

**Aptitude Advanced**

# Vocabulary

**Assignment 02**

## Vocab Practice Assignment 02

**DIRECTIONS for question 1-5:** Mark the option that is the correct antonym of the word given in **bold**.

1. **Dangle**

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| 1. Hanging | 2. Loose  |
| 3. Secure  | 4. Mingle |

2. **Spendthrift**

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|-------------|----------------|
| 1. Miser    | 2. Savings     |
| 3. Cautious | 4. Extravagant |

3. **Native**

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|------------|---------------|
| 1. Endemic | 2. Indigenous |
| 3. Genuine | 4. Foreign    |

4. **Attenuate**

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|-------------|------------|
| 1. Contract | 2. Expand  |
| 3. Mitigate | 4. Disable |

5. **Cajole**

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| 1. Deceive  | 2. Mislead |
| 3. Build up | 4. Bully   |

**DIRECTIONS for questions 6-7:** Select the word which is closest in meaning to the word given in the question.

**6. Coalesce**

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| 1. Flower    | 2. Combine |
| 3. Associate | 4. Salute  |

**7. Explicit**

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| 1. Clean   | 2. Implied      |
| 3. Obvious | 4. Specifically |

**DIRECTIONS for questions 8-10:** Choose the word that is most nearly opposite in meaning to the word given

**8. Trite**

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|--------------|------------|
| 1. Hackneyed | 2. Correct |
| 3. Original  | 4. Certain |

**9. Compassionate**

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| 1. Indecisive | 2. Unsympathetic |
| 3. Unlawful   | 4. Untrustworthy |

**10. Restive**

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| 1. Buoyant   | 2. Placid   |
| 3. Resistant | 4. Insolent |

**DIRECTIONS for questions 11-12:** Select the option that best suits that description.

**11. Having superior or intellectual interests and tastes**

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|------------------|---------------|
| 1. Elite         | 2. Highbrow   |
| 3. Sophisticated | 4. Fastidious |

**12.** To cause troops, etc. to spread out in readiness for battle

1. Disperse

2. Deploy

3. Collocate

4. Align

**DIRECTIONS for questions 13-15:** Choose the option that has correct spelling.

**13.**

1. Virolent

2. Virulint

3. Virullent

4. Virulent

**14.**

1. Chagriin

2. Chagren

3. Chegrin

4. Chagrin

**15.**

1. Rennassance

2. Renaissance

3. Rennaissance

4. Renaessance

## Vocab Practice Assignment 02- Answer Key

Q No.	Key	Explanation
1.	3	Dangle means loose hence the opposite is 'secure'.
2.	4	Spendthrift is an extravagant person; hence its opposite will be Miser.
3.	4	The meaning of Native is "a person born in a specified place or associated with a place by birth, whether subsequently resident there or not". Therefore correct antonym is an option 4
4.	2	The meaning of Attenuate is "reduce the force, effect, or value of". Therefore, the correct antonym is an option 2
5.	4	The meaning of Cajole is "persuade (someone) to do something by sustained coaxing or flattery". Therefore correct antonym is an option 4
6.	2	The word means 'combine'.
7.	3	It means 'obvious'.
8.	3	Trite and hackneyed mean something that has been overused and thus has lost its

impact, original on the other hand is the unused, new in character, being the first form of something still has its impact.

9. 2

Compassionate is someone who cares or is concerned about another person, unsympathetic is one who does not care or understand another's condition or position. Indecisive means someone who cannot take decisions easily, unlawful is something against the law, and Untrustworthy is someone who cannot be trusted.

10. 2

Restive is something very difficult to control and placid is calm and peaceful so can be controlled easily. Buoyant is very cheerful and insolent is rude.

11. 2

The person is called 'Highbrows'.

12. 2

The process is called 'deploy'.

13. 4

Option 4 is the correct spelling.

14. 4

Option 4 is the correct spelling.

15. 2

Option 2 is the correct spelling.