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CREST English Olympiad (CEO) Worksheet *for*

Class 7



Topic

Synonyms



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Worksheet on Synonyms

1. Choose the option which is not a synonym of the highlighted word:

At the principal's **behest**, the students organised a charity event to raise funds for a local community initiative, demonstrating the school's commitment to social responsibility.

- a. instruction
- b. direction
- c. order
- d. plunge

2. Choose the option which is not a synonym of the highlighted word:

After presenting a compelling defence, the defendant was granted **acquittal** by the jury, as they found insufficient evidence to support the charges brought against them.

- a. conviction
- b. exoneration
- c. absolution
- d. vindication

3. Choose the option which is not a synonym of the highlighted word:

Before investing in the stock market, there is an essential **caveat** for the investors to consider about the risks involved.

- a. warning
- b. disclaimer
- c. caution
- d. articulation

4. Choose the option which is not a synonym of the highlighted word:

The business experienced a period of **doldrums**, marked by slow sales and reduced customer engagement, prompting the need for innovative strategies to revitalise and regain market momentum.

- a. stagnation
- b. malaise
- c. slump
- d. elation

5. Choose the option which is not a synonym of the highlighted word:

The politician's speech was filled with **pomposity**, using overly complex language and grandiose expressions that left the audience more bewildered than impressed.

- a. ostentation
- b. pretension
- c. munificent
- d. grandiloquence

6. Choose the option which is not a synonym of the highlighted word:

The teacher's icy stare **petrified** the little kid.

- a. terrified
- b. horrified
- c. appalled
- d. lissomed

7. Choose the option which is not a synonym of the highlighted word:

The bowler was accused of **tampering** with the ball by the batsman.

- a. interfering
- b. tinker
- c. slander
- d. meddle

8. Choose the option which is a synonym of the highlighted word:

The teacher felt the need to **reiterate** the key concepts of the lesson to ensure that all students fully grasped the fundamental principles before moving on to the next topic.

- a. recapitulate
- b. restoration
- c. subterfuge
- d. sartorial

9. Choose the option which is a synonym of the highlighted word:

Instead of going out for partying with friends, Samantha preferred to sit in the **serenity** of the quiet lake.

- a. tranquillity
- b. composure
- c. calmness
- d. frenzy

10. Choose the option which is a synonym of the highlighted word:

After a hearty meal, the delicious dessert is served to **satiate** their sweet cravings, leaving them content and fully satisfied.

- a. gratify
- b. saturate
- c. satisfy
- d. resurrect

11. Choose the word similar to the given word from the given set of options:

Synopsis (CREST 2021-22)

- a. preface
- b. appendix
- c. summary
- d. conclusion

12. Choose the word similar to the given word from the given set of options:

The timid rabbit **darted** across the path, disappearing into the bushes.

- a. crawled
- b. hopped slowly
- c. dashed quickly
- d. carried

13. Choose the word similar to the given word from the given set of options:

The teacher **explained** the concept clearly, ensuring everyone understood.

- a. confused
- b. simplified
- c. ignored
- d. repeated

14. Choose the word similar to the given word from the given set of options:

The loud music made it difficult to **concentrate** on studying.

- a. focus
- b. relax
- c. sing along
- d. eat

15. Choose the synonym of the given word:

Debacle (CREST 2022-23)

- a. Disaster
- b. Triumph
- c. Creation
- d. Accomplishment

16. Choose the word similar to the given word from the given set of options:

The athlete showed great **determination** to win the competition.

- a. doubt
- b. fear
- c. laziness
- d. perseverance

17. Choose the word similar to the given word from the given set of options:

The delicious smell of cookies **wafted** through the air.

- a. disappeared
- b. blew strongly
- c. filled pleasantly
- d. tasted strange

18. Choose the word similar to the given word from the given set of options:

The magician performed a **mystifying** trick that left everyone speechless.

- a. boring
- b. confusing
- c. easy to understand
- d. colourful

19. Choose the word similar to the given word from the given set of options:

We need to be **courteous** to others, even when we disagree.

- a. loud
- b. rude
- c. polite
- d. messy

20. Choose the word similar to the given word from the given set of options:

Disregard (**CREST 2023-24**)

- a. safeguarding
- b. neglecting
- c. ignoring
- d. nurturing

Answer Key

1.	d	2.	a	3.	d	4.	d	5.	c	6.	d	7.	c
8.	a	9.	d	10.	d	11.	c	12.	c	13.	b	14.	a
15.	a	16.	d	17.	c	18.	b	19.	c	20.	c		

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