

ADVANCED VOCABULARY DEVELOPMENT 2

Excercise 1. Complete the sentence using the words defined below

- A **flavour (n)** - distinctive taste; special quality or characteristic
savour (v) - enjoy the taste or smell of sth
You couldn't possibly _____ your food when you eat so fast!
- B **inhibit** - make somebody unable or unwilling to express his/her feelings
prohibit - forbid by law or regulation
His doctor _____ him from drinking alcohol.
- C **implicit** - suggested rather than plainly stated
explicit - clearly and fully expressed
She didn't give _____ instructions, so she shouldn't be angry with you for doing it wrong.
- D **superficial** - not thorough or profound
superfluous - more than needed or wanted
It is _____ to judge people by the clothes they wear.
- E **pathetic** - causing one to feel sympathy
apathetic - showing a lack of interest in matters
Gregory has been _____ since he lost his job; he doesn't seem to want to do anything.
- F **apprehend** - (legal) arrest, seize
comprehend - understand fully
I cannot _____ what caused her to act that way.
- G **statute** - written law
stature - a person's body height
Although Jane is small in _____ she has a commanding personality.
- H **induce** - persuade or influence
deduce - reach a conclusion by reasoning
Nothing could _____ him to move to the city.

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Excercise 2. Each word in heavy type is wrong and requires replacement. Choose words from the box, and put them in the blanks.

Popular	inferred	humane	ingenious	illicit
accessory	prone	urban	stationery	descent

1. I **implied** from what he said that he was in favor of my proposal. _____
2. It should be the duty of all of us to work for a more **human** and civilized society. _____
3. People with fair skin are **drone** to skin cancer. _____
4. The man in the courthouse was on trial for **elicit** smuggling of drugs. _____
5. The police held the firm belief that the suspect was an **access** to the crime, _____
6. He wrote a **populous** book and rose to fame. _____
7. The **dissent** of the mountain proved difficult. _____
8. We usually buy **stationary** in bulk for office use. _____
9. He's a versatile and **ingenuous** man. _____
10. Nowadays more and more people move to **urbane** areas. _____

ANSWERS

Exercise 1

- A savour
- B prohibited
- C explicit
- D superficial
- E apathetic
- F comprehend

G stature

H induce

Exercise 2

1 inferred

2 humane

3 prone

4 illicit

5 accessory

6 popular

7 descent

8 stationery

9 ingenious

10 urban



