

Vocabulary Unit B

1. Analyze	(v.) to separate, or break into parts and examine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym – study, evaluate • Antonym – ignore
2. Approximate	(adj.) almost correct, good guess, close (v.) To estimate <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym – (adj.) fairly accurate; (v.) to guess • Antonym – exact
3. Aware	(adj.) having knowledge of, informed about <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym – informed • Antonym- unaware, inattentive
4. Balk	(v.) to refuse to move or act <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym – hesitate, refuse • Antonym- accept
5. Character/ Characteristic	(n.) attribute; a distinguishing feature or quality <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym – aspect, personality • Antonym – ordinary
6. Compulsory	(adj.) forced, required <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym – mandatory • Antonym – optional, voluntary
7. Crucial	(adj.) extremely important <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym- vital, essential • Antonym- unimportant, minor
8. Develop	(v.) to grow or expand; to improve the quality of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym- establish, evolve • Antonym- stop, decrease
9. Elusive	(adj.) tending to avoid capture, hard to catch or grasp <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym- tricky, evasive • Antonym – understandable, honest
10. Eminent	(adj.) famous, well-respected <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym – distinguished, well-known • Antonym – inferior, unimportant

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11. Genially	(adv.) in a pleasant, friendly manner <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym – charmingly, politely • Antonym – unpleasantly
12. Literal	(adj.) factual, not exaggerated <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym- authentic, actual • Antonym- unreal, exaggerated
13. React/ Reaction	(v.) to act in response to something (n.) answer, feedback <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym – to answer, acknowledge • Antonym – halt, stop
14. Rehabilitate	(v.) to restore to useful life, through therapy and education <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym – improve, rebuild • Antonym – damage, destroy
15. Respond	(v.) to answer or make a reply <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym- acknowledge, react • Antonym- ask, request
16. Retribution	(n.) a punishment for bad behavior <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym- revenge, retaliation • Antonym - forgiveness
17. Root	(n.) the essential part of something <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym- source, foundation • Antonym – result, consequence
18. Saunter	(v.) to stroll in a casual manner <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym – walk, amble • Antonym – run
19. Unperceived	(adj.) not seen or noticed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym- anonymous, unrecognized • Antonym- familiar, identified
20. Virtuous	(adj.) honorable, morally good <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Synonym- honest, noble • Antonym- unethical, dishonest