

# GRE Vocab General List 3

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1. **epiphany:** sudden realization
2. **epigram:** witty saying
3. **jingoist:** overly patriotic
4. **solicitous:** anxious to please
5. **solicit:** ask for or try to obtain (something) from someone
6. **perpetuate:** make happen indefinitely
7. **flag:** tire
8. **diabolical:** wicked
9. **charlatan:** con artist
10. **truculence:** tendency to fight
11. **erudite:** scholarly
12. **hubris:** excessive pride
13. **endemic:** native
14. **grandiloquent:** pompous
15. **verbose:** expressed in more words than needed
16. **celerity:** quickness
17. **becoming:** suitable
18. **clemency:** mercy
19. **pristine:** in original condition
20. **hand wringing:** repeated clasping and squeezing of hands as a sign of distress
21. **efficacy:** the ability to produce a desired result

- 22. **vexing:** causing annoyance, frustration, or worry
- 23. **catholic:** universal
- 24. **tempestuous:** intensely emotional
- 25. **surreptitious:** stealthy
- 26. **sagacious:** wise
- 27. **frustrate:** prevent
- 28. **nadir:** lowest point
- 29. **chimera:** illusion
- 30. **belligerent:** eager to fight
- 31. **apothegm:** short saying
- 32. **trite:** lacking originality
- 33. **dispatch:** speed, efficiency
- 34. **dilapidated:** run down
- 35. **puissant:** powerful
- 36. **denouement:** resolution of a story
- 37. **inure:** harden
- 38. **unpropitious:** unlikely to be successful
- 39. **anemic:** lacking energy
- 40. **dovetail:** fit together tightly
- 41. **noisome:** foul-smelling
- 42. **spendthrift:** wasteful with money
- 43. **underscore:** emphasize
- 44. **precipitate:** hasty
- 45. **conflagration:** large fire
- 46. **disenfranchise:** deprive of votes
- 47. **solicitude:** care or concern for someone or something
- 48. **perfunctory:** done routinely
- 49. **machinate:** scheme

- 50. **unimpeachable:** blameless
- 51. **rustic:** relating to country
- 52. **lacerate:** distress deeply
- 53. **sardonic:** mocking
- 54. **ostracize:** exclude
- 55. **dolorous:** painful
- 56. **countermand:** reverse a command
- 57. **deride:** express contempt
- 58. **tribulation:** suffering
- 59. **halcyon:** peaceful
- 60. **malodorous:** stinky
- 61. **rhapsodize:** speak or write about something with great enthusiasm
- 62. **calving off:** to break off
- 63. **plaintiff:** a person who brings a case against another in a court of law
- 64. **squelch:** crush
- 65. **renege:** to not do as promised
- 66. **impunity:** freedom from consequences of an action
- 67. **ancillary:** providing support to the primary event
- 68. **good riddance:** said when you are pleased that a bad or unwanted thing or person, or something of poor quality, has gone
- 69. **opulent:** costly and luxurious
- 70. **caprice:** a sudden and unaccountable change of mood or behaviour
- 71. **prophecy:** a prediction of what will happen (noun)
- 72. **prophecy:** say that (a specified thing) will happen in the future (verb)
- 73. **underscore:** emphasize
- 74. **malodorous:** stinky
- 75. **frustrate:** prevent
- 76. **to fall hook, line and sinker:** to fall in love with or believe in completely

- 77. **derelict:** in bad condition
- 78. **take heed:** pay careful attention to advice/ warning
- 79. **lackadaisical:** carelessly lazy
- 80. **orifice:** an opening through which anything can pass
- 81. **allay:** reduce in intensity
- 82. **imperious:** domineering
- 83. **patent:** glaringly obvious
- 84. **juxtapose:** place side by side
- 85. **prosaic:** dull
- 86. **malfeasance:** misconduct
- 87. **proscribe:** ban
- 88. **verisimilitude:** appearance of truth
- 89. **impecunious:** lacking money
- 90. **inflammatory:** controversial
- 91. **stalwart:** dependable
- 92. **conniving:** conspiring to do bad
- 93. **punctilious:** overly precise
- 94. **unflappable:** cool under pressure
- 95. **subterfuge:** deceit
- 96. **percipient:** having good insight
- 97. **moribund:** about to die
- 98. **encumber:** hold back
- 99. **baleful:** threatening
- 100. **untenable:** indefensible