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	English 10 Honors Vocabulary Lesson 13
of	art I: Directions: Each of the following sentences correctly uses a vocabulary word. Write the definition each word under the sentence. <u>Underline</u> the words in the sentence that could help you guess what the ord means.
	If the pages aren't collated properly, they'll be out of proper sequence when our class magazine is bound. efinition:
	I was utterly nonplussed when I realized that football practice and the rehearsal for the class show were at the same time. Efinition:
	He is such a prolific writer that his books occupy almost an entire shelf in the school library. Efinition:
	The big game had a truly inauspicious start for us when our star quarterback fumbled and lost the ball on the first play. efinition:
	I know you are really disappointed at not getting that job, but don't allow yourself to feel so disconsolate that you won't have the energy to look for another. efinition:
	The New Year's Eve party started off quietly enough, but it soon became a full-fledged carousal . efinition:
	One need not be a connoisseur of modern dance to recognize that Martha is exceptionally talented in that field. efinition:
	Aren't you exaggerating when you suggest that the job of stock clerk calls for someone with herculean strength?

9. When I first broached this topic two years ago, my ideas met with a very indifferent reception. Definition:
10. Now that you mention it, I don't think that "Sez you" was a particularly effective rejoinder to her trenchant and insightful criticisms of your proposal.Definition:
11. The mangled bodies of the victims told their own grisly story of what happened. Definition:
12. The testimony of three different witnesses, all confirming the same basic facts, made the guilt of the accused incontrovertible.Definition:
13. It would be impossible to foment racial discord in a school where students of different backgrounds understand and respect one another. Definition:
14. I like to read all kinds of fiction, but I must confess that I have a particular predilection for historical novels.Definition:
15. When I saw the worried expression on the face of my employer, I realized that it wasn't an opportune time to ask for a raise.Definition:
16. The speech he delivered was so magniloquent in style and tone that it seemed more suitable for a public dedication ceremony than for an informal gathering of old friends.Definition:
17. Although she remained outwardly impassive during the trial, I could sense that emotional turmoil beneath the surface.Definition:

18. She is so **encumbered** with family obligations that she has rarely a free moment for herself. **Definition:**

19. The towering walls of many medieval cathedrals are prevented from falling down by huge "flying" **buttresses** on the outside of the building.

Definition:

20. I don't think you can really accuse the producers of **blatant** favoritism simply because they chose a friend for the title role.

Definition:

Part II: Now that you have a better understanding of the meaning of your vocabulary words, write each word next to its corresponding definition and write the part of speech.

Vocabulary Word	Part of Speech	Definition		
		to compare critically in order to note differences,		
		similarities, etc.; to arrange in order for some		
		specific purpose		
		to promote trouble or rebellion		
		to weigh down or burden (with difficulties, cares, debt, etc.); to fill up, block, hinder		
		an expert; one who is well qualified to pass critical judgments, especially in one of the fine arts		
		noisy in a coarse, offensive way; obvious or conspicuous, especially in an unfavorable sense		
		deeply unhappy or dejected; without hope, beyond consolation		
		a supporting structure		
		noisy revelry or merrymaking (often with a suggestion of heavy drinking)		
		to bring up or begin to talk about (a subject); to announce		
		puzzled, not knowing what to do, at a loss		
		abundantly productive		
		suitable or convenient for a particular purpose;		
		occurring at an appropriate time		
		unquestionable, beyond dispute		
		frightful, horrible, ghastly		
		a reply to a reply, especially from the defendant in a		

legal suit
a liking, preference
expressed in lofty or high-flown language (often in the sense of being pompous or over-elaborate)
unfavorable, unlucky, suggesting bad luck for the future
showing no feeling or emotion
characterized by great strength; very hard to do in the sense of requiring unusual strength

Part III: Synonyms. Write the vocabulary word that has a similar meaning to the group of words listed.

1	gruesome, gory, ghastly, horrible, hideous
2	incontestable, indisputable, indubitable
3	grief-stricken, inconsolable, comfortless
4	perplexed, baffled, stumped; flabbergasted
5	mighty, powerful; arduous, onerous, colossal
	emotionless, stoical, unemotional
	an expert, savant
8	timely, appropriate, suitable
9	pompous, stilted
10	to sort out, arrange; to cross check
11	to instigate, stir up
12	to bolster, reinforce, brace, prop
13	flagrant, glaring, egregious; noisy
14	to bring up, mention; to introduce, present
15	an answer, reply, response, retort
16	unpromising, untimely
17	to weigh down, overload, burden
18	a drinking bout, binge
19	fruitful, productive
20	a partiality, preference, fondness, taste

Part IV—Prefixes/Suffixes

Write the prefixes and/or suffixes that are used in this week's words. You may need to add more rows.

Prefixes	Suffixes