

Name: _____

1. staid

- (A) stoic; sober
- (B) static; unchanging
- (C) memorable
- (D) relentless

2. impiety

- (A) lack of provisions
- (B) lack of reverence
- (C) impishness
- (D) royalty

3. desecrate

- (A) to walk away
- (B) to reveal
- (C) to disrespect the holy
- (D) to dread

4. fallacy

- (A) an evaluation
- (B) a persuasive review
- (C) a gala
- (D) a falsehood

5. endemic

- (A) native to a place
- (B) morose
- (C) intangible
- (D) swollen with fluid

6. hobble

- (A) to vanquish
- (B) to limp
- (C) to get larger
- (D) to fade away

7. amoral

- (A) motivated by ethics
- (B) collecting ammunition
- (C) lacking concern for right and wrong
- (D) insatiable

8. immaterial

- (A) immature
- (B) viscous
- (C) inconsequential
- (D) spiritual

9. specious

- (A) dubious
- (B) special
- (C) ethereal
- (D) unique

10. dubious

- (A) nascent
- (B) worn away
- (C) doubtful
- (D) troubling

11. meager

- (A) limited in size
- (B) egotistical
- (C) arranged logically
- (D) humorous

12. obdurate

- (A) misleading
- (B) aloof
- (C) warlike
- (D) hardheaded

13. induce

- (A) to drift away
- (B) to cause to happen
- (C) to sweeten
- (D) to sully

14. ambivalence

- (A) uncertainty
- (B) gait
- (C) color
- (D) lust

15. amiable

- (A) friendly
- (B) ignorant
- (C) habitable
- (D) patient

16. capricious

- (A) impulsive
- (B) hardheaded
- (C) tropical
- (D) hairy

17. unimpeachable

- (A) pale
- (B) blameless
- (C) apathetic
- (D) crazed

18. expatriate

- (A) to be liberated
- (B) to exile oneself
- (C) to raise alarm
- (D) to ignore

19. diverse

- (A) maneuverable
- (B) done while leaping
- (C) having variety
- (D) divisive

20. esteem

- (A) purity
- (B) collaboration
- (C) respect
- (D) kindness

21. aloof

- (A) comprehensive
- (B) spongy
- (C) reserved
- (D) suggestive

22. fervent

- (A) prodigious
- (B) rash
- (C) passionate
- (D) spacious

23. bigotry

- (A) fear of success
- (B) determination
- (C) love of nature
- (D) intolerance of others

24. abeyance

- (A) obedience
- (B) annoyance
- (C) capacity
- (D) suspension

25. incessant

- (A) not stopping
- (B) pristine
- (C) without desire
- (D) intermittent

26. dearth

- (A) lack
- (B) rural area
- (C) lucidity
- (D) keen sense of hearing

27. exigency

- (A) a critical period
- (B) a decrease in rank
- (C) a comedic skit
- (D) an unfair action

28. divergent

- (A) unoriginal
- (B) composed
- (C) going in two directions
- (D) illegal

29. impunity

- (A) harsh criticism
- (B) inferiority
- (C) concerned
- (D) freedom from penalty

30. patronize

- (A) to go as a customer
- (B) to become a father
- (C) to watch carefully
- (D) to be dishonest

31. mediocre

- (A) ordinary
- (B) delicious
- (C) oafish
- (D) slippery

32. relegate

- (A) to demote
- (B) to release
- (C) to realize
- (D) to rhyme

33. cumulative

- (A) following cues
- (B) growing by addition
- (C) narrow-minded
- (D) soothing

34. promiscuous

- (A) having casual sex
- (B) seeking fidelity
- (C) uncompromising
- (D) unlucky

35. stagnant

- (A) virile
- (B) inactive
- (C) manly
- (D) carnivorous

36. satiate

- (A) to figure out
- (B) to confuse
- (C) to recline
- (D) to satisfy

37. aspiration

- (A) desire to achieve
- (B) asphyxiation
- (C) perspiration
- (D) towering structure

38. unprecedented

- (A) priceless
- (B) alluring
- (C) having never happened before
- (D) having many answers

39. intercede

- (A) to plead on behalf of
- (B) to split into two
- (C) to lie in wait
- (D) to submit

40. providential

- (A) provincial
- (B) opportune
- (C) unlucky
- (D) proven

41. recondite

- (A) remorseful
- (B) hard to understand
- (C) provisional
- (D) easy to comprehend

42. allegory

- (A) a place for drinking
- (B) a symbolic story
- (C) a Germanic bearing
- (D) a violent story

43. solace

- (A) sunshine
- (B) victory
- (C) isolation
- (D) comfort

44. confidant

- (A) one who is entrusted with secrets
- (B) one who is prideful
- (C) one who is eager to join
- (D) one who is messy

45. deft

- (A) skillful
- (B) sleepy
- (C) lightweight
- (D) defiant

46. approbation

- (A) waiting period
- (B) sincere approval
- (C) incarceration
- (D) investigation

47. labyrinth

- (A) a long robe
- (B) a war cry
- (C) a double-headed axe
- (D) a maze

48. illiterate

- (A) unable to read or write
- (B) illegal
- (C) studious
- (D) illustrious

49. wanton

- (A) sexually unrestrained
- (B) desirable
- (C) romantically involved
- (D) campy

50. lugubrious

- (A) exaggeratedly gloomy
- (B) lubricated
- (C) heavy
- (D) mechanically inclined

51. inculcate

- (A) to banish to the outskirts
- (B) to implant in one's mind
- (C) to allow without doubt
- (D) to come to the end

52. ingenious

- (A) wealthy
- (B) humane
- (C) clever
- (D) genetic

53. disingenuous

- (A) transformative
- (B) insincere
- (C) inhumane
- (D) disinclined

54. tumultuous

- (A) inflamed
- (B) timid
- (C) turbulent
- (D) friendly

55. impudent

- (A) offensively bold
- (B) immature
- (C) childlike
- (D) chaotic

56. tactile

- (A) negotiating well
- (B) perceptible
- (C) dry
- (D) sticky

57. dupe

- (A) a gullible person
- (B) a flowering tree
- (C) a well-dressed man
- (D) an insulated chamber

58. staunch

- (A) too prideful
- (B) rude & offensive
- (C) loyal & committed
- (D) lively

59. aggregate

- (A) the entire sum
- (B) an irritant
- (C) the last to leave
- (D) an aggressor

60. reverie

- (A) a treat
- (B) confusion
- (C) deep respect
- (D) a daydream

61. innovate

- (A) to ignore
- (B) to revise
- (C) to invent
- (D) to refurbish

62. sedition

- (A) a sedative
- (B) persuasive evidence
- (C) language inciting rebellion
- (D) a long-lasting friendship

63. obliterate

- (A) to destroy completely
- (B) to assume responsibility
- (C) to feign literacy
- (D) to read avidly

64. brook

- (A) to tolerate
- (B) to flow as water
- (C) to lift off
- (D) to examine

65. sophomoric

- (A) symphonic
- (B) penultimate
- (C) mediocre
- (D) immature

66. invigorate

- (A) to endure
- (B) to criticize
- (C) to punish severely
- (D) to make lively

67. pedagogy

- (A) a cursory cleansing
- (B) scientific knowledge
- (C) love of children
- (D) the art of teaching

68. luminary

- (A) an inspiring person
- (B) a unit of energy
- (C) hairy
- (D) grey-haired

69. philistine

- (A) professional
- (B) delicately flavored
- (C) crude & uncultured
- (D) philosophical

70. candor

- (A) inhalation
- (B) corruption
- (C) honesty
- (D) harshness

71. decrepit

- (A) descriptive
- (B) weakened
- (C) creeping
- (D) stealthy

72. glib

- (A) casual in speech
- (B) lighthearted
- (C) stingy
- (D) cold

73. variegate

- (A) to give variety to
- (B) to underscore
- (C) to indicate subtly
- (D) to pretend interest

74. mire

- (A) a devoted fan
- (B) a difficult situation
- (C) a female horse
- (D) a reflection

75. vacuous

- (A) silent
- (B) empty
- (C) leisurely
- (D) wild

76. cosmopolitan

- (A) womanly
- (B) vain
- (C) sophisticated
- (D) starry-eyed

77. chasten

- (A) to correct by criticism
- (B) to fasten securely
- (C) to remain standing
- (D) to discourage

78. intersperse

- (A) to write poetry
- (B) to travel widely
- (C) to conduct
- (D) to scatter between

79. potent

- (A) drinkable
- (B) powerful
- (C) containable
- (D) indicating the future

80. proscribe

- (A) to promote
- (B) to prohibit
- (C) to rewrite
- (D) to enlist

81. indulgence

- (A) giving in to desires
- (B) sweetening
- (C) going back
- (D) being easily fooled

82. nonchalance

- (A) backing down
- (B) wasteful spending
- (C) casual lack of concern
- (D) lack of will

83. felicitous

- (A) prone to illness
- (B) wealthy
- (C) full of happiness
- (D) cloying

84. chronic

- (A) elderly
- (B) mysterious
- (C) continuing for a long time
- (D) narrative

85. deplore

- (A) to reminisce fondly
- (B) to express disapproval
- (C) to resist
- (D) to mutter

86. untenable

- (A) disobedient
- (B) unjustifiable
- (C) hard to disturb
- (D) unsophisticated

87. dissension

- (A) insults
- (B) swelling
- (C) difference of opinion
- (D) indifference to logic

88. arduous

- (A) passionate
- (B) pillaging
- (C) difficult
- (D) lovable

89. bombastic

- (A) hateful
- (B) overblown
- (C) aggressive
- (D) warlike

90. conform

- (A) to agree with
- (B) to reject
- (C) to color
- (D) to bend

91. prudent

- (A) having good judgment
- (B) too moral
- (C) pleasant
- (D) revealing one's true nature

92. consonant

- (A) spoken loudly
- (B) occurring during spring
- (C) concrete
- (D) in harmony with

93. gregarious

- (A) sociable
- (B) hairy
- (C) sticky
- (D) dreadful

94. complacency

- (A) agreement
- (B) overlapping
- (C) cohabitation
- (D) self-satisfaction

95. exuberant

- (A) smelling good
- (B) having lost rank
- (C) humiliated
- (D) full of joy

96. atrocious

- (A) shockingly brutal
- (B) callous
- (C) living in trees
- (D) old-fashioned

97. contemporary

- (A) modern
- (B) with anger
- (C) comprehensive
- (D) with lively rhythm

98. corpulent

- (A) corrupted by excess
- (B) having military regularity
- (C) extremely overweight
- (D) splattered with blood

99. pandemonium

- (A) a holding pen for mammals
- (B) a chaotic and noisy uproar
- (C) a fully stocked library
- (D) a playground

100. deficient

- (A) indebted
- (B) inadequate
- (C) deaf
- (D) defiant

Flash Card Quiz 201-300—KEY

1. A	51. B
2. B	52. C
3. C	53. B
4. D	54. C
5. A	55. A
6. B	56. B
7. C	57. A
8. C	58. C
9. A	59. A
10. C	60. D
11. A	61. C
12. D	62. C
13. B	63. A
14. A	64. A
15. A	65. D
16. A	66. D
17. B	67. D
18. B	68. A
19. C	69. C
20. C	70. C
21. C	71. B
22. C	72. A
23. D	73. A
24. D	74. B
25. A	75. B
26. A	76. C
27. A	77. A
28. C	78. D
29. D	79. B
30. A	80. B
31. A	81. A
32. A	82. C
33. B	83. C
34. A	84. C
35. B	85. B
36. D	86. B
37. A	87. C
38. C	88. C
39. A	89. B
40. B	90. A
41. B	91. A
42. B	92. D
43. D	93. A
44. A	94. D
45. A	95. D
46. B	96. A
47. D	97. A
48. A	98. C
49. A	99. B
50. A	100. B