

Vocabulary Quiz - 18-07-14

1. Relieve means to:
A] Come upon, as if by accident
B] Hold onto firmly and tightly
C] Repair by adding pieces
D] Reduce pain, distress or difficulty

2. The student must be enrolled in a school in the disaster areas, which were established in 2008 after **severe** storms, tornadoes, and floods ripped through portions of 10 Midwestern states.
In this sentence, **severe** means:
A] Following as a consequence
B] Very strong or vigorous
C] Predicted in advance
D] Of or relating to the ocean

3. His distinct features, tall frame, fancy footwork, dapper **suits** and infectious 1960s pop grooves make this New Zealander hard to miss.
In this sentence, **suits** means:
A] Hairstyles
B] Footing
C] Outfits
D] Headgear

4. The opposite of solid is:
A] Essential
B] Fluid
C] Visible
D] Annual

5. Furthermore means:
A] in summary
B] in addition
C] in all likelihood
D] in comparison

6. Perhaps no character has **articulated** the science of thinking as directly as Sherlock Holmes, the great consulting detective created by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.
In this sentence, **articulated** means:
A] Glorified
B] Expressed
C] Embodied
D] Debunked

7. Dull means to:
A] Diminish in strength, quality, or utility over a period of time
B] Reach the point of maximum concentration or saturation
C] Become lusterless in appearance; lose shine or brightness
D] Be on or below a liquid surface and not sink to the bottom

8. Establish means to:
A] Surprise
B] Slight
C] Prove
D] Ruin

9. Range means:
A] The limit of capability
B] A prominent attribute or aspect of something
C] A planned undertaking
D] That which is responsible for one's thoughts and feelings

10. Contract means to:
A] Hold spellbound; captivate
B] Have faith or confidence in
C] Engage by written agreement
D] Take part in a social event

1. [D] Reduce pain, distress or difficulty
2. [B] Very strong or vigorous
3. [C] Outfits
4. [B] Fluid
5. [B] in addition
6. [B] Expressed
7. [C] Become lusterless in appearance; lose shine or brightness
8. [C] Prove
9. [A] The limit of capability
10. [C] Engage by written agreement