

1. NEPOTISM

- A) Desire
- B) Favouritism

C) Impartiality

- D) Legitimate

favoritism shown to relatives or close friends by those in power

2. ILLEGIBLE

- A) Clear
- B) Contempt
- C) Ecstasy

D) Readable

not clear enough to be read.

"his handwriting is totally illegible"

3. HAUGHTY

- A) Pitiable
- B) Scared

C) Humble

- D) Cowardly

arrogantly superior and disdainful.

"a look of haughty disdain"

4. LACONIC

- A) Bucolic
- B) Profligate
- C) Prolific

D) Prolix

"his laconic reply suggested a lack of interest in the topic"

antonyms: verbose, long-winded, loquacious

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6. CORDIAL

A) Cold

B) Frigid

C) Sweet

D) Unfriendly

warm and friendly.

"the atmosphere was cordial and relaxed"

7. SAGE

A) Egoist

B) Fool

C) Rogue

D) Snob

"the sayings of the numerous venerable sages"

antonyms: fool

8. MALIGNANT

A) Benign

B) Prune

C) Swallow

D) Virulent

"in the hands of malignant fate"

antonyms: benevolent

9. MOROSE

A) Boorish

B) Cheerful

C) Diffuse

D) Moody

"she was morose and silent when she got home"

antonyms: cheerful

10. BRAVE

A) Bold

B) Heroic

C) Strong

D) Timid

ready to face and endure danger or pain; showing courage.

"she was very brave about the whole thing"