

1. **Vouch** – Believe something is good, true
2. **Incurred** – Received by the ... < charity house>
3. **Solely** – Only, entirely, plainly

4. **Complement** - to make a good combination with someone or something else:
5. **Rehabilitation** – Recover

6. **Spur** – Boosted, encouraged
7. **Hastily**- In a hurried manner
8. **Peculiar**- Funny

9. **Acquaintance**-Friend
10. **Loathed** – Hated

11. **Abhor** – Hate a kind of behavior, because it's morally wrong
12. **Conspire** – Plan to do something bad> All six men admitted conspiring to steal cars.
13. **Insight** – Clear understanding of something

14. **Tailored**- To adjust and make something suitable for someone's needs
15. **Cater** – provide > areas to cater to the different needs |

16. **Pursue** – Trying to achieve something
17. **Invaluable** – Extremely useful
18. **Valuable**- Worthy of money
19. **Marvel** – Amazed, surprised, likeness of something> Marvelled by their innovative...
20. **Comic** – Funny

21. **Ironic**- an ironic situation is one that is unusual or amusing because something strange happens or the opposite of what is expected happens or is true.
22. **Avail**: to no avail or of no avail, you do not succeed in getting what you want:

23. **Haste**-hurry> In my haste, I dropped my wallet.
24. **Fled** – leave somewhere very quickly
25. **Agitate**- To make someone feel upset

26. **Stout**- Fairly fat & heavy> “A short and stout man”
27. **Keenly**- Like, willing
28. **Showcase**- an event or situation that is designed to show the good qualities of a person, organization, product etc

29. **Inaugural**- the 1st of all events

30. **Unanimous**-Completely Agree on something

31. **Assimilate**- Able, starting to get used to eg. A new school.
32. **Accomplish**- Succeed
33. **Accustomed**- Be familiar with something, see it as normal
34. **Enriching**- Improving> Enriching the student leaders
35. **Inculcating**- To fix ideas, principals into mind> inculcating organizational skills
36. **Inclined** – Wanting to do something but not very strongly>

37. **Immensely**- Very much
38. **Assure**- Guarantee
39. **Tabloid**- Newspaper> The top tabloid
40. **Garnering**-Collecting
41. **Inadequate**-Insufficient

42. **Acquaintance**- someone I know, who is not a close friend
43. **Roared** with laughter
44. **Intended**-have a plan in your mind

==END OF PART 1==

1. **Alas**- Unfortunately
2. **Norm**-usual
3. **Hectic**-busy, packed> a student's day is hectic with...

4. **Postulate**- Suggests that something might be true. >The law of attraction postulates that...
5. **Inevitably**- something is unavoidable> there inevitably comes a time when..
6. **Envisioned**- Imagined the future (visualizing)

7. **Strata**- A social class> "middle-class strata of society"
8. **Subsequently**- "Next", after that, (Start of paragraph)
9. **Prospects**- Possibility that something would happen

10. **Tandem**- At the same time> I look at safety and well-being in tandem.
11. **Aspects**- another word for "factor"
12. **Aspiration**- Strong desire to have or achieve something

13. **Spouses**- husband or wife
14. **Embark**- take on a new difficult, exciting challenge> to embark on a new career as a teacher
15. **Acknowledge**- Recognise something good is true

16. **Tranquil**- Pleasantly quiet, calm state> A small tranquil village
17. **Rationalize**- inventing explanation to make something wrong seem correct.> tries to rationalize his drinking by saying he deserves a beer after a hard day.

18. **Discrepancy**- Another word for "Difference" > discrepancy in standards
19. **Notion**- Idea, believe or opinion> Notion called "What you believe is what you will achieve" (a way of explaining something about life, society, etc)

20. **Apparently**- used to say that you have heard that something is true, although you are not completely sure about it> Apparently the company is losing a lot of money.

21. **Ostensibly**- people say that it is true which is not confirmed to be true.
>A stranger came to the door, ostensibly to ask for directions.
> Ostensibly, there is a strong believe in that notion that... (Quite true, there is a strong...)

22. **Empirical**- Based on scientific evidences, means something is true with real experiences.> "Empirical Evidence."

23. **Parochial**- Only focusing, interested in local, particular things.>...To avoid having a parochial view...

24. **Hound**- to keep following someone and asking them questions in an annoying.
> Coloured socks cause DMs to hound you.
25. **Transmogrified**- A better word for “transformed-completely” (changed completely)
> The high school uniform has transmogrified into an outfit ...
26. **Predominantly**- Mostly, mainly. > A predominantly middle-class neighbourhood.
27. **Synonymous**- Very similar
> Nixon's name has become synonymous with political scandal.
28. **Verisimilitude**- Truthfulness, the quality of being true or real.
> The verisimilitude of the notion mentioned earlier would be questionable.
29. **Anathema**- something that is completely the opposite of what you believe in.
> His political views were anathema to me.
30. **Ironic**- an ironic situation is one that is unusual or amusing because something strange happens or the opposite of what is expected happens or is true.
> It's ironic that her husband smoked for thirty years, and yet she's the one who died of lung cancer.
31. **Outrageous**- Another word for “Shocking”, Extremely unusual
> It's outrageous that the poor should pay such high taxes.
32. **Emboldened**- feel more brave, courage
> The students feel emboldened after removing all traces of their school identity.
33. **Refute**- Disapprove, disagree, prove a statement is wrong.
> It is easier to accept than refute...
34. **Deemed**- Considered as, seen as,
> they were deemed to be illegal immigrants.
35. **View**- Another word for “deemed”, considered as, seen as..
> boys with pants they view as too baggy...
36. **Picayune**- small and unimportant > Even Picayune matters like socks...
37. **Inherent**- Unavoidable,
> I'm afraid the problems you mention are inherent in the system.

38. **Perceive**- See, see as
> He perceived that there was no other way out of the crisis.
>How some people perceive school uniforms nowadays.
39. **Circumvent**- Avoid (ways to circumvent the problem.. means WAYS to AVOID the problem)
40. **Ambivalent**- not sure whether you want or like something or not
> We are both somewhat ambivalent about having a child.
>As for me, I still largely remain ambivalent regarding...
41. **Ample** – More than enough
>There is ample evidence that climate patterns are changing.
>You'll have ample time for questions later.
42. **Boast**- Said Proudly, talk big
>Amy boasted that her son was a genius.
43. **Tender loving care**- sympathetic treatment and a lot of attention
44. **Fundamental**- Main, basic, standard.
> A school is one of the fundamental building blocks which...
> We have to tackle the fundamental cause of the problem.
45. **Moulds**- Shape, design
> The way a child is brought up is what **moulds** the child into the type of person
46. **Plausible**- reasonable and likely to be true or successful
> a plausible explanation
> His explanation sounds fairly plausible to me.

==END OF Part 1==

1. **Atrocious/ Appalling** - so bad that you are shocked>
 - Living conditions in the refugee camps were atrocious.
 - Animals were neglected and lived in appalling conditions.

2. **Thrive** > to become very successful or very strong and healthy
 - companies will continue to thrive in the long-term future.
 - Most herbs need direct sun all day in order to thrive.

3. **Obnoxious** - very offensive, unpleasant, or rude
 - > I have been in restaurants where the human customers have been loud, rude and obnoxious.
4. **Conversely** *On the other hand.* American consumers prefer white eggs; conversely, British buyers like brown eggs.

5. **Thesis** - an idea or opinion about something, that you discuss in a formal way and give examples for> Their main thesis was that the rise in earnings was due to improvements in education.

6. **Deprived** - to prevent someone from having something, especially something that they need or should have> A lot of these children have been deprived of a normal home life.
misfortune incidents.
7. **Tragic** - a tragic event or situation makes you feel very sad
8. **Eradicate** - Similar to "Eliminate"
9. **Averted** - The tragedy could have been averted if the crew had followed safety procedures.

10. **Hindrance** - The biggest hindrance to economic reform has been the lack of...

11. **Declare** - Another word for state, to state officially and publicly that a particular situation exists or that something is true.
 - >Mr Steel has been declared bankrupt

12. **Outskirt** - the parts of a town or city that are furthest from the centre
 - > they live on the outskirts of Paris.
 - > They live on the outskirts of Paris.

13. **Sprawling** - spreading over a wide area in an untidy or unattractive way
 - >A vast, sprawling city (vast means extremely large)
 - >Vast amounts of money/refugees come across the border in vast numbers.

14. **Refugee** - someone who has been forced to leave their country, especially during a war, or for political or religious reasons.
> The government has been unable to provide enough tents for all the refugees.
15. **Grotesque** – unpleasant, shocking, and offensive
> By modern standards, the treatment of prisoners was grotesque.
16. **Meanwhile** - in the period of time between two events
17. **Screech** - if a vehicle screeches, its wheels make a high unpleasant noise as it moves along or stops
>The car screech to a halt a few metres ahead... (halt means "a stop")
18. **Reap** - to get something, especially something good, as a result of what you have done
> Those who do take risks often reap the rewards.
19. **Confront** - to face someone in a threatening way, as though you are going to attack them
> I confronted John.
20. **Breeze** – To be very easy
> The examinations were a breeze.

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