**Vocabulary List #5 English II Camm**

**Definitions:**

1. **assent** (v.) to express agreement; (n) agreement

The store manager was forced to **assent** to their demands.

1. **chivalrous** (adj.) marked by honor, courtesy, and courage; knightly

Jonathan was praised for his **chivalrous** acts during his date.

1. **dearth** (n.) a lack, scarcity, inadequate supply; a famine

 At peak hours, there was a **dearth** of able assistants in the store.

1. **diffident** (adj.) shy, lacking self-confidence; modest, reserved

 Princess Mia was amused by the **diffident** suitor.

1. **indomitable** (adj.) not able to be wounded or hurt; shielded against attack

 You can’t help but to admire her **indomitable** courage.

1. **pungent** (adj.)causing a sharp sensation; stinging, biting

The **pungent** odor of the onion soup drifted through the house.

1. **remiss** (adj.) neglectful in performance of one’s duty, careless

Ashton is often **remiss** in doing his daily chores.

1. **truculent** (adj.) fierce and cruel; aggressive; deadly, destructive

Eric’s evaluator was shocked by his **truculent** disposition at the interview.

1. **unfeigned** (adj.) sincere, real, without pretense

You can typically count on the **unfeigned** emotions of a child.

1. **virulent** (adj.) extremely poisonous; full of malice, spiteful

He could best be described as a **virulent** racist after those insensitive remarks.

**Complete the Sentence:**

1. He is not merely unpleasant but actually dangerous whenever he gets into one of his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ moods.
2. In view of the many able people in public life today, I do not agree that we are suffering from a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of capable leaders.
3. His \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ joy when it was announced that I had won the scholarship meant more to me than all the polite congratulations I received.
4. Humor should be clever and amusing but never so \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that it hurts the feeling of other people.
5. As a school cafeteria guard, I would be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in my duties if I failed to report any serious disorder.
6. Do you really think it is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to give your seat to a pretty girl when an aged man and ill lady are standing nearby?
7. Paula’s parents will not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to her going to the dance unless she promises faithfully to be home no later than midnight.
8. Leonard rarely joins in the discussions, not because he lacks information and ideas but rather because he is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
9. Doctors attributed the epidemic to the rampant spread of a particularly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ strain of influenza virus.
10. Refusing to admit defeat even when things looked completely hopeless, our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ football team drove 85 yards to score the winning touchdown.

**Synonyms**:

1. negligent, lax, slack \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. leniency, forbearance, gentleness \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. timid, bashful; unassertive, withdrawn \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
4. venomous; noxious, baneful; hateful \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
5. brutal, savage, belligerent, vitriolic \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
6. genuine, heartfelt \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
7. unbeatable, invincible, unyielding \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
8. sharp, spicy, piquant; caustic; racy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
9. an insufficiency, want, paucity \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Antonyms**:

1. scrupulous, dutiful, meticulous \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. a surplus, oversupply, glut, abundance \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. bold, brash, audacious; self-confident, jaunty \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
4. to disagree, differ, dissent \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
5. innocuous, harmless; benign \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
6. crude, uncouth, churlish, impolite \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
7. insecure, simulated, phony \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
8. yielding, surrendering, submissive \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Write your own sentence**

Write 5 sentences using a vocabulary word **with a word change**. **Highlight** the words.

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