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Preface

What is the Vocabulary List? The following quotation comes from Jim Burke’s home page.

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I have taken Jim’s Academic Vocabulary List (pages 3-4) and categorized the words into parts of speech (pages 5-34). In some cases, I’ve expanded the root to show word usage in different forms.

The purpose of compiling this list is to make it so the teacher will be able to take all the words in the **Academic Vocabulary List** and put them in a **format** that will make it easier to integrate them into a usable vocabulary program, or just to use in daily lessons.

This **format** puts all the **words’ parts of speech** at your fingertips. I hope this helps you as you help students! Good luck!

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1. abbreviate	43. chart	85. correspond	127. essential
2. abstract	44. chronology	86. credible	128. establish
3. according	45. citation	87. credit	129. estimate
4. acronym	46. cite	88. criteria	130. evaluate
5. address	47. claim	89. critique	131. event
6. affect	48. clarify	90. crucial	132. evidence
7. alter	49. class	91. cumulative	133. exaggerate
8. always	50. clue	92. debate	134. examine
9. analogy	51. code	93. deduce	135. example
10. analysis	52. coherent	94. defend	136. excerpt
11. analyze	53. common	95. define	137. exclude
12. annotate	54. compare	96. demand	138. exercise
13. anticipate	55. compile	97. demonstrate	139. exhibit
14. application	56. complement	98. depict	140. explain
15. apply	57. complete	99. derive	141. explore
16. approach	58. compose	100. describe	142. expository
17. appropriate	59. composition	101. detail	143. extract
18. approximate	60. conceive	102. detect	144. fact
19. argue	61. concise	103. determine	145. factor
20. argument	62. conclude	104. develop	146. feature
21. arrange	63. conclusion	105. devise	147. figurative
22. articulate	64. concrete	106. diction	148. figure
23. aspects	65. conditions	107. differentiate	149. focus
24. assemble	66. conduct	108. dimension	150. footer
25. assert	67. confirm	109. diminish	151. foreshadow
26. assess	68. consequence	110. direct	152. form
27. associate	69. consider	111. discipline	153. format
28. assume	70. consist	112. discover	154. former
29. assumption	71. consistent	113. discriminate	155. formulate
30. audience	72. consistently	114. discuss	156. fragment
31. authentic	73. constant	115. distinguish	157. frame
32. background	74. constitutes	116. domain	158. frequently
33. body	75. consult	117. draft	159. general
34. brainstorm	76. contend	118. draw	160. genre
35. brief	77. context	119. edit	161. graph
36. calculate	78. continuum	120. effect	162. graphic
37. caption	79. contradict	121. elements	163. header
38. category	80. control	122. emphasize	164. heading
39. cause	81. convert	123. employ	165. highlight
40. character	82. convey	124. equal	166. hypothesize
41. characteristic	83. copy	125. equivalent	167. identify
42. characterize	84. correlate	126. essay	168. illustrate

169.	imitate	219.	notice	269.	quotation	319.	strategy
170.	imply	220.	objective	270.	quote	320.	structure
171.	inclined	221.	observe	271.	rank	321.	study
172.	include	222.	occur	272.	rare	322.	style
173.	incorporate	223.	opinion	273.	rarely	323.	subject
174.	indicate	224.	oppose	274.	reaction	324.	subjective
175.	indirect	225.	optional	275.	recall	325.	subsequent
176.	infer	226.	order	276.	reduce	326.	substitute
177.	influence	227.	organize	277.	refer	327.	succinct
178.	inform	228.	origins	278.	reflect	328.	suggest
179.	inquire	229.	outline	279.	regular	329.	sum
180.	instructions	230.	pace	280.	relate	330.	summarize
181.	integrate	231.	paraphrase	281.	relationship	331.	summary
182.	intent	232.	participation	282.	relevant	332.	support
183.	intention	233.	passage	283.	rephrase	333.	survey
184.	interact	234.	pattern	284.	report	334.	symbolize
185.	intermittent	235.	perform	285.	represent	335.	synonym
186.	interpret	236.	perspective	286.	representative	336.	synthesize
187.	introduce	237.	persuade	287.	request	337.	table
188.	introduction	238.	place	288.	require	338.	technique
189.	invariably	239.	plagiarism	289.	requisite	339.	term
190.	investigate	240.	plan	290.	respond	340.	test
191.	involve	241.	plausible	291.	responsible	341.	theme
192.	irony	242.	plot	292.	restate	342.	thesis
193.	irrelevant	243.	point	293.	results	343.	timeline
194.	isolate	244.	point of view	294.	reveal	344.	tone
195.	italics	245.	portray	295.	review	345.	topic
196.	judge	246.	possible	296.	revise	346.	trace
197.	key	247.	preclude	297.	root	347.	trait
198.	label	248.	predict	298.	rule	348.	transition
199.	likely	249.	prefix	299.	scan	349.	translate
200.	list	250.	prepare	300.	score	350.	typically
201.	literal	251.	presume	301.	sequence	351.	unique
202.	locate	252.	preview	302.	series	352.	utilize
203.	logical	253.	previous	303.	set	353.	valid
204.	main	254.	primary	304.	setting	354.	variation
205.	margin	255.	prior	305.	show	355.	vary
206.	mean	256.	probably	306.	signal	356.	verify
207.	measure	257.	procedure	307.	significance	357.	viewpoint
208.	metaphor	258.	process	308.	simile	358.	voice
209.	method	259.	produce	309.	skim		
210.	model	260.	profile	310.	solve		
211.	modify	261.	project	311.	source		
212.	monitor	262.	prompt	312.	spatial		
213.	motivation	263.	proofread	313.	specific		
214.	narrative	264.	property	314.	speculate		
215.	narrator	265.	propose	315.	stance		
216.	never	266.	prose	316.	standard		
217.	notation	267.	prove	317.	state		
218.	note	268.	purpose	318.	statement		

SUFFIXES [Forming Parts of Speech]

When you are reading, you will come across unfamiliar words. It is often possible to guess their meanings if you understand the way words in English are generally formed. An English word can be divided into three parts: a **prefix**, a **[root / base word]**, and a **SUFFIX**. **Pre-** means 'before'. A **prefix**, therefore, is what comes before the **[root / base word]**. A **SUFFIX** is attached to the end of the **[root / base word]**. Many times, a word can be defined when it is known what the **prefix** and the **SUFFIX** mean. **Prefixes** usually change the meaning of the word. **However, a SUFFIX can change the meaning of the word; it can also form the part of speech.** Below are groups of **SUFFIXES (Multiple SUFFIXES)** that are all used in the **Academic Vocabulary List**. **They are listed under the parts of speech they form.** The bolded **SUFFIXES** are usually seen more often.

Noun Suffixes	Adjective Suffixes	Verb Suffixes	Adverb Suffixes
-ability	-able	-ate	-ly
-ableness	-ac	-ated	-ably
-acy	-al	-ates	-ably
-age	-alent	-ating	-ally
-al	-ancy	-aw	-antly
-alism	-ant	-awn	-arily
-ality	-ard	-aws	-edly
-alness	-ary	-ed	-entally
-ance	-ate	-es	-entally
-ancer	-ational	-ew	-entarily
-ancing	-ative	-fied	-ently
-ancy	-atory	-fies	-erly
-ant	-ed	-fy	-fully
-ants	-ent	-fying	-ially
-ar	-er	-iate	-iately
-ariness	-est	-iated	-ibly
-ate	-ful	-iates	-ibly
-atedness	-iable	-iating	-ically
-ateness	-ial	-ic	-ically
-ation	-ible	-ing	-ically
-ationalism	-ic	-ion	-ily
-ationism	-ical	-ioned	-ing
-ationist	-icized	-ioning	-ingly
-ativeness	-ied	-ions	-ingly
-ator	-ier	-it	-ionally
-cy	-iest	-ivate	-ionally
-ed	-ily	-ize	-iously
-edness	-ing	-ized	-ishly
-ee	-ion	-izes	-ive
-egy	-ional	-izing	-ively
-ence	-ionalistic	-or	-ively
-encer	-ionary	-ored	-lessly
-ency	-ionist	-oring	-ously
-ent	-ionless	-orize	-s
-er	-ious	-ors	-ually
-erateness	-ish	-ow	
-erer	-ist	-owed	
-es	-istic	-own	

Noun Suffixes	Adjective Suffixes	Verb Suffixes	Adverb Suffixes
-ful	-ite	-ows	
-gist	-itory	-s	
-gy	-ive	-ure	
-hood	-less	-ured	
-ia	-ly	-ures	
-ialism	-ment	-uring	
-iality	-mental	-yze	
-ialness	-ness		
-ialist	-orial		
-ian	-ory		
-iation	-ous		
-iator	-s		
-ibiltiy	-'s		
-ic	-ual		
-icalness	-y		
-icism			
-icity			
-ics			
-ier			
-ility			
-iness			
-ing			
-ion			
-ionary			
-ioner			
-ionism			
-ionist			
-ism			
-ison			
-ist			
-istic			
-ity			
-ive			
-iveness			
-ivism			
-ivist			
-ivity			
-ization			
-izer			
-lessness			
-ly			
-ment			
-mentarity			
-ness			
-ogy			
-oid			
-ol			
-ology			
-or			
-oriness			

Noun Suffixes	Adjective Suffixes	Verb Suffixes	Adverb Suffixes
-ory			
-place			
-placeness			
-ry			
-s			
-ship			
-sis			
-son			
-ude			
-ure			
-y			

****** COMMON PREFIXES ******

Prefix	Meaning(s)
a-	without, away, from, not, of, completely
ab-	without, away, from
abs-	without, from, away
ad-	to, toward, addition, increase
af-	to
ag-	to
ambi-	both
amphi-	around, both
an-	not, in the process of, in a particular state
ana-	back(ward)
ant-	against, opposite, opposing
ante-	before, preceding
anti-	against, before, opposite, opposed to
apo-	away from
at-	to
auto-	self
be-	all over, all around, completely, having, covered with, cause to be
bi-	two
cata-	down
circum-	around
co-	together with
com-	with, jointly, completely
con-	altogether, together with
contra-	against, opposed to
cor-	together
counter-	opposition, opposite direction
de-	down, from, reduce, reverse, away, completely, removal
dec-	ten
di-	apart, through, across, removal
dia-	through, across
dis-	apart, not, opposite, negation, removal
duo-	two
dys-	bad
e-	away, out
ec-	away, out
ecto-	outside
ef-	upward, completely
em-	in, out, on, into
en-	in, out, on, into
endo-	inside
epi-	on
equi-	equal
ex-	away, out, over, upward, completely, previous
extra-	beyond, outside
hetero-	different, other
hemi-	half, partly
hex-	six
hexa-	six
homeo-	same
homo-	same
hyper-	above, over, super, beyond, more than normal
hypo-	under

Prefix	Meaning(s)
il-	not, without
im-	in, not, without, inside
in-	in, into, not, without, towards, inside
infra-	below
inter-	between, among
intra	within, inside
ir-	not
iso-	equal
macro-	large, great, long
mal-	bad, wrong
mega-	large, great
meso-	middle
meta-	beyond
micro-	very small
mini-	small
mis-	bad, wrong
mono-	one
multi-	many
non-	not connected with, absent
ob-	towards, blocking, against, concealing
oct-	eight
of-	against, blocking
omni-	all
op-	against
out-	surpassing, exceeding, external, away from
over-	too much, over, outer
pan-	all, overall
pant-	all, overall
para-	beside
penta-	five
per-	through, completely done
peri-	around, about
poly-	many
post-	after
pre-	before
prime-	first
pro-	before, in advance, forward, for, forth, favoring
quad-	four
re-	back, again, down
red-	back
retro-	backward
se-	apart
sed-	apart
semi-	half, partly
sub-	under, lower, nearly, approximately
super-	over, above
supra-	above
sym-	together, in union
syn-	together, in union
tra-	across, beyond, different state
trans-	across, beyond, different state
tri-	three
ultra-	beyond, extreme
un-	not, reverse
under-	too little, below, lower
uni-	one

****** COMMON SUFFIXES ******

Suffix	Meaning(s)
-able	able to be, capable of
-ac	pertaining to
-acy	pertaining to
-age	act or condition
-al	having, pertaining to, relating to, like, suitable for
-an	person who
-ance	state of being
-ant	one who does, that which
-ar	having the quality of, relating to
-arium	a place where, repository
-ary	place where
-ate	being, one who, to cause to, to make
-ation	the act of
-ble	capable of being
-cle	little
-dom	domain, condition
-ed	having the quality of
-ee	person who is
-en	to make, made of
-ence	quality of, state of being, an act of
-ent	one who does, that which
-er	a thing/one which is or does
-esc	become, change
-fic	causing or producing
-ful	characterized by
-fy	to make
-hood	state or condition
-ia	area, land, state, medical condition
-ial	pertaining to
-ian	pertaining to
-ible	able to be, capable of being
-ic	of, characteristic of, pertaining to
-ical	like or suitable for
-ice	condition or quality
-id	state or condition
-ify	to make
-ile	relating to
-ine	of or relating to
-ing	activity, action, process
-ion	act of, state of being, the process of
-ise	to make
-ish	like, the quality of
-ism	condition/state/quality of, belief/practice
-ist	a person who
-ite	mineral, rock
-itis	inflammation

Suffix	Meaning(s)
-ity	state of, the quality of
-ive	the quality of, state of being, the result of, relating to
-ize	to make
-le	little
-less	without
-ly	in the manner of, like
-ment	state of being, action
-ness	condition of, state of
-oid	resembling
-ole	little
-oma	tumor, growth
-or	a thing which is or does, that which does an action, a person who
-ory	pertaining to, a place for
-ous	like, full of, abounding in
-ry	state of
-s	one that is related to
-sc / -esc	become, change
-ship	condition, state
-sis	name of action or its result
-some	tending to
-tude	condition
-tion	the act of
-ty	state or condition
-um	no defined meaning, but modifies the root word
-ure	that which pertains to
-ward	direction or course
-y	full of
-yst	a person who

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1	abbreviate / ab•bre•vi•ate	abbreviator abbreviation abbr. or abbrev.	abbreviate	abbreviated	
2	abstract / ab•strac	abstract abstractionist abstraction abstractedness	abstract	abstract abstractionist abstraction abstractedness	abstractly
3	according / ac•cord•ing	accordance	accord	according accordant	accordantly accordingly
4	acronym / ac•ro•nym	acronym		acronymic acronymous	
5	address / ad•dress	address addresses addressability addressee	address addressed addresses addressing	addressable	
6	affect / af•fect	affect affecter affectation affectedness	affect affected		
7	alter / al•ter	alterability	alter alters altered altering	alterable	
8	always / al•ways				always
9	analogy / a•nal•o•gy	analogist analogousness	analogize	analogistic analogous	analogously
10	analysis / a•nal•y•sis	analysis analyst analytics	analytic	analytic analytical	analytically
11	analyze / an•a•lyze		analyze analyzed analyzing analyzes		analyzingly
12	annotate / an•no•tate	annotator annotation	annotate annotated annotating annotates	annotative	

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13	anticipate / an-tic-i-pate	anticipation	anticipated anticipating anticipates	anticipant anticipative anticipatory	anticipatively
14	application / ap-pli-ca-tion	application applicant			
15	apply / ap-ply	applicability	apply applied applying applies	applicable	applicably
16	approach / ap-proach	approach approaches approachability approachableness	approach approached approaching approaches	approachable	
17	appropriate / ap-pro-pri-ate	appropriated appropriating appropriates appropriateness appropriator appropriation appropriationism appropriationist	appropriate	appropriate appropriative appropriable	appropriately
18	approximate / ap-prox-i-mate	approximateness approximation	approximate approximated approximating approximates	approximate approximative	approximative
19	argue / ar-gue		argue argued arguing argues argufy argufied argufying argufies	arguable	arguably

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20	argument / ar-gu-ment	argument argumentation argumentativeness		argumentative	argumentatively
21	arrange / ar-range	arranger arrangee arrangement	arrange arranged arranging arranges	arrangeable arranged	
22	articulate / ar-tic-u-late	articulacy articulateness articulation articulator	articulate articulated articulating articulates	articulate articulated articulative articulatory	articulately
23	aspects / as-pects	aspect aspects			
24	assemble / as-sem-ble	assembler assembly	assemble assembled assembling assembles		
25	assert / as-sert	assertion assertiveness	assert asserted asserting asserts	assertive	assertively
26	assess / as-sess	assessment assessor	assess assessed assessing assesses	assessable	
27	associate / as-so-ci-ate	associate associates associateship associator associability associationism associationist	associate associated associating associates	associate associated associates associable associationistic associative	

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28	assume / as·sume	assumer	assume assumed assuming assumes	assumed assuming	assumedly assumingly
29	assumption / as·sump·tion	assumption			
30	audience / au·di·ence	audience			
31	authentic / au·then·tic	authentication authenticator authenticity	authenticate authenticated authenticating authenticates	authentic	authentically
32	background / back·ground	background backgrounder		background	
33	body / bod·y	body	body bodied bodying bodies	bodily	bodily
34	brainstorm / brain·storm	brainstorm brainstormer brainstorming			
35	brief / brief	brief briefs briefing briefer briefness	brief briefed briefing briefs	brief briefer briefest	briefly
36	calculate / cal·cu·late	calculability calculatedness calculation calculator	calculate calculated calculating calculates	calculable calculational calculative	calculatedly
37	caption / cap·tion	caption	caption captioned captioning captions	captions	
38	category / cat·e·go·ry	category categorization categoricalness	categorize categorized categorizing categorizes	categorizable categorical categoric	categorically
39	cause / cause	cause causability causer	cause	causable causeless	
40	character / char·ac·ter	characterlessness		characterful characterless	characterlessly
41	characteristic / char·ac·ter·is·tic	characteristic			characteristically

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42	characterize / char-ac-ter-ize	characterizer characterization	characterize characterized characterizing characterizes	characterizable	
43	chart / chart	chart	chart charted charting charts	chartable	
44	chronology / chro-nol-o-gy	chronology chronologist		chronological	chronologically
45	citation / ci-ta-tion	citation		citational citatory	
46	cite / cite		cite cited cites		
47	claim / claim	claim claimer claimant	claim claimed claiming claims	claimable	
48	clarify / clar-i-fy	clarifier clarification	clarify clarified clarifying clarifies		
49	class / class	class	classed classing classes		
50	clue / clue	clue		clueless	
51	code / code	code coder	code coded coding codes	coded	
52	coherent / co-her-ent	coherency coherence	cohere cohered cohering coheres	coherent	coherently
53	common / com-mon	common commons commoner commonage commonality commonplaceness		common commonest commonplace	commonly
54	compare / com-pare	comparison comparer comparator comparativeness	compare compared comparing compares	comparative	comparatively

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55	compile / com-<u>pile</u>	compiler compilation	compile compiled compiling compiles	compiled	
56	complement / com-<u>ple</u>-ment	complement complementarity complementariness complementizer	complement complemented complementing complements	complemental complementary	complementally complementarily
57	complete / com-<u>plete</u>	completeness completer completion	complete completed completing completes	complete compleitive	completely
58	compose / com-<u>pose</u>	composedness composer	compose composed composing composes	composed	composedly
59	composition / com-<u>po</u>-si-tion			compositional	compositionally
60	conceive / con-<u>ceive</u>	conceiver conceivable conceivability conceivableness	conceive conceived conceiving conceives		conceivably
61	concise / con-<u>cise</u>	conciseness concision		concise	concisely
62	conclude / con-<u>clude</u>	concluder	conclude concluded concluding concludes		
63	conclusion / con-<u>clu</u>-sion	conclusion conclusiveness		conclusive	conclusively
64	concrete / con-<u>crete</u>	concrete concreteness concretion concretism concretist concretization	concretize concretized concretizing concretizes	concrete concretionary	concretely
65	conditions / con-<u>di</u>-tions	conditionality conditioner conditioning		conditionable conditional conditioned	conditionally
66	conduct / con-<u>duct</u>	conductibility conductance conduction conductivity conductor conductorship	conduct conducted conducting conducts	conductible conductive conductorial	

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67	confirm / con-firm	confirmability confirmer confirmation	confirm confirmed confirming confirms	confirmable confirmatory confirmational confirmed	confirmedly
68	consequence / con-se-quence	consequence consequentiality consequentialness consequentialism		consequent consequential	consequently consequently
69	consider / con-sid-er	considerer considerateness consideration	consider considered considering considers	considerable considerate considered	considerably considerately considering
70	consist / con-sist	consistency consistence	consist consisted consisting consists		
71	consistent / con-sis-tent			consistent	
72	consistently / con-sis-tent-ly				consistently
73	constant / con-stant	constants		constant constancy constative	constantly
74	constitutes / con-sti-tutes	constituter	constitute constituted constituting constitutes	constitutive	constitutively
75	consult / con-sult	consult consultation consulter	consult consulted consulting consults	consultable	
76	contend / con-tend	contender	contend contended contending contends		
77	context / con-text	context contextualization contexture	contextualize contextualized contextualizing contextualizes	contextual	contextually
78	continuum / con-tin-u-um	continuum			
79	contradict / con-tra-dict	contradictor contradictiveness	contradict contradicted contradicting contradicts	contradictable contradictive	contradictively

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80	control / con-trol	controllability	control controlled controlling controls	controllable controlled	controllably
81	convert / con-vert	convert conversion	convert converted converting converts		
82	convey / con-vey	conveyance conveyancer conveyancing conveyor	convey conveyed conveying conveys	conveyable	
83	copy / cop-y	copyist	copy copied copying copies		
84	correlate / cor-re-late	correlate correlator correlation	correlate correlated correlating correlates	correlatable correlational	
85	correspond / cor-re-pond	correspondence	correspond corresponded corresponding corresponds		
86	credible / cred-i-ble	credibility		credible	credibly
87	credit / cred-it	credibility credibility credibility	credit credited crediting credits	creedal creditable	creditably
88	criteria / cri-te-ri-a	criterion criteria		crierial	
89	critique / cri-tique	critique criticism	critique critiqued critiquing critiques		
90	crucial / cru-cial			crucial	crucially
91	cumulative / cu-mu-la-tive	cumulativeness cumulation	cumulate cumulated cumulating cumulates	cumulative	cumulatively
92	debate / de-bate	debate debater	debate debated debating debates	debatable	debatably

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93	deduce / de•duce	deducibility deducibleness	deduce deduced deducing deduces	deducible	
94	defend / de•fend	defender defendant	defend defended defending defends	defendable	
95	define / de•fine	definability definement definer	define defined defining defines	definable	definably
96	demand / de•mand	demand	demand demanded demanding demands	demandable	
97	demonstrate / dem•on•strate	demonstration demonstrationist	demonstrate demonstrated demonstrating demonstrates	demonstrationist	
98	depict / de•pict	depicter depiction	depict depicted depicting depicts	depictive	
99	derive / de•rive	deriver	derive derived deriving derives	derivable	
100	describe / de•scribe	describer description	describe described describing describes	describable descriptive	
101	detail / de•tail	detail detailer	detail detailed detailing details	detailed	
102	detect / de•tect	detectability detection	detect detected detecting detects	detectable detective	
103	determine / de•ter•mine	determiner determinism determinist determinedness	determine determined determining determines	deterministic determined	determinedly

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104	develop / de-vel-op	developer development	develop developed developing developes	developable developed developing developmental	developmentally
105	devise / de-vise	devisee deviser	devise devised devising devises	devisable	
106	diction / dic-tion	diction dictionary		dictional	dictionally
107	differentiate / dif-fer-en-ti-ate	differentiation differentiator	differentiate differentiated differentiating differentiates		
108	dimension / di-men-sion	dimensionality	dimension dimensioned dimensioning dimensions	dimensional dimensionless	dimensionally
109	diminish / di-min-ish	diminishment	diminish diminished diminishing diminishes	diminished diminishable	diminishingly
110	direct / di-rect	directness	direct directed directing directs	direct directed	directly
111	discipline / dis-ci-pline	discipliner disciplinarity	discipline disciplined disciplining disciplines	disciplinable disciplinal disciplined disciplining disciplinary	disciplinarily
112	discover / dis-cov-er	discoverer discovery	discover discovered discovering discovers	discoverable	
113	discriminate / dis-crim-i-nate	discrimination discriminator	discriminate discriminated discriminating discriminates	discriminating discriminational discriminative discriminatory	discriminately discriminatingly discriminatively discriminatorily
114	discuss / dis-cuss	discusser discussant discussion	discuss discussed discussing discusses	discussable discussionable	

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115	distinguish / dis-tin-guish	distinguisher	distinguish distinguished distinguishing distinguishes	distinguishable distinguished distinguishing	distinguishably
116	domain / do-main	domain			
117	draft / draft	draft draftee drafter	draft drafted drafting drafts	draftable	
118	draw / draw	drawing drawer drawee	draw drew drawn draws	drawable	
119	edit / ed-it	edition editor	edit edited editing edits	edited	
120	effect / ef-fect	effector effectiveness effectivity	effect effected effecting effects	effectible effective	effectively
121	elements / el-e-ments	elements elementariness		elemental elementary	elementally elementarily
122	emphasize / em-pha-size	emphasis	emphasize emphasized emphasizing emphasizes	emphatic	emphatically
123	employ / em-ploy	employability employee employer employment	employ employed employing employs	employable	
124	equal / e-qual	equalizer equality	equal equaled equaling equals	equal	equally
125	equivalent / e-quiv-a-lent	equivalence equivalency		equivalent	equivalently
126	essay / es-say	essayist	essay essayed essaying essays	essayistic	

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127	essential / es-sen-tial	essentiality essentials essentialness essentialism essentialist		essential	essentially
128	establish / es-tab-lish	establisher establishment establishmentarian establishmentarianism	establish established establishing establishes	established	
129	estimate / es-ti-mate	estimator estimation estimableness	estimate estimated estimating estimates	estimative estimable	estimably
130	evaluate / e-val-u-ate	evaluator evaluation	evaluate evaluated evaluating evaluates	evaluative	
131	event / e-vent	eventer eventfulness		eventful	eventfully
132	evidence / ev-i-dence	evidence	evidenced evidencing evidences		
133	exaggerate / ex-ag-ger-ate	exaggerator exaggeration	exaggerate exaggerated exaggerating exaggerates	exaggerative	exaggeratedly exaggeratingly
134	examine / ex-am-ine	examinee examiner	examine examined examining examines	examinable	
135	example / ex-am-ple	example	example exampled examplimg examples		
136	excerpt / ex-cerpt	excerpt excerption excerptor		excerptible	
137	exclude / ex-clude	excludability excluder exclusion	exclude excluded excluding excludes	excludable exclusionary	
138	exercise / ex-er-cise	exercises exerciser	exercise exercised exercising exercises	exerciser	

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139	exhibit / ex·hib-it	exhibits exhibition exhibiter exhibitor exhibitioner exhibitionism exhibitionist	exhibit exhibited exhibiting exhibits	exhibitory exhibitionistic exhibitive	exhibitively
140	explain / ex·plain	explainer explanation	explain explained explaining explains	explainable explanative explanatory	explanatorily
141	explore / ex·plore	explorer	explore explored exploring explores	exploratory	
142	expository / ex·pos-i-to-ry	expositor exposition	exposit	expository expositive	
143	extract / ex·tract	extraction extractor	extract extracted extracting extracts	extractive	
144	fact / fact	fact facticity factoid factuality factualness factualism factualist		factual	factually
145	factor / fac·tor	factor factors factorability	factor factored factoring factors factorize	factorable	
146	feature / fea·ture	feature	feature featured featuring features	featureless featured	
147	figurative / fig·u-ra-tive	figurativeness		figurative	figuratively
148	figure • fig·ure	figure figures figurativeness	figures figured figuring	figurative	figuratively

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149	focus / fo-cus	focus focuser focalization	focus focused focusing focuses focalize focalized focalizing focalizes	focusable focused	
150	footer / foot-er	footer footing footings		footed	
151	foreshadow / fore-shad-ow	foreshadower	foreshadow foreshadowed foreshadowing foreshadows		
152	form / form	form formation formatives	form formed forming forms	formable fomational formative	formatively
153	format / for-mat	formats formation	format formatted formatting formats	formational formative	formatively
154	former / for-mer	former		former	formerly
155	formulate / for-mu-late	formulation formulator	formulate formulated formulating formulates		
156	fragment / frag-ment	fragment fragmentation	fragmentize fragmentized fragmentizing fragmentizes	fragmental fragmentary fragmented	fragmentarily
157	frame / frame	frame framer framers	frame framed framing frames	frameable	
158	frequently / fre-quent-ly	frequentation frequenter frequentness frequency		frequent frequentative	frequently

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159	general / gen·er·al	general generalness generalcy generalization generalist generality generalship	generalize generalized generalizing generalizes	general	generally
160	genre / gen·re	genre			
161	graph / graph	graph	graph graphed graphing graphs		
162	graphic / graph·ic	graphicness		graphic graphical	graphically
163	header / head·er	header headers			
164	heading / head·ing	heading headings	heading		
165	highlight / high·light	highlight highlighter	highlight highlighted highlighting highlights		
166	hypothesize / hy·poth·e·size	hypothesizer	hypothesize hypothesized hypothesizing hypothesizes		
167	identify / i·den·ti·fy	identifiability identifier	identify identified identifying identifies	identifiable	identifiably
168	illustrate / il·lus·trate	illustrator illustration	illustrate illustrated illustrating illustrates	illustratable illustrational illustrative	illustratively
169	imitate / im·i·tate	imitator imitation imitativeness	imitate imitated imitating imitates	imitational imitative	imitatively
170	imply / im·ply		imply implied implying implies	implied	

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171	inclined / in-clined	incliner inclination	incline inclined inclining inclines	inclinal inclinal	
172	include / in-clude	includedness inclusion inclusiveness	include included including includes	includable included inclusionary inclusive	inclusively
173	incorporate / in-cor-po-rate	incorporation incorporator	incorporate incorporated incorporating incorporates	incorporate incorporable incorporative	
174	indicate / in-di-cate	indicator indication	indicate indicated indicating indicates	indicatable indicatory indicative indicational	indicatively
175	indirect / in-di-rect	indirectness indirection		indirect	indirectly
176	infer / in-fer	inferer inference	infer inferred inferring infers	inferable inferential	inferably inferentially
177	influence / in-flu-ence	influence influencer	influence influenced influencing influences	influenceable	
178	inform / in-form	informant information infomatics	inform informed informing informs	informational	informationally
179	inquire / in-quire	inquirer inquiry	inquire inquired inquiring inquires		inquiringly
180	instructions / in-struc-tions	instructions instructor instruction	instruct instructed instructing instructs	instructional instructive	instructively
181	integrate / in-te-grate	integrate integration integrationist integrator	integrate integrated integrating integrates	integrated integrating	
182	intent / in-tent	intent			
183	intention / in-ten-tion	intention intentionality		intentional	intentionally

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185	intermittent / in•ter•mit•tent	intermittence intermitter	intermit intermitted intermitting intermits	intermittent	intermittently intermittingly
186	interpret / in•ter•pret	interpretability interpretation interpreter	interpret interpreted interpreting interprets	interpretable interpretational interpretive interpretative	interpretably interpretatively
187	introduce / in•tro•duce	introducoriness	introduce introduced introducing introduces	introductory	introducorily
188	introduction / in•tro•duc•tion	introduction introductions			
189	invariably / in•var•i•a•bly				invariably
190	investigate / in•ves•ti•gate	investigation investigator	investigate investigated investigating investigates	investigative investigatory	
191	involve / in•volve	involvement involver	involve involved involving involves	involved involving	involvedly
192	irony / i•ro•ny	irony			
193	irrelevant / ir•rel•e•vant	irrelevance irrelevancy		irrelevant	irrelevantly
194	isolate / i•so•late	isolator isolation isolationism isolationist	isolate isolated isolating isolates	isoleable isolatable isolated isolating isolative	
195	italics / i•tal•ics	italic Italicism italicization	italicize italicized italicizing italicizes	italic italicized	
196	judge / judge	judge judger judgment judgement judgeship	judge judged judging judges	judgemental	judgementally

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197	key / key	key	key keyed keying keys	keyed	
198	label / la·bel	label labeler	label labeled labeling labels		
199	likely / like·ly	likelihood		likely likelier likeliest	likely
200	list / list	list lists listing	list listed listing lists	listed	
201	literal / lit·er·al	literalness literalism literalist		literal	literally
202	locate / lo·cate	location locator	locate located locating locates	locational locative locatable	
203	logical / log·i·cal	logician logistics		logical logistic logistical	logically logistically
204	main / main	main		main	mainly
205	margin / mar·gin	margin marginality	margin margined margining margins	marginal marginable	marginally
206	mean / mean	mean meanness means	mean meant meaning means	mean meaner meanest	meanly
207	measure / meas·ure	measure measures measurer measurability measurableness measurelessness measurement	measure measured measuring measures	measurable measureless	measurably measurelessly
208	metaphor / met·a·phor	metaphor		metaphoric metaphorical	metaphorically
209	method / meth·od	method methodicalness		methodic methodical	methodically

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210	model / mod-el	model models modeler	model modeled modeling models	modeled modeling model's	
211	modify / mod-i-fy	modifiability modifiableness modifier	modify modified modifying modifies	modifiable	
212	monitor / mon-i-tor	monitor monitorship monitories	monitor monitored monitoring monitors	monitorial monitory	monitorially
213	motivation / mo-ti-va-tion		motivate motivated motivating motivates	motivative motivational motivated	motivationally
214	narrative / nar-ra-tive	narrative narration		narrative narrational	narratively
215	narrator / nar-ra-tor	narrator narrators	narrate narrated narrating narrates	narratable	
216	never / never				never
217	notation / no-ta-tion	notation notations	notate notated notating notates		
218	note / note	note noter notedness	note noted noting notes	noteless noted	notedly
219	notice / no-tice	notice notices	notice noticed noticing notices		
220	objective / ob-jec-tive	objective objectiveness objectivism objectivist objectivity	objectivize	objective	objectively
221	observe / ob-serve	observer observation observations observance observability	observe observed observing observes	observational observant observable	observationally observantly observably

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222	occur / oc•cur	occurrence	occur occurred occurring occurs	occurent	
223	opinion / o•pin•ion	opinion opinionatedness		opinionated	opinionately
224	oppose / op•pose	opposer opposability	oppose opposed opposing opposes	opposing opposable	opposably
225	optional / op•tion•al			optional	optionally
226	order / or•der	order orders orderly orderliness orderer	order ordered ordering orders	ordered orderly	
227	organize / or•gan•ize	organizer	organize organized organizing organizes	organizable organized organizing	
228	origins • or•i•gins	origin origins originality origination originator	originate originated originating originates	original originative	originally originatively
229	outline / out•line	outline	outline outlined outlining outlines	outlined outlining	
230	pace / pace	pace pacer	pace paced pacing paces		
231	paraphrase / par•a•phrase		paraphrase paraphrased paraphrasing paraphrases	paraphrastic	
232	participation / par•tic•i•pa•tion	participation participator participant	participate participated participating participates	participative participatory participating	
233	passage / pas•sage	passage			

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234	pattern / pat-tern	pattern patterning	pattern patterned patterning patterns	patterned	
235	perform / per-form	performer performance performatives	perform performed performing performs	performable performative	performatively
236	perspective / per-spec-tive	perspective		perspective	perspectively
237	persuade / per-suade	persuader persuasion persuasiveness persuadability	persuade persuaded persuading persuades	persuasible persuasive persuadable	persuasively
238	place / place	place places	place placed placing places	placeable	
239	plagiarism / pla-gia-rism	plagiarism plagiarist plagiarizer	plagiarize plagiarized plagiarizing	plagiaristic	plagiaristically
240	plan / plan	plan	plan planned planning plans	planned	
241	plausible / plau-si-ble	plausibility plausibleness		plausible	plausibly
242	plot / plot	plot plots plotline plotter	plot plotted plotting plots	plotless	
243	point / point	point	point pointed pointing points		
244	point of view	point of view			
245	portray / por-tray	portrayer portrayal	portray portrayed portraying portrays	portrayable	
246	possible / pos-si-ble	possibility		possible	possibly
247	preclude / pre-clude	preclusion	preclude precluded precluding precludes	preclusive	preclusively

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248	predict / pre-dict	predictor predictability predictableness prediction predictiveness	predict predicted predicting predicts	predictable predictive	predictably predictively
249	prefix / pre-fix	prefix prefixation prefixion		prefixal	prefixally
250	prepare / pre-para	preparer preparation preparatives preparedness	prepare prepared preparing prepares	preparative preparatory prepared	preparatively preparatorily preparedly
251	presume / pre-sume	presumer presumption	presume presumed presuming presumes	presumable presumptive	presumably presumably presumedly presumptively
252	preview / pre-view	preview	preview previewed previewing previews		
253	previous / pre-vi-ous	previousness		previous	previously
254	primary / pri-mar-y	primary		primary	primarily
255	prior / pri-or	prior priors priority priorate		prior	
256	probably / prob-a-bly	probability		probable	probably
257	procedure / pro-ce-dure	procedure proceduralist		procedural	procedurally
258	process / proc-ess	process processor	process processed processing processes		
259	produce / pro-duce	produce producibility	produce produced producing produces	producible	
260	profile / pro-file	profiler	profile profiled profiling profiles		
261	project / proj-ect	project projection	project projected projecting projects	projected projectional	

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No.	Vocabulary Word	Nouns	Verbs	Adjectives	Adverbs
262	prompt / prompt	promptness prompter promptitude	prompt prompted prompting prompts	prompt	promptly
263	proofread / proof-read	proofreader	proofread (present) proofread (past) proofreading proofreads		
264	property / prop-er-ty	property properties			
265	propose / pro-pose	proposer proposal	propose proposed proposing proposes	proposable	
266	prose / prose	prose			
267	prove / prove	provability	prove proved proving proves proven	provable proven	provably provenly
268	purpose / pur-pose	purpose purposefulness purposiveness	purposed purposing purposes	purposeful purposeless purposive	purposefully purposely purposively
269	quotation / quo-ta-tion	quotation		quotational	quotationally
270	quote / quote	quote quoter	quote quoted quoting quotes	quotable	quotability
271	rank / rank	rank ranker	rank ranked ranking ranks	rank ranker rankest ranking	
272	rare / rare	rareness		rare rarer rarest	
273	rarely / rare-ly	rarity	rarity	raring	rarely
274	reaction / re-ac-tion	reaction reactionist reactionism	reactivate	reactionary reactional	
275	recall / re-call	recall recalls recaller recallability	recall recalled recalling recalls	recallable	

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276	reduce / re-duce	reducer reducibility	reduce reduced reducing reduces	reducible	reducibly
277	refer / re-fer	referrer reference	refer referred referring refers	referable	
278	reflect / re-flect	reflectance reflection reflectiveness reflectivity	reflect reflected reflecting reflects	reflectional reflective	reflectively
279	regular / reg-u-lar	regularity regularization regularizer	regularize regularized regularizing regularizes	regular	regularly
280	relate / re-late	relator relatedness relation relative relativeness	relate related relating relates	relatable related relational relative	relatedly relationally relatively
281	relationship / re-la-tion-ship	relationship			
282	relevant / rel-e-vant	relevance		relevant	relevantly
283	rephrase / re-phrase		rephrase rephrased rephrasing rephrases		
284	report / re-port	report reportage reporter	report reported reporting reports	reportable reportorial	reportedly reportorially
285	represent / rep-re-sent	representability representer representation representationism representationalism representationalist	represent represented representing represents	representable representational representationalistic	representationally
286	representative/rep-re-sen-ta-tive	representative representativeness			representatively
287	request / re-quest	requester	request requested requesting requests		

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288	require / re-quire	requirer requirement	require required requiring requires	requirable required	
289	requisite / req-ui-site	requisiteness requisition		requisite requisitionary	requisitely
290	respond / re-pond	respondence respondent	respond responded responding responds		
291	responsible / re-spon-si-ble	responsibleness responsibility		responsible	responsibly
292	restate / re-state		restate restated restating restates		
293	results / re-sults	results result	result resulted resulting results	resultant resulting	
294	reveal / re-veal	reveal revealer	reveal revealed revealing reveals	revealing	revealingly
295	review / re-view	review reviewer	review reviewed reviewing reviews	reviewable	
296	revise / re-vise	reviser revision revisionism	revise revised revising revises	revisable revisionary revisionist	
297	root / root	root rooter rootage rootedness roothold	root rooted rooting roots	rooted	
298	rule / rule	rule ruler ruling	rule ruled ruling rules	rulable ruling	
299	scan / scan	scan scanner	scan scanned scanning scans	scannable	

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300	score / score	score scorer	score scored scoring scores	scoreless	
301	sequence / se-quence	sequence sequencer	sequence sequenced sequencing sequences		
302	series / se-ries	series			
303	set / set	set	set sets	setting	
304	setting / set-ting	setting	setting		
305	show / show	show showing showiness	show shown showed showing shows	showable showy	showily
306	signal / sig-nal	signal signals signaler	signal signaled signaling signals		signally
307	significance / sig-nif-i-cance	significance significativeness signification		significant significantive	significantly significatively
308	simile / sim-i-le	simile			
309	skim / skim	skims	skim skimmed skimming skims	skim skimming	
310	solve / solve	solution	solve solved solving solved		
311	source / source	source	source sourced sourcing sources		
312	spatial / spa-tial	spatiality		spatial	spatially
313	specific / spe-cif-ic	specifics specificity specification		specific specifiable	specifically
314	speculate / spec-u-late	speculation speculativeness speculator	speculate speculated speculating speculates	speculative	speculatively

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315	stance / stance	stance			
316	standard / stan-dard	standard standards standardizer	standardize standardized standardizing standardizes	standard	
317	state / state	state stateliness	state stated stating states	stated stateless	stately
318	statement / state-ment	statement			
319	strategy / strat-e-gy	strategy strategics strategist	strategize strategized strategizing strategizes	strategic	strategically
320	structure / struc-ture	structure structuralism structuralist	structure structured structuring structures structuralize	structured	structurally
321	study / stud-y	study studiousness	study studied studying studies	studious	studiously
322	style / style	style styler stylishness stylist stylistics	style styled styling styles	stylish stylistic	stylishly stylistically
323	subject / sub-ject	subject subjection	subject subjected subjecting subjects		
324	subjective / sub-jec-tive	subjectiveness subjectivism subjectivist subjectivity		subjective subjectivistic	subjectively subjectivistically
325	subsequent / sub-se-quent	subsequence		subsequent	subsequently
326	substitute / sub-sti-tute	substitute substituter substitution substitutiveness	substitute substituted substituting substitutes	substitutional substitutive	substitutionally substitutively
327	succinct / suc-cinct	succinctness		succinct	succinctly

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328	suggest / sug-gest	suggester suggestibility suggestibleness suggestion suggestiveness	suggest suggested suggesting suggests	suggestive suggestible suggestive	suggestibly suggestively
329	sum / sum	sum	sum summed summing sums		
330	summarize / sum-ma-rize	summarist summarization summarizer	summarize summarized summarizing summarizes	summarizable	
331	summary / sum-ma-ry	summary summariness			
332	support / sup-port	supports supportability supporter supportiveness	support supported supporting supports	supportable supporting supportive	supportably supportively
333	survey / sur-vey	surveys surveyor	survey surveyed surveying surveys	surveyable	
334	symbolize / sym-bol-ize	symbolization symbolism symbolist symbolic symbology symbologist	symbolize symbolized symbolizing symbolizes	symbolic symbolistic symbological	symbolically symbolistically
335	synonym / syn-o-nym	synonym synonymity synonymousness synonymy	synomize synomized synomizing synomizes	synonymic synonymous	synonymously
336	synthesize / syn-the-size	synthesization synthesizer	synthesize synthesized synthesizing synthesizes		
337	table / ta-ble	table tableful	table tabled tabling tables		
338	technique / tech-nique	technique			

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340	test / test	test testability tester	test tested testing tests	testable	
341	theme / theme	theme	theme themed theming themes	thematic	thematically
342	thesis / the-sis	thesis			
343	timeline / time-line	timeline			
344	tone / tone	tone			
345	topic / top-ic	topic topicality		topical	topically
346	trace / trace	trace traces traceability traceableness tracer	trace traced tracing traces	traceable traceless	traceably tracelessly
347	trait / trait	trait			
348	transition / tran-si-tion	transition	transition transitioned transitioning transitions	transitional transitory	transitionally
349	translate / trans-late	translatability translation translator	translate translated translating translates	translatable translational translatorial	
350	typically / typ-i-cal-ly	typicality typicalness		typical	typically
351	unique / u-nique	uniqueness		unique	uniquely
352	utilize / u-til-ize	utilization utilizer	utilize utilized utilizing utilizes	utilizable	
353	valid / val-id	validity validness		valid	validly
354	variation / var-i-a-tion	variation variate		variational	variationally

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356	verify / ver·i·fy	verifiability verifier verification verificationism	verify verified verifying verifies	verifiable verificative	verifiably
357	viewpoint / view·point	viewpoint			
358	voice / voice	voice voicedness voicefulness voicelessness voicer	voice voiced voicing voices	voiced voiceful voiceless	voicelessly