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CREST English Olympiad (CEO) Worksheet *for*

Class 8



Topic

Antonyms



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Worksheet on Antonyms

Direction for (Ques. 1 to 19): Choose the option which is an antonym of the highlighted word:

1. Denis's performance was considered quite **captivating** by the judges.
 - a. repulsive
 - b. compulsive
 - c. inherent
 - d. dogmatic

2. The principal is quite **dogmatic** and ensures adherence to all the rules.
 - a. opinionated
 - b. rigid
 - c. drastic
 - d. open-minded

3. We all asked for **forbearance** from the God almighty.
 - a. vengeance
 - b. reverence
 - c. submission
 - d. agonising

4. Pixie looked quite glad when her **surmise** got a confirmation.
 - a. conjecture
 - b. guesswork
 - c. fact
 - d. belief

5. Mobile phones and internet seem to be **ubiquitous** these days.
 - a. omnipresent
 - b. omniscient
 - c. delectable
 - d. rare

6. The map helped a lot in understanding the **convoluted** paths in the dense terrain.
 - a. straightforward
 - b. fermented
 - c. dangerous
 - d. meandering



7. The **antiquated** vase found in the valley belonged to the Middle Ages.
- charismatic
 - refrained
 - modern
 - ballistic
8. Hannah disliked Ray because of his **ageist** attitude.
- egalitarian
 - subsequent
 - affliction
 - canvass
9. James's tendency to doubt and **dawdle** affected the speed of the completion of the project.
- swindle
 - suave
 - expedite
 - exterminate
10. The scholarship helped **defray** the expenses of Maria's college education.
- retain
 - refrain
 - disarray
 - herald
11. The detective uncovered a trail of **tangible** evidence to solve the case.
- concrete
 - believable
 - intangible
 - undeniable
12. The team celebrated their **triumph** with a victory dance.
- defeat
 - effort
 - practice
 - teamwork
13. The students built a **fragile** project on their science exhibition.
- sturdy
 - intricate
 - temporary
 - beautiful

14. The company experienced a period of **stagnation**, with no growth or development.
- stability
 - stagnation
 - advancement
 - progress
15. The author's writing style was very **concise**, using few words to convey a lot of meaning.
- brief
 - clear
 - elaborate
 - detailed
16. The morning mist slowly **dissipated**.
- condensed
 - appeared
 - transformed
 - gathered
17. John decided to **conceal** the surprise gift in the closet.
- decorate
 - reveal
 - deliver
 - purchase
18. The principal announced a strict **ban** on mobile phones in school.
- recommendation
 - update
 - allowance
 - discussion
19. The movie received **scathing** reviews from critics.
- detailed
 - positive
 - lengthy
 - interesting
20. Read the given statement and find the antonym for the word given in quotes:
- Look at the "rear" mirror while driving. (CREST 2023-24)
- unusual
 - front
 - upper
 - back

Answer Key

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



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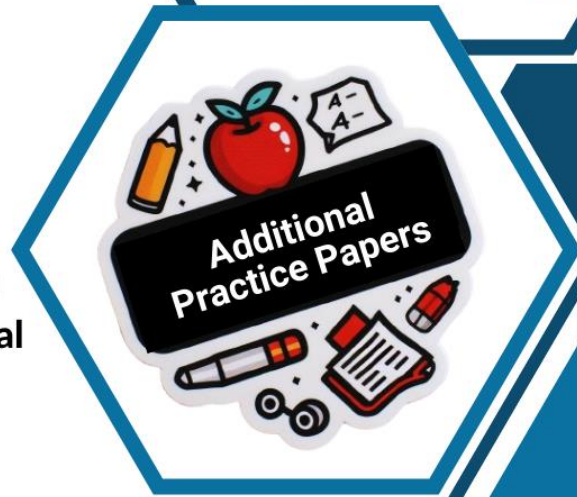
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