

Unit 1 English II

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| 1. | conducive | (adj) Supportive |
| 2. | deduce | (v) To draw a conclusion from fact; to infer |
| 3. | evinced | (v) To establish; to reflect the truth of |
| 4. | impetuous | (adj) Acting passionately and without forethought |
| 5. | impetus | (n) That which drives one; momentum |
| 6. | induce | (v) To lead towards some action |
| 7. | intractable | (adj) not easily managed or directed, stubborn, obstinate |
| 8. | invincible | (adj.) not able to be defeated, unbeatable |
| 9. | petulant | (adj) Irritable or short tempered |
| 10. | protracted | (adj) Extended in time; prolonged |
| 11. | provincial | (adj) Limited in knowledge of the world; narrow-minded |
| 12. | retract | (v) To draw back; withdraw |

ENG II VOCAB WORDS

Unit 2

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| 1. ANATOMY | (n) Study of the structure of living things, especially the human body |
| 2. COMPUNCTION | (n) Feeling of regret, guilt, or remorse |
| 3. CONCISE | (adj) short and to the point; brief |
| 4. DICHOTOMY | (n) A division into two parts, usually contradictory |
| 5. EPITOME | (n) A perfect or typical example |
| 6. EXCISE | (V) TO REMOVE BY CUTTING |
| 7. FRACTIOUS | (adj.) Tending to be troublesome; unruly, quarrelsome, contrary; unpredictable. |
| 8. INCISIVE | (adj) Sharp, cutting straight to the heart of matter, very clear and direct. |
| 9. INFRACTION | (n.) a violation, an act that breaks a law, rule, or obligation |
| 10 INFRINGE
. | (v.) to act in a way that violates, trespasses, or goes beyond recognized bounds |
| 11 PUNCTILIOUS
. | (adj) Paying strict attention to detail; extremely careful about doing things correctly |
| 12 PUNGENT
. | (adj) characterized by a strong, sharp smell or taste; penetrating |
| 13 TOME
. | (n) book, usually large and academic |

UNIT 3

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1. abject (adj) miserable; hopeless; horrible
2. compel (v) to force, coerce, strongly persuade
3. conjecture (n) a guess based on incomplete evidence, theory.
4. dejected (adj) sad; in low spirits; depressed; downcast
5. dismissive (adj) showing disregard, acting as if not worthy of consideration
6. emissary (n) an agent sent on a mission, representative
7. emote (v.) to express emotion
8. expel (v) force to leave or move out
9. impulse (n) sudden desire to do something; acting without thinking
10. motif (n) a repeated theme, subject or idea
11. motive (n) cause or reason for doing something
12. remiss (adj) failing to fulfill one's duty; negligent

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UNIT 4

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1. comportment (n) behavior; demeanor, manner in which you carry yourself
2. confer (v.) to consult, discuss, exchange opinions; to present as a gift, favor, or honor
3. defer (v) to postpone; to put aside
4. deference (n) respectful submission; yielding to the authority or opinion of another
5. deviate (v.) to turn aside; depart from the norm; stray from the course
6. impervious (adj.) not affected or hurt by; not vulnerable
7. inference (n) a conclusion one can draw from the presented details
8. obviate (v.) to make unnecessary; to anticipate and prevent; avoid
9. proffer (v) to offer or present
10. proliferate (v.) to reproduce, increase greatly, or spread rapidly
11. purported (adj) alleged; claimed; reputed or rumored
12. viaduct (n) A bridge that carries a road or railroad over a valley

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UNIT 5

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1. apparition (n) a ghost; an unreal figure
2. aspect (n) a part, feature, characteristic, or phase
3. diaphanous (adj) thin, transparent, gauzy, see-through
4. envisage (v) to imagine, to form a mental picture
5. epiphany (n) great insight or revelation; 'aha' moment
6. introspective (adj) considering one's own thoughts and feelings
7. perspicacious (adj) wise, intelligent, great ability to judge
8. phenomenon (n) a fact or circumstance that is observable; something remarkable or extraordinary
9. retrospective (adj) looking backward over a period of time
10. sycophant (n) a person who flatters; a yes-man
11. visage (n) face; facial expression

ENG II VOCAB WORDS

UNIT 6

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1. adherent (n) a follower of a person or idea
2. diffuse (v) to spread out; (adj) wordy; rambling;
unfocused
3. diligent (adj) hardworking and careful
4. dissolute (adj) decadent; lacking moral restraint
5. effusive (adj) emotionally excessive; overly demonstrative
6. incoherent (adj) not able to be understood; nonsensical
7. inherent (adj) existing as a natural part of something
8. insoluble (adj) impossible to solve, unable to dissolve
9. profuse (adj) plentiful, abundant
10. recollect (v) to remember or recall
11. resolute (adj) determined, steadfast, unshakeable
12. sacrilege (n) improper or disrespectful treatment or
something held sacred

ENG II VOCAB WORDS

UNIT 7

Study online at quizlet.com/_uxvgn

1. constructive (adj) helpful; useful; having a positive effect
2. construe (v) to interpret or analyze
3. destitute (adj) poor; having no money
4. expound (v) to explain or discuss in detail
5. facile (adj) easy; simplistic, fluent
6. facsimile (n) a copy or imitation
7. factotum (n) an assistant who does a variety of jobs
8. infrastructure (n) framework of a building or a system
9. proficient (adj) skilled, capable of; highly knowledgeable
10. proponent (n) supporter, advocate, one who argues in favor of
11. restitution (n) compensation; payment for an injury
12. stature (n) rank; level of achievement or authority

UNIT 8

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1. complacent (adj) satisfied with a situation that should be changed or improved
2. docile (adj) easily taught; obedient; submissive
3. doctrine (n) body of beliefs or ideas; that which is taught
4. gratuitous (adj) done only to please
5. indoctrinate (v) to teach a certain point of view to; instill
6. ingrate (n) one who is not thankful
7. ingratiate (v) gain favor by flattery or false friendliness
8. intemperate (adj) lacking moderation, severe or extreme
9. placebo (n) something which has a positive mental effect, but no physical effect
10. placid (adj) calm, undisturbed, peaceful
11. temper (v) make less severe; decrease the strength of
12. temperance (n) restraint or moderation, esp. regarding food or alcohol

ENG II VOCAB WORDS

UNIT 9

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1. adverse (adj) harmful; not helpful; negative; unfortunate
2. convoluted (adj) overly complicated; difficult to understand
3. deflect (v) cause to turn aside or away; redirect
4. evolve (v) to develop or change gradually
5. extort (v) force someone to comply with a demand;
coerce
6. inflection (n) a change in pitch or tone of the voice
7. inflexible (adj) stiff; not willing to change
8. retort (v) to reply; respond critically or sarcastically
9. revert (v) to return, go back to a former condition
10. subvert (v) to undermine; weaken; overthrow
11. tortuous (adj) winding, twisting, not direct or
straightforward
12. voluble (adj) talkative; chatty; rapid, abundant speech

UNIT 10

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1. approbation (n) approval or praise
2. culpable (adj) deserving blame; liable
3. culprit (n) the one responsible for a crime
4. decriminalize (v) to remove legal penalties; to make legal
5. exonerate (v) to clear from charge or accusation; acquit;
prove not guilty
6. incriminate (v) to suggest that someone is guilty;
implicate
7. mea culpa (int) My fault!; said to show personal
responsibility for a wrong
8. onerous (adj) burdensome; demanding; unpleasant
9. onus (n) duty; obligation; burden
10. recrimination (n) the act of accusing in return; a
counter-charge
11. reprobate (n) dishonest or immoral person; delinquent
12. reprove (v) to find fault with, criticize, scold

ENG II VOCAB WORDS

UNIT 11

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1. confide (v) to trust someone with information or a secret
2. credence (n) the attitude that something is believable and should be accepted as true
3. credible (adj) believable
4. credulity (n) gullibility; the tendency to believe something too readily
5. diffident (adj) lacking self-confidence; shy, bashful
6. dubious (adj) doubtful, questionable, suspect
7. fallacious (adj) false, misleading, deceptive, invalid
8. fallacy (n) a false, misleading or mistaken belief; an error in thinking
9. fallible (adj) capable of being wrong, mistaken, or inaccurate
10. fidelity (n) faithfulness to duty or commitment; loyalty
11. incredulous (adj) unwilling or unable to be believed
12. indubitable (adj) unquestionable; indisputable; beyond a doubt
13. redoubtable (adj) inspiring fear or awe; worthy of respect; mighty

UNIT 12

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1. definitive (adj) conclusive; providing the last word; standard
2. infinite (adj) without beginning or end
3. infinitesimal (adj) so small as to be almost immeasurable;
minute
4. innovative (adj) showing creativity and originality
5. novel (adj) new; original
6. novice (n) a person new to or inexperienced in a field or
situation, beginner; amateur
7. penultimate (adj) next to last; just before the final
8. primacy (n) being first in time or importance
9. primal (adj) original; dating from the beginning of
existence
10. primeval (adj) extremely ancient; of earliest time
11. ultimate (adj) most extreme; absolute best or worst; having
a final quality
12. ultimatum (n) a demand or threat that is final