1.15-6 Vocabulary and Word Skills Set 6: 10-minute Pack

GL ASSESSMENT / CSSE 11+ Entrance English (GL Assessment / CSSE style) · about 10 minutes

Total Marks

Name: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / _____

Answer ALL questions.

1 Which word means the OPPOSITE of IMPULSIVE?

- ☐ A) acting suddenly without thinking things through
- ☐ B) loud and boisterous
- ☐ C) forgetful and absent-minded
- ☐ D) competitive and determined
- ☐ E) cautious and deliberate, thinking carefully before acting

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2 In this group of five words, four share a similar meaning and one does not belong. Identify the odd one out: bright, dark, dim, shadowy, murky.

- ☐ A) dark
- ☐ B) bright
- ☐ C) shadowy
- ☐ D) dim

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3 Root 'port' in 'transport' and 'portable' means?

- ☐ A) to carry
- ☐ B) to hold safely
- ☐ C) to speak or tell
- ☐ D) to move quickly

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4 INSCRUTABLE in: 'The detective showed nothing about believing the suspect.'

- ☐ A) showing all his thoughts and emotions
- ☐ B) surprised and shocked very visibly
- ☐ C) angry and disapproving very obviously
- ☐ D) showing no emotion or information clearly

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5 OPPOSITE of PRAGMATIC?

- [ ] A) energetic and full of enthusiasm
- [ ] B) guided by ideals rather than practical concerns
- [ ] C) generous and very kind to others
- [ ] D) practical and sensible, dealing with facts

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6 Which word correctly completes the sentence? 'The ____ of sheep grazed peacefully in the hillside meadow throughout the summer.'

- [ ] A) fluck
- [ ] B) flok
- [ ] C) flock
- [ ] D) pride

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7 CIRCUMSPECT in: 'The investor studied company reports before investing money.'

- [ ] A) cautious and thoughtful before making any decision
- [ ] B) fearful and avoiding all possible action
- [ ] C) confused about financial matters and choices
- [ ] D) willing to spend large amounts without care

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8 Which word correctly completes the sentence? 'The mountain climber's ____ was carefully planned to ensure a safe ascent to the summit.'

- [ ] A) rout
- [ ] B) root
- [ ] C) route
- [ ] D) rute

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9 SCIENTIST is to LABORATORY as ARTIST is to ___?

- ☐ A) easel
- ☐ B) studio
- ☐ C) paint
- ☐ D) gallery

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10 THERMOMETER is to TEMPERATURE as CLOCK is to ___?

- ☐ A) time
- ☐ B) minute
- ☐ C) second
- ☐ D) hour

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Question 1

E) cautious and deliberate, thinking carefully before acting - is the direct opposite of impulsive **B1**

Answer: E) cautious and deliberate, thinking carefully before acting

Question 2

B (bright) cao **B1**

Answer: B) bright

Question 3

A (to carry) cao **B1**

Answer: A) to carry

Question 4

D (showing no emotion or information clearly) cao **B1**

Answer: D) showing no emotion or information clearly

Question 5

B (guided by ideals rather than practical concerns) cao **B1**

Answer: B) guided by ideals rather than practical concerns

Question 6

C (flock) cao **B1**

Answer: C) flock

Question 7

A (cautious and thoughtful before making any decision) cao **B1**

Answer: A) cautious and thoughtful before making any decision

Question 8

C (route) cao **B1**

Answer: C) route

Question 9

B (studio) cao **B1**

Answer: B) studio

Question 10

A (time) cao **B1**

Answer: A) time

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