

Name: _____

1. constituency

- (A) voters
- (B) flavor
- (C) beliefs
- (D) effects

2. abjure

- (A) escape punishment
- (B) lie to a judge
- (C) run away from the law
- (D) reject under oath

3. calamitous

- (A) cold
- (B) shrill
- (C) disastrous
- (D) regular

4. facile

- (A) easy
- (B) delicate
- (C) hairy
- (D) well-constructed

5. proclivity

- (A) prolixity
- (B) voraciousness
- (C) predilection
- (D) rebuff

6. consternation

- (A) starlight
- (B) wonder or awe
- (C) dismay or dread
- (D) exhaustion

7. relish

- (A) to misunderstand
- (B) to decorate
- (C) to enjoy
- (D) to discourage

8. gluttony

- (A) greed for food
- (B) viscosity
- (C) refusal
- (D) inheritance

9. mediate

- (A) to contemplate
- (B) to wear away
- (C) to negotiate
- (D) to reflect

10. dogmatic

- (A) cordial
- (B) mysterious
- (C) stubborn
- (D) haughty

11. auspicious

- (A) daring
- (B) nervous
- (C) favorable
- (D) unique

12. abscond

- (A) to defeat
- (B) to hide
- (C) to ignore
- (D) to tighten

13. adherent

- (A) follower; supporter
- (B) advertisement
- (C) dignitary
- (D) mentor

14. abominable

- (A) horrible
- (B) cold
- (C) comforting
- (D) inconsequential

15. maladroit

- (A) awkward; clumsy
- (B) prone to hysterics
- (C) wily
- (D) skillful

16. impassive

- (A) active
- (B) rude
- (C) unemotional
- (D) fashionable

17. quaver

- (A) wish
- (B) stand proudly
- (C) tremble
- (D) question

18. pragmatic

- (A) corrugated
- (B) listless
- (C) magical
- (D) practical

19. tortuous

- (A) illegal
- (B) related to torture
- (C) incomprehensible
- (D) twisting

20. melancholy

- (A) vegetative
- (B) gloomy
- (C) rapacious
- (D) ignorant

21. lethargy

- (A) profundity
- (B) exuberance
- (C) lassitude
- (D) propensity

22. cursory

- (A) insulting
- (B) looking at quickly
- (C) harmful
- (D) unenthusiastic

23. listless

- (A) lacking energy
- (B) disorganized
- (C) straightforward
- (D) uncaring

24. hiatus

- (A) a season
- (B) an illness
- (C) a break or gap
- (D) a wage or reimbursement

25. jaunt

- (A) a teasing suggestion
- (B) a short trip
- (C) a friendly expression
- (D) a deadly risk

26. dolorous

- (A) unexciting
- (B) wealthy
- (C) colorful
- (D) sorrowful

27. coerce

- (A) to join forces
- (B) to pretend
- (C) to return
- (D) to force

28. colloquial

- (A) common language
- (B) meeting place
- (C) using few words
- (D) old-fashioned

29. debonair

- (A) exuberant
- (B) two-faced
- (C) suave
- (D) duplicitous

30. propitiate

- (A) to waste time
- (B) to wonder
- (C) to take damage
- (D) to win favors

31. sequester

- (A) to arrange logically
- (B) to ignore
- (C) to separate
- (D) to balance

32. inevitable

- (A) uncertain
- (B) risky
- (C) dull
- (D) unavoidable

33. repast

- (A) a dismissal
- (B) a revision
- (C) a meal
- (D) a reminder

34. dissipate

- (A) to sip slowly
- (B) to disappear
- (C) to begin
- (D) to collapse

35. epicure

- (A) appreciates pleasure
- (B) enjoys pain
- (C) understands others
- (D) doubts everything

36. imperious

- (A) mischievous
- (B) domineering
- (C) empirical
- (D) poetic

37. coagulate

- (A) to protest together
- (B) to slither
- (C) to disembowel
- (D) to clot or gel

38. fatuous

- (A) obese
- (B) foolish
- (C) amazing
- (D) talkative

39. prognosis

- (A) wastefulness
- (B) an exception to a rule
- (C) a prediction
- (D) a difficulty

40. dirge

- (A) a funeral song
- (B) an industrial boat
- (C) an anchor
- (D) a small room

41. refurbish

- (A) to make like new
- (B) to argue
- (C) to express loudly
- (D) to whine

42. rescind

- (A) to view again
- (B) to revise
- (C) to cancel
- (D) to char

43. rebuke

- (A) to criticize sharply
- (B) to regurgitate
- (C) to rejoice
- (D) to command

44. transient

- (A) immutable
- (B) ephemeral
- (C) frivolous
- (D) trite

45. sullen

- (A) handsome; attractive
- (B) cunning; sly
- (C) brooding; gloomy
- (D) soiled; besmirched

46. motley

- (A) feigning irritation
- (B) intolerably loud
- (C) made of disparate elements
- (D) created for children

47. petulant

- (A) easily annoyed
- (B) waning
- (C) luminous
- (D) strident

48. persevere

- (A) to persist
- (B) to cut into pieces
- (C) to treat harshly
- (D) to manage

49. convalesce

- (A) to disappear
- (B) to travel extensively
- (C) to recover from illness
- (D) to act clumsily

50. aspersion

- (A) a mental impairment
- (B) an act of slander
- (C) an aspiration
- (D) a regret

51. myriad

- (A) many & various
- (B) mysterious & odd
- (C) lost & forgotten
- (D) loud & obnoxious

52. inflect

- (A) to be aggressive
- (B) to alter tone
- (C) to admire oneself
- (D) to ponder

53. acquiesce

- (A) to turn to liquid
- (B) to vanquish
- (C) to surrender
- (D) to obtain

54. derogatory

- (A) wishing hopefully
- (B) speaking negatively
- (C) thinking quickly
- (D) asking shyly

55. supersede

- (A) to go beyond
- (B) to become fertile
- (C) to impregnate
- (D) to yield to pressure

56. baleful

- (A) gathered in a bundle
- (B) desiring release
- (C) threatening evil
- (D) full of hope

57. itinerant

- (A) lazy
- (B) wandering
- (C) blatant
- (D) precise

58. paucity

- (A) scarcity
- (B) vibrancy
- (C) normalcy
- (D) desire

59. effusive

- (A) full of hatred
- (B) preparing to explode
- (C) flowing with emotion
- (D) without sympathy

60. boorish

- (A) rude
- (B) selfish
- (C) dangerous
- (D) wealthy

61. plausible

- (A) unlikely
- (B) improbable
- (C) possible
- (D) difficult

62. pompous

- (A) frilly
- (B) joyful
- (C) deceptive
- (D) arrogant

63. efface

- (A) to insult
- (B) to erase
- (C) to lie
- (D) to build

64. prodigal

- (A) likely to accost
- (B) denying guilt
- (C) wasteful
- (D) erroneous

65. polyglot

- (A) speaking many languages
- (B) suffering unduly
- (C) believing strongly
- (D) covered in hair

66. abject

- (A) pleasing
- (B) possible
- (C) worst
- (D) fugitive

67. succumb

- (A) to stretch out
- (B) to consume food
- (C) to make reference
- (D) to submit to

68. proliferate

- (A) to spread quickly
- (B) to support children
- (C) to succeed
- (D) to understand

69. lionize

- (A) to trap
- (B) to honor
- (C) to live passionately
- (D) to endeavor

70. scrupulous

- (A) guilty
- (B) careful
- (C) injured
- (D) vulnerable

71. torturous

- (A) causing great suffering
- (B) twisting
- (C) legally binding
- (D) arid

72. rile

- (A) to make angry
- (B) to organize
- (C) to speak slowly
- (D) to become ill

73. execrate

- (A) to reveal
- (B) to escape
- (C) to hide
- (D) to curse

74. deprive

- (A) to take away from
- (B) to shout angrily
- (C) to create a reference
- (D) to destroy quickly

75. ebullient

- (A) enthusiastic
- (B) levitating
- (C) stubborn
- (D) fierce

76. retract

- (A) to take back
- (B) to read again
- (C) to pull forward
- (D) to become obstinate

77. reprieve

- (A) plea for help
- (B) temporary relief
- (C) kneading
- (D) gentle correction

78. savvy

- (A) heroic
- (B) slippery
- (C) shrewd
- (D) ignorant

79. lackadaisical

- (A) lacking life or spirit
- (B) raised on a platform
- (C) redundant
- (D) whimsical

80. obstreperous

- (A) weak & ineffectual
- (B) noisy & defiant
- (C) illegal
- (D) obvious

81. confabulation

- (A) light conversation
- (B) dramatic emotions
- (C) fashionable clothes
- (D) a quick meeting

82. befuddlement

- (A) laughter
- (B) involvement
- (C) athleticism
- (D) confusion

83. philanthropy

- (A) executive functioning
- (B) wealth
- (C) charitable action
- (D) love

84. duplicitous

- (A) dualistic
- (B) rowdy
- (C) gullible
- (D) deceptive

85. euphemism

- (A) strong feminine trait
- (B) less offensive phrase
- (C) lack of will
- (D) obedience

86. commemorate

- (A) memorialize
- (B) communicate
- (C) view
- (D) decide

87. deportment

- (A) luggage
- (B) freight
- (C) vandalism
- (D) manner

88. supercilious

- (A) arrogant
- (B) hilarious
- (C) heroic
- (D) judicious

89. misogynist

- (A) cheating one's friend
- (B) hating women
- (C) avoiding capture
- (D) waiting patiently

90. vindictive

- (A) seeking vengeance
- (B) desiring peace
- (C) feeling lost
- (D) producing wine

91. palatable

- (A) tasty
- (B) colorful
- (C) sensible
- (D) sensitive

92. farce

- (A) coercion
- (B) vulnerability
- (C) prose
- (D) lampoon

93. truckle

- (A) submit from weakness
- (B) devour
- (C) lie habitually
- (D) elope

94. archaic

- (A) parabolic
- (B) cruel
- (C) healthful
- (D) antiquated

95. defer

- (A) postpone
- (B) brush
- (C) remove
- (D) hint

96. magnate

- (A) powerful person
- (B) oversized vessel
- (C) charged particle
- (D) magazine

97. embroil

- (A) to involve in conflict
- (B) to sear on high heat
- (C) to ignite passion
- (D) to embroider

98. revile

- (A) to speak scornfully of
- (B) to shout triumphantly
- (C) to travel to a rural area
- (D) to involve in evil

99. trite

- (A) efficacious
- (B) boisterous
- (C) hackneyed
- (D) untenable

100. prickle

- (A) to arouse anger
- (B) to palpitate
- (C) to cause to tingle
- (D) to energize

Flash Card Quiz 001-100—KEY

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