verdict

Answer: c) A prior case used as reference

12. Which word best fits: "Despite the ____ conditions, she remained optimistic."

a) Congenial

b) Tepid

c) Fraught

d) Redolent

Answer: c) Fraught

13. What does "Stochastic" imply in mathematical modeling?

a) Deterministic behavior

b) Randomly determined patterns

c) Structured analysis

d) Causal inference

Answer: b) Randomly determined patterns

14. Select the sentence with the correct use of "Harangued":

a) He harangued the mountain trail for peace.

b) She was harangued by memories of childhood.

c) He harangued the audience with an aggressive speech.

d) The harangued documents were lost.

Answer: c) He harangued the audience with an aggressive speech.

15. Find the correct use of "Abate":

a) His motivation abated the team spirit.

b) The storm finally abated after midnight.

c) The leader abated the speech with facts.

d) She abated her fear by ignoring it.

Answer: b) The storm finally abated after midnight.

16. The phrase “wielding influence” means:

- a) Manufacturing decisions
- b) Holding authority
- c) Delegating power
- d) Avoiding confrontation

Answer: b) Holding authority

17. “A modicum of effort can go a long way.” What does modicum mean?

- a) Significant quantity
- b) Minimal amount
- c) Improper share
- d) Rapid decrease

Answer: b) Minimal amount

18. Choose the word that means “To break a moral boundary or rule”:

- a) Relegate
- b) Endorse
- c) Transgress
- d) Abate

Answer: c) Transgress

19. In what context is “Consternation” used correctly?

- a) She danced in consternation.
- b) His voice caused consternation during the exam.
- c) They faced consternation after the law was abolished.
- d) I bought a book in consternation.

Answer: c) They faced consternation after the law was abolished.

20. Pick the most appropriate collocation with “Unwavering”:

- a) Unwavering blink
- b) Unwavering anger
- c) Unwavering commitment
- d) Unwavering break

Answer: c) Unwavering commitment

21. Which word has a similar tone to “Appose”?

- a) Unite
- b) Align
- c) Counter
- d) Position opposite

Answer: d) Position opposite

22. Select the correct use of “Valiant”:
- a) She was valiant enough to mock everyone.
 - b) He made a valiant effort to complete the marathon.
 - c) The valiant economy grew slowly.
 - d) Valiant decisions require hesitation.
- Answer: b) He made a valiant effort to complete the marathon.
23. What does “Auspicious” mean?
- a) Morally wrong
 - b) Financially risky
 - c) Favorable or fortunate
 - d) Spontaneous
- Answer: c) Favorable or fortunate
24. In the phrase “ensuing chaos,” the word “ensuing” suggests:
- a) Prior
 - b) Causal
 - c) Resulting
 - d) Interrupting
- Answer: c) Resulting
25. “Conviction” as used in “He spoke with conviction” means:
- a) A formal charge
 - b) Firm belief
 - c) Political opinion
 - d) Fearless tone
- Answer: b) Firm belief
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◆ Doctorate Level (10 Questions)

26. “Sandboxing” in software security refers to:
- a) Live testing on open networks
 - b) Creating an isolated environment for testing
 - c) Patching vulnerabilities in real time
 - d) Testing code directly on client infrastructure
- Answer: b) Creating an isolated environment for testing
27. In Bayesian statistics, a stochastic process differs from deterministic by:
- a) Following clear, fixed rules
 - b) Having fixed outputs for inputs
 - c) Involving random variables over time

d) Having no dependency on past outcomes
Answer: c) Involving random variables over time

28. Which of the following best characterizes “contentious jurisprudence”?

- a) Harmonious legislation
 - b) Laws open to multiple interpretations and debate
 - c) Legally void regulations
 - d) Inactive statutory provisions
- Answer: b) Laws open to multiple interpretations and debate

29. What’s the function of “untenable” in the sentence: “Her logic was clearly untenable”?

- a) Modal qualifier
 - b) Nominal adjunct
 - c) Predicate adjective
 - d) Object complement
- Answer: c) Predicate adjective

30. Choose the most contextually correct use of “radical transformation” in scientific discourse:

- a) Radical transformation occurs through constant stagnation.
 - b) Radical transformation suggests abrupt or foundational change in system dynamics.
 - c) Radical transformation reflects slow and reversible reactions.
 - d) Radical transformation means marginal technical updates.
- Answer: b) Radical transformation suggests abrupt or foundational change in system dynamics.

31. A stochastic gradient descent is considered effective because:

- a) It avoids convergence
 - b) It increases bias
 - c) It estimates the true loss across a full dataset
 - d) It allows optimization with random samples
- Answer: d) It allows optimization with random samples

32. Which philosophical position aligns closest to the belief that “fate” governs all human action?

- a) Empiricism
 - b) Determinism
 - c) Pragmatism
 - d) Hedonism
- Answer: b) Determinism

33. The phrase “myriad of interpretations” most likely implies:

- a) Singular meaning
- b) Numerous diverse meanings

- c) One precise argument
- d) Logical consistency

Answer: b) Numerous diverse meanings

34. In AI modeling, what is an “impediment” to generalizability?

- a) Reduced variance
- b) Bias-variance tradeoff
- c) Overfitting due to complex training data
- d) Use of standardized input formats

Answer: c) Overfitting due to complex training data

35. Which of the following best represents the idiomatic use of “burst at the seams”?

- a) Something shrinking rapidly
- b) Something overflowing with contents
- c) A sudden decision
- d) A collapsing structure

Answer: b) Something overflowing with contents