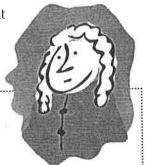
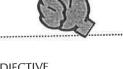
abundant *uh•BUN•dunt* ADJECTIVE more than enough; very plentiful [The lake has *abundant* fish.]

behold bee • HOLD VERB to hold in view; to look at [Watch that actor if you want to behold a future star.]



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colossal *kuh*•*LOSS*•*ul* ADJECTIVE huge; astonishingly large [The Pentagon is a truly *colossal* building.]

destiny DESS • tuh • nee NOUN something that is certain to happen; fate [Willis believes it is his destiny to become a Major League superstar.]

judicious joo • DISH • us ADJECTIVE having or using good judgment; wise and careful [The committee has produced a judicious plan.]

locale *loh•KAL* NOUN

a place; a specific environment [I received a post card from every *locale* Aunt Jillian visited on her trip.]

Iuli LUL

NOUN a short period of quiet or lessened activity; a calm [After a *lull* in May, business picked up in June.]

VERB to make or become calm; to soothe [Humming softly, the grandmother was able to *lull* the children to sleep.]

medley MED · lee NOUN

- 1. a mixture of things not usually found together [The stew was a *medley* of flavors.]
- 2. a piece of music made up of parts of other music selections [Joanna sang a *medley* of tunes from Broadway shows.]

obsolete OB•suh•leet ADJECTIVE no longer in use or in fashion; out-of-date [In the age of computers, typewriters have become almost obsolete.]

onset ON set NOUN

a beginning [Gary took the lead at the *onset* of the race but couldn't hold onto it.]

ramshackle RAM•shak•ul ADJECTIVE loose and shaky; likely to fall to pieces [Only a daredevil would cross that ramshackle bridge.]

reside ri•ZIDE VERB

- 1. to dwell for a long time; to make one's home [Molly resides with her mother.]
- 2. to exist or be present [In a democracy, power *resides* in the people.]

taboo tuh BOO

NOUN a custom, tradition, or rule that prohibits something, or the thing that is prohibited [In most societies, eating human beings is a *taboo*.]

ADJECTIVE prohibited or forbidden by social custom or tradition [Some behaviors that seem normal to us are *taboo* in other lands.]

tantalize TAN•ti•lize VERB

to tempt by keeping something desirable just out of reach or by making it unavailable or impossible to obtain; to tease [The birds outside our window *tantalize* my cat, who watches them hungrily from inside.]

utilize YOO•tuh•lize VERB
to make use of; to put to practical use [The manager tried to find ways to utilize each employee's skills and talents.]

Exc	ercise A: Put It Briefly	
Wri	te the Word that best completes each sentence.	
1.	Pictures of pretty European villages and landscapes make me ache to travel; they positively torment me with a desire to see the world. <i>Briefly</i> , they me.	
2.	Everything seemed to push Shari toward a stage career, almost as if that result had already been decided and there was no escaping it. <i>Briefly</i> , acting was her	
3.	The speaker wanted to reassure the people, to comfort them, to change their worried and angry feelings into peaceful acceptance. <i>Briefly</i> , he wanted to them.	
4.	We need a record player for the school play, but record players have been replaced by tape and CD players and are almost never used. <i>Briefly</i> , record players are	
5.	Electric power can light homes, run machines, make refrigerators and radios work, provide heat and air-conditioning, and much more. Briefly, there are many ways to it.	
	(",;:.?!")	Question: What is the most colossal punctuation mark?
	ercise B: Synonyms	Answer: The 100-meter dash
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Exercise C: Completion Choose the correct answer to complete each sentence.	Did you hear about the guy who sat up all night trying to figure out where sunshine comes from?				
16. One example of a <i>colossal</i> animal is a A. wasp. B. fox. C. whale.	At the onset of morning, it finally dawned on him.				
17. Little kids might be told that something is <i>taboo</i> by calling it a A. "no-no." B. "boo-boo." C. "yum-yum."					
18. Something that <i>resides</i> in Congress is A. America. B. an election. C. the power to make laws.					
19. One <i>obsolete</i> form of transportation is the A. subway. B. stagecoach. C. motorcycle.					
A. nap time. 20. A <i>lull</i> at a childcare center would occur during A. nap time. B. snack time. C. playtime.	Quick LIST abundant ADJ.				
Exercise D: Antonyms Write the Word that is an antonym for each set of words. behold v. colossal ADJ. destiny N.					
21. sturdy; firm; strong	judicious ADJ. locale N.				
22. conclusion; end; close	lull N., V. medley N.				
23. commotion; action; uproar	obsolete ADJ.				
24. allowable; acceptable; suitable	ramshackle ADJ,				
25. foolish; reckless; impractical	reside V. taboo N., ADJ.				
26. current; modern; popular	tantalize ∨. utilize ∨.				
27. scarce; rare; limited	utinze v.				
Exercise E: Mini-Rhyme Time Write the Word that best completes each rhyme. This exercise continues on the	next page.				
28. If you see a first-place Olympic medal, you the gold.					
29. Keeping an open pot of honey behind a screen would flies					
30. Cowboys should watch where they step in the of the corral.	- 47.				
31. Robins and wrens live outdoors; canaries and parakeets inside.					
32. A recently established social rule not to do something is a new					

33.	The invention of airplanes allowed people to the skies.	
34.	A collection of poisons would be a deadly	
35.	A brontosaurus skeleton is a fossil.	Question
	ercise F: Fill-in ite the Word that best completes each sentence. Use each word only once.	What do you call the diet-food aisle in a grocery store?
36.	Frank chose to his spare time by fixing his bike.	rne low-cal
	A tree towers over the houses in the neighborhood.	i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i
	Dad wants to travel to Alaska; Mom prefers a warmer	
39.	There will be food at the picnic, so everyone is welcome	me.
40.	While Uncle Yoshi works in France, his whole family will	there.
41.	It would be to save some money for a time when you	may need it.
42.	It would take a lot of work to make that house into a d	ecent home.
43.	Since I run into Joe everywhere I go, I think it is ourto	be together.
44.	If you gaze upward on a cloudless night, you can a sky	y full of stars.
45.	It used to be for a man to remain seated on a bus if a v passenger was standing.	voman
46.	Shoes that fasten with buttons are now, but they were very common.	once
47.	The cherries me by growing about four inches higher to can jump.	than
48.	At the of the disease, patients get a rash, which is then followed by a fever.	
49.	A small drawer held a of tools, stamps, coins, keys, and sewing supplies.	
50.	Greg was able to his baby sister by rocking her and patting her gently.	(37)
Exc	ercise G: Writing	12 3
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people often disagree about what is beautiful. Is there something you find beautiful that others seem to behold with less admiration? On your own paper, write a paragraph about it, using at least THREE Words. Explain why it pleases you and why you think others may disagree with you.



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